



Saint Joseph's, Saint Anne's & Holy Family And Saint Patrick's
17 <sup>th</sup> Of August 2025, Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C
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Catholic Sunday Mass Readings for 17 <sup>th</sup> Of August 2025, Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C	
1st Reading	Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10
Responsorial Psalm	Psalms 40:2, 3, 4, 18
2nd Reading	Hebrews 12:1-4
Alleluia	John 10:27
Gospel	Luke 12:49-53

### 1st Reading - Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10

4 In those days, the princes said to the king: "Jeremiah ought to be put to death; he is demoralizing the soldiers who are left in this city, and all the people, by speaking such things to them; he is not interested in the welfare of our people, but in their ruin."

5 King Zedekiah answered: "He is in your power"; for the king could do nothing with them.

6 And so they took Jeremiah and threw him into the cistern of Prince Malchiah, which was in the quarters of the guard, letting him down with ropes. There was no water in the cistern, only mud, and Jeremiah sank into the mud.

8 Ebed-melech, a court official, went there from the palace and said to him:

9 "My lord king, these men have been at fault in all they have done to the prophet Jeremiah, casting him into the cistern. He will die of famine on the spot, for there is no more food in the city."

10 Then the king ordered Ebed-melech the Cushite to take three men along with him, and draw the prophet Jeremiah out of the cistern before he should die.

### Responsorial Psalm - Psalms 40:2, 3, 4, 18

R. (14b) Lord, come to my aid!

2 I have waited, waited for the LORD, and he stooped toward me.

R. Lord, come to my aid!

3 The LORD heard my cry.

He drew me out of the pit of destruction,

out of the mud of the swamp;

he set my feet upon a crag;

he made firm my steps.

R. Lord, come to my aid!

4 And he put a new song into my mouth,

a hymn to our God.

Many shall look on in awe

and trust in the LORD.

R. Lord, come to my aid!

18 Though I am afflicted and poor,

yet the LORD thinks of me.

You are my help and my deliverer;

O my God, hold not back!

R. Lord, come to my aid!

### 2nd Reading - Hebrews 12:1-4

Brothers and sisters:

1 Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us rid ourselves of every burden and sin that clings to us and persevere in running the race that lies before us

2 while keeping our eyes fixed on Jesus, the leader and perfecter of faith. For the sake of the joy that lay before him he endured the cross, despising its shame, and has taken his seat at the right of the throne of God.

3 Consider how he endured such opposition from sinners, in order that you may not grow weary and lose heart.

4 In your struggle against sin you have not yet resisted to the point of shedding blood.

### Alleluia - John 10:27

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

27 My sheep hear my voice, says the Lord; I know them, and they follow me.

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### Gospel - Luke 12:49-53

Jesus said to his disciples:

49 "I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing!

50 There is a baptism with which I must be baptized, and how great is my anguish until it is accomplished!

51 Do you think that I have come to establish peace on the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division.

52 From now on a household of five will be divided, three against two and two against three;

53 a father will be divided against his son and a son against his father, a mother against her daughter and a daughter against her mother, a mother-in-law against her daughter-in-law and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law."



- Blessed Nicholas Politi
- Saint Hyacinth
- Saint Jeanne of the Cross Delanoue
- Saint Beatrice da Silva Meneses
- Blessed Florencio López Egea
- Saint Jeroen of Noordwijk
- Blessed Eugenio Sanz-Orozco Mortera
- Saint Elias the Younger
- Saint Clare of Montefalco
- Saint Donatus of Ripacandida
- Saint Jacobo Kyushei Gorobioye Tomonaga de Santa María
- Blessed Enric Canadell Quintana
- Blessed Marie-Élisabeth Turgeon
- Saint Mamas
- Blessed Noël-Hilaire Le Conte
- Pope Saint Eusebius
- Blessed Leopoldina Naudet
- Saint Carloman
- Saint Anastasius of Terni
- Saint Drithelm
- Saint Myron of Cyzicus

#### **Saint Michaël Kurobyoie**

St Michaël Kurobyoie was also known as Miguel, or Mikael. He was a Japanese-born Dominican lay catechist who was killed on August 17 1633 and died as a martyr in Nishizaka, Nagasaki, Japan. He was canonized by Pope John Paul II on the 18th October 1987.

#### **Saint Juliana of Ptolemais**

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#### **Saint Amor of Amorbach**

St Amor of Amorbach was also known as Amator or Amour. She worked with Saint Pirmin as an 8th-century missionary in Germany. She founded the monastery of Amorbach in Franconia.

#### **Saint James the Deacon**

Saint James was an Italian Deacon and a Benedictine monk who was born in the 7th century AD. He was a missionary with Saint Paulinus of York to Northumbria, England.

#### **Saint Eusebius of Sicily**

St Eusebius of Sicily was born in Greece. She was exiled for his faith and died in 310 AD in Sicily.

#### **Martyrs of Málaga**

The Martyrs of Málaga were a priest and seven brothers who were all martyred together on August 17 1936, in Málaga, Spain during the Spanish Civil War. They were all members of the Hospitallers of Saint John of God. On the 13<sup>th</sup> Of October 2013, they were beatified by Pope Francis Their names are;

- Silvestre Perez Laguna
- Pedro Pastor García
- Manuel Sanz y Sanz
- Juan Antonio García Moreno
- Isidro Valentín Peña Ojea
- Florentino Alonso Antonio
- Eusebio Ballesteros Rodríguez
- Antonio del Charco Horques
- Martyrs of Maspujols

The Martyrs of Maspujols are three priests in the Archdiocese of Tarragona, Spain. They were martyred together on The 17<sup>th</sup> August 1936, in Maspujols, Tarragona, Spain during the Spanish Civil War. On The 13<sup>th</sup> Of October 2013, they were beatified by Pope Francis in Tarragona, Spain. Their names are;

- Josep Mañé March
- Miquel Rué Gené
- Magí Civit Roca



Martyrs of the Spanish Civil War

These are the names of some of the thousands of people who were murdered from 1934 to 1939, during the anti-Catholic persecutions of the Spanish Civil War.

Their names are;

- Ramón Cervilla Luis
- Julio Aramendía Urquía
- Josep Puigdeséns Pujol
- Joan Prats Gibert
- Facundo Escanciano Tejerina
- Bartolomé Díaz Laurel
- Antoni Carmaniú Mercarder
- Agustín Fernández Vázquez

Other Saints of the Day for The 17<sup>th</sup> Of August 2025

- Ugo di Tennenbach
- José Maria de Manila
- Alberto da Chiatina

Catholic Sunday Mass Readings Homily - 17<sup>th</sup> Of August 2025, Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C

Today's 17<sup>th</sup> Of August 2025 Catholic Sunday Readings Homily Theme: I Have Come To Set a Son Against His Father, a Daughter Against Her Mother - Matthew 10:34-42, Luke 12:49-53

Sick People:



Please pray for all the Sick in our three Parishes "My Payers and Good Wishes to All."

Mass Times For the weekend:

Saturday Night Mass Times	
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Sunday Mass Times	
Saint Joseph's	9:30am
Saint Anne's & Holy Family	11:00 am
Saint Patrick's Ryhope	9:30 am

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