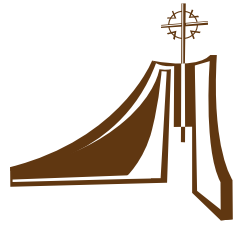


CHURCH of the RESURRECTION NEWS

Nr. 23 (3550) June 9th, 2024

10th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - B



In the section of the Gospel just before these verses, Jesus calls his Twelve Apostles. Now he performs his first exorcism. It is told within the context of conflict with his family.

A crowd so large has gathered that Jesus and his disciples are not even able to eat their bread. His family comes to take him away because they think he is beside himself. And the scribes think he is possessed by the devil. Jesus points out to

them the absurdity of their thinking that he uses the devil to cast out demons. In fact, it is Jesus who ties up the strong man, Beelzebub, and overcomes him.

He concludes with a brief saying about the forgiveness of sins. All sin can be forgiven except for blasphemy against the Holy Spirit. It's not known exactly what he means by this. It could be that the only sin that can't be forgiven is the one that cuts you off from the source of forgiveness, the Holy Spirit.

Mark then brings Jesus' family back into the picture. They are not presented in a critical light but are just trying to see him. This gives Jesus the opportunity to point out that family for him is not based on blood. (loyolapress.com)

"Heavenly Father, you are the source of all true friendship and love. In all my relationships, may your love be my constant guide for choosing what is good and for rejecting what is contrary to your will." (dailyscripture.net) †R.R.

2024

Camp Kretinga

July 7-20 (En.)

July 21 - August 3 (Lith.)

Family Camp

August 17 - 24

October 18-19

Fall Rummage Sale

November 9

Annual Dinner

December (date TBD)

Advent Retreat

December 1

Christmas Concert

December 25

Christmas

With the Lord is mercy, and fullness of redemption.

SUNDAY MASS INTENTIONS ARE FOR:

9 a.m.	†Anne Beudet and John Collins	(L.J.Krisciunas)
11 a.m.	for living and deceased parishioners for peace in the world	
	†Vytautas (16th anniv.) and Ona-Liucija Judvytis	(daughter)
	†Vytautas and Felicija Urbonas	(R.M.Rusinas)
	†Jadze Stanaitis	(I.Stanaitis)
	†Armandas R. in thanksgiving	(D.Chodocinskas)
	†Jane Urbonavicius	(I.Matus)
	†Aldona Kilinskas	(family)
	†Mantas Stankevicius	(N.Spranginis)
		(family)

**Parish office
hours**

June - October

Monday - Thursday

9 a.m. - 2 pm.

Friday

9 a.m. - 1 pm.

July 1 - closed

August 5 - closed

September 2 - closed

Cantors of the Masses:

9 AM - Zita Nausedas ir Monika Satkauskas

11 AM - Dana Pranaitis, Lina Samonis,

Jurate, Gintas, sr. and Gintas, jr. Neimanas
organist - Ilona Beres

The week's Holy Masses

MONDAY (June 10): 7 p.m. †Brone and Jonas Maziliauskas (I.Kavanagh);

TUESDAY (June 11): 7 p.m. for living and deceased parishioners; †Nijole Sadunaite (Prakapas family);

WEDNESDAY (June 12): 7 p.m. †Anele and Petrad Agurkis (Prakapas family);

THURSDAY (June 13): 7 p.m. †Stanley Urbantas, Stella Kliorikaitis, Frank Juskevicius, Stanislaw and Bronius Juskevicius, grandmother Kazimiera (T.Urbantas);

FRIDAY (June 14): 7 p.m. for Lithuanians exile; †Petras and Anele Kalinauskas (Prakapas family);

SATURDAY (June 15): 9 a.m. †Ruta Bekeris (Melnykas and Rocca families); 5 p.m. "Vilnius Manor" †Jonas and Irena Zurinskas (E.Shishkus);

SUNDAY (June 16): 9 a.m. †Monsignor Edmundas Putrimas (GJ); 11 a.m. for living and deceased parishioners; †father Vytautas and grandfathers (GJ); †Jonas Dirmantas (daughter Vida); request grace of health Elena, Terese and Valentina (friend); †Juozas Oleka (O.Olekas); †Mykolas Slapys sr., Vanda Petrauskas, Vanda and Mykolas Slapsys (R.Slapsys); †Karolis and Aldona Rusinas (family); †Brone and Jonas Greiciunas (A.Batten); †Ona-Liucija Judvytis (A.R.Krasauskas); †Algimantas Martusevicius and Aloyzas Pazera (family).

Capital Fund - \$ 372,245

THANK YOU...

"For it is in giving that we receive".

Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi

Sunday (06.02) & "Vilnius Manor" Collections -

47 envelopes - \$ 2,030

No envelopes - \$ 80.05

Direct deposit - \$ 2,375

Parents of Confirmation youth
donated \$ 1,380 to parish

Share Life \$ 1,565

THANK you for your generosity...

Congratulations to seminarian Mantas Mileris, SJ, successful completing his studies in Toronto.

He is returning to Lithuania..

Thank you Mantas for your help, care and love for our parish and parishioners...

God's blessings...

After 11 am Mass everyone is invited to congratulate Mantas and enjoy coffee and cake.



LITHUANIAN SONG FESTIVAL 2025

"Volunge" is preparing to take part in the upcoming Song Festival in Cleveland. If you would like to join us in representing Lithuanian-Canadians at the festival, please register **by June 16th**.

Rehearsals will begin in the fall.

Registration form: <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdgeuXmjPedLO7NoP6HzJo-WKT3ho-56CHXv9RPboSrR8C9Mg/viewform> or send email: dalia.viskontas@gmail.com



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Calling all singers! Unique opportunity for *children ages 7-15* to participate in the 2025 Lithuanian Song Festival in Cleveland next June 27-29!

Your child is invited to join the Resurrection Parish Children's Choir and prepare for the festival. Rehearsals will start this Fall. Please register by June 16th at <https://forms.gle/wwMxqcKSPLDEfZXC6>

Join in for Family Camp - *We Are All One Big Lithuanian Family*

This is an open invitation to everyone to join us in a summer camping experience dedicated to renewing our shared Lithuanian heritage within a spirit of Roman Catholicism. This camp welcomes all multi generational families and persons of all ages, young and old.

Sunday, August 18 to Saturday, August 24, 2024

Location: Camp Kretinga – 9 Endrus Rd., Wasaga Beach.

For more information or to register please contact: Lili Steer 416-801-3689, lili.steer@sympatico.ca



We invite you to LMAC to view an exhibition of sculptures in wood and stone by Gintaras Repečka.

This exhibition is a celebration of the enchanting and the ethereal, a reminder of our shared human heritage and the universal reverence for the natural world. It is a call to preserve the ancient whispers of the forests that still echo in the presence of the unseen.

Exhibition details: May 21 - July 31, 2024. Open Monday through Friday 11am - 4pm., Sunday June 9, 16, 11am - 4pm.

VILNIUS MANOR APARTMENTS AVAILABLE LOCATED AT 1700 BLOOR ST WEST, TORONTO

"Vilnius Manor" is an apartment building for Canadian Lithuanians who are age 55+.

Tenants enjoy city living & convenient TTC access. Our location offers close proximity to High Park, Bloor West Village and the Junction neighbourhoods. All apartments are set at an affordable market rate.

Lithuanian culture and celebrations are embraced through support and connection with the Toronto Lithuanian Senior Citizens Club.

For more information contact info@vilniusmanor.ca

The Resurrection Parish “Labdara” committee is pleased to announce that our spring Rummage Sale was a success, not only financially but in bringing people together for this worthwhile event! Spring Rummage Sale such a success raising \$32,000. Funds were allocated to our Parish \$25,000, Canada Ukrainian Foundation/CU-SAP Mission \$2,500 and camp “Kretinga” \$1,000.

Remaining items were donated to Haven on the Queensway, Dr. Simone "Food for Children", St. Vincent de Paul, Habitat for Humanity, Salvation Army, Bible Mission and books for inmates.

We are sincerely grateful to all who contributed their time and effort before, during and after the rummage sale.

We THANK our Franciscan fathers, Pastor Jonas, Rev.Fr.Augustinas for their continued support and encouragement and Fr. Raimundas who worked tirelessly all week.

During the sale, the Labdara committee members were: Raminta Nakrosius, Kristina Povilaitis, Dalia Rocca and Ramune Stravinskas.

AČIŪ to ALL!

Volunteer list:

G.Adie, A.Armstrong, D.Armstrong, A.M.Aschenbrenner, A.Balaišytė, V.Baliūnienė, D.Baronaitienė, B.Batraks, A.Batten, Z.Bersenas-Cers, E.R.Birgiolai, R.Breen, A.Bubulienė, G.Budrienė, Kun. R.Bukauskas, OFM, A.Butrimas, R.Byra, N.Campbell, A.Čepas, A.L.Čepai, V.Černauskas, L.R. Chomyc, R.Choromaskis, A.Čiaučionas, D.Colgan, J.Čuplinskienė, R.Čygienė, K.Dambaras-Janowicz, R.J.Danaičiai, D.Danaitis, A.DeFina, B.Degutis, R.Dickinson, D.Didžbalienė, G.S.DiMaria, R.Downey, R.Dūda, J.Duz, L.Gabrys, A.Gabrytė, V.Gačionytė, M.Gaižutis, J.K.Gataveckai, R.Girdauskaitė, R.Girdauskaitė, M.O.Glodkova, M.V.Groen in't Woud, J.A.T.Groen in't Woud, L.R.Grybai, D.Gudelis, I.Gutauskienė, M.Gutauskaitė, M.Heinz, M.Hurst, A.Huska, R.Jaglowitz, G.Jaseliūnienė, A.Jocaitė, G.Jūdvytytė, V.Juozaitis, D.Juozapavičius, O.Jurėnas-Polyak, V.Juzukonis, A.L.Kaminskai, R.Karasijienė, A.Karkienė, T.Kartavičius, D.Kausilas, B.Kazlauskas, G.Kobelskienė, I.Končius, S.Korolova, K.D.Krasauskaitės, R.Krasauskas, L.J.Kriščiūnai, L.Kriščiūnas, P.Kružikas, R.Kuliešienė, R.Kulnys-Douglas, R.Kumpa, B.Kuncevičius, J.Kuras, G.Laurinaitis, L.LeBlanc, R.Legere, A.Levišauskienė, N.Lewington, V.Liačas, J.Macijauskaitė, M.Mora, R.Masionienė, G.Matukienė, G.Misetich, A.Nakrošius, D.Nausėdienė, Z.Nausėdienė, M.V.Navickai, S.Navickas, T.Navickas, G.J.Neimanai, O.Neimanaitė, A.Oliveira, T.Pabrėža, C.Petrauskienė, I.Petrauskienė, R.Pike, R.Pilipavičius, I.Pivoriūtė, J.Plančiūnienė, A.Pleinytė, I.Poškus, J.Povilaitis, B.Prakapienė, D.Pranaitienė, V.Prasauskienė, A.Putrimaitė, V.Puzerienė, D.Radžiūnaitė, V.I.Radžiūnai, D.Ratavičius, A.Reed, A.Rimkus, G.Rocca, J.Ruslienė, N.Ruslys, R.Rygelis, S.Rygelis, T.Rygelis, A.Sakalas, A.Sergautienė, J.Serianni, R.Šiaučiulis, kun.J.Šileika, OFM, S.Šileikienė, D.Simanavičiūtė, L.Simanavičiūtė, A.N.Simanavičiai, V.Smailienė, M.A.Sodonis, M.Spudas, I.Stanaitis, V.Stanevičienė, A.D.O.Stanevičius-Mills, R.Stanulis, L.Stanulis-Duz, A.R.Stauskai, R.Steer, H.Steponaitis, O.Stončienė, V.Stončiūtė, R.Stravinskienė, D.Sysak, I.Tarvydienė, J.Tassone, R.V.Tiriliai, Y.Tomasic, J.Totoraitis, L.Underienė, L.L.Vadauskaitės, R.Vaišvila, D.Valadkienė, D.Valaitienė, A.G.Valavičiai, L.Valker, D.Vaškevičiūtė, M.Vebeliūnienė, V.Vingelis, V.Vitkūnas, V.Vitkūnienė, N.Vytas, J.Yčienė, F.I.Žilinskai, L.V.Zubrickai.

May the Lord bless your good works.

Labdara - The Parish Committee for Charitable Causes

Pope at Audience:

The Holy Spirit makes us truly free



Basing his reflection on the Hebrew word for “Spirit”, Pope Francis explains that the Third Person of the Trinity is able to make us truly free. Pope Francis began his catechesis on Wednesday with a reflection on the Name of the Holy Spirit, which is revealed in the Old Testament as *Ruach*, a Hebrew word meaning “breath, wind, or puff of air.” This word, he said, contains “the first fundamental revelation about the Person and function of the Holy Spirit.”

Recalling the “roar of rushing wind” that accompanied the descent of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost, the Pope explained that the name *Ruach* expresses the “power” of the Holy Spirit, which like the wind is “an overwhelming and indomitable force... capable even of moving oceans.”

The freedom of the Holy Spirit

But “to discover the full meaning of the realities of the Bible,” the Pope continued, it is necessary to go beyond the Old Testament “and come to Jesus,” who emphasizes the freedom of the Spirit: “The wind blows where it wishes, and you hear its sound, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit.” Like the wind, that cannot “be bridled, ‘bottled up,’ or put in a box, the Holy Spirit cannot be reduced to “concepts, definitions, theses, or treatises,” nor enclosed within “canons, institutions, or definitions.” The Spirit “creates and animates institutions, but cannot be ‘institutionalized,’” the Pope said.

Freedom to serve

At the same time, Pope Francis said, the freedom of the Spirit is not “a freedom to do what one wants, but the freedom to freely do what God wants!” This, he explained, “is a freedom that expresses itself in service, which appears to be the opposite, but is Following St Paul, who exhorts Christians not to allow their freedom to become a pretext for the flesh, Pope Francis denounced the false freedom “that allows the rich to exploit the poor, the strong to exploit the weak, and everyone to exploit the environment with impunity.”

Pope Francis concluded his address by pointing out that the true freedom of the Spirit must come from Jesus, and inviting everyone to pray that, Jesus might make us “through His Holy Spirit, truly free men and women.”

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A: Resurrection; (indicating to whom the donation is addressed) or on the parish site www.prisikelimas.ca/give.

Through banks - RCU and Parama by direct deposit.

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