

# Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 26, 2015

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*Please pray for those in special need of prayer:*

Carmen, Mary Porterfield, Allen Tiffany, Peg Torma, Agnes, Bishop Howard Hubbard, Louis 'Bunk' Lorenze, Lucille Courtney, Louise Minnick, Frank Ballentine, Leonard Wein, Dennis Sperico, Don, Raymond Bivens, Jr., Helen Pratti, Agnes Henry, Ronnie Hunter, and Robert Bivens.

*Reconciliation will be held  
this Saturday from 3 to 3:30 pm.*

## Colchester Food Bank

Bring food and personal care items to Holy Family to support our Food Bank: cans of pasta, tuna, stew, chili, pasta sauce, fruit; jelly, graham crackers, spaghetti, peanut butter; boxes of mashed potatoes, stuffing; soap, toilet paper, and personal care items.

## "Welcome!"

During the summer months with an increase of visitors to our Churches, please take a few moments before Mass to welcome and greet new faces as they arrive for Mass.

## Calling All...

singers and instrumentalists for our Annual Outdoor Mass! The first practice will be held on Thursday, August 6, 5:30 pm at St. Peter.

## 2016 Youth Rally & Mass

Anyone interested in attending the Youth Rally & Mass in Washington, DC on January 22, 2016, we must reserve tickets by **September 15, 2015**. Anyone of any age is welcome!

## OFFERINGS

St. John: \$1,843  
Holy Family: 562  
St. Peter: 1,128

## 2015 Bishop's Appeal

[thebishopsappeal.org](http://thebishopsappeal.org)

	<u>Pledges</u>	<u>Families</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Goal</u>
St. John:	34	181	\$9,024	\$22,931
St. Peter:	33	119	9,895	22,090

**Payments on pledges must be sent directly to Diocese.  
Our office does not send the monthly statements.**

## Peter's Pence

Thank you for being a witness of charity by helping Pope Francis support victims of war & natural disasters, and those in great need.

## Pasta Dinner for NCYC Trip

There will be a pasta dinner Friday, July 31 starting at 5 pm at Walton Vet's Club. Come enjoy a delicious dinner! Proceeds go toward youth group trip to Indianapolis this Fall.

## Family Perspective Bud Ozar

Phillip worried about "enough food" for the crowd. What is enough? When does our 'enough' deprive another family of their fair share? Jesus performed this Sunday's miracle because one child was willing to share and risk living with less. Can your family live more simply so that other families can simply live?

## Memorial Mass

A Memorial Mass for Shirley Williams will be celebrated at Holy Family August 8, at 1 pm.

*Love God, and love Him totally.* ~ Saint Peter Chrysologus