

Daily Parish Communication

October 13, 2022

Good Morning All,

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Robert Price, father of Vince Price. Funeral today at 1:00 pm.

Appointments are still available for the Parish Directory this Saturday, October 15, 2022. Sign up now! [Online appointment scheduler \(instant-scheduling.com\)](https://instant-scheduling.com) All photos are taken at the church office.

If you have not been able to make any of the office appointments and would still like your picture included in the directory, send a single selfie to kate.edwards@sjccs.net - Subject Line - Parish Photo. Include name, address, phone number and names of all included in the picture. This information will be included in the directory. Fee is \$10 and a directory will be included for this fee. This is the only way to receive a directory. Due October 21st for inclusion.

1. Today's Readings: [Thursday of the Twenty-eighth Week in Ordinary Time | USCCB](#)

2. The RE Corner with Jan Heithaus: Next in line in our list of pontiffs is Pope St. Hyginus. He, as his predecessors, died as a martyr. Little else is known about his life with certainty.

3. Quote of the Day:

~ "What is our attitude to the cross which Jesus gives us? He, Who was innocence itself, carried His burden with perfect resignation and love. Why should not we, who are so sinful, carry ours with similar disposition, since we need so much to expiate our sins and to show our love for Jesus." *Antonio Cardinal Bacci*

***Pope St. Hyginus, Pray for Us!
St. Joseph, Pray for Us!***

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Pope St. Hyginus

(about 138-142),

He succeeded Pope Telesphorus, who, according to Eusebius died during the first year of the reign of the Emperor Antoninus Pius—in 138 or 139, therefore. But the chronology of these bishops of Rome cannot be determined with any degree of exactitude by the help of the authorities at our disposal today.

According to the “Liber Pontificalis”, Hyginus was a Greek by birth. The further statement that he was previously a philosopher is probably founded on the similarity of his name with that of two Latin authors. Irenaeus says that the Gnostic Valentine came to Rome in Hyginus’s time, remaining there until Anicetus became pontiff. Cerdo, another Gnostic and predecessor of Marcion, also lived at Rome in the reign of Hyginus; by confessing his errors and recanting he succeeded in obtaining readmission into the bosom of the Church, but eventually he fell back into his heresies and was expelled from the Church. How many of these events took place during the time of Hyginus is not known.

The “Liber Pontificalis” also relates that this pope organized the hierarchy and established the order of ecclesiastical precedence. This general observation recurs also in the biography of Pope Hormisdas; it has no historical value, and, according to Duchesne, the writer probably referred to the lower orders of the clergy. Eusebius claims that Hyginus’s pontificate lasted four years. The ancient authorities contain no information as to his having died a martyr. At his death he was buried on the Vatican Hill, near the tomb of St. Peter.

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