

# Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time



## Gathering Song – verses 1 & 2

Verses

gathering 1. My soul cries out with a joy - ful shout that the  
 sending 2. Though I am small, my God, my all, you  
 3. From the halls of power to the for - tress tower, not a  
 4. Though the na - tions rage from age to age, we re -

God of my heart is great, And my spir - it sings of the  
 work great things in me, And your mer - cy will last from the  
 stone will be left on stone. Let the king be - ware for your  
 mem - ber who holds us fast: God's mer - cy must de -

won - drous things that you bring to the ones who  
 depths of the past to the end of the age to  
 jus - tice tears ev - 'ry ty - rant from his  
 liv - er us from the con - quer - or's crush - ing

wait. You fixed your sight on your ser - vant's plight, and my  
 be. Your ver - y name puts the proud to shame, and to  
 throne. The hun - gry poor shall weep no more, for the  
 grasp. This sav - ing word that our fore - bears heard is the

weak - ness you did not spurn, So from east to west shall my  
 those who would for you yearn, You will show your might, put the  
 food they can nev - er earn; There are ta - bles spread, ev - 'ry  
 prom - ise which holds us bound, 'Til the spear and rod can be

name be blest. Could the world be a - bout to turn?  
 strong to flight, for the world is a - bout to turn.  
 mouth be fed, for the world is a - bout to turn.  
 crushed by God, who is turn - ing the world a - round.

Refrain

My heart shall sing of the day you bring. Let the  
 fires of your jus - tice burn. Wipe a - way all tears, for the  
 dawn draws near, and the world is a - bout to turn!

## GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,  
 and on earth peace to people of good will.  
 We praise you,  
 we bless you,  
 we adore you,  
 we glorify you,  
 we give you thanks for your great glory,  
 Lord God, heavenly King,  
 O God, almighty Father.  
 Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,  
 Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
 you take away the sins of the world,  
 have mercy on us;  
 you take away the sins of the world,  
 receive our prayer;  
 you are seated at the right hand of the Father,  
 have mercy on us.  
 For you alone are the Holy One,  
 you alone are the Lord,  
 you alone are the Most High,  
 Jesus Christ,  
 with the Holy Spirit,  
 in the glory of God the Father.  
 Amen.

## Nicene Creed

I believe in one God,  
 the Father almighty,  
 maker of heaven and earth,  
 of all things visible and invisible.  
 I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
 the Only Begotten Son of God,  
 born of the Father before all ages.  
 God from God, Light from Light,  
 true God from true God,  
 begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;  
 through him all things were made.  
 For us men and for our salvation  
 he came down from heaven,  
*and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate  
 of the Virgin Mary, and became man.*  
 For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,  
 he suffered death and was buried,  
 and rose again on the third day  
 in accordance with the Scriptures.  
 He ascended into heaven  
 and is seated at the right hand of the Father.  
 He will come again in glory  
 to judge the living and the dead  
 and his kingdom will have no end.  
 I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,  
 who proceeds from the Father and the Son,  
 who with the Father and the Son  
 is adored and glorified,  
 who has spoken through the prophets.  
 I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.  
 I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins  
 and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead  
 and the life of the world to come. Amen.

14 August 2022

## More "Blah, Blah, Blah" from Msgr. Mark

In case you stepped away for the summer, here are the highlights of the Eastside Parish saga with associate pastors. First, Fr.

Joe was going to stay on for a third year at Newman and us ... until he wasn't, as in mid-May the call came that he was needed as pastor of the two Catholic parishes in the towns of Viroqua and Coon Valley. As a consequence, we were told that there wasn't an associate priest this year to come to Wausau and serve as chaplain at the middle and high school and no priest to assist here and throughout the deanery.

So, we made some adjustments. Fr. Sam Martin, pastor at Holy Name, stepped forward to be the tip of the spear of the clergy presence at Newman (with the other priests in town continuing to pinch-hit as needed). In late June, I sat down with the deacons and the rest of the parish staff and redistributed some of the tasks that had been Fr. Joe's responsibility. With just one priest, there was also a "no-associate financial dividend" ... and it didn't take me more than ten minutes to decide where to distribute it. "Inflation, inflation, inflation" is the constant cry these days, so we used the budget savings to give our staff a fair increase and tucked a little way for higher utilities bills. I thought we had done well of making lemonade of the lemon of Fr. Joe's reassignment.

Then, in the second week of July, I received a phone call from Fr. Woody Pace, the Vicar for Clergy. He was the fellow who, two month before, announced that Fr. Joe was needed elsewhere. Only this time he was calling to tell me that now, suddenly, the Diocese did have a young priest ready, willing, and able to come to Wausau to serve both as Newman chaplain and an associate at our two parishes. And who was this sudden find? None other than a fellow who had served well for a few months as a seminary intern in the summer of 2019: Fr. Eric Mashak. Good news? Yes. Only, he wouldn't be able to start until Wednesday, August 24 ... the day before school starts.

The assignment of priests in the Diocese can seem like a complicated board game ... think of "Chutes and Ladders" for grown-ups. There are a lot of spots hungry for leadership, and always a few less priests and deacons than you would like to have to cover them. So, ideally a priest moves if, and only if, the spot where they are going to land is vacant and the place where they are leaving has someone lined up to come and serve. So, before Fr. Eric can leave his role as the associate at Plover to come to Wausau, Fr. Juan Pedro, the associate at St. Matthew's here in Wausau who will replace him, must be ready to leave ... and that can't happen until the recently assigned pastor at St. Matt's, Fr. Sebastian Kolodziejczyk, is home and settled following his vacation in Poland, which was scheduled before these changes were arranged. How very weird! In any case, the grand switch will take place in ten days. Stay off I-39 between Wausau and Plover on the 24<sup>th</sup>, so you don't get run over by Eric or Juan Pedro moving back and forth.

On the weekend of August 20 and 21, please welcome Fr. Kyle Laylan, a Mission Cooperative visiting priest, here to speak about the mission works of Casa Hogar Juan Pablo II in Peru (see more information on page 3). His visit is an opportunity for me to take off to St. John's Abbey for my annual retreat. Given all the excitement with comings and goings, I need it.

Msgr. Mark Pierce

### Sunday, August 14

7:30am Confessions at CR  
8:30am Mass at CR: For the Deceased  
Members of the Presl Family  
10:30am Mass at SM: +Tom Vick

### Monday, August 15

*The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary*  
5:30pm Mass at CR: +Dawn Rolling  
6:00pm Confessions at CR

**NOTE:** The rosary will be said beginning at 11:35 am before the Daily Masses. The Divine Mercy Chaplet will follow Mass.

### Tuesday, August 16

*St. Stephen of Hungary*  
12:10pm Communion Service at CR  
5:30pm Rosary and Novena at CR

### Wednesday, August 17

6:00am Study of the Catechism at CR  
12:10pm Mass at CR: +Joanne Halaburt

### Thursday, August 18

12:10pm Communion Service at CR

### Friday, August 19

*St. John Eudes*  
12:10pm Communion Service at CR

### 21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*Mission Cooperative Missionary Visit*

### Saturday, August 20

9:00am Prayer Shawl Ministry at SM GS  
3:00pm Confessions at SM  
4:00pm Mass at SM: For the Deceased  
Members of the Jablonski and  
Gross Families  
5:30pm Mass at CR: For the People of the  
Eastside Parishes

### Sunday, August 21

7:30am Confessions at CR  
8:30am Mass at CR: +Agnes & Charles Gianoli  
10:30am Mass at SM: +Jerry, Mary, and Mike  
Zelenka  
1:30pm Book Discussion Group at CR FH

## Connect with Worship at Home

Mass and reflection opportunities are available throughout the week on our website at [eastsideparishes.org](https://eastsideparishes.org)

- ◇ The 8:30am Sunday Mass at the Church of the Resurrection is live-streamed for immediate viewing and then available for re-viewing for several days.
- ◇ One of the clergy records a reading from the daily Mass and shares a 5-8 minute (audio-only) reflection.

Scripture readings for this week can be found at: <https://bible.usccb.org>



## Readings for the Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time August 21, 2022

Isaiah 66:18-21; Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13; Luke 13:22-30

“Depart from me!” What jarring words on a Sunday that celebrates the coming of the patriarchs and people from all nations to the table of God’s kingdom. Even more unsettling is the fact that these words are spoken to the very people who protest: “We ate and drank in your company.” How it is that some who listened to Jesus’ teaching and sat at table with him will be denied entrance to the kingdom banquet? Jesus’ answer is simple: “I do not know you.” Ouch! By the image of the “narrow gate,” it seems that something more than mere showing up is called for. *How does today’s reading from Hebrews address the “narrow way”? How does regarding suffering as discipline change your attitude toward it?*

### Eastside Parishes Pictorial Directory Information:

- ◆ The picture-taking dates remaining are Aug. 23-27 and Sept. 13-17.
- ◆ Visit eastsideparishes.org and click on the purple banner for more details and to sign up for a time slot.
- ◆ If you prefer, please call 715-842-4283 to sign up.
- ◆ Each family who is photographed will receive a pictorial directory and a complimentary 5"x7" or 8"x10" photo.

Thank you to all who had their pictures taken for the directory this past week. If you haven't yet, **please sign up soon!**



### There is a “Seven Minutes More” presentation at all the Masses this weekend on how we ended the 2021-2022 fiscal year.

After all of the Masses this Lord’s Day, August 13-14, Fr. Mark will offer a brief update on how we finished up the last fiscal year and the challenges we face in 2022-2023. The handout will cover both parishes, but the presentation will favor news about St. Michael after the 4:00 pm and 10:30 am Masses and matters at Resurrection after the 5:30 pm and 8:30 am Masses.

**A new phone system** will be installed in our parish offices to reduce our phone expenses by over 50%. Sometime in the next few weeks, when the phone numbers will officially be “ported” over to the new system, our offices will experience interrupted phone service, possibly 15 minutes to several hours. If you try to contact us via phone over the next few weeks and you hear a recording that says the number is no longer in service, email [info@eastsideparishes.org](mailto:info@eastsideparishes.org) or try calling back later, and we’ll contact you as soon as possible. The office phone numbers will remain the same. Thank you.



**Though it is not a holyday of obligation this year, celebrate the Assumption of Mary on Monday evening, August 15, at 5:30 pm.** In addition to our Lord’s Day celebrations, there are other occasions in the Church calendar so central to who we are that Catholics are asked to squeeze extra time out of their routines to come to worship. Mary, the Mother of God, is a template for God’s designs for us all—and on Monday the 15th, we will consider how God’s care for her at the end of her life speaks of His intentions for us all. Falling on a Monday this year, there is no “obligation” to attend Mass, but please consider celebrating a bit of Easter held over into late summer at our usual 5:30 pm Monday worship time at Resurrection.



**Faith Formation and Sacramental Preparation Registration** will take place in the very near future. Watch the bulletin and our website for additional information.



**Please remember all of our homebound and hospitalized parishioners from Resurrection and St. Michael Parishes in your prayers this week.**

- Resurrection Sanctuary Lamp burns for:**  
The living and deceased members of the Newman High School, class of '62, and the clergy and religious who taught them
- St. Joseph Side Altar Candle:**  
For the special intention of the Feldbruegge Family
- St. Michael Votive Candles burn:**
- In memory of Tom Vick
  - In memory of Dorothy Nieuwenhuis
  - In memory of Raymond and Geraldine Krolkowski
  - for good health for the Woodward family

**Mission Cooperative Visitor for the summer: Fr. Kyle Laylan**

When this area was initially opened to European settlement, the Church wasn’t far behind. Missionary priests would follow the rivers that served as highways into this region and gather Irish, French-Canadian, and German settlers to establish the Church. Their salaries, catechetical books, and materials for building mission stations were often paid for by Mission Societies made up of clergy and laity in Germany and France where the Catholic community was already well established. Now it is our turn. So, annually the parishes of the Diocese welcome a priest or religious with experience of the emerging Church to speak about the life and needs there. Next weekend, August 20-21, we will host Fr. Kyle Laylan, a priest of the Diocese who has recently returned from a year’s assignment to Casa Hogar, will speak about the work of the Casa Hogar Juan Pablo II orphanage in Peru. Do welcome him!





### St. Michael Parish

Adult Envelopes/Offertory .....	\$7,702.00
Electronic Contributions.....	<u>\$3,185.50</u>
Weekly Total .....	\$10,887.50
Fiscal Year-to-date Contributions .....	\$54,280.08

### Church of the Resurrection

Adult Envelopes/Offertory .....	\$4,098.97
Electronic Contributions.....	<u>\$2,460.00</u>
Weekly Total.....	\$6,558.97
Fiscal Year-to-date Contributions.....	\$52,718.87

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August 7, 2022

Cash contributions this week.....	\$3,970.00
Electronic contributions this week.....	<u>\$500.00</u>
"We Believe" weekly total .....	\$4,470.00

Total "We Believe" cash contributions to date ..... \$1,320,707.82

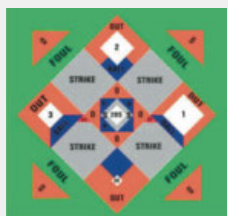
Total pledges (including friends' match)..... \$1,356,987.43  
(not counting St. Ambrose Financial Services interest forgiveness)

#### We are seeking volunteers to resume Sunday Morning Coffee and Donuts!

The Pastoral Council Members and the parish staff feel it is time to take one more step to being "back to normal." However, for this to happen, we need volunteers. Please call either parish office if you'd like to be involved in this ministry. The schedule will be established after we feel enough volunteers are available. We'll keep you posted!



#### Dartball League is looking for new players.



St. Michael's has two dartball teams that participate in an interfaith league on Monday evenings September-March. Dartball is a game in which darts are thrown at a large board that resembles a baseball field with colored areas which denote bases using baseball-like rules and scoring. Please call Jim Wilger at 715-842-2651 if you'd like more info.

#### Remaining COVID protocols at Sunday Masses

Here's a rundown of our remaining procedures at worship:

- At the 5:30 pm Mass at Resurrection, we ask those sitting on the far right (McClellan Street) side to mask and keep distanced for the sake of those among us with a pre-existing health condition that makes them vulnerable.
- At the other three Masses, the pews second from the front and second from the back in each seating section will remain as "buffers" for those who would welcome a little more separation from others.



**Marriage in Distress?** No matter how hopeless it seems, forgiveness and trust are possible. **Retrouvaille** helps couples through difficult times in their marriages, even after separation or divorce. The next program in our area begins on August 19-21. For more info, call 1-877-922-4673 or visit [www.HelpOurMarriage.org](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.org).



## PARISH CONTACTS

#### Resurrection Parish

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Office Hours: 8 am-12 pm Tuesday - Friday

#### St. Michael Parish

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#### Parish Staff

Pastor	Rev. Msgr. Mark R. Pierce
Deacon	Rev. Mr. Peter A. Burek
Deacon	Rev. Mr. John P. McDonnell
Director of Faith Formation	Michelle Fischer 715.842.1810
Director of Music and Liturgy	Tom Lella
Parish Secretaries:	Resurrection Cathy Hackel
	St. Michael Phyllis Burclaff
Financial Secretary	Sharon Michalski
Parish Nurse	Pam Frary

#### Weekend Masses

St. Michael:  
4:00 pm on Saturday and 10:30 am on Sunday  
Church of the Resurrection:  
5:30 pm on Saturday and 8:30 am on Sunday

#### Weekday Masses

Resurrection: 5:30 pm on Mon. and 12:10 pm Tuesday-Friday

#### Reconciliation

St. Michael: 3:00 pm Saturday  
Resurrection: 7:30 am Sunday and 6:00 pm Monday

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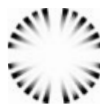
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## Penitential Act

**Gloria** — see sidebar on front

### LITURGY OF THE WORD

**Reading I:** Jeremiah 38.4-6, 8-10

**Response:** Psalm 40 — cantor first, then assembly



**Reading II:** Hebrews 12.1-4

**Gospel Acclamation** — cantor first, then assembly



**Gospel:** Luke 12.49-53

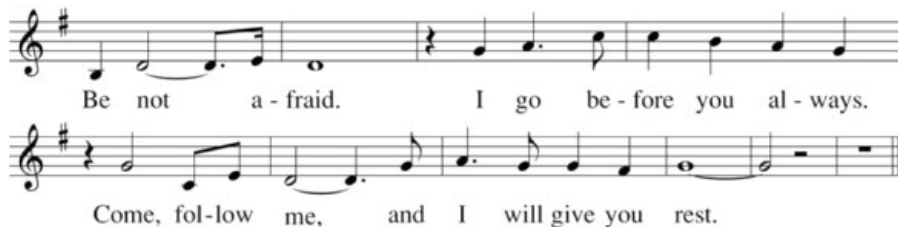
**Profession of Faith:** Nicene Creed — see sidebar on front

**The Universal Prayer**



### LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

**Preparation of Gifts and Altar** — cantor first, then assembly



**Preface Dialogue**

**Eucharistic Acclamations** — see sidebar

**Song during the Communion Procession** — cantor first, then assembly



**Song after the Final Blessing**

*Canticle of the Turning* — verses 3 & 4 — see front side



## EUCCHARISTIC ACCLAMATION

**Holy, Holy, Holy**  
**Lord God of hosts.**  
Heaven and earth  
are full of your glory.  
**Hosanna in the highest.**  
**Hosanna in the highest.**  
Blessed is he,  
blessed is he who comes  
in the name of the Lord.  
**Hosanna in the highest.**  
**Hosanna in the highest.**  
**Hosanna in the highest.**

## MYSTERY OF FAITH

**When we eat this Bread**  
**and drink this Cup,**  
**we proclaim your Death, O Lord,**  
**until you come again.**

## THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in**  
**heaven, hallowed be thy**  
**name; thy kingdom come;**  
**thy will be done on earth as**  
**it is in heaven. Give us this**  
**day our daily bread; and**  
**forgive us our trespasses**  
**as we forgive those who**  
**trespass against us;**  
**and lead us not**  
**into temptation,**  
**but deliver us from evil.**

*Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil...  
and the coming of our Savior, Jesus Christ.*

**For the kingdom,**  
**the power, and the glory**  
**are yours, now and forever.**

## INVITATION TO COMMUNION

*Behold the Lamb of God, behold him  
who takes away the sins of the world.  
Blessed are those called to the supper  
of the Lamb.*

**Lord, I am not worthy**  
**that you should enter**  
**under my roof,**  
**but only say the word**  
**and my soul**  
**shall be healed.**