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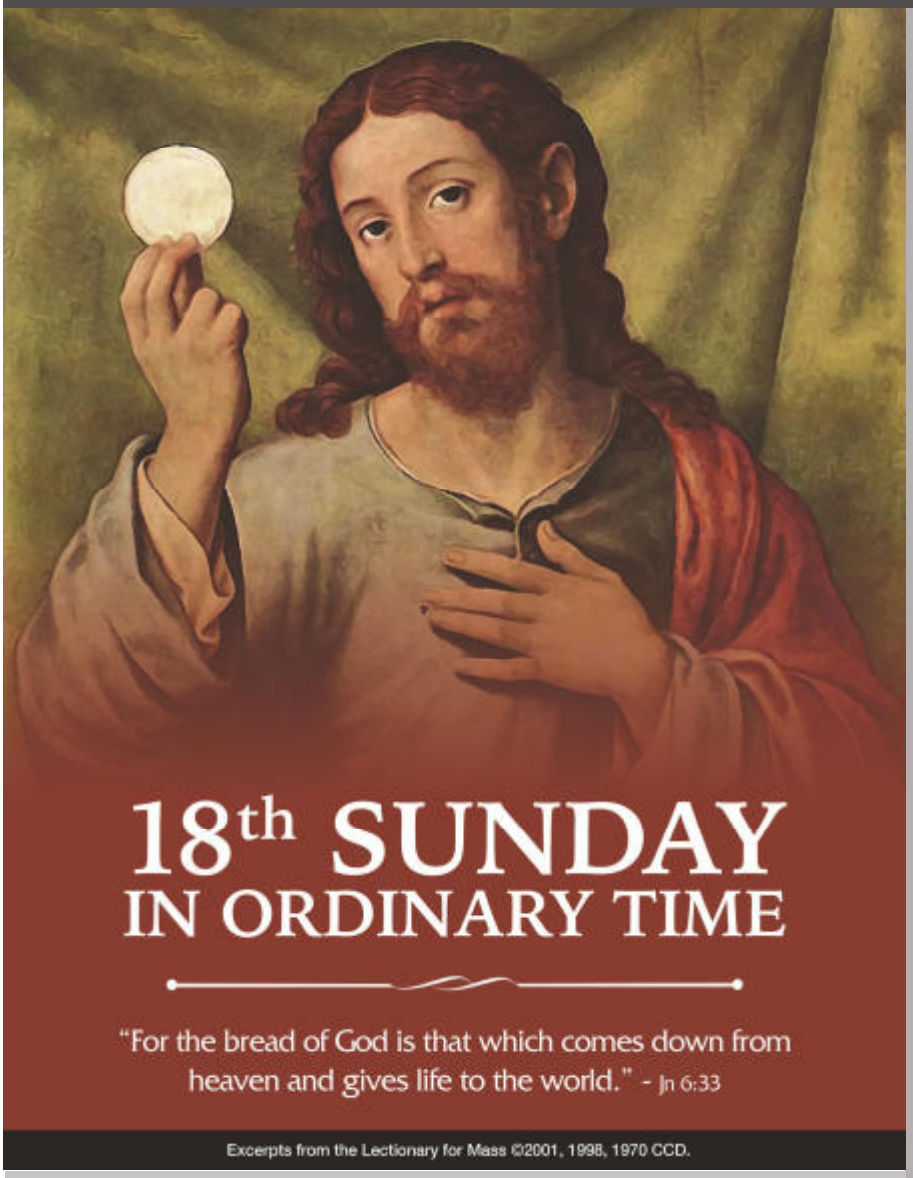
August 1, 2021 | 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time



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MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 pm
Sunday: 7:00 am, 9:00 am*, 12:00 pm
**Livestreamed at holyapostlescc.org*

WEEKDAY

Monday-Friday: 8:00 am
Saturday: 8:00 am

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Monday-Friday: 7:00-7:50 am

PERPETUAL ADORATION

24/7 in the Divine Mercy Chapel of the Blessed Sacrament
holyapostlescc.org/adoration

WELCOME

Want to Join the Parish?
Interested in Becoming Catholic?
Been Away from the Faith?
We invite you to come home. Please contact the parish office for more information.

Registration forms are available at the entrances or online at holyapostlescc.org/register.

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SVDP Society

The St. Vincent de Paul Society offers person-to-person service to the needy. If you are in need, please leave a message at: 719-484-8739

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HOLY APOSTLES CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

THANK YOU to everyone who has made a new pledge or increased their pledge, and to everyone who continues to support the Christ's Light for Generations Capital Campaign!

We need 100% participation to help us reach our goal of $3.5 million for our final phase projects and beautification of the church! Please pray and consider making a pledge if you are able. Brochures and pledge cards are available at the entrances.

If you've already pledged and are in position to do so, please consider increasing your pledge. Every gift, no matter the size, is important and will help further the work of Holy Apostles. For those making a new pledge or increasing their pledge, we will be thanking you with a custom gift from the parish!

If you have questions or need more information, please contact Rosemary Oblon at roblon@holyapostlescc.org or 719-484-8724.

More information and photos of completed projects are available at holyapostlescc.org/capital.

You are the light of the world. A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden... Just so, your light must shine before others.
—Matthew 5:14-16

Holy Apostles Happenings

August 15 Mass Times

Please note that no 7 am or noon Mass will be offered on Sunday (August 15) due to the parish celebration. Only the 9 am Mass will be offered on August 15.The 5:30 pm Mass on August 14 will still be offered.

Parish Celebration

On Sunday, August 15 (Feast of the Assumption and the anniversary of the dedication of our parish), we will have a parish-wide celebration with food, fun, and games! On **August 15**, there will be **one Mass** at **9 am, followed by a free BBQ!** Please bring your lawn chair, umbrella, and water (please leave in your car until after Mass) and join us in the fun!

If you are planning to attend and would like to help with food, please bring the following:
A-L: Side Dishes *(if refrigeration needed, please bring food in a cooler due to very limited refrigerator space)*
M-P: 8 ounce bottles of water
Q-Z: Desserts
All food and drink will be served in the parish hall.

Help Needed with August 15 Parish Celebration

We have a great core team of volunteers but **we need your help** with set-up, cleanup, face painting, and donations of small bottles of water, utensils or condiments. If you or someone you know has a connection with a grocery supplier that may be willing to donate or provide chicken, pork or hot dogs at a reduced cost please contact us. Sign up at www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0f4daeac2ba5f5c52-parish, or contact Sheila Ludwig at 719-287-7716 or sheilainco@comcast.net. Water and non-perishable items may be dropped off at the parish office during business hours.

Personal Stewardship Feedback

In January we will once again offer a Personal Stewardship weekend. If you participated in this journey, we want your feedback so we can continue to make this exciting area of Stewardship helpful and relevant to you! Please visit https://forms.office.com/r/ZAHyjyNxoh or scan the QR code to complete a brief survey so we can know what was helpful and what changes might need to happen. If you don't have internet, please drop off a note at the parish office with your feedback. Thank you!

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Talks

Are you curious about Eucharistic Adoration? Have you felt called to adore but have some doubts or hesitations? Please join us **Saturday, August 21 from 6:30-8:30 pm** in the parish hall for a **new guardian orientation** to learn about what adoration is and why we adore, and/or **Saturday, August 28 from 6:30-8:30 pm** in the parish hall on **going deeper in adoration**. Both presentations will be led by Sherry Weddell, author and founder of the Catherine of Siena Institute. Light refreshments will be served. All are invited to attend either or both events, whether you are already a committed adorer or just want to learn more.

Child Safety Reminder

Our children's safety is extremely important at Holy Apostles. **Please make sure all children under the age of 10 are accompanied by a parent when they leave the sanctuary during Mass**. If an usher sees an unaccompanied child leaving the church, they will ask the child to go back to get their parent. Please also make sure that no child under 10 is outside the church building without adult supervision. Thank you for your help with this and for keeping an eye out for each other.

Holy Apostles Happenings

Stewardship of FINANCES

Holy Apostles is Now Hiring

Holy Apostles is hiring a full-time **Maintenance Technician** as well as a part-time **Nursery Coordinator.** Please visit holyapostlescc.org/employment for full job descriptions and application form. For more information, please contact Shelly Reida at sreida@holyapostlescc.org or 719-597-4249 x109.

Apostolate for Widows

Holy Apostles has an exciting new apostolate starting. We will have a widows' meeting the first Wednesday of each month in the **St. James room** in the lower level. Our first meeting is on **August 4** from **10 am-noon**. If you have lost your husband, please come and be part of this new apostolate. If you have questions, please contact Rosemary Oblon at 719-484-8724.

Offertory

July 18	$22,270.92
July 25	$27,516.56

Our weekly budget is**: $27,115.38**

Children's Collection

July 25	$35.50

Good Deed of the Week:
Doing the trash.

Holy Apostles Youth Ministry is teaming up with the Knights of Columbus for fun Summer Family Movie Nights on the Lawn (weather permitting). **Save the date for our final movie night on August 13!** Games and fellowship at 7 pm. Movie starts after sunset around 8pm. Visit www.holyapostlescc.org for the movie listings!

Stewardship of SERVICE

Stephen Ministry

Have you considered serving our parish as a Stephen Minister? By helping others experiencing a storm in their lives, you will help God's kingdom grow and find satisfaction by serving others. The next training starts in September. For more information, contact Sheila Ludwig at 719-287-7716 or sheilainco@comast.net.

Online Giving Updates

Our Online Giving is getting an upgrade to a newer, easier-to-use platform! If you currently give online, you will soon be receiving an email with instructions on how to log into the new system. Best of all, your existing payment and donation information will be migrated over so you will not have to set up your gifts again! Keep an eye on your email for more information coming very soon.

Confraternity of Christian Mothers

Fr. Joseph Tuscan, National Director of the Arch-Confraternity of Christian Mothers, will be visiting Holy Apostles on Friday, August 13. He will celebrate Mass at 5:30 pm followed by a social. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Fr. Joseph will also be visiting Corpus Christi Parish on Saturday, August 14 with the following schedule:
9-11 am: Food, fellowship, and talk in the Corpus Christi parish hall
11-11:50 am: Confession and Adoration in the church
12:00 pm: Mass

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NOW ENROLLING!
Register for the 2021-2022 School Year
In person tours available by appointment.
Students learn about the true meaning of Easter.
Contact Director McKenna Anderson with any questions
(719) 591-1566; manderson@holyapostlescc.org

Stewardship of FAITH

YOUTH GROUP

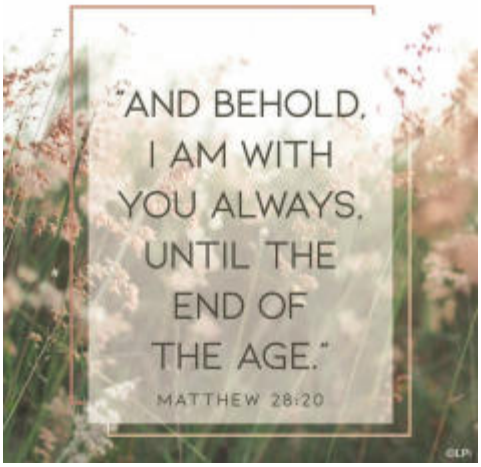
All teens entering grades 6-12 are invited to youth summer events! For more information, contact Karla Burdick at kburdick@holyapostlescc.org or 719-484-8727.

Wednesday, August 4: Casting Crowns Concert at Red Rocks Amphitheater

Friday, August 13: Outdoor Movie Night on the Holy Apostles Lawn. Help set up at 6 pm; movie starts at 8:15 pm.

RCIA

Are you interested in becoming Catholic or in learning more about the Catholic faith? Do you know someone who is interested in becoming Catholic? Consider coming to RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation) classes! RCIA teaches the Catholic Faith in-depth and offers support for anyone interested in becoming Catholic or who just wants to learn more about their Catholic faith. Classes begin in September and meet once a week until Easter. Please contact Mike Picard at 719-597-4249 x108 or mpicard@holyapostlescc.org for more information.



Youth CONFIRMATION

Youth Confirmation registration is now open for teens in 7th grade or above who have received the Sacraments of Baptism, First Reconciliation, and First Eucharist. Confirmation preparation during the 2021-2022 school year will be transitioning to a two-year program.

Teens who are currently in 8th grade or above who participated last year in Family Faith Formation will be considered Year 2 students and will be confirmed in Spring 2022.

Year 1 students will begin in 7th grade and would receive the Sacrament of Confirmation at the end of 8th grade.

Registration deadline: **August 5**
Parent/Candidate Orientation: **August 8**
Classes begin: **August 22**

Registration forms are available in the office or on the parish website. For more information, please contact Karla Burdick at 719-484-8727 or kburdick@holyapostlescc.org.

RCIA SPONSORS NEEDED

Do you like people? Do you like to pray? Do you want to help another grow in their faith? If so, consider being an RCIA sponsor! Many coming into the Church do not know any Catholics, so there is always a need for sponsors. Sponsors do not have to know everything about Catholicism; rather, they are a companion, guide, and example for the inquirer. Many parishioners have found RCIA to be helpful in their own faith journey.

Sponsors must be 16+ years of age, confirmed, living a faith-filled life and in good standing with the Catholic Church. They must also be willing to pray with/for, encourage, and support the inquirer. If you or someone you know might be interested in being a RCIA Sponsor, please contact Mike Picard at 719-597-4249 x108 or mpicard@holyapostlescc.org.

SACRAMENT INFORMATION

Anointing of the Sick
By appointment. The Eucharist can also be brought to homebound parishioners by an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion.

Baptism
Contact the parish office (597-4249).

Confirmation
Contact the parish office (597-4249)

1st Reconciliation/1st Eucharist
Contact Peggy Armstrong (484-8726)

Marriage
Recently engaged? Congratulations! Please call the parish office to schedule a meeting with a priest to begin the preparation process. Please allow 8-12 months before your wedding date.

Funerals
Please contact the parish office.

Stewardship *of* PRAYER

Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 31
St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest
Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8 [4]/Mt 14:1-12
8:00 am Mass Dorothy Boyer +
5:30 pm Mass Ernest Vialpando +

Sunday, August 1
Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Ex 16:2-4, 12-15/Ps 78:3-4, 23-24, 25, 54 [24b]/Eph 4:17, 20-24/Jn 6:24-35
7:00 am Mass Pro Populo
9:00 am Mass Frances Dunquez +
12:00 pm Mass Rose Lobato +

Monday, August 2
St. Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop; St. Peter Julian Eymard, Priest
Nm 11:4b-15/Ps 81:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 [2a]/Mt 14:13-21
8:00 am Mass Pat Ashman +

Tuesday, August 3
Weekday
Nm 12:1-13/Ps 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 6cd-7, 12-13 [cf. 3a]/Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14
8:00 am Mass Brian Patterson +

Wednesday, August 4
St. John Vianney, Priest
Nm 13:1-2, 25—14:1, 26-29a, 34-35/Ps 106:6-7ab, 13-14, 21-22, 23 [4a]/Mt 15:21-28
8:00 am Mass All Souls in Mary's Care SI

Thursday, August 5
Dedication of the Basilica of St. Mary Major
Nm 20:1-13/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 [8]/Mt 16:13-23
8:00 am Mass Scott Lagow +

Friday, August 6
The Transfiguration of the Lord
Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9 [1a and 9a]/2 Pt 1:16-19/Mk 9:2-10
8:00 am Mass In Reparation for Offenses against the Sacred Heart +

Saturday, August 7
St. Sixtus II, Pope, & Companions, Martyrs; St. Cajeton, Priest; Blessed Virgin Mary
Dn 6:4-13/Ps 18: 28, 3-4. 47 and 51/Mk 17:14-20
8:00 am Mass Sissy Schwartz SI
5:30 pm Mass Mercedes & Willie Atencio, Jr. +

Eucharistic Adoration Guardians Needed

The following hours will soon be in need of a guardian (or two) due to pending changes: **Saturdays noon-1 pm; Fridays 1-2 am; Fridays 2 -3 am.** Many other hours could use a second guardian. Please see the whiteboard in the hall leading to the chapel, or go to adorationpro.org/apostles and click "Weekly Commitment" to sign up. Contact Linda Oppelt via the parish office for questions.

Please pray for all sick, homebound, and suffering parishioners, and those listed in our book of intentions

You are invited to pray the Rosary and Divine Mercy chaplet before daily Mass beginning at 7:20 am. The Divine Mercy chaplet is prayed after the noon Mass on Sundays.

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Almighty and Gracious Lord, we your sons & daughters at Holy Apostles have been so blessed to be part of this parish community. Help us to continue to be Christ's Light for all generations as we move forward to renew and restore our church home physically and spiritually. Open our hearts to respond to your holy will. We ask this through the intercession of Mary, Queen of the Apostles, and in Jesus' name. Amen.

Around the Diocese

Engaged Couples Weekend Retreat

Engaged couples: Catholic Engaged Encounter is hosting a weekend retreat at the Ponderosa Retreat Center in Larkspur, CO. The retreat runs from **7 am** on **Saturday, August 14** to **2:30 pm** on **Sunday, August 15**. Cost is $200 and includes room and meals. Registration deadline is **August 10**. For more information, please visit www.coscee.org/About-Weekends/Registration. Questions? Contact Kaitlyn Vite at kberry390@gmail.com.

National Catholic Singles Conference

Join hundreds of single Catholics from across the country at the 20th National Conference for Single Catholics, taking place August 20-22 at the Omni Interlocken Hotel in Broomfield, CO. The weekend includes talks by dynamic speakers (Fr. Nathan Cromly, Fr. Thomas Loya, Mary Beth Bonacci and others!) as well as music, social events, Mass, adoration, opportunities for confession, fellowship, food and more. Visit NationalCatholicSingles.com for more information and to register. Register before August 6 to save $30 AND enter promo code **NCSC21** for an extra $20 off! Can't find your question answered on the website? Call 512-766-5798.

Bakhita Mountain Home Walk for Survivors

You're invited to attend the Walk for Survivors of Human Trafficking at Mount St. Francis (2650 Parish View in Colorado Springs). This event raises awareness of human trafficking and the Bakhita Mountain Home, a residential community that offers a 2-year restoration program for women survivors of human trafficking. This is a 1-mile event; registration fee is $10. For more information, please visit https://bakhitamountainhome.org. Holy Apostles is supporting this event with a tithe donation—thank you for your commitment to Stewardship of Finances that allows us to support this worthy cause!

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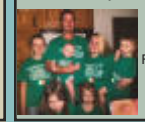

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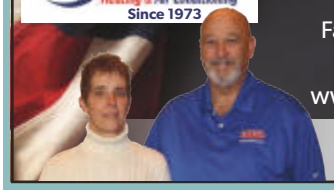

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