

September 8, 2019

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time



MASS INTENTIONS

Sat., Sept. 7 ~ Vigil/23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
 5:30 PM Gussie & Frank Stiano
 Sunday, September 8 ~ 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
 9:30 AM Richard Donnelly
 Monday, September 9
 9:00 AM
 Wednesday, September 11
 9:00 AM
 Friday, September 13
 9:00 AM
 Sat., Sept. 14 ~ Vigil/24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 5:30 PM Tedeusz Pacula, Jack Stasko
 Sunday, Sept. 15 ~ 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 9:30 AM Frances A. Murphy

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat., Sept. 14 ~ Vigil/24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 5:30 PM Colby Zupetz, Trevor Zupetz
 Sunday, Sept. 15 ~ 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 9:30 AM Paul Kura, Peter Kura


MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Sat., Sept. 14 ~ Vigil/24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 5:30 PM Jennifer Zupetz
 Sunday, Sept. 15 ~ 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 9:30 AM Youth & John Drumm

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sat., Sept. 14 ~ Vigil/24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 5:30 PM Brendan Kennedy, Ann Clouse,
 *Joe Herschel
 Sunday, Sept. 15 ~ 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 9:30 AM Barbara Ceriale,
 Rosemary Osborn, *Lisa Dyer

PRAY FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY

 Lt. JG Alexandria Baker (Navy)
 Lt. JG Dylan Bonitz (Navy)
 Chase Bowen (Navy)
 Sarah Bowen (Navy) Juan Gonzalez (Navy)
 Kaila McGowan (Marines)
 David Nguyen (Marines) Joseph Ruize (Navy)
 Warrant Officer 3 Elliott Weidel (Marines)

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Betty Bodendorf, Hank Bodendorf,
 Margaret Ellen Burke, S.C., Bob Cross, Brian Cross,
 Kevin Crowley, Nicole Dawson, Lucy D'Amato,
 Mary Donnelly, Anna Gallo, Joe Gallo, Michael Gallo,
 Carla Glass, Kathleen Harris, Maggie Horne,
 Johanna Luciano, Janet Murphy, Agnes Poole,
 Corey Rometo, Frank Rometo, Helen Ryan, Sadie,
 Frances Salewski, Pam Sibley, Chris Strobl,
 Katylynn Auer Weidel

PRAY FOR THOSE IN NURSING HOMES

Fr. Raymond Bagdonis, O.Carm., Rosella McKane,
 Dorothy Forni Rusch, Virginia Steinbeck, Robert Wise

LOOKING AHEAD

Every Saturday Unless Announced
FOOD PANTRY – 9:00 AM by appointment

Saturday & Sunday, September 7 & 8
“Recovery” Weekend

*sponsored by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health
 Services Administration (SAMHSA)*

Sunday, September 8
 Finance Council Meeting ~ 10:30 AM

Monday, September 9
 Parish Council Meeting ~ 7:00 PM

Tuesday, September 10
 Religious Education Classes ~ 6:30-8:00 PM
Fr. Paul meets with Confirmation Parents

Saturday & Sunday, September 14 & 15
 2nd Collection for Religious Education

Sunday, September 15
 Catechetical Sunday ~ Youth Mass at 9:30 AM
followed by Coffee Hour in the Parish Center

Tuesday, September 17
 Religious Education Classes ~ 6:30-8:00 PM
Fr. Paul meets with Confirmation Parents

Today's Scripture

Wisdom 9:13-18b

Philemon 9-10, 12-17

Luke 14:25-33



*We must leave everything that we have
 in order to gain the world.*

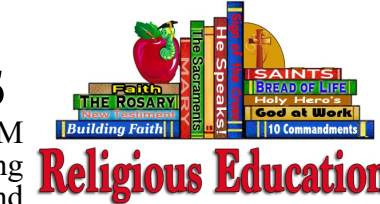
Such is the wisdom of the Gospel. Jesus tells his disciples that they must hate their parents to follow him. This is his way of saying we must love him more than we love others. He must be at the center of our lives.

It is clear that we must be careful how we interpret this saying (lest we interpret literally passages that were intended to be understood in a more symbolic manner).

We know what we are committing ourselves to when we make a decision (such as the decision to follow Jesus). It will sooner or later cost all that we have, but we will acquire more than we ever hoped to receive.

Next Sunday September 15

At next Sunday's 9:30 AM Mass, we will be honoring Catechetical Sunday and will celebrate the first Youth Mass of the new R.E. term. As part of Catechetical Sunday the Catechists will be recognized and blessed. The R.E. students will serve in a variety of capacities at the Mass: greeters, ushers, altar servers, lectors and singers. Following Mass there will be a special coffee hour honoring all Catechists and the R.E. Program, in the Parish Center lower level. Please lend your support by participating in this special event.



Family Pray and Play Day

Family fun and thanksgiving are the themes for this year's Annual Archdiocesan Family Pray and Play Day on Saturday, September 21. The day's events will be held at the Vincent Pallotti Retreat Center at 23 Resident Rd., Monroe, NY from 9:30 AM

to 5:00 PM. The fee is \$15 per family. Hot dogs, snacks and beverages will be available for purchase. Families are welcome to bring a picnic lunch. For more details and registration, contact: nancy.doran@archny.org, or call her at 646-794-2867. Don't miss this opportunity for family fun and thanksgiving!



Project Update

We are pleased to report that pledge payments for the Renew & Rebuild Campaign are being maintained in a

timely manner. Our Lady of the Assumption continues to receive a quarterly distribution reflecting 74% of the total of all monies received during the prior 3-month period. There is currently over \$35,000 available in support of the next capital improvements: (1) rebuild and upgrade drainage around the front/right perimeter of the Parish Center to prevent water from finding its way onto the floor of the Chapel; (2) remove existing railroad ties and build a new perimeter for the Pavilion; (3) replace all carpeting in the Parish Center with tile floors (with the exception of the office).

These projects are slated for completion between this Fall and next Spring. **Thank you to everyone who is maintaining their R&R pledge payments. It's gratefully appreciated!**

Envelopes for 'Snow Birds'

If you are planning on spending a month or more in Florida during the winter months, please let the parish office know as soon as possible. They can arrange for your monthly package of contribution envelopes to be sent directly to your Southern address for most or all of the time you're away, then to your home address again once you come back North. A quick phone call to Beth


*Forget THE DAY'S
 Troubles
 Remember
 the DAY'S
 Blessings*

Texter or a stop in the office will take care of that for you!

Mass Attendance & Receipts

August 31 & September 1, 2019
 Attending Mass: **140**
 Weekend Collection: **\$1,848.00**

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