

July 24, 2022

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17th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Suppose one of you has a friend to whom he goes at midnight and says, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread,' and he says in reply from within, 'Do not bother me.' I tell you, if he does not get up to give the visitor the loaves because of their friendship, he will get up to give him whatever he needs because of his persistence." - Lk 11:5b, 7a, 8

Mass Schedule
Weekend Masses

Saturday, 5:30 PM
Sunday, 8:00 AM
Sunday, 11:00 AM

Weekday Masses- Summer*

Wednesday, 6:30 PM

Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 - 5:00 PM

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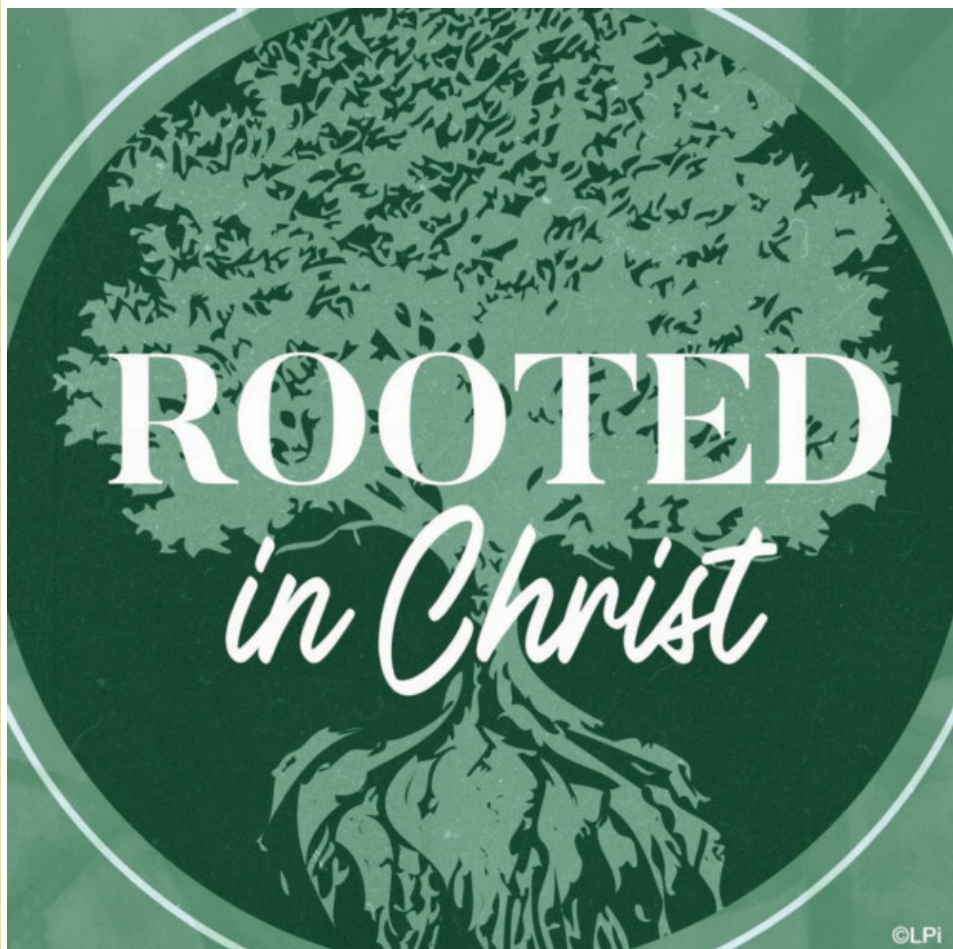
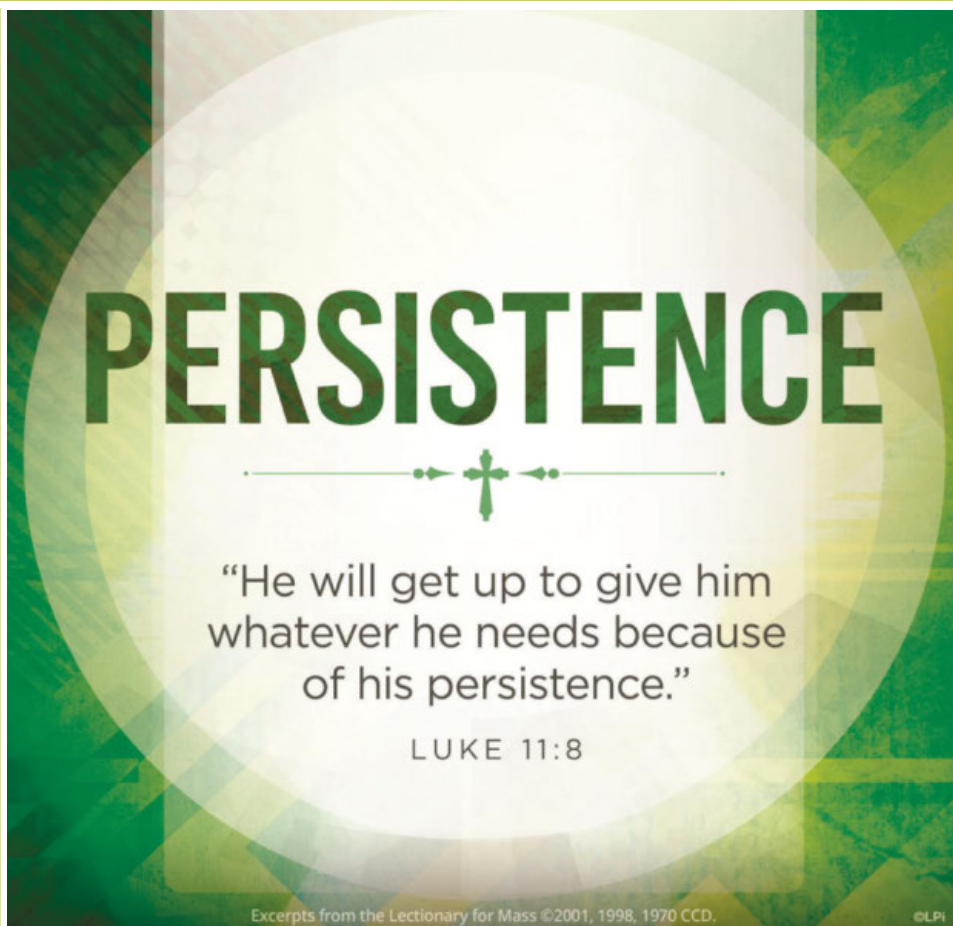
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Mass Intentions

Thank you to Fr. Tom Barret for covering Saturday evening Mass while Fr. Mark is out.

Saturday, July 23rd

5:30 PM Frank Supergan

Sunday, July 24th

8:00 AM Fr. Joe Rascher

11:00 AM For the People of the Parish

Wednesday, July 27th

6:30 PM Bill Dixon

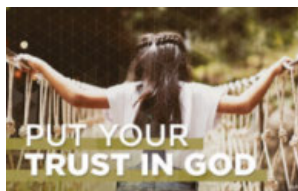
SATURDAY, July 30th

5:30 PM Beauella Gualdoni

SUNDAY, July 31st

8:00 AM For the People of the Parish

11:00 AM Richard & Sharon Reyling



Liturgical Roles

LECTORS

Saturday July 30th

5:30 PM Jan Starnes

Sunday July 31st

8:00 AM Cesar Coello

11:00 AM Steve Stone



CANTORS/ACCOMPANISTS

Saturday July 30th

5:30 PM Huggett/Green

Sunday July 31st

8:00 AM Huggett/Camarato

11:00 AM Huggett/Green

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday July 30th

5:30 PM Lauren Farley, Gavin Stefan, Field Warren

Sunday July 31st

8:00 AM Christopher Banks, Luke Raski

11:00 AM Asa Dorton, Grayson Liefer, Anna Lively

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Saturday July 30th

5:30 PM Kim Murray

Sunday July 31st

8:00 AM Don Guebert

11:00 AM Mindy Davis, Joe Helleny, Brian Harrison

HERRIN HOSPITAL - July 31st

Beth Spezia

Sanctuary Candles

July 24th to Aug 6th

Beauella Gualdoni

Gerald & Cecile Stork

Youth Group Mission Trip

All high school students and recent graduates are invited to participate in a **short mission trip July 28-31** to assist the Belleville Diocese Daystar Community Program in Cairo, Illinois. We will travel to Cairo Thursday evening, work Friday and Saturday, then return early afternoon Sunday following mass at St. Patrick's Catholic Church. Saturday evening, we will visit Sikeston, Missouri, for dinner at Lambert's Café - the home of throwed rolls.

Make plans to attend and invite a friend – many hands make light work! Cost to participate is only \$50 and scholarships are available if needed. Contact Greg Conover 618-521-9266 or Jocelyn Popit 314-440-6989 to request a permission slip or more information.

Join us in serving our neighbors in Southern IL!

Please pray for the sick;

Stanley Gourley	Fr. Eugene Wojcik	Bud Wieland
Arenda Bayles	Alfredia Cairatti	Julie Lukens
Wilma Miriani	Jack Murray	Pearl Berra
Sam Garnati	John Summers	Mary Francis Snider
Madaline Dunning	Grace Smith	Mark Scro Sr.
Fran Wachter	Jennifer Rizzo	Kimberly Larson
Robert Venegoni	Natalie Dodge	Gloria Cravens
Jim Hunt	Bob Jennings	Carla Nolen
Deloris Hamilton	Lucille Allen	Mary Griffith
James Buchanan	Sophia Saul	
Ron Breen	Mike Creek	

2022 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal

Go and do likewise... Luke 10:37

"With confidence in the Lord, I am turning to you today asking for your support of this year's CSMA. My hope is that your generous response will help our ministries grow and the compassion of Jesus will be experienced more profoundly in our communities."

-Bishop Michael McGovern

Please consider making your gift today!

WEEKLY PRAYER

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 24, 2022

- Sunday:** Gn 18:20-32/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8 [3a]/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13
- Monday:** 2 Cor 4:7-15/Ps 126:1bc-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6/Mt 20:20-28
- Tuesday:** Jer 14:17-22/Ps 79:8, 9, 11 and 13/Mt 13:36-43
- Wednesday:** Jer 15:10, 16-21/Ps 59:2-3, 4, 10-11, 17-18/Mt 13:44-46
- Thursday:** Jer 18:1-6/Ps 146:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab/Mt 13:47-53
- Friday:** Jer 26:1-9/Ps 69:5, 8-10, 14/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
- Saturday:** Jer 26:11-16, 24/Ps 69:15-16, 30-31, 33-34/Mt 14:1-12
- Next Sunday:** Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14, 17 [1]/Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21

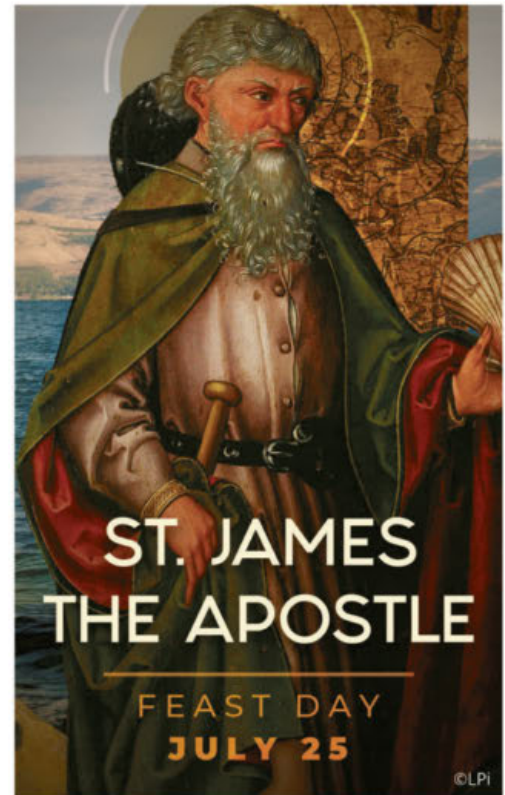
OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 24, 2022

- Sunday:** 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time; St. Sharbel Makhlūf, Priest
- Monday:** St. James, Apostle
- Tuesday:** Sts. Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- Friday:** St. Martha
- Saturday:** St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
- Next Sunday:** 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time; St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest

LIVE THE LITURGY

Inspiration for the week

Ultimately, what does God promise to give us when we pray? The short answer to that question is God. God promises to give Himself to us in prayer. Prayer is about union with God, not receiving favors. When God comes to us in prayer, His presence comes with faith, hope, and love. When we find these virtues enhanced and nurtured, we know that our prayer has been heard and answered. When we seek out, listen to, and live by these virtues we find ourselves led back to God and more united with the Divine Presence. We struggle with what we want God to do and how we want our prayer validated. That's what makes Jesus' prayer, the Our Father, so perfect. It celebrates a deepening intimate relationship of trust between our Creator and us. When we persistently cry out for God in love, how can that prayer go unanswered?



ST. JAMES THE APOSTLE

FEAST DAY
JULY 25

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SAINT OF THE WEEK

Saint James the Apostle is also called James, son of Zebedee, or James the Greater to distinguish him from the other James in Jesus' group of twelve. Most of what we know about Saint James is recorded in the New Testament. He and his brother John were collected by Jesus along the sea of Galilee. Matthew 4:18-22 tells the story of Jesus calling first Simon Peter and his brother Andrew and then the sons of Zebedee. In Mark 3:17 the brothers receive a nickname from Jesus who calls them "sons of thunder" because of their many extreme reactions, like that in Luke 9:54 when they offer to call down fire on a Samaritan village.

Saint James was part of Jesus' intimate circle, a witness to the Transfiguration, the resurrection of Jarius' daughter, and the agony in the garden of Gethsemane. In A.D. 44 Herod Agrippa had "James, the brother of John, killed by the sword." (Acts 12:2) He is the only apostle whose martyrdom is written of in the New Testament.

According to Spanish tradition, his body was taken to Santiago de Compostela, Spain where his relics were rediscovered in 9th century. This tradition has sometimes been attributed to a passage in the Song of Roland which tells of St. James appearing to Charlemagne in a dream, prophesying that Charlemagne would conquer the Moors in Spain. This was followed by a vision of stars which if followed would lead to the saint's lost tomb. In the Middle Ages Compostela was a hugely popular pilgrimage site. The saint's relics continue to rest in the cathedral there and one can still undertake the pilgrimage.

**Our Gifts to God
Sunday July 17th**

Loose	96.76
Envelopes	5,060.00
Online Donations	2,640.00
Education Foundation (Online \$100)	475.00
Church Improvement (Online \$120)	260.00
Uganda	222.00

NEW SCHOOL FUND DONATIONS/PLEDGES

Donations & Pledges to the New School
this week thru 7/21/2022 \$ 1,376.67

Total Donations and Pledges	\$6,250,743.96
Total Donations Received	\$5,819,121.13
Total Pledges Receivable	\$431,622.83
**In memory of Loretta Lukuc	\$ 200.00
**In memory of Lowell Hall	100.00

Thank you for your donations!

2022-2023 SY ATHLETICS MEETING


Monday, August 1st @ 6:00 PM
Cabrini Holy Family Room

Parents & Coaches

Athletic Director: Dana Allard (618) 925-6562

Calendar of **EVENTS**

WELCOME! Fr. Tom Barrett!

July 23 July 24	Blood Pressure Checks before/after Masses 
July 25	4th Degree K of C Meeting, DuQuoin 7pm Meet Herrin KC Hall @ 6:30 pm
July 28	CHOIR PRACTICE 6:30 PM in church
July 28	Finance Committee Meeting 7PM @ Cabrini
July 28	Youth Group Mission Trip Daystar Community Program/Cairo IL
Aug 1	Athletics Parent/Coach Meeting 6pm Cabrini HFR
Aug 1	K of C Meeting 7pm @ KC Hall Herrin
Aug 6	Mr Swann's Open Forum 6pm @ Church
Aug 12	OPEN HOUSE - New School Year! 6pm
Aug 14	Blessing of the Backpacks after 11AM Mass
Aug 15	FIRST Day of School... <i>Monsignor Shirt Day</i>
Aug 19	First All School Mass 8:30 AM

17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

About Praying. Abraham is persistent in his pleading with the LORD. And the LORD listens and relents. A disciple asks Jesus, after seeing him pray, how to pray. Jesus gives a form that we use at every Mass and that we hand on to the elect each Lent. He then goes on about persistence in our praying. How does my prayer...

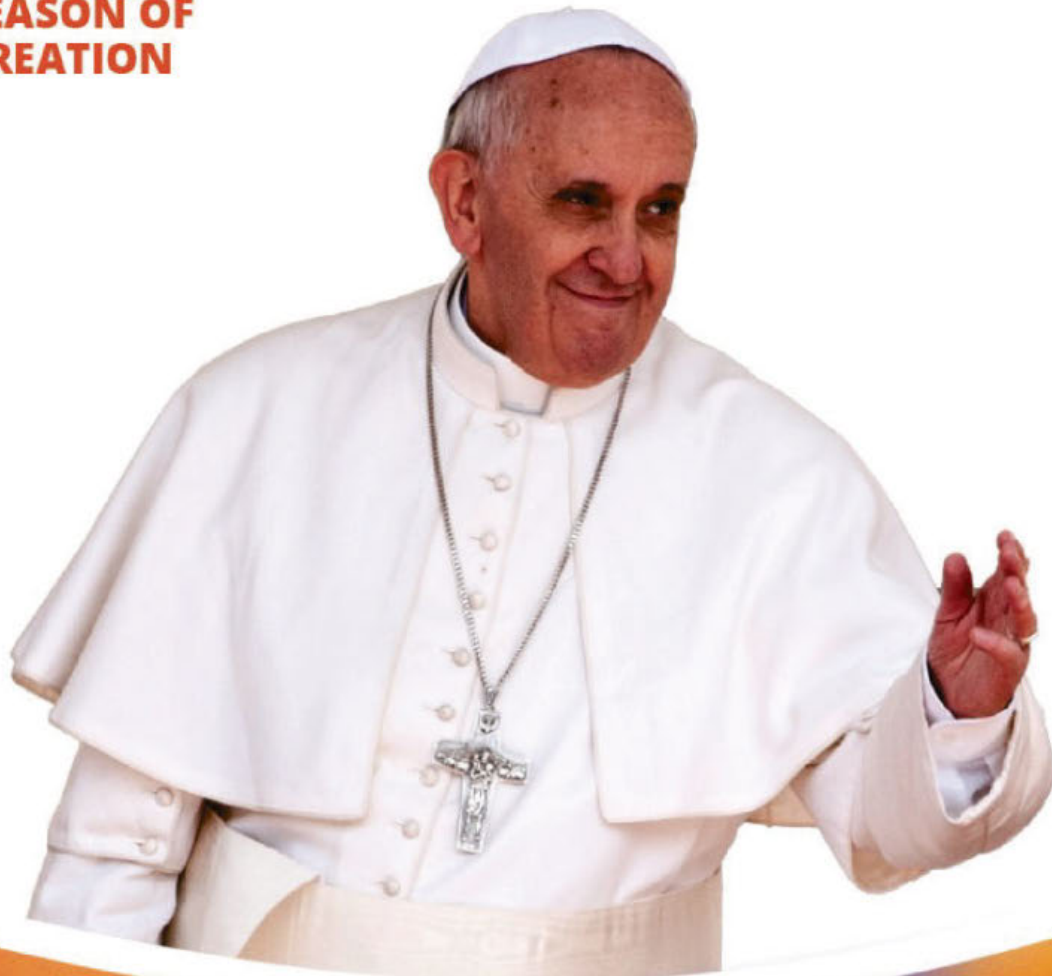
- ◆ ...plead for the Kingdom of God to come?
- ◆ ...ask for what I need to do God's mercy work
- ◆ ...seek and offer forgiveness?



VOCATIONS CORNER... "Growing up, I had a lot of misconceptions about nuns. Primarily, I assumed women became nuns only if they couldn't find a boyfriend. Why else would a woman give up the joys - marriage and family - as celibate priests, with none of the "superpowers"? Then in college, I actually met nuns and I was stunned. They were beautiful! And smart! And had personalities! I opened the door of my heart. Not much - just a crack. But it was a crack big enough for Jesus to get his toe in and open it a lot wider. I often recalled the words of my spiritual director: "We all have a natural call to marriage, but some of us have a supernatural call to celibacy." My desire for a spouse helps me lean into Christ as my Bridegroom. And my desire for children molds me into a spiritual mother to many more children than I could otherwise have." Mother Natalia



**SEASON OF
CREATION**



In this Season of Creation, we pray once more in the great cathedral of creation, and revel in the “grandiose cosmic choir” made up of countless creatures, all singing the praises of God... How can we fail to acknowledge the existence of an “ecological debt” (Laudato Si’, 51) incurred by the economically richer countries, who have polluted most in the last two centuries; this demands that they take more ambitious steps at COP27 and at COP15.

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Next Choir Practices
Thursdays @ 6:30 PM
July 28th, Aug 11, & Aug 25
downstairs in church
COME JOIN US!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Our Parish School of Religion program (PSR) is needing volunteers for the upcoming year. We are looking for a **Coordinator** of the program, a **Religion Teacher** for the 3rd/4th grade classroom, and **Substitute teachers** for when someone is not able to be there that Sunday

If you are interested or know someone who would be good for these positions, please contact Fr. Mark @ 618-942-3114 or email frmark@olmc-herrin.net.



HERRIN COMMUNITY PANTRY

There is ALWAYS a need at the pantry... This month we can use any of the following...

- Pancake Mix
- Vegetable Oil (small)
- Strawberry Jam/Jelly
- Cake Mix
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