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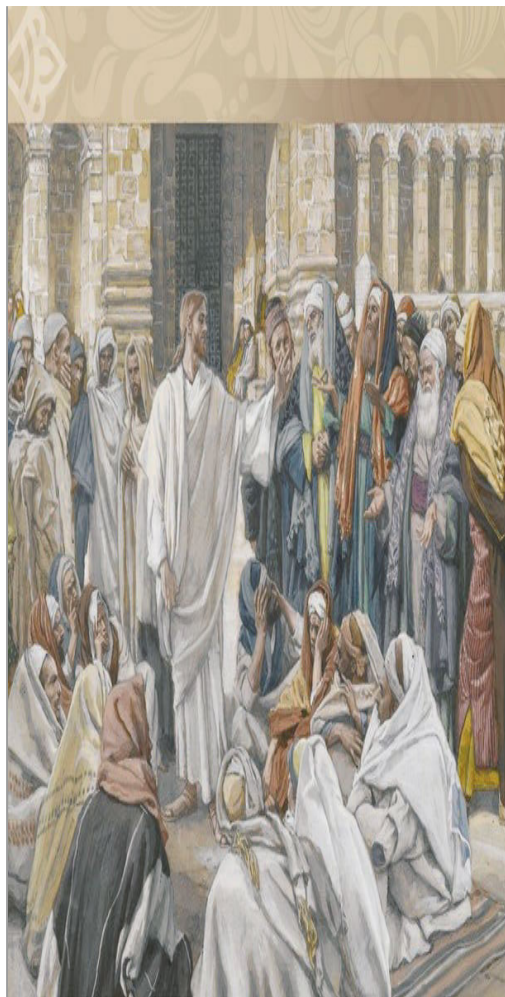
Call Parish Office to schedule preparation with Father Joe or Deacon Richard.

Marriage

Call Parish Office a minimum of six months in advance to schedule preparation with Father Joe or Deacon Richard.

Visitors

We are blessed to have you worship with us at Mass. If you would like to become a parishioner you can call the parish office or download a registration form from our website



18th Sunday

IN ORDINARY TIME

[Jesus] said to the crowd, "Take care to guard against all greed, for though one may be rich, one's life does not consist of possessions." - Lk 12:15

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

Mass Schedule

Tuesday	5:00 p.m.	SC
Wednesday	8:30 a.m.	SC
Thursday	8:30 a.m.	MI
Friday	8:30 a.m.	MI
Saturday	4:15 p.m.	SC
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	SC&online
Sunday	10:30 a.m.	MI

Confession

Tuesday	4:00-4:30 pm	SC
Saturday	9:00-10:00 am	MI
Saturday	3:30-4:00 pm	SC
Sunday	7:45—8:15 am	SC
1st Friday	4:00-5:00 pm	MI

Fr. Joe is always open to making appointments for confession.

Adoration

Tuesday	10:00 am-5:45 pm	SC
1st Friday	4:00-5:00 pm	MI

*cancelled due to Fr's absence.

Homebound Ministry

Fr. Joe visits the homebound and residents of Nursing Homes or Assisted Living during the first week of each month.

If you know of parishioners who are ill, hospitalized, or homebound, please contact the parish.

THE 18TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—JULY 31, 2022



AUGUST 2 — AUGUST 7, 2022

Tuesday(2)- Mike Shofer †
Wednesday(3) - Richard&Ann Johnston
Thursday (4)- Ed Hoey †
Friday (5) - Jim Berardo †
Saturday(6)4:15- **Parishioners**
Sunday (7) 8:30- Mirko Bogdanovich †
 10:30— Agness Ricci †

Saturday, August 6– 4:15 p.m.

Lector: Judy Ozanich
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Com-
munion: Cliff Arola, Terri Jarmer,
 Colleen Clusiau & Ken Ricker
Servers: Vincent Sajevic
 Jerry Swanson

Sunday, August 7- 8:30 am

Lector: Terry Maciej
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Com-
munion: Lois Best, Clara Metzger,
 Sandra Persson & Julie Lange
Server: Damon Gangl
 Mike Troumbly
Ushers: Doug & Lorri Shalley
Counters: Lorri S. & Lucy G.

Sunday, August 7 - 10:30 am

Lector: Molly Randall
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Com-
munion: LaNea Johnson, Pat Guy-
 er, Tessie Guyer & Bob Dezelske
Server: volunteer
MI Volunteer cleaners:
 Brenda Davidson 8/6 & 8/13
 Micki Metzger 8/20, 8/27 & 9/3

Bulletin articles need to be submitted by Tuesday at 10:00 am for the week the bulletin is printed unless otherwise noted.

Know someone who could use prayers?
CALL- -St. Cecilia's Prayer Chain:
 Darlene or Ted Squillace 885-1057.
Mary Immaculate Prayer Chain:
 Teresa Kessler 910-9007.

Sister Dorene King from St. Scholastica Monastery has been assigned to our parishes to be a prayer advocate. She is praying for us, but if you have a special intention please call (218)723-6555.

ASK FR. JOE

“What would be some spiritual ways we could intercede for fallen away Catholics?”

I once heard a speaker talk about praying for people. He mentioned that people often pray that God would make their loved ones stop doing their destructive lifestyle. It might be drugs, alcohol, living with a boyfriend/girlfriend outside of marriage, or even not going to Church. We ask God to make them stop sinning or to make them go to Church again, and then we are shocked and angry when we find that God is not doing exactly what we asked Him to do. We assume that God would want people to come back from sin right away with no detours.

The speaker pointed out that we need to remember that God's ways are not our ways. Sometimes God allows sin to take place so that an even great good will happen. For instance, a person may stop going to Mass and enter into a relationship with children outside of marriage and then later, a civil marriage. This continues for many years, but when the person finally comes back to the Catholic faith (going to Mass weekly and participating in the Sacraments), they bring their spouse and their children to the faith as well. Another family member may have been praying fervently for this individual since they stopped coming to Mass that God would make this person come to Mass again and turn away from sin. But if God had “made” the person do that right away, he or she may never have met their future spouse. The spouse is then never brought to the faith and the children never exist! I am not trying to lead us down a path of “what if's”. My point is that God may have a reason for why conversions do not happen as fast as we would like them.

The speaker I was listening to suggested that when we pray for individuals, we should pray that they come closer to God. Do not pray for anything specific to happen; it might not be a part of God's will. But when we pray for family and friends to come closer to God, we will start to see some wonderful results. As they grow closer to God, they seek to do His will all the more.

“Not my will, but your will be done!”

FROM THE OFFICE:

IMPORTANT NOTE: MASS TIME CHANGE to 5 p.m. on Tuesday, August 2nd to allow time for Fr Joe to be at Camp Survive to hear confessions.

ATTN: EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS—BEGINNING NEXT WEEKEND (AUGUST 6-7) WE WILL BE RESUME DISTRIBUTION OF THE PRECIOUS BLOOD. PLEASE CHECK THE SCHEDULE FOR WHEN YOU ARE ASSIGNED. THANK YOU!! (Call the office if you have questions.)

FINANCE COUNCIL NOMINATIONS— TODAY is the last day to submit nominations forms for the **FINANCE COUNCIL ballot. Voting will be on the weekend of August 12-13.**

ATTN: LECTORS, SERVERS & EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS
A new schedule for September and October will be run on **FRIDAY, August 26th**. Please call the office with times you are not available! (Saves you time and effort to find a substitute.)

GRANNY'S ATTIC will be **Saturday, October 15** at Mary Immaculate. There will be a sign up sheet for workers. Thank you!

The Mission Group will be meeting throughout the summer on Thursday morning after Mass. Call Carol Peterson at 245-3735 if you have questions.



INVITATION TO ADORATION

PLEASE GIVE AN HOUR OF YOUR TIME !!
EVERY TUESDAY, 10 A.M.—5:45 P.M. —St Cecilia's
FIRST FRIDAY 4 P.M.—5:00 P.M —Mary Immaculate

Readings for the week of July 31, 2022

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

Monday: Jer 28:1-17/Ps 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102/Mt 14:13-21

Tuesday: Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22/Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29 and 22-23/Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14

Wednesday: Jer 31:1-7/Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13/Mt 15:21-28

Thursday: Jer 31:31-34/Ps 51:12-13, 14-15, 18-19/Mt 16:13-23

Friday: Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7/Dt 32:35cd-36ab, 39abcd, 41/Mt 16:24-28

Saturday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9/2 Pt 1:16-19/Lk 9:28b-36

Next Sunday: Wis 18:6-9/Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22 [12b]/Heb 11:1-2, 8-19 or 11:1-2, 8-12/Lk 12:32-48 or 12:35-40

From Mari Jo Anderson:
Director of Religious Education
Continued from last week....

The novena itself follows:

DAY 1: Why do you confuse yourselves by worrying? Leave the care of your affairs to me and everything will be peaceful. I say to you in truth that every act of true, blind, complete surrender to me produces the effect that you desire and resolves all difficult situations.

O Jesus, I surrender myself to you, take care of everything!
(Say 10 times)

DAY 2: Surrender to me does not mean to fret, to be upset, or to lose hope, nor does it mean offering to me a worried prayer asking me to follow you and change your worry into prayer. It is against this surrender, deeply against it, to worry, to be nervous and to desire to think about the consequences of anything. It is like the confusion that children feel when they ask their mother to see to their needs, and then try to take care of those needs for themselves so that their childlike efforts get in their mother's way. Surrender means to placidly close the eyes of the soul, to turn away from thoughts of tribulation and to put yourself in my care, so that only I act. Saying "You take care of it."

O Jesus, I surrender
(Say 10 times)

DAY 3: How many things I do when the soul, in so much spiritual and material need, turns to me, looks at me and says to me; "You take care of it", then closes its eyes and rests. In pain you pray for me to act, but that I act in the way you want. You do not turn to me, instead, you want me to adapt to your ideas. You are not sick people who ask the doctor to cure you, but rather sick people who tell the doctor how to. So do not act this way, but pray as I taught you in the Our Father: Hallowed be thy Name, that is, be glorified in my need. Thy kingdom come", that is, let all that is in us and in the world be in accord with your kingdom. Thy will be done on Earth as it is in Heaven, that is, in our need, decide as you see fit for our temporal and eternal life. If you say to me truly: Thy will be done. Which is the same as saying: You take care of it. I will intervene with all my omnipotence, and I will resolve the most difficult situations.

Continued next week

O Jesus, I surrender myself to you, take care of everything!
(Say 10 times)

O Jesus, I surrender(Say 10 times)
concluded next week.

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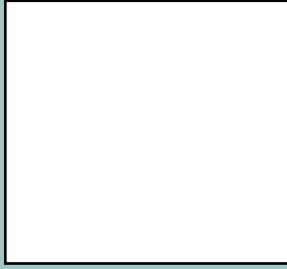
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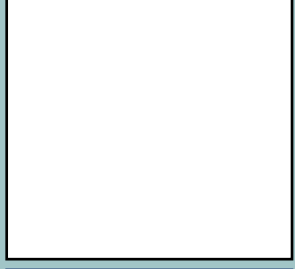
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