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JULY 10, 2022

15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## MASS SCHEDULE

### WEEKENDS

#### Saturday

4:30pm

#### Sunday

8:00am, 10:30am

### WEEKDAYS

#### Monday - Saturday

8:00am (in the Holy Family Chapel)

### RECONCILIATION

#### Thursday

7:15pm - 7:55pm (Church)

#### First Friday

7:30am - 7:55pm (Chapel)

#### Saturday

3:00pm - 4:00pm (Church)

#### Sunday

7:30am - 7:55am (Church)

9:45am - 10:20am (Church)

### CO-PASTOR

Father Andrew Brinkman

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Father Philippe Vigneron

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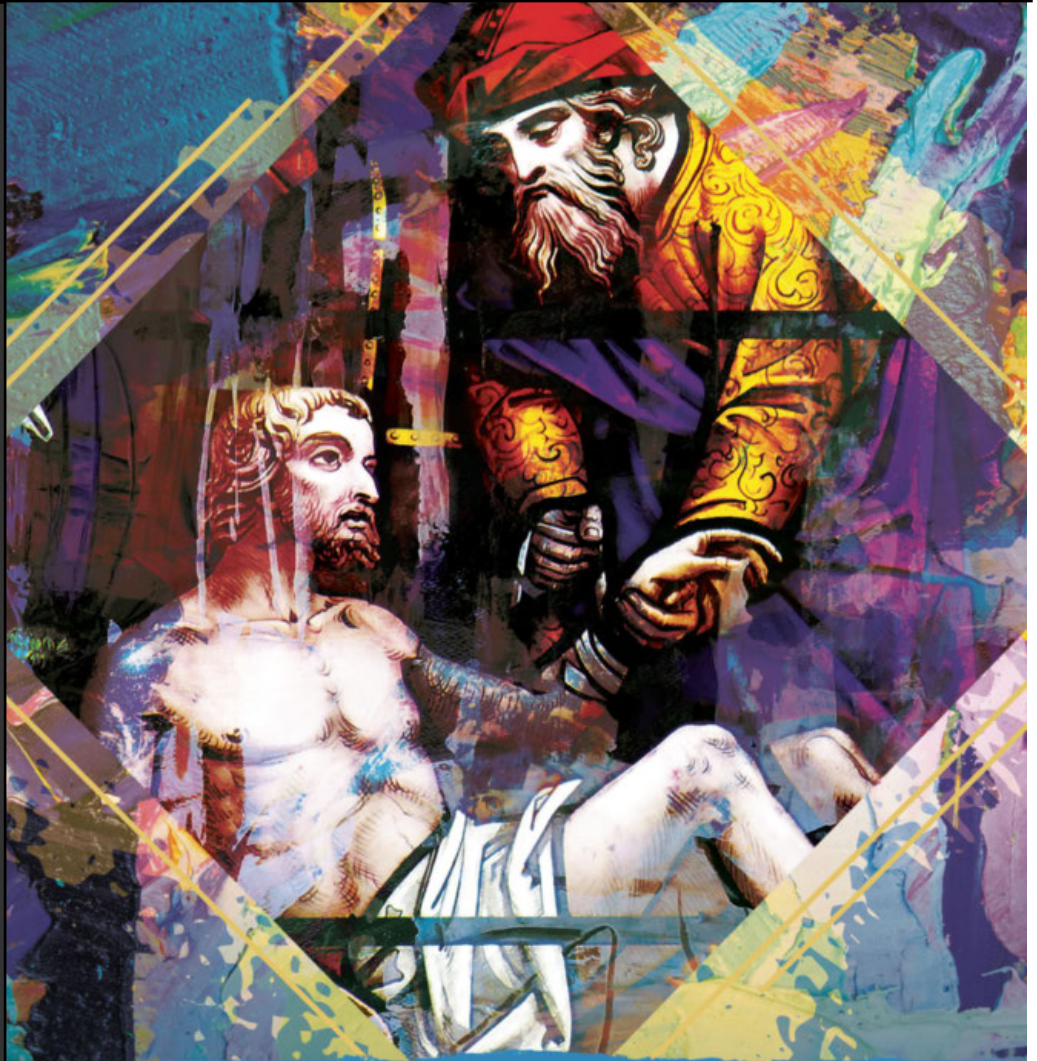
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Mike Langer



## 15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“A Samaritan traveler who came upon him was moved  
with compassion at the sight.” - Lk 10:33

July 10, 2022

# FROM FATHER PHILIPPE VIGNERON

## “What must I do to inherit eternal life?”

What a good question! Actually, it is the most important and appropriate question we can ask Jesus. That is the only reason why the Son of God was made man: “He became man so that we might become God”. It is, however, surprising that only two persons, in the Gospel, asked that question. A scholar in the Gospel according to Luke (chap. X), a rich man in Matthew (XIX), Mark (X) and Luke (XVIII).

I would also like to draw to your attention the way this question is asked. He doesn't ask “what must I do to deserve eternal life?”, or even to receive it, but “to inherit” eternal life. Again, I'm impressed by the quality and precision of the question. Of course, “eternal life” cannot be deserved: we are creatures, therefore, how could we do something that has an infinite value? But, if it is a heritage, it also means that it can only be given, if the legitimate owner dies. In other words, that man is implicitly saying that God needs to die, so we can inherit eternal life!

That scholar is definitely impressive. He is ready to welcome Jesus for who he is: the Savior of the World. Before we listen to the answer of Jesus, that I will comment on in the homily, I encourage you to spend some time to think about that question, and how it is formulated. Two questions to guide your prayer: how much do I really want to inherit eternal life above everything else? Do I realize, Jesus, God made man, was the only one who could have saved me?

Fr. Philippe +

## Scripture Reflections for Next Sunday July 17th, The 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**First Reading:** “No, it is something very near to you, already in your mouths and in your hearts; you have only to carry it out.” (Dt 50:14)

**Psalm:** Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live. (Ps 69) Or Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life. (Ps 19)

**Second Reading:** For in him were created all things in heaven and on earth, the visible and the invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers; all things were created through him and for him. (Col 15:15)

**Gospel:** “Which of these three, in your opinion, was neighbor to the robbers' victim?” He answered, “The one who treated him with mercy.” Jesus said to him, “Go and do likewise.” (Lk 10:36-37)

## Mass and Confession Times

**Daily Mass** Monday-Saturday 8:00 am in Chapel-Enter door 5

**No Mass the first Monday of the month**

**Saturday** Mass 4:30 pm

**Sunday** Masses 8:00 am and 10:30 am

**Confessions:** Thursday 7:15 pm-7:55 pm in Foyer at Door #4

First Fridays 7:30 am-7:55 am in the Chapel

Saturday 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm in the Church

Sunday 7:30 am-7:55 am in the Church

9:45 am-10:20 am in the Church

**Adoration:** Thursday 8:30 am - 8:00 pm in the Chapel

## Prayers for the Deceased

Please pray for those who have died, especially **Michael McMahon**, may he live forever with Jesus in the Reign of God. Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.



## Baptisms

The parish community welcomes and rejoices in the recent baptism of **Daniel Gaughan**, son of Lucas and Sarah.



## Daily Mass Schedule July 11-16th

### Maternity of Mary

Monday July 11 8:00 am

Wednesday July 13th 8:00 am

Thursday July 14th 8:00 am

### Holy Childhood

Tuesday July 12th 7:45 am

Friday July 15th 7:45 am

Saturday July 16th 7:45 am

# AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE

## **An invitation to Hope**

July 25, 6-8:30 p.m., via Zoom Ways to care for those who have been deeply wounded by the Church as grown and changed as we learn from those who have been deeply harmed. Mary Glowaski will lead this session with participants sharing valuable lessons learned and consider those that await us as we continue to care for one another. For more information contact Paula Kaempffer, Outreach Coordinator for Restorative Justice and Abuse Prevention for the Archdiocese of Saint Paul and Minneapolis, kaempfferp@archspm.org.

## **Red Cross Blood Drive**

Tuesday, August 26th, the Red Cross will be here for the annual Summer blood drive between 1 pm-7 pm in Sirba Hall. Volunteers and donors are needed. Contact Lisa Basso for more information 651-695-1764



## **Healing the Whole Person Retreat St. John Neumann Catholic Church, Eagan MN November 3-5 2022**

Jesus responds today to brokenness, disease, and pain with transformative love and restoration. Through teaching, worship, prayer, and testimony, you'll encounter God in a powerful way, and experience deeper freedom as the Father speaks to you in the depths of your heart, and through the supernatural graces of the sacraments. Whether you're struggling with life, or you just want "more" in your walk with God, this retreat will empower you with tools, revelation, and a greater desire to live your life passionately on fire for God.

St. John Neumann Catholic Church (Eagan, MN) is hosting a Healing the Whole Person retreat led by the John Paul II Healing Center on November 3-5 2022 (Thursday & Friday evening and all-day Saturday). This retreat is offered both in-person or virtually via livestream. Registration opens August 1st! In the meantime, learn more at <https://jpiihealingcenter.org/events/hwp-eagan-mn/>.

## **The Blessed Solanus Casey Pilgrimage**

July 30, 8 a.m.-5:30 p.m., North St. Paul and Stillwater  
All are welcome to join a walked pilgrimage for Bl. Solanus Casey's Feast Day to St. Michael's Catholic Church in Stillwater where Bl. Solanus was confirmed. There will be a whole day option starting at the Church of St. Peter in North St. Paul and an afternoon option starting in Stillwater for people to take part. The pilgrimage will close with the Vigil Mass at St. Michael's.

## **Confirmation Classes for Persons with Disabilities**

August 6 and 20, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Saint Richard Catholic Church, Richfield

Both the August 6 and August 20 classes are mandatory for guardians and candidates. Registration forms will be available at 8:30 a.m. prior to the first class on August 6. The Annual Mass for Persons with Disabilities will be held in September 2022. To register or if you have any further questions, please contact: Deacon Eric Gunderson or Sonya Flomo at 651.291.4488 or [flosos@archspm.org](mailto:flo mos@archspm.org).

## **"My Steadfast Love is Everlasting..." Psalms 103 ~ Healing after Abortion**

If you or someone you love is grieving the loss of a child to abortion, come and experience the compassionate mercy of Jesus Christ on our confidential weekend retreat. Rachel's Vineyard Twin Cities' retreats are open to anyone impacted by abortion - women, men, grandparents, siblings, and health care professionals. The next retreat is August 5-7, 2022 in the Twin Cities area. For more information contact us at [rachels@rvineyardmn.org](mailto:rachels@rvineyardmn.org), call or text 763-250-9313 or see [www.rvineyardmn.org](http://www.rvineyardmn.org).

**Help for Struggling Couples: Twin Cities Retrouvaille** August 5, 7 p.m. - August 7, 4 p.m., Best Western Hotel, Eagan  
Retrouvaille has been a lifeline for troubled marriages. Since 1977, over 40,000 marriages have been saved worldwide. Couples learn the tools to rediscover each other and heal their marriage. 100% confidential. For more information visit [www.helpourmarriage.org](http://www.helpourmarriage.org)

# LEO BYRNES RESIDENCE

Did you know there's a home for retired priests of the Archdiocese? There is and you have an opportunity to share your gratitude by supporting the men who've ministered to you and your family for many decades.

The Leo C. Byrne Residence offers 29 individual apartments for priests who have reached retirement age, most of whom continue to actively serve parishes and organizations around the Archdiocese.

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\*Envelopes are available at the church exits and the narthex

# MASS INTENTIONS & READINGS

## Weekday Mass Intentions July 11 -14

Monday 8:00 am † Barb Harnett  
Wednesday 8:00 am † Fr. Francis A. Pouliot  
Thursday 8:00 am † Arlene & Marvin Rohe

## Next Weekend Mass Intentions July 16-17

Saturday 4:30 pm † Jerome Janish  
Sunday 8:00 am Parish  
10:30 am † Elizabeth Hedrick

## Readings for the week of July 10, 2022

**Sunday:** Dt 30:10-14/Ps 69:14, 17, 30-31, 33-34, 36, 37 or Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11 [9])/Col 1:15-20/Lk 10:25-37

**Monday:** Is 1:10-17/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/  
Mt 10:34—11:1

**Tuesday:** Is 7:1-9/Ps 48:2-3a, 3b-4, 5-6, 7-8/Mt 11:20-24

**Wednesday:** Is 10:5-7, 13b-16/Ps 94:5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 14-15/  
Mt 11:25-27

**Thursday:** Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19/Ps 102:13-14ab and 15, 16-18,  
19-21/Mt 11:28-30

**Friday:** Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8/Is 38:10, 11, 12abcd, 16/Mt 12:1-8

**Saturday:** Mi 2:1-5/Ps 10:1-2, 3-4, 7-8, 14/Mt 12:14-21

**Next Sunday:** Gn 18:1-10a/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 5 [1a]/Col 1:24-28/  
Lk 10:38-42

## Observances for the week of July 10, 2022

**Sunday:** 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Monday:** St. Benedict, Abbot

**Wednesday:** St. Henry

**Thursday:** St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin

**Friday:** St. Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

**Saturday:** Our Lady of Mount Carmel

**Next Sunday:** 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## CSAF

You may mail in your contribution or place it in the collection marked CSAF. Online donations are also available at: <https://csafspm.org/givecsaf/>  
Thank you for your generous support for these important ministries!



## Financial Blessings

### Sunday giving + weekly tithing through week ending July 3, 2022

Sunday Envelope/Plate/eGiving Received \$ 9,118

\* Our parish and school are continuing to work on the 2022-2023 fiscal year budgets. We have undergone new software and an accounting system. Please look for more information to come with our budget and up to date finances.

# MMSA

Greetings!

My name is Mike Langer, new Principal of Maternity of Mary/St. Andrew School. I am tremendously blessed, honored, and excited to be joining the MMSA community!

I come to MMSA having served in Catholic education since 2006—as both a teacher and an administrator. My background includes an undergraduate communications degree and master's degree in public administration from the University of Minnesota as well as a master's degree in education from the College of St. Catherine. Prior to my life in education, my career included experience in the areas of television broadcasting, sports and recreation programming and public safety and health education.

My philosophy of Catholic education is that Catholic educators are called to teach as Jesus taught and strive to be role-models as we develop young disciples who excel academically, spiritually, and socially. This means that we are patient, challenging, understanding, and knowledgeable as we foster a vibrant Catholic culture and instill in our students the truth that they are beloved sons and daughters of God.

Away from school, my wife Carol and I are the proud parents of three wonderful children and an amazing new grandson who has stolen our hearts. When I am not spending time with family or throwing balls to German Shepherds, I can often be found at a sports event, under the hood of a car, or strolling the aisles of home improvement stores.

Again, I am so blessed and grateful to have the opportunity to serve the MMSA community!

Wishing you a blessed summer!

Mike Langer





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