

ST. CHRISTOPHER'S CHURCH

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July 3, 2022

Readings for the week

Sunday: Is 66:10-14c/Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20 [1]/Gal 6:14-18/Lk 10:1-12, 17-20 or 10:1-9

Monday: Hos 2:16, 17c-18, 21-22/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday: Hos 8:4-7, 11-13/Ps 115:3-4, 5-6, 7ab-8, 9-10//Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday: Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 10:1-7

Thursday: Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9/Ps 80:2ac and 3b, 15-16/Mt 10:7-15

Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-13, 14 and 17/Mt 10:16-23

Saturday: Is 6:1-8/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mt 10:24-33

Next 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

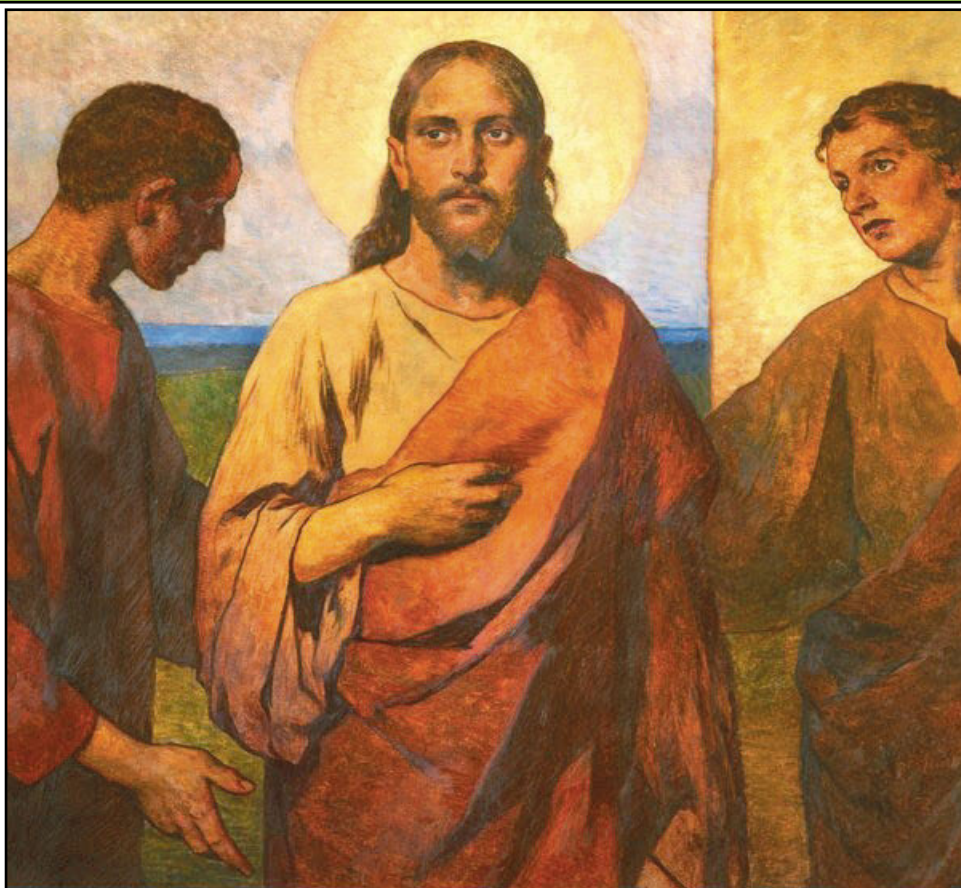
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14TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Whatever town you enter and they welcome you, eat what is set before you, cure the sick in it and say to them, ‘The kingdom of God is at hand for you.’” - Lk 10:8-9

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Mass Schedule: Tuesday and Wednesday at 9:00 AM
Monday, Thursday and Friday (No Services at this Time)
Saturday at 4:30 PM Sunday at 10:00 AM

As we pray this week:

Last week we reflected about images of Jesus beginning his ministry and letting ourselves grow in admiration and attraction to him. This week we take the next step by watching him call and send his Apostles. As we go through each day this week, in the background of our consciousness, we can make an ongoing reflection on our call and mission.

For a few days, we might begin the day talking to Jesus, with our own words: "Lord, I have some challenges to face today. Help me enter those challenges with faith and trust in you. Calm my fears and heal my resistance to placing my trust in you. Then, let me bring your healing to the conflicts and wounds I encounter today."

And, for a few days, I can be more focused on what Jesus said about sending us like sheep among wolves. "Lord, there are so many ways that I have become a part of the values of the world around me. Give me the freedom to hear your call today and to live it counter-culturally. With your grace, I resolve to live more simply and to try to hear the cry of the poor. With your grace, I desire to be freed from the attachments that blind me, so that I might be guided by your Spirit in dismantling unjust social structures. Today, Jesus, I place my trust in you."

In these simple prayers we find ourselves having a new focus each day. While continuing to be busy and doing what we are committed to doing, our days are transformed. In brief conversations with Jesus, our hearts and desires become more closely aligned with his. Practicing this kind of prayer is very fulfilling and soon becomes a habit. We become more reflective as we grow in intimacy with our Lord, in the midst of our daily lives.

As we review our day each evening before going to bed, we recognize God's presence with us that day. Expressing our gratitude each night claims the graces we have received and helps us trust God's presence in our lives more and more.

Selections from: Creighton University Online Ministry, Daily Prayer

We want to welcome Fr. Eloo to the St. Christopher's community. Fr. Eloo, all of us look forward to your leadership, and are eager to get to know you. We hope that the friends you make here will be as treasured as those you left behind in past assignments. We're glad you've been chosen to come to St. Christopher's and please know that we are ready to help you as you settle into your new assignment any way we can.

In observance of the Fourth of July, the business office will be closed Monday, July 4.

Are you looking for a way to help your parish community? Here's one simple way: We need people to launder the corporals (small white cloths) and dish towels that are used at Mass. There is a list of people who serve in this way on a rotating basis. Unfortunately, however, some people have had to take themselves off the list recently. The schedule works in such a way that you would probably only need to take the bag of towels, etc. every 2 months. If interested, or for more information, please contact Mary in the office or Carolyn Emerson, 594 – 5151{H}; 613 – 1137 {C} for more information.

The July issue of Living with Christ is available at the front entrance of the church for anyone who holds a subscription.

Hardcopies of the July Liturgical Minister's schedule are available on the table outside the sacristy for anyone who needs one.

SAVE THE DATE: The next Christ-Life session will be after the 10 a.m. Mass on Sunday, July 10.

Eucharistia Ministry News: Happy Independence Day! Today the Eucharistia Ministry celebrates all of our independent participants. Many of our members knit, crochet, and craft at home to add to the supply of items for the people we serve. Won't you consider joining us? We will not be gathering this week, but hope you will join us in spirit as we continue our work. Reach out to Joanna Aguglia (594-9378) or Sheila Beers (764-9189) for more information to find out how you can help!

Are you looking for a rewarding experience? We are always looking for volunteers to serve as liturgical ministers. Currently, we particularly need sacristans and hospitality ministers, especially for the 4:30 Mass. Nevertheless, all who are interested are always welcome to join the Liturgical Minister team. If interested, please contact Mary in the parish office for more information.

Would you like to meet some wonderful fellow parishioners? We are looking for people to help with counting the collections. Counters meet on Monday's at 9:00 a.m. and it usually takes about 1 ½ to 2 hours. You would only be scheduled once a month! If you would like, you could also sign up as a sub to fill in whenever needed. Please contact Mary at the office if you are interested in volunteering.

EFFECTIVE MONDAY, JUNE 13, 2022, THE BUSINESS OFFICE WILL HAVE NEW OFFICE HOURS:
THEY ARE: MONDAY TO THURSDAY: 9 TO 3 FRIDAY: 9 TO 12



Independence Day

PRA YER

*Dear God our Father,
we praise You today for who You are—a God of love,
who reveals to us that love is truth and freedom.
Thank You for our country, the United States of America,
conceived in liberty, and for all those who have
sacrificed that we might enjoy these freedoms.*

*Like a city on a mountaintop, help us to share our blessings
with the world, and to allow the light of Your Holy Spirit
within us to set others free in spirit, soul, and body.
In Jesus' name. Amen.*

Have a Blessed Holiday

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, July 2

4:30 PM– Marion Raimond by The Raimond Family

Sunday, July 3

10:00 AM–Bob Philson by Karen & Dick Philson

Monday, July 4

NO DAILY MASS

Tuesday, July 5

9:00 AM– Our Country

Wednesday, July 6

9:00 AM– Parishioners of St. Christopher's

Thursday, July 7

NO COMMUNION SERVICE

Friday, July 8

NO COMMUNION SERVICE

Saturday, July 9

4:30 PM– Atansio Michael Aguglia by Gramma & Papa

Sunday, July 10

10:00 AM–Mary DiPonzio by her husband, Eddie

Prayer Ministry

Please contact the rectory if you would like to be added to the list of people who need prayers. If you or someone you know has been hospitalized and would like to have a pastoral visit, please contact the Church Office at 594-1400 ext.: 100

Please keep the following people in your prayers:

Richard Welch	Beulah Reihle
Valerie Brescia	Bob Early
Dominick Fantauzzo	Fr. Bob Gaudio
Roz Fadden	Dino Pezzimenti
Robert Eich	Jason Powarzynski
Rosie Moynihan	Ken Milner
Dora Gabel	

Please keep the families of those who have lost loved ones in your prayers.

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Sacraments

Reconciliation: Saturday 3:30 PM - 4:00 PM or by appt.

Baptism: Please contact Mary to begin the Baptismal process. You must be a registered and active member of the parish in order to have your child baptized.

Marriage: Please contact Church Office at least 6 months before wedding.

First Reconciliation, First Communion &

Confirmation: Contact the Faith Formation Office, 594-1441 ext. 110

Anointing of The Sick: Please contact the Church Office at 594-1400 ext. 100



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