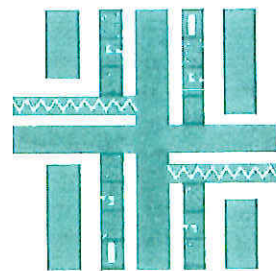


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Liturgy

Weekdays - 8:00 AM (Rosary 7:30 AM)

Saturday - 4:00 PM

Sunday - 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM

Office Hours

Monday - Thursday

9:00 AM - 4:00 PM (closed 12 - 1 PM)

Sacraments

Reconciliation

3:30 PM - 4:00 Saturday

Baptism - Contact Margaret Roncalli

Marriage - Contact pastor 6 months in advance

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For communion/visits to the sick & homebound; mass intentions, prayer request & funerals

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Mission & Vision

Through African American traditions, we are moved
by the Spirit to serve.

WE KNOW WHO & WHOSE WE ARE!

“WE SEE YOU”

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Her many sins have been forgiven; hence, she has shown great love.

Luke 7:47

June 12, 2016



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before entering Church.
Thank you!

HOPE AND FORGIVENESS

There were some interesting conceptions of sin prevalent in the time of the Hebrew scriptures. There was the belief that God punished sin immediately. Those who suffered disease or misfortune were, therefore, sinners getting their due from the Almighty. Today's first reading hints at another kind of God. When David admits his sin, Nathan declares, "The LORD on his part has forgiven your sin" (2 Samuel 12:13b). Here was not a vengeful God but a merciful God. What good news that must have been to David and those who, like him, could be honest enough to admit their sinfulness!

Jesus is the good news of God's mercy and forgiveness incarnate. Without Jesus, perhaps the good news would have been too good to believe, too difficult to imagine. But there he is in today's Gospel, the God-man, forgiving a sinner and declaring that she is forgiven because of her great love.

There is hope, then, for the rest of us sinners, if only we love enough!

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Sunday: Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: St. Anthony of Padua

Tuesday: Flag Day

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary



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June 12, 2016 - Health Cabinet - Prostrate Cancer Workshop

June 12, 2016 - Sr. Marian Castelluccio Renewal of Vows

June 19, 2016 - Father's Day Brunch

June 20, 2016 - Vacation Bible School Begins

June 26, 2016 - Fr. Kwame Assenyoh's Going Away Party

SAVE THE DATE

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WHITE PARTY**

Saturday, August 27, 2016

3pm—7pm

Garden at St. Columba Parish House

\$30.00 donation

We welcome all who come to celebrate with us. If you would like to register or if you need to update your information, please complete this registration form and place it in the collection basket, return to office or send us an email. Be Blessed!

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