

September 29, 2019

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

ORDINARY TIME
If we look closely we will be able
to find God in the ordinary of our lives.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat., Sept. 28 ~ Vigil/26th Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:30 PM Jean Powell

Sunday, Sept. 29 ~ 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:30 AM Sandra Schneider, Richard & Frances Trapani/Intentions

Monday, September 30
9:00 AM Thelma Harlow

Wednesday, October 2
9:00 AM Raymond Brady, Sr.

Friday, October 4
9:00 AM Raymond Brady, Jr.

Sat., October 5 ~ Vigil/27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:30 PM

Sunday, October 6 ~ 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:30 AM Fr. Patrick McGuigan, O.Carm., Billy Buckley/healing

GREETERS

Sat., October 5 ~ Vigil/27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:30 PM Tom Dempsey

Sunday, October 6 ~ 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:30 AM Seema Cristallo

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat., October 5 ~ Vigil/27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:30 PM Trevor Zupetz, Colby Zupetz

Sunday, October 6 ~ 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:30 AM Penelope Cook, Paris Cook

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Sat., October 5 ~ Vigil/27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:30 PM Jennifer Zupetz


Sunday, October 6 ~ 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:30 AM Alice Cross

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sat., October 5 ~ Vigil/27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
5:30 PM Joe Herschel, Kathy Fayol, *Brendan Kennedy

Sunday, October 6 ~ 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:30 AM Lisa Dyer, Barbara Ceriale, *Marie Barnett

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

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

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

Tuesday, October 1

Religious Education Classes ~ 6:30-8:00 PM

Friday, October 4

First Friday Holy Hour (for Vocations) ~ 7 PM

Tuesday, October 8

Religious Education Classes ~ 6:30-8:00 PM

Saturday & Sunday, October 12 & 13

Good Counsel Homes at both Masses

Monday, October 14

Parish Council Meeting ~ 7:00 PM

Tuesday, October 15

Religious Education Classes ~ 6:30-8:00 PM
Confirmation Meeting at 7:00 PM

Today's Scripture

Amos 6:1a, 4-7

1 Timothy 6:11-16

Luke 16:19-31

We say that we want to be one with the Lord. We have to live what we say we are.

When asked why there are so many atheists, Pope John Paul XXIII answered that it is our fault. We often fail to be what we say we are. Likewise Gandhi was asked what he thought of the Gospels. He said that they were wonderful, and that someone should try to live them.

If we try to live God's love to the fullest, then we will share in God's glory when we meet him on the Day of the Lord.

Mass Attendance & Receipts

September 21 & 22, 2019

Attending Mass: 159

Weekend's Collection: \$1,839.00



Holy Hour

Please join us this Friday, October 4 at 7:00 PM in the Church for First Friday Holy Hour with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. This month's Holy Hour is dedicated to Vocations in the Carmelite Order.

A Year of Vocations: From October 1, 2019 to October 1, 2020, the Carmelites will sponsor a Year of Vocations, helping people to reflect on the kind of life that God is calling them to live. "The soul's center is God." ~ St. John of the Cross. From the depths of our soul God speaks to us. Is God calling you to grow in holiness as a Carmelite Friar? Contact the Vocation Office at 845-344-2225 or e-mail: vocations@carmelites.com.

Transportation Needed

Two senior ladies are seeking a ride to and from 9:30 AM Sunday Mass each week. If you are able to help on all or some Sundays, please call the church office.

Bring Your Pets!

Fr. Anthony will be blessing animals in the parking lot of Our Lady of Mount Carmel in Mid-dletown on Saturday, October 5 at 9:00 AM. All pets are welcome . . . and hopefully friendly!



When Is Ordinary Time?



Ordinary Time refers to all of those parts of the Catholic Church's liturgical year that aren't included in the major seasons of Advent, Christmas, Lent, and Easter. Ordinary Time thus encompasses two different periods in the Church's calendar, since the Christmas season immediately follows Advent, and the Easter season immediately follows Lent.

About Ordinary Time

Time is called "ordinary" not because it is common but simply because the weeks of Ordinary Time are numbered. The Latin word *ordinalis*, which refers to numbers in a series, stems from the Latin word *ordo*, from which we get the English word *order*. Thus, the numbered weeks of Ordinary Time, in fact, represent the ordered life of the Church — the period in which we live our lives neither in feasting (as in the Christmas and Easter seasons) or in more severe penance (as in Advent and Lent), but in watchfulness and expectation of the Second Coming of Christ.

It's appropriate, therefore, that the Gospel for the Second Sunday of Ordinary Time (which is actually the first Sunday celebrated in Ordinary Time) always features either John the Baptist's acknowledgment of Christ as the Lamb of God or Christ's first miracle — the transformation of water into wine at the wedding at Cana.

Thus for Catholics, Ordinary Time is the part of the year in which Christ, the Lamb of God, walks among us and transforms our lives. There's nothing "ordinary" about that!



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