

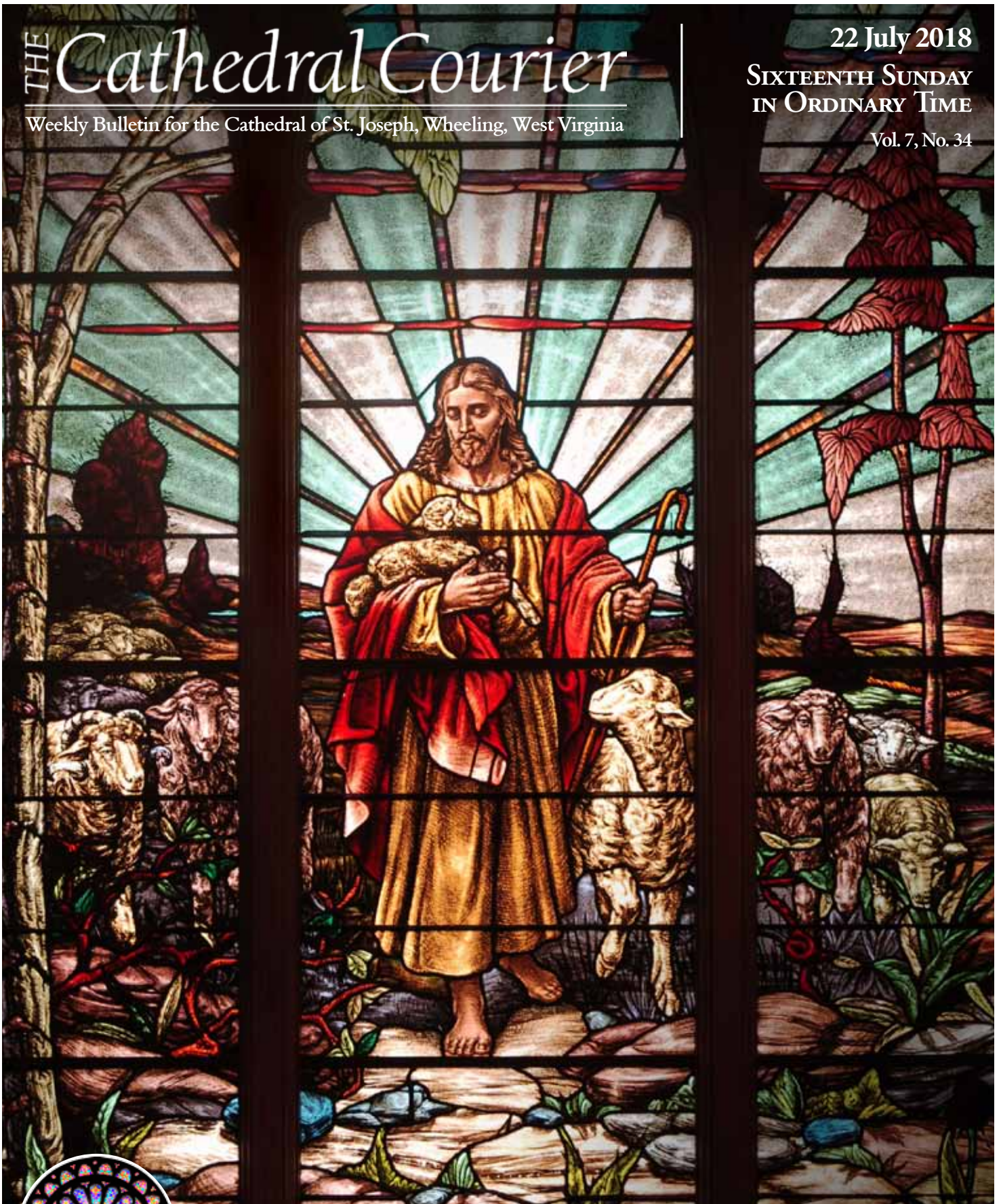
# THE Cathedral Courier

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SIXTEENTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME

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Saint Joseph Cathedral Parish is called to spread the Gospel of Jesus Christ as a community. We are committed: to our urban neighborhoods, to being the Cathedral of the Diocese, and to fellowship, formation, sacrament, and prayer.

# This Week

## At The Cathedral

July 22 - 29, 2018



### SUN 22 SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*Jer 23:1-6 • Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6  
Eph 2:13-18 • Mk 6:30-34*

6:00 PM Mass for the Parishioners  
8:00 AM Mass for Ross Felton  
10:30 AM Mass for Dr. Adiel Anghie

*Anointing of the Sick after each Mass*

### MON 23 Saint Bridget, religious

*Mi 6:1-4, 6-8 • Ps 50:6-7, 8-9, 16-17, 21, 23 • Mt 12:38-42*  
12:05 PM Mass for John Mick McDonald

### TUE 24 Saint Sharbel Makhluf, priest

*Mi 7:14-15, 18-20 • Ps 85:2-4, 5-6, 7-8 • Mt 12:46-50*  
12:05 PM Mass for Donna Sheets

### WED 25 SAINT JAMES, APOSTLE

*2 Cor 4:7-15 • Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 • Mt 20:20-28*  
12:05 PM Mass for Dr. Adiel Anghie

### THU 26 Saints Joachim and Anne, parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary

*Jer 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13 • Ps 36:6-11 • Mt 13:10-17*  
12:05 PM Mass for Rev. Gerard (Gerry) Creedon

### FRI 27 Weekday in Ordinary Time

*Jer 3:14-17 • Jer 31:10, 11-12, 13 • Mt 13:18-23*  
11:15 AM Confessions  
12:05 PM Mass for Jeannie Anne Quirk

### SAT 28 Optional Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary

*Jer 7:1-11 • Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6, 8, 11 • Mt 13:24-30*  
9:00 AM Mass for Jack Jochum  
9:30 AM Rosary  
5:00 PM Confessions  
6:00 PM Mass for Frances Amato

### SUN 29 SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*2 Kgs 4:42-44 • Ps 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18  
Eph 4:1-6 • John 6:1-15*

8:00 AM Mass for the Parishioners  
10:30 AM Mass for John F. Prascik



## Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Most are familiar with the scriptural quote from Psalm 23, "The Lord is my shepherd. There is nothing I shall want." This passage serves as the Responsorial Psalm on this Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time because it supports the other readings with two key ideas: that we must place our trust in the Lord, and that we inherit life from our Good Shepherd, Jesus Christ.

At the time St. Paul was writing his Letter to the Ephesians (our Second Reading), Paul was under house arrest in Rome and awaiting trial. He was allegedly accused by the Jews of taking a Gentile into a temple. Therefore, part of Paul's statement, "For he (Christ) is our peace, he who made both one and broke down the dividing wall of enmity, through his flesh, abolishing the law with its commandments and legal claims," is saying essentially the Lordship of Jesus is greater than any difference you may feel you have with others — that Jesus is our Savior and our Shepherd.

In the Gospel Reading from Mark, the idea of shepherding lies at the heart. "When he (Jesus) disembarked and saw the vast crowd, his heart was moved with pity for them, for they were like sheep without a shepherd; and he began to teach them many things." In other words, He began to feed them with the Word of God. That is what we do during this part of our Mass; we hear Holy Scripture. These are the Words of the Lord. He is our shepherd. We are His sheep.

As always, Jesus teaches us a valuable lesson about stewardship through today's readings. To the Lord, the needs of others were more important than His own. When we share our time, our talents, and our treasure, we are not only following our Good Shepherd, we are also living His Gospel call to shepherd others by giving of ourselves. 🌱



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## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**IT'S TIME TO REGISTER** for the 2018-2019 First Communion and Confirmation Preparation Classes which begin on Sunday, September 16. To register or for more information, please contact the Assistant for Pastoral Ministries, Ms. Debbie Fahey by e-mail at [dfahey@dwc.org](mailto:dfahey@dwc.org) or by telephone at (304) 233-4121. The deadline for registration is Sunday, September 2.



## CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

Children's Liturgy of the Word is currently on break during the month of July. It will resume on Sunday, August 5 during the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

### Did you know that the Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated twice each week at the Cathedral?

Confessions are held on Fridays from 11:15-11:45 a.m.  
and on Saturdays from 5:00-5:45 p.m.  
Consider participating in this wonderful gift of God's mercy.

# Saints for the Week Ahead



**July 23 - Saint Bridget (1303-1373)** was the founder of the Bridgettines. She was happily married to a Swedish lord and had eight children, one of whom was St. Catherine of Sweden. The couple went on pilgrimage to Santiago de Compostela in the early 1340s, and Bridget's husband died soon after their return. From age 7 on, Bridget had visions of Christ crucified. Her visions formed the basis for her activity—always with the emphasis on charity rather than spiritual favors.



*Patronage:* Europe; widows



**July 24 - St. Sharbel Makhluf (1828-1898)** was a Maronite Catholic, born and raised in a small Lebanese mountain village. As a child he led a pious life of prayer and solitude. His favorite book was *The Imitation of Christ* by Thomas à Kempis.

When he entered the Monastery of St. Maron at 23, he took the name Sharbel after the second-century martyr of the Antioch Church. He lived an austere life as a hermit, eating only one meal of vegetables each day, sleeping on a pillow of wood and a duvet filled with dead leaves. His time was devoted to prayer, contemplation, and manual labor. Many came to him for counsel and blessing. He died in 1898 on Christmas Eve.

**July 25 - The Saint James († 1st c.)** we honor today is the brother of the Apostle John, one of the “sons of thunder” who were privileged witnesses of some of Jesus’ greatest signs: the raising of the daughter of Jairus from the dead, the Transfiguration, and the agony in the garden. James was the first Apostle to suffer martyrdom, slain by Herod’s orders as described in Acts of the Apostles. According to legend, his remains were carried away by his friends in a rudderless boat, which drifted all the way to Spain. Many centuries later his remains were discovered, and a great cathedral was built over the spot where they were found (*Santiago de Compostela*, which became one of the most popular pilgrimage destinations of the Middle Ages). To this day, hundreds of thousands of pilgrims make their way to that remote corner of Spain to venerate the relics of St. James.



*Patronage:* pilgrims; Spain



**July 26 -** The information we have regarding **Saints Joachim and Anne** comes from an unreliable source known as the Gospel of James. They are portrayed as an old and barren couple who longed to bring life into the world. Through an angelic messenger they are told they will bear a child - not just any child, but one who will be revered for all time, the Blessed Virgin Mary.

*Patronage:* childless women; expectant mothers;

**The Cathedral Courier strives to be not only informative, but most importantly spiritually enriching. If you have any suggestions for future editions of The Cathedral Courier, please send them to the editor, Mr. Tyler Greenwood by e-mail at [greenwood@dwc.org](mailto:greenwood@dwc.org). Thank you!**

## In your charity, please keep in your prayers:

Arthur Danehart, Austin Cook, Barb Mazzocca, Bertha Wurtzbacher, Betty Teater, Bill Wilson, Bob Armstrong, Bob Jones, Brogan Gallentine, Caleb Hlebiczkki, Charles Heizer, Children of the Youth Services System, Chuck Fair, Darleen Williams, David A. Kress, Jr., Dustin Ronevich, Eva Wood, Father Joseph Wilhelm, Frank Davis, Fred Herink, Gail Koch, George Kirchner, Haley Carter, Hines Rotriga, James Benner, Jane Rudari, Marlene Martin, Janet Cupp, Janie, Jean and Chuck Schultz, Jim Antill, Jim and Dee, Jimmy Hocking, John Petrella, Jon-Michael Lasher, Judy Pack, Julia Sheets, Kathy Cooley, Kermit Klosterman, Liam Manning, Lukie Brown, Margaret Stocke, Mark Davis, Martha Yocum, Mary Alice Florio, Mary Ann Fowler, Mary K. Schlosser, Mary Walicki, Michael DeBlasis, Milissa Rose, Milly Burke, Mona Wurtzbacher, Nadine Greenwood, Norma Bosold, Patricia Kaliszcz, Pete Mack, R. J. Stocke, Richard Simon, Rick Burgy, Ron Hickman, Rosalie Davis, Sarah Hanasky, Sarah Sargent, Shawn Thomas, Shirley DeCaria, Stanley Kyrk, Stephanie Bugaj, Susan Graff, Susan Mize, Susan Schulte, Tammy, Thelma Pearson, Thomas Griffith, Trystan Timmons, Victoria Jeskey



## Banns of Marriage

Olivia Figaretti & Cory Becker  
August 4, 2018

Patti Phillips & Todd Best  
August 11, 2018

*If any of you know cause or just impediment why these persons should not be joined together in Holy Matrimony, you are to declare it.*

## Bereavement Group

**Monday, July 30, 2018 at 6:00 p.m.**

**Saint Alphonsus Church, 2111 Market Street, Wheeling, WV**

If you or someone you know has lost a loved one and would like to participate, at your comfort level, or just listen to other people who are also grieving, please consider attending a Bereavement Group gathering facilitated by Deacon Doug Breiding at Saint Alphonsus Church in Wheeling. Everything is kept confidential.

The gathering times for the remainder of the year are July 30th, August 27th, September 24th, October 29th, November 26th and December 17th.



## The Pope's Monthly Intention for July

*The Holy Father asks for our prayers for a specific intention each month. Here is this month's intention:*

### **Evangelization – Priests and their Pastoral Ministry**

That priests, who experience fatigue and loneliness in their pastoral work, may find help and comfort in their intimacy with the Lord and in their friendship with their brother priests.

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## Masses

Sundays: 6:00 p.m. (Saturday)  
8:00 a.m.  
10:30 a.m.

Weekdays: 12:05 p.m. Monday thru Friday  
9:00 a.m. Saturday

Holy Days: Please consult the bulletin

## Confessions

Friday 11:15-11:45 a.m.

Saturday: 5:00-5:45 p.m.  
or by appointment



## BAPTISMS / INITIATION

Both Baptism and the Rite of Initiation for Adults can be arranged by contacting the parish office.

## MARRIAGE

Engaged couples who are members of the Cathedral parish should contact the parish office.

## SACRAMENT OF THE SICK / COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

Please call the parish office to arrange for a visit.

## PARISH REGISTRATION

Registration forms can be obtained through the parish office.  
Please notify the parish office of address changes through the parish office or by visiting the website.

## BULLETIN DEADLINE

Announcements for the Courier must be submitted to Debbie Fahey by email to [dfahey@dwc.org](mailto:dfahey@dwc.org) by noon on Monday (5 days prior to publication).

