



From the Pastor's Desk

On this *Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time* we hear: *The Lord is near to all who call upon him* (Psalm 145:18a). We are called to: *Seek the Lord while he may be found, call to him while he is near* (Isaiah 55:6). What are these passages in this Sunday's scripture readings possibly saying to us? An answer: *be open to appreciating that God's ways are not our ways*. His ways are a generous and merciful Love. *Ways that are to be learned and lived as the means to salvation ... each day of our life. Let us pray ...*

O God, who founded all the commands of your sacred Law upon love of you and of our neighbor, grant that, by keeping your precepts, we may merit to attain eternal life.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Collect, 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Roman Missal, 3rd Edition

The Father Maruskin Council, Knights of Columbus, will be take up a collection after all the Masses this weekend to benefit the Knights' "Measure Up" program. This is a state-wide program and 100% of the money collected goes to help those with developmental disabilities. This year the monies collected by our local Council will be donated to Ardmore Inc. that operates a number of congregate homes in Summit County. *Ardmore takes our donations and places them in a "Social Engagement" fund that gets used to enrich the lives of the residents. During normal times this would encompass such things as trips to various sporting and cultural events as well as activities that can be pursued indoors. Because of the pandemic, activities are currently geared towards trips to the Metroparks with special emphasis on indoor activities centered around activity packets, online Zoom interest groups that played Bingo or virtually visited a farm. Donations also help to cover the cost of extra staffing as needed in conjunction with some of these activities.* Following the Mass, you will have the opportunity to place your donation in a bucket located where you exit from the church. If you attend mass virtually, you still can make a donation by making out a check to "Knights of Columbus", show "Measure Up" in the memo line, and mail it to: Bill Shonk, Treasurer, 3586 Elm Road, Stow OH 44224. Thank you for your generosity. Bob Eikenburg, Grand Knight.

Prayer to Your Guardian Angel

Angel of God, my Guardian dear, to whom His love commits me here, ever this day, be at my side, to light and guard, to rule and guide.
Amen.



Parish Schedule and Mass Intentions

September 19 Sat: *Wkdy (24) Saint Januarius, Bishop, Martyr*
4:00pm Sacrament of Reconciliation
5:00pm Mass (*Rita, Birthday Blessings*)

Sept 20 *The Twenty-Fifth Sunday In Ordinary Time*
Catechetical Sunday

8:30am Mass (*People of the Parish*)
11:00am Mass (*Tom Mott*)

September 21 Monday: *Saint Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist*
8:30am Mass (*All Souls*)

September 22 Tuesday: *Weekday in Ordinary Time (25)*
8:30am Mass (*Rosa DiBlasio*)

September 23 Wed: *St Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest*

September 24 Thursday: *Weekday in Ordinary Time (25)*
8:30am Mass (*Reverend James Masek*)

September 25 Friday: *Weekday in Ordinary Time (25)*
8:30am Mass (*Kelly Friendlander*)

10:30am Funeral Service (*Margaret Joan Lake*)

September 26 Sat: *Wkdy (25) Sts. Cosmas and Damian, Martyrs*
4:00pm Sacrament of Reconciliation
5:00pm Mass (*Dorothy Dzikowski*)

Sept 27 *The Twenty-Sixth Sunday In Ordinary Time*
8:30am Mass (*People of the Parish*)
11:00am Mass (*Special Intention*)

Please pray for ...



Ann, Richard Bennett, Terry Balinski, Ruby Beshara, Wayne Beshara, Celia Bican, Logan Boone, Susan Bormet, Caleb Bruce, Gabrielle Citino, Johanna Conner, Allan Cook, Gary Crowe, Maribeth Derer, John Dutton, Scott Ensign, Frank, Millie Fritz, Tom Gardner, Chris and Laura Gibbs, James Ging, Richard J. Grabowski, Marilyn Griffith, Angie Grimes, Jennifer Grimes, Eileen Herrman, Tayha Hostetler, Sharon Houska, Alaina Jaegers, Ralph Jerome, Jill, Maureen Joyce, Marca Kaplar, Kay, Evan Kelly, Douglas Klubnik, Kenneth Klubnik, Helen Kracker, Drayden Lavere, Carol Leach, Johnny Levanduski, Patricia Liebenaurer, Paul Marcene, John McDermott, Megan, Melissa, Menke Family, Bill Misencik, John Moore, Connie Morehouse, Ashley Munoz, Natalie, Nate, Collin Nemet, Jared Newman, Noa, Carroll O'Donnell, Adriana Padock, Richard Edward Parker, Penelope, Bridget Perez, Michael Phillips, Bruce Pohl, Rita, Helen Rhuling, Lynn Riley, Casey Rogaloski, Eric Rogaloski, Bruno Ruppel, Sandy, Steve Sheets, Stefanie, Stephen Sommer, Shirley Southard, Kenny Starr, Amy Stephen, Bruce Styles, Marla Sliwinski, Adriana Tadlock, Ginny Thompson, Laura Tories, Marianne, Stephen, Mallory Trecaso, Meghann Trecaso, Paul Trecaso, Loretta Uranker, Thomas Wearsch, Patricia Wiatrowski, and all need of prayerful support. Amen.

Requests or changes please call 330-657-2631 or email mospenoh@windstream.net

September 20, 2020
25th Sunday in Ordinary Time



“Take what is yours and go. ...
Are you envious because I am
generous?”

—Matthew 20:14-15

Family Perspectives

Today’s gospel contrasts equality with generosity. Often, we think our worth is measured in what we are paid. But this is false—our true worth is not measured by money or possessions. God is generous to us all. Fairness is an important family value. However, families function better by first promoting generosity and gratitude rather than allowing envy or supporting a preoccupation with keeping score.

Pope’s Intention for September

Respect for the Planet’s Resources
*That the planet’s resources
will not be plundered,
but shared in a just and respectful manner.
Amen.*

General Intercessions

For families that will promote generosity and
gratitude over fairness and envy,
we pray to the Lord.

Catholic Women's Conference Saturday, October 17

Registration for the live-streamed conference is now open and will be \$25. To register, visit the website at www.cleatholicwomen.org. Each registered participant before October 1 will receive a “conference care package” in the mail that includes a beautiful journal/workbook to use throughout the day and a few other special items. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Bernadette Boguski at 216-618-6677 or Jen Ricard at 216-302-8594.

ALL SAINTS CEMETERY – Pre-Planning Seminar

The Catholic Cemeteries Association invites you to attend a 1-hour Pre-Planning Seminar on Saturday, September 26, 2020, at 1 p.m. Learn about your Catholic burial options, including options for cremated remains. Attendees will receive a personal reference guide and special discount coupon. We kindly ask that you RSVP to this event so we can make arrangements for proper social distancing. Attendees are required to wear a facial covering throughout the duration of the seminar.

All Saints Cemetery - 480 W. Highland Rd., Northfield
RSVP 216/641-7575 ext. 5

Scriptures for Week September 20, 2020

Sunday Is 55:6-9 /Phil 1: 20c-24, 27a /Mt 20: 1-16a
Monday Eph 4: 1-7, 11-13 /Mt 9: 9-13
Tuesday Prv 21: 1-6, 10-13 /Lk 8: 19-21
Wednesday Prv 30: 5 – 9 /Lk 9: 1-6
Thursday Eccl 1: 2-11 /Lk 9: 7-9
Friday Eccl 3: 1-11 /Lk 9: 18-22
Saturday Eccl 11: 9-12: 8 /Lk 9: 43b-45
Sunday Ez 18: 25-28 /Phil 2: 1-11 or 2: 1-5 /Mt 21: 28-32



*Read and pray daily
the Scriptures.*

Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are in the Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I long for You in my soul. Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. As though You have already come, I embrace You and unite myself entirely to You; never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.

On YouTube ... Television ... Cable TV

Our parish is streaming the Mass on weekends at 5:00pm Saturday YouTube site is: *Mother of Sorrows Peninsula Ohio*. Our diocese is live streaming a Mass daily at 12 noon on the diocesan website, and the weekend TV Mass is available on the diocesan website at 8am on Sunday. It can also be seen on Fox 8 at WJW at 6 a.m. on Sunday. Those with Cox Cable can view the Mass at 11:30 a.m. Sunday on channel 45.

We are not alone ... the Lord is with us!

Catholic Communication Campaign

Next weekend, September 26-27, 2020, is the collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC). This collection funds communication of the gospel through Catholic social media activities and enriches our faith through podcasts, television, radio, and print media. Thank you in advance for your generosity to this collection and support for this important work. Please note, half of your donation stays in our diocese to support local communication needs. The CCC is how we share our experience of faith, worship, and witness.

Thank you for your mailing in your contributions!!!

Weekend of September 13, 2020

Sunday	1,256.00
Monthly	500.00
Maintenance	245.00
Holy Land (Additional)	40.00

Thank you for your generous support!