

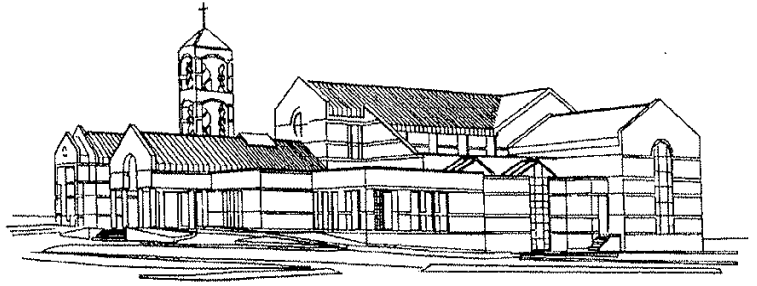
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SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

July 26, 2026

Message from Fr. Shaiju

My dear brothers and sisters, this 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time invites us to reflect on a simple yet important question: **What do we truly treasure?** In today's First Reading, Solomon asks God not for wealth, power, or a long life, but for a listening heart. His prayer reminds us that life's greatest treasure is a heart that listens to God and is guided by His wisdom. As we also celebrate the **World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly**, we give thanks for the priceless gift they are to our families, our parish and our community. Their quiet faith, loving example, generous sacrifices and steadfast prayers have shaped our lives in countless ways. They remind us that the greatest riches are not measured by what we own, but by the love we give, the faith we share and the lives we bless. Today, let us treasure those who have treasured us. Take time to visit, listen and simply be present to the grandparents and seniors in your life. Their stories carry wisdom, their faith inspires hope and their love continues to strengthen future generations. May we always honour them with gratitude, respect and affection, ensuring that they never feel forgotten or alone. May God bless all our grandparents and the elderly with good health, peace, joy, and the love of their families. Wishing you and your loved ones a blessed Sunday.

*Cari fratelli e sorelle, la 17^a Domenica del Tempo Ordinario ci invita a riflettere su una domanda fondamentale: **che cosa custodiamo davvero come un tesoro?** Nella Prima Lettura, Salomone chiede a Dio non ricchezze, potere o una lunga vita, ma un cuore capace di ascoltare. Oggi celebriamo anche la **Giornata Mondiale dei Nonni e degli Anziani**. Rendiamo grazie per il dono prezioso che essi rappresentano nelle nostre famiglie, nella nostra parrocchia e nella comunità. Con la loro fede, il loro esempio, i loro sacrifici e le loro preghiere, hanno lasciato un segno profondo nelle nostre vite. Oggi ricordiamoci di fare tesoro di coloro che hanno fatto tesoro di noi. Troviamo il tempo per visitare, ascoltare e stare accanto ai nonni e agli anziani, perché non si sentano mai dimenticati. Le loro storie sono ricche di saggezza, la loro fede alimenta la speranza e il loro amore continua a sostenere le nuove generazioni. Il Signore benedica tutti i nostri nonni e gli anziani con salute, pace, gioia e l'affetto delle loro famiglie. Che nessuno di loro si senta mai dimenticato, ma sempre amato, accompagnato e custodito dalla nostra vicinanza. Auguro a voi e ai vostri cari una Santa e serena Domenica.*

~Fr. Shaiju Ponmalakunnel

Follow our New Instagram Page!

We're excited to announce our new parish Instagram page! Through our Instagram page, you can stay informed about parish news, upcoming events, ministry updates and moments from the life of our parish community. We invite you to follow us and stay engaged with the life of our parish.



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Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion Meetings

All **Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion** are asked to attend the second formation meeting on **Thursday July 30, 2026, at 7:30pm.**

*Tutti i **Ministri della Comunione** sono invitati a partecipare al secondo incontro di formazione **Giovedì 30 luglio 2026 alle ore 19:30.***

Upcoming Baptisms

Our parish is delighted to welcome the following children to the Christian community through the Sacrament of Baptism:



*Amari-Zen Bruce Skerritt
Sienna Angela Di Scipio
Julian Peter Cannata
Alice Adeline Nuber
Madison Carly Matos*

Congratulations to their parents and godparents.

This Weekend's Marriages



*Roberto Quattrucci & Caterina Meschino
Franco Guido & Michaela DiMarcantonio
Natalie Elizabeth MacDonald & Lucas Philip Grella*

St. Bernadette Relic Visit

Join us on **August 17 & 18, 2026** as our parish welcomes the **Relic of St. Bernadette**.

Vi invitiamo a unirvi a noi il 17 e 18 agosto per accogliere nella nostra parrocchia la Reliquia di Santa Bernadette.

Calling All Bakers!

The CWL will be hosting a sweet table at the Feast of the Assumption. We invite you bring the baked goods to the parish on **Saturday August 15, 2026 between 1:00pm – 3:00 pm.**

Volunteers Needed

Volunteers are needed to assist with the setup for the Feast of the Assumption. If you are available, please contact the parish office.

Si cercano volontari per assistere nell'allestimento della festa dell'Assunta. Se siete disponibili, siete pregati di contattare l'ufficio parrocchiale.

Saturday August 15, 2026 from 8am-12pm:

Set up lights and tables in parking lot

Sunday August 16, 2026 from 7am-8am:

Set up for breakfast

Sunday August 16, 2026 from 2pm-4pm:

Set up tables, food/drink tents in parking lot

Sunday August 16, 2026 from 9:30pm-11pm:

Clean up parking lot of tables and tents

Weekly Mass Intentions

Monday July 27

7pm

Tuesday July 28

7pm

Gervasia Deluca

8pm

Salvatore Triumbari

Wednesday July 29 Sts. Martha, Mary and Lazarus

7pm

8pm

Maria & Ugo Principe

Thursday July 30

7pm

Friday July 31 St. Ignatius of Loyola

7pm

8pm

Francesco Polera



AMOUNT TO DATE: \$59,936

PARISH GOAL: \$106,000

Your gift to ShareLife ensures our grandparents and the elderly are not forgotten

On World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly, thank you for ensuring that our grandparents and the elderly find dignity and peace.

Thank you for your generosity.

In occasione della Giornata Mondiale dei Nonni e degli Anziani, grazie per aver fatto sì che i nostri nonni e gli anziani trovino dignità e pace.

Grazie per la vostra generosità.

Grandparents Day Coffee Social

Complimentary coffee and treats will be served this Sunday after the **8:00am Mass and 9:30am Mass.**

Saranno offerti caffè e dolci gratis **dopo la Santa Messa delle 8:00 e delle 9:30** di questa domenica.



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