

Mother of Sorrows Parish

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Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time • June 26, 2022

Registration: You are welcome to register in the parish after any Mass or by appointment.

Sacrament of Baptism: Please contact the Parish Office for arrangements.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: (Confession) Between 4:00 and 4:30 p.m. on Saturday & after any Mass or by appointment.

Sacrament of Matrimony: Please contact the Parish Office at least six (6) months in advance of the wedding date.

Sacrament of the Sick: If you are unable to attend Mass due to illness or hospitalization, please notify the Parish Office.

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Natural Family Planning Classes – Call Kathy Patton at 216-334-2973

Separated & Divorce Ministry and Step-parenting
Call Carol Petro at 216-334-2975

For Your Marriage (www.foryourmarriage.org)
Find the latest marriage theology, news and resources at the U.S. Bishops website for engaged and married couples

Pro-Life Office (www.clevelandcatholiccharities.org/prolife)
Call Peggy Gerovac at 216-334-2965

World Wide Marriage Encounter (www.wwme.org)
Call 1-800-795-LOVE (5683) or 330-305-9963

MISSION STATEMENT

We, the parishioners of Mother of Sorrows Parish, established in 1882, Christ centered and empowered by the Holy Spirit, dedicate ourselves to serve the needs of all by liturgical worship and parish ministries.



From the Pastor's Desk

On this Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time let us reflect on being children of light. What guides our hearts is the light of truth. It is ever bright. It is Jesus. The Word made Incarnate. As we read and pray the Gospel, what is Jesus teaching us this week? How are we asked to be disciples, children of light? Let us pray...

*O God, who through the grace of adoption
chose us to be children of light,
grant, we pray, that we
may not be wrapped in the darkness of error
but always be seen to stand
in the bright light of truth.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ,
your Son, who lives and reigns
with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever.*

Amen.

*Collect, Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time,
Roman Missal, 3rd Edition*

Family Perspective

Today we hear about loving our neighbor as ourselves. That seems virtually impossible, but we are reminded in the second reading that we are strengthened by the Spirit, that we should also think about the Spirit helping us and that seems like praying for strength would be a great decision. As we head in to listening to the Gospel of the day from Luke 9, we are challenged as Jesus rebukes (admonish or disciplines) the disciples about their earthly attachments. We often struggle with not wanting to "get rid of" material "things" we cling to the "stuff" we collect and gather rather than taking a moment that when HE is asking us to love our neighbor he wants us to share with others or really walk in another's shoes. He then seems to be reminding us that our earthly dwelling place isn't the end and that we shouldn't look back.

General Intercession

*May the Lord our God guide us to focus on the
kingdom, may we evaluate our material items
and share them with others, and may we be
guided by the Spirit
in all of our ways this week...
Let us pray to the Lord*



Parish Schedule and Mass Intentions

June 25	Saturday: <i>The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>
4:00pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation
5:00pm	Mass (<i>Henry "Hank" B. Pugel</i>)
June 26	Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30am	Mass (<i>People of the Parish</i>)
11:00am	Mass (<i>Kenneth Tackas, SJHS 1966</i>)
June 27	Monday: 13 th Wkdy; <i>St. Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and Doctor of the Church</i>
8:30am	Mass (<i>All Souls</i>)
June 28	Tuesday: <i>St. Irenaeus, Bishop and Martyr</i>
8:30am	Mass (<i>Alfonse Szydlowski, b. 6/28/1924</i>)
June 29	Wednesday: <i>Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles</i>
7:00pm	AA Meeting (<i>Church Hall</i>)
June 30	Thursday: 13 th Wkdy; <i>The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church</i>
8:30am	Mass (<i>Special Intention</i>)
July 1	Friday: 13 th Wkdy; <i>St. Junipero Serra, Priest</i>
8:30am	Mass (<i>Vocations</i>) <i>Avilas Prayers for Vocations</i>
July 2	Saturday: 13 th Weekday in Ordinary Time
4:00pm	Sacrament of Reconciliation
5:00pm	Mass (<i>Kenneth J. Bauza</i>)
July 3	Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30am	Mass (<i>People of the Parish</i>)
11:00am	Mass (<i>August and Eleanor Stuhldreher</i>)

Please pray for ...



Ed Abrams, Ann, Richard Bennett, Terry Balinski, Ruby Beshara, Wayne Beshara, Celia Bican, Logan Boone, Klementino Borja, Susan Bormet, Ben Brandt, Ruth Brunner, Caleb Bruce, Gabrielle Citino, Johanna Conner, Allan Cook, Gary Crowe, Greg Davis, Maribeth Derer, Jody Dagg, Mary Donato, John Dutton, Scott Ensign, Dave Fetty, Susan Foley, Frank, Millie Fritz, Tom Gardner, Chris and Laura Gibbs, James Ging, Evelyn Goris-Trecaso, Marilyn Griffith, Angie Grimes, Jennifer Grimes, Joseph Harding, Dale Harig, Eileen Herrman, Tally Hohman, Tayha Hostetler, Sharon Houska, Alaina Jaegers, Jill, Maureen Joyce, Marca Kaplar, Kay, Evan Kelly, Helen Kracker, Drayden Lavere, Carol Leach, Camryn Leavens, Johnny Levanduski, Karl and Patricia Liebenaurer, Bill and Nancy Lillyman, Paul Marcene, Chelsea Maras, John McDermott, Megan, Melissa, Menke Family, Bill Misencik, John Moore, Connie Morehouse, Majorie Morgan, Ashley Munoz, Antoinette Myers, Natalie, Nate, Jared Newman, Noa, Frank Nicotera, Carroll O'Donnell, Adriana Paddock, John M. Parker, Richard Edward Parker, Penelope, Bridget Perez, Ada Pernici, Michael Phillips, Bruce Pohl, Sandy Posten, Roy Penrod, Rita, Helen Rhuling, Lynn Riley, Eric Rogalski, Aggie Rohan, Bruno Ruppel, Polly Rutledge, Sandy, Rosanne Sanford, Kathy Scott, Steve Sheets, Stefanie, Stephen Sommer, Shirley Southard, Kenny Starr, Amy Stephen, Bruce Styles, Marla Sliwinski, Judy Sustar, Adriana Tadlock, Diane Taninecz, Leona Tesmer, Tommy, Ginny Thompson, Robert Timko, Laura Tories, Marianne, Stephen, Mallory Trecaso, Meghann Trecaso, Paul Trecaso, Loretta Uranker, Thomas Wearsch, Barbara Wright and all need of prayerful support. Requests or changes please call 330-657-2631 or email mosp Noah@windstream.net

Sunday, Jun 26, 2022

Respect your freedom

The Statue of Liberty is the symbol of our nation's reverence for personal freedom. Yet too many of us lose our liberty to substance abuse and other addictive behaviors, including gambling, pornography, overeating, and compulsive consumerism. More subtle than these overt practices are patterns of thinking and feeling we may be losing control over: anxiety, depression, rage, racism. Today is the World Day Against Drug Abuse and Trafficking. Prayerfully reflect on behaviors or emotional states that make you feel less free, and take a step today toward liberty.

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

TODAY'S READINGS: 1 Kings 19:16b, 19-21; Galatians 5:1, 13-18; Luke 9:51-62 (99). *"For freedom Christ set us free; so stand firm and do not submit again to the yoke of slavery."*

Monday, Jun 27, 2022

Everyone needs a mother's love

Saint Cyril of Alexandria died on this day in 444. He is remembered for many things—admittedly not all of them good—as the archbishop of his city, which was at the height of its influence over the Mediterranean world during his time. One of his most enduring legacies was his hard-fought teaching on Mary as the "Mother of God," which created the basis for all other theology about Mary. Saints aren't perfect, and neither was Cyril—the man who helped connect us to a tender, loving mother in Mary also committed acts of violence and injustice. Perhaps his deep flaws illustrate just how much all of us—even saints who champion Mary—need her intercession.

MEMORIAL OF CYRIL OF ALEXANDRIA, BISHOP, DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

TODAY'S READINGS: Amos 2:6-10, 13-16; Matthew 8:18-22 (377). *"Teacher, I will follow you wherever you go."*

Tuesday, Jun 28, 2022

Come alive with faith

For Irenaeus, the Incarnation says as much about the redeemed as it does our Redeemer. Yes, Christian doctrine teaches that Jesus Christ is both fully human and fully divine. And, yes, Irenaeus battled the heresy known as Gnosticism—which emphasized the divine nature of Jesus at the expense of his humanity. But for Irenaeus, the Incarnation also meant that the "glory of God is a human being fully alive." He believed that God became human so that humans might become divine. How will you choose to be "fully alive" today, in order to glorify God?

MEMORIAL OF IRENAEUS, BISHOP, MARTYR

TODAY'S READINGS: Amos 3:1-8; 4:11-12; Matthew 8:23-27 (378). *"The men were amazed and said, 'What sort of man is this?'"*

Wednesday, Jun 29, 2022

Rest in peace

You might think that the two foundational giants of the Christian tradition who share a feast day would have been best buddies, but in fact Peter and Paul had their differences, especially around the question of whether people who weren't Jews needed to observe Jewish Law in order to become followers of Jesus. It is not entirely clear whether they fully reconciled their differences before they were both martyred in Rome (on the same day, tradition says), though it is clear that Paul's position carried the day over time. Perhaps there's a message for today's divided church—we can disagree with one another, even on matters of great importance,

and still rest together in the same great tradition.

SOLEMNITY OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES

TODAY'S READINGS: Day: Acts 12:1-11; 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18; Matthew 16:13-19 (591). *"Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven."*

Thursday, Jun 30, 2022

Keep their memory alive

It is a deeply human act to remember the dead, especially those who died as result of acts of violence. Today's memorial for the First Martyrs of the Church in Rome places the church squarely within this tradition of remembrance. We recall innumerable Christians who were put to death in gruesome ways by the emperor Nero, who blamed Christians for a devastating fire in Rome in the year 64. Nero did not crush the church, and neither has the memory of those early martyrs been erased. Your reading these words keeps alive their memory and their sacrifice.

MEMORIAL OF THE FIRST MARTYRS OF THE CHURCH IN ROME

TODAY'S READINGS: Amos 7:10-17; Matthew 9:1-8 (380). *"He then said to the paralytic, 'Rise, pick up your stretcher, and go home.'"*

Friday, Jul 01, 2022

Mixed legacies

On April 1, 2022, Pope Francis offered an historic apology to Inuit, Métis, and First Nations delegations for the church's role in harming Canadian Indigenous Peoples in Catholic residential schools. This is no small thing to do—for the church or for us individually. It is difficult to admit that we, and members of the church we call our own, have at times harmed others. Yet it is essential to begin the journey of healing. With Pope Francis, let us commit to an honest reevaluation of the church's colonial-era missionary efforts, such as those of Junípero Serra in what is now California. Let us also be aware of our own shortcomings, seeking forgiveness with humility and making meaningful amends wherever possible.

MEMORIAL OF JUNÍPERO SERRA, FRANCISCAN PRIEST

TODAY'S READINGS: Amos 8:4-6, 9-12; Matthew 9:9-13 (381). *"Hear this, you who trample upon the needy and destroy the poor of the land!"*

Saturday, Jul 02, 2022

Woe is me

The Pharisees get a bad rap in the gospels, typically portrayed as Jesus' antagonists, narrow-minded and legalistic, focused on outward ritual rather than inner renewal. And surely there are elements that ring true. At the same time, some of their beliefs were quite compatible with Christianity as it evolved, including the belief in life after death, the resurrection of the body, keeping the Sabbath holy (i.e., Sunday Mass obligation), and the priority to spread the faith. It's easy to see the blind spots and shortcomings of others. Harder to see our own. Are you aware of your own inner Pharisee?

TODAY'S READINGS: Amos 9:11-15; Matthew 9:14-17 (382). *"Why do we and the Pharisees fast much, but your disciples do not fast?"*

Invest just five minutes a day, and your faith will deepen and grow—a day at a time



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Sunday Gospel Activities

13th Sunday in Ordinary Time, June 26, 2022 Name _____

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journey
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God
Jesus
kingdom
Son of Man



**Prayers Requested for
Camryn Leavens...
We Pray to the Lord**

A PILGRIMAGE TO THE LAND OF JESUS September 4 through September 14, 2022 Under the spiritual direction of pilgrimage veterans Fr. Wally Hyclak and Barb Vopat. Pray, sing and celebrate the gift of Jesus' life and death; enjoy personal time for reflection, rest, shopping; meet the people of the Holy Land; return home with a renewed faith and deeper understanding of the Word of God. Come! Journey with us! For more information or questions call Barb at 216.470.4207 or email bvopat@yahoo.com. Request a brochure immediately.


The Rock is excited to announce the following "Holy Rosary" offered by students from St. Ambrose School and Padre Pio Academy weekday afternoons at 3:30 PM following the Divine Mercy Chaplet. "The Bishop Strickland Hour" with Bishop Joseph Strickland of Tyler, Texas and host Terry Barber will air Thursday mornings at 8:00 AM. "The Reason for Our Hope" with Father Larry Richards will air on Friday mornings at 8:00 AM. For more information and a complete schedule of programs, visit www.am1260therock.com or call 216-227-1260.

Urgent Request for Humanitarian Aid
The invasion of Ukraine and resulting humanitarian crisis have already forced over 5 million people – and half the country's children -- to flee their homes, villages and cities. The daily increase of these numbers, and their needs, are staggering. Catholic Relief Services is on the ground in Ukraine and the surrounding countries working with Caritas Ukraine, Caritas Poland, Caritas Romania and Caritas Moldova to respond to those needs. To help go to: <https://support.crs.org/donate/donate-ukraine>. When you give online please make sure that you confirm your donation amount before approving it.

Peter's Pence, June 25-26, 2022
This weekend is the annual Peter's Pence Collection in support of the works of the Holy Father. The proceeds from this collection fund emergency-relief assistance to those throughout the world who suffer from war, oppression, and natural disasters. When we contribute to this fund, we are actively living the truth in love and speaking the truth in deeds. Thank you in advance for your prayers and generosity!

<i>The Weekend of June 19, 2022</i>	
Sunday	1448.00
Monthly	910.00
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**Pope's Intention for June:
For Families**
We pray for Christian families around the world; may they embody and experience unconditional love and advance in holiness in their daily lives.
We pray to the Lord.

**Pope's Intention for July:
For the Elderly**
We pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.
We pray to the Lord.

We need YOUR help!!!
As we plan for our 22nd Annual Diocesan Family FESTival – The FEST – on Sunday, August 7, 2022, we need YOUR help. It takes about 1,000 volunteers to create and staff this inspiring day of faith, family and fun – The FEST. There are three ways you can help:
Volunteer to work at The FEST and/or be part of set up and clean up the days before. All the details can be found at: www.theFEST.us/volunteer
Supporting The FEST raffle to help us keep The FEST free and open to EVERYONE. Go to: www.theFEST.us/raffle
Invite your family, friends, and neighbors to join you on Sunday, August 7 at The FEST. Come during the day for GREAT music and activities and/or join us in the evening for an inspiring outdoor Mass with Bishop Malesic at 8 pm. All of us working and helping together will create a great day of faith, family and fun – all for FREE – at The FEST. For more details go to: www.theFEST.us or call The FEST office at 216.202.3040.

Catholic Renewal Ministries' 39th Annual Conference
All are invited to attend Catholic Renewal Ministries' 39th Annual Conference to be held on Saturday July 16th 2022 at St. Albert the Great Parish Reception Hall, 6667 Wallings Rd., North Royalton. This year's theme is "Rejoice, Pray, Give Thanks". Guest speakers will be Sr. Marie Fidelis from the Disciples of the Lord Jesus Christ Community, Barbara Heil who is a speaker and Missionary Teacher with Renewal Ministries in Ann Arbor, Michigan, and Fr. Bob Franco. Bishop-Elect Michael Woost will be the celebrant for the Vigil Mass, and Matt Fafrak will lead us in contemporary praise music throughout the day and evening. Visit the CRM website: www.crmweb.org or call Sandy at 440-554-8119 for more information and to register. Advance registration postmarked by Wednesday, July 6th, is \$30, and at the door \$35. Come, experience the healing power and gifts of the Holy Spirit.

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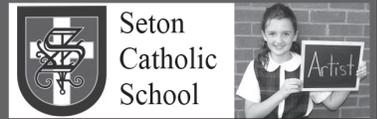
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