

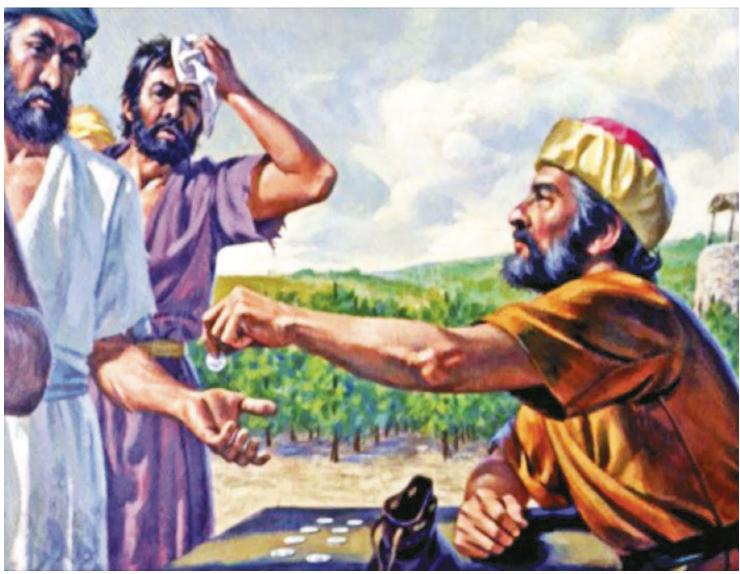




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Sept. 24,2023

Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time





Sunday Mass in English

Saturday 4:30 PM Sunday 7:30, 9:00, 10:30 AM & 12:15 PM

Daily Mass in English

8:30 AM Monday—Saturday

MASS SCHEDULES

Misas Dominicales en Español Sábado 6 PM, Domingo 2 & 6 PM

Reconciliation

Saturday 3-4 PM, Wednesday 6-7 PM

Reconciliación

Miércoles 6-7 PM

United in faith and guided by the Holy Spirit

Misas en Español

Miércoles 7 PM

Adoration ~ Benediction/ Adoracion ~ Bendicion

Every Friday—9 AM till I PM First Friday ALSO 6 PM-9 PM



RECOGNIZE GOD IN YOUR ORDINARY MOMENTS

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

The Invitation to the Vineyard

I have been working since I was 17, and in that time, I've encountered my fair share of bosses who don't like being, well, fair.

There was the retail gig that paid me less than the official minimum wage because I was a minor and scheduled me for long shifts because it meant cheaper labor. There was the restaurant manager who tried to convince me to leave seventh period early so I could waitress on a busy dinner shift (totally illegal, by the way). There was the unpaid internship with the editor who had no sense of work/life balance.

Our resumes are all full of these experiences — it's capitalism, after all. It conditions us to look out for ourselves, because we know no one else will. And it breeds an attitude of suspicion that often blooms into jealousy when we encounter the reckless mercy of God.

Most of us work hard for what we have in this life, and so we make the mistake of thinking we deserve the good things that come our way. That's all right and good when we're talking about a just wage. But sometimes we get our lines blurred and we begin to think we deserve, or have done something to earn, the salvation offered by Christ.

I am not the laborer who has borne the heat of long hours in the sun. I am the straggler, the lost one, the idler at the marketplace as the day draws to a close.

"As high as the heavens are above the earth, so high are my ways above your ways, and my thoughts above your thoughts." — Isaiah 55:9

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RECONOCE A DIOS EN TUS MOMENTOS ORDINARIOS

Por Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

La Invitación a la Viña

He estado trabajando desde que tenía 17 años y, en ese tiempo, me he encontrado con una Buena cantidad de jefes a los que no les gusta ser, bueno, justos.

Estuvo el trabajo en el comercio minorista que me pagaba menos del salario mínimo oficial porque era menor de edad y me programaba turnos largos porque significaba mano de obra más barata. Estuvo el gerente del restaurante que trató de convencerme de que saliera temprano del séptimo período para que pudiera trabajar de mesera en un turno de cena ocupado (totalmente ilegal, por cierto). Estuvo la práctica profesional no pagada con el editor que no tenía sentido del equilibrio entre el trabajo y la vida.

Nuestros currículums están llenos de estas experiencias: después de todo, es capitalismo. Nos condiciona a cuidarnos a nosotros mismos, porque sabemos que nadie más lo hará. Y genera una actitud de sospecha que a menudo se convierte en celos cuando nos encontramos con la audaz misericordia de Dios.

La mayoría de nosotros trabajamos duro por lo que tenemos en esta vida, y cometemos el error de pensar que merecemos las cosas buenas que se nos presentan. Eso está bien y es bueno cuando hablamos de un salario justo. Pero a veces nuestras líneas se vuelven borrosas y empezamos a pensar que merecemos, o que hemos hecho algo para ganar, la salvación ofrecida por Cristo.

No soy el trabajador que ha soportado el calor de largas horas bajo el sol. Soy el rezagado, el perdido, el holgazán en el mercado a medida que el día llega a su fin.

"Tal como son altos los cielos sobre la tierra, así son mis caminos sobre vuestros caminos, y mis pensamientos sobre vuestros pensamientos".

— Isaías 55:9

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WEEKLY READINGS

Readings for the Week of September 24, 2023

Sun/Dom:

Is 55:6-9/Ps 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18 (18a)/ Phil 1:20c-24, 27a/Mt 20:1-16a

Mon/Lunes:

Ezr 1:1-6/Ps 126:1b-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6/ Lk 8:16-1

Tues/Martes:

Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Lk 8:19-21

Wed/Mier:

Ezr 9:5-9/Tb 13:2, 3-4a, 4befghn, 7-8/Lk 9:1-6

Thurs/Juev:

Hg 1:1-8/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Lk 9:7-9

Fri/Vier:

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a/Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 4-5/Jn 1:47-51

Sat/Sab:

Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a/Jer 31:10, 11-12ab, 13/ Lk 9:43b-45

Next Sun./Dom:

Ez 18:25-28/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9, (6a)/ Phil 2:1-11 or 2:1-5/Mt 21:28-32

THE WEEK AHEAD

Thursday September 28th

Rectory Office closed

Thursday September 28th

7:00 PM Multi- lingual Rosary in the church

OFFICE INFORMATION

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Parish Office Hours

Monday & Friday (lunes y viernes) I I:00 AM— 7:00 PM

Tuesday & Thursday (martes y jueves)

— I I:00 AM—5:00 PM

Wednesday (miercoles)

—I:00 PM— 7:00 PM

Bilingual available Mon., Wed, Fri (lunes, miercoles y viernes)

— 3:00 PM— 7:00 PM

Rev. Henry Noga, SVD

Pastor

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, & Friday 10 AM to 12 PM

5 PM to 8 PM (with appointment) lunes, martes, miércoles, y viernes 10 AM a 12 PM

5 PM a 8 PM (con cita)

Rev. Emilio Reyes, SVD

Parochial Vicar

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

5 PM a 8 PM (with appointment)

lunes, miércoles , jueves y viernes 10:00 AM a 12:00 PM

5 PM a 8 PM (con cita)

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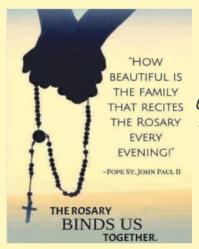
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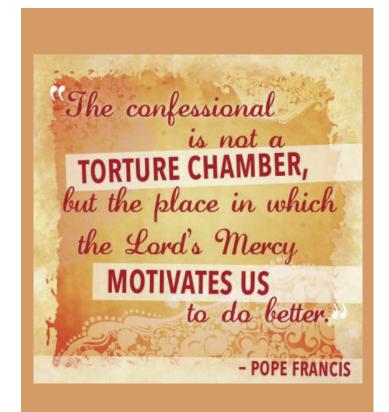
Come pray the rosary with your parish community.



We pray a multi-lingual rosary

on Thursday at 7:00 PM in the church All are invited to come pray together.

The rosary is led by the Knights of Columbus.





PRAY FOR

Mary Hennessey
Carlos de las casas Noriega
Mari Losno
Porfirio Loza
Russell Archibald
Martin Pina
Melosi Meredith
Carlos Jose Alegre
Amanda Dazo
Ernie Alvarez
Albert & Tina Kayo
Alicia Adia Yao
Shawn Silva
Paul Hennessey



DONATIONS

St Vincent de Paul

offering for next week:

Soup

Sopa

Donations are very much appreciated—but please no expired food. ~ Thank You



CONTRIBUTIONS CONTRIBUCIONES

COLLECTION FOR September 17, 2023

1st Collection

\$ 9,025.19

EFT Collection

\$ 490.00

On Line Giving

\$ 1,256.00

1st Collection TOTAL

\$ 10,771.19

2nd Collection—Liturgical Needs

\$ 2,106.00



Carmelita Jante

Manuela Nabong

Pamela Enrique

Emmanuel Enrique

VATICAN CORNER

The never

beatification of an entire Catholic family took place on September 10, 2023. The Ulma family of 9, consisted of the married couple Jozef and Wiktoria Ulma, their six small children and their unborn child. They were all executed by German Nazi troops and by Nazi controlled Polish police during World War II, when they were caught sheltering 8 Jews in their home in violation of the law which carried the death penalty. Also executed were the members of the 3 Jewish families being sheltered: the 70 -year -old Saul Goldman, his sons Baruch, Mechel, Joachim, and Mojzesz, along with Golda



Grunfeld, her sister Lea Didner and her daughter Reszla. The tragic story has been meticulously documented by Poland's state Institute of National Remembrance. A ceremonial outdoor Mass was held on Sunday September 10, 2023 for the beatification. The Mass was in the Ulma's home village of Markowa, Poland, which has a population of about 4,000. Pope Francis' envoy Cardinal Marcello Semeraro, who is the prefect of the Vatican's saint-making office was there to read in Latin the formula of the beatification. There were about 32,000 people who came to take part in the beautification, with many groups attending from the neighboring counties of Slovakia, Ukraine, and Lithuania as well as from the U.S. There were approximately 1,000 priests and 80 bishops and cardinals as well. Also the chief rabbi of Poland Michael Schudrich was present, showing the high regard the worldwide Jewish community has for the Ulma Family. In December 2020, Pope Francis recognized the martyrdom of the Family, moving them along the path towards attaining sainthood. He signed the beatification order last month. In Cardinal Semeraro's homily at the ceremonial Mass, he said that the Ulma family for their "gesture of hospitality and care of mercy, paid the highest price of martyrdom". At the Mass, a contemporary painting of the Ulma family was revealed, and a procession carried relics taken from their grave to the altar. Pope Francis at the Vatican speaking about the Ulma family to the public from a window in St. Peter's Square, said they "represented a ray of light in the darkness" of the war and should be a model for everyone in "doing good and in service of those in need." The Church found that it had a dilemma in the beatification of the unborn child, in that he had not been baptized, which is a requirement for beatification. However, In 1944 after the execution of the Family, when their bodies were dug up to give them a more dignified burial, the diggers noticed that beside the body of Wiktoria who had been seven months pregnant, was a deceased newborn child. So the thought was that she must have entered labor at the time of her execution. Although the child was never baptized, Cardinal Semeraro issued a Vatican clarification saying the child was actually born during the horror of the killings and received "baptism by blood" of his martyred mother. The Catholic Church has always held the firm conviction that those who suffer death for the sake of the faith without having received Baptism are baptized by their death for and with Christ. And also the "this Baptism of blood, like the desire for Baptism, brings about the fruits of Baptism without being a sacrament." Also it was explained that the baby was delivered at the time of his mother's martyrdom, and was therefore included alongside the other children who were also martyred. Therefore, "the seventh child" of parents Jozef and Wiktoria Ulma, as he is now called, was able to be beatified. "Beatification" is the step right before sainthood. By beatifying someone, the Church proclaims that the person is definitely in Heaven and definitely able to plead to God on your behalf if you pray to him. After beatification, a miracle attributed to the Ulmas' intercession is necessary for their canonization for them to become saints.

sources: pillarchatholic.com, apnews.com, theguardian.com, catholicnewsagency, vaticannews.va

MASS INTENTIONS September 23-30, 2023

Saturday 4:30 PM

Matthew Suntay (birthday)
Juliana Boles (thanksgiving)
Carlos Jose Alegre (healing)
Domingo & Donatela Alonso †
Ann Swift †
Robert Boles († birthday)
Freida Talbot †

Saturday 6:00 PM

Ruben & Altagracia Perez

(66th aniversario de boda)

All Priests and Priestly vocations

(intencion especial)

Josefina & Jorge Saldana(accion de Gracia)
Ramon Soto Perez Jr.(salud)

Antonio Orozo (salud)

Karina & Daniel Fernandes (salud)

Moises & Maria Dolores Huerta † Nallely & Juan Ponce †

Aurora, Rafael & Juvenal Torres †

Sunday 7:30 AM

Ismael Dizon & family (special intention)
David Tayco †
Luis Trinidad Paranada †

Sunday 9:00 AM

Ernesto & Amy Salta

(46th wedding anniversary)

Jizelle Curameng (birthday)

Aries & Katrina Dacir (thanksgiving)

Ramon Jr. & Edna Garcia (thanksgiving)

Francis Carlo Salta (healing)

Paula Santiago (healing)

Clemente Velasquez †

Edgar Delos Angeles †

Maria Brenda Tran †

Sunday 10:30 AM

Victor Paguia (birthday) Rodolfo Ramos (birthday) Christian & Dolores Reese †

Sunday 12:15 PM

Art & Lucy Limongco

(57th wedding anniversary)

Orlando Ebalo Jr. (healing)

Maria Perez (healing)

Rebecca Ong (healing)

Bertoloma Solis †

Virginia Solis †

Sunday 2:00 PM

Manuel, Paula & David Cruz †

Sunday 6:00 PM

Antonio-Godfredo Guevara †

Monday 8:30 AM

Conchita O'Connor Steele †
Mary Tran †

Tuesday 8:30 AM

Amy Salta Ramos (birthday)
Jose "Lita" Cervero († anniversary)
Mary Tran †

Wednesday 8:30 AM

Erico & Rosemarie Parras (thanksgiving)
Mary Tran †

Wednesday 7:00 PM

Familia Cruz Rosas (intencion especial)
Jose Manuel Moreira

(†6 meses aniversario)

Thursday 8:30 AM

Chase & Cody Domagas (birthday) Rody G. Diaz (birthday) Mary Tran†

Friday 8:30 AM

Ryan Dela cruz (34th birthday) Ofelia Fernando (birthday) Ofelia Rivera Lopez † Emmanuel Paraiso († anniversary) Mary Tran †

Saturday 8:30 AM

Xenalynn Dela Cruz(6th birthday) Brenda & Mary Tran †

Oracion San Miguel

San Miguel Arcángel,
defiéndenos en la batalla.
Sé nuestro amparo contra la
perversidad y asechanzas del
demonio. Reprimale Dios,
pedimos suplicantes,
y tú Príncipe de la
Milicia Celestial,
con el divino poder de Dios,
arroja al infierno a Satanás
y a todos los espíritus malignos
que andan dispersos
por el mundo
para la perdición de las almas.
Amén.



Prayer to St. Michael

St. Michael the Archangel,
defend us in battle,
be our protection
against the wickedness and
snares of the devil.
May God
rebuke him we humbly pray;
and do thou, O Prince of the
Heavenly host,
by the power of God,
cast into hell Satan
and all the evil spirits
who prowl about the world seeking
the ruin of souls.
Amen





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