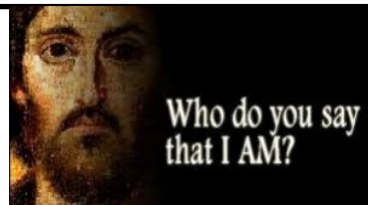




September 12, 2021
24th Sunday in Ordinary Time



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, Sept. 11 ~ 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time/Vigil
5:30 PM Marg Garvila, Joe Marshall/healing
Sunday, September 12 ~ 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:30 AM Helen & Humphrey Brosnan
Monday, September 13
9:00 AM OLA Parish & Parishioners
Wednesday, September 15
9:00 AM
Friday, September 17
9:00 AM
Saturday, Sept. 18 ~ 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time/Vigil
5:30 PM William Thompson, Trudy Gallo
Sunday, September 19 ~ 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:30 AM Bob Cross, Marg Garvila


MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Saturday, Sept. 18 ~ 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time/Vigil
5:30 PM Eileen Ernst
Sunday, September 19 ~ 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:30 AM Eric Halahan

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Saturday, Sept. 18 ~ 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time/Vigil
5:30 PM Lisa Dyer (A), Joe Herschel (C)
Sunday, September 19 ~ 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:30 AM Seema Cristallo (A), Ann Clouse (C)
 (A) Assist on the Altar;
 (C) Serve those unable to come forward plus the Choir

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO SERVE

 Alexandria Baker-Bonitz (Navy)
 Dylan Bonitz (Navy)
 Sarah Bowen (Navy) Juan Gonzalez (Navy)
 Kaila McGowan (Marines) Anthony Pagano (Navy)
 Joseph Ruize (Navy) Carissa Tironi (Army)
 Elliott Weidel (Marines)

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE ILL

Barbara Lu Bedics, Judy Bennett, Sr. Margaret Ellen Burke, Barbara Cerialle, Brian Cross, Nicole Dawson, Mikiann Dowson, Anna Gallo, Joe Gallo, Michael Gallo, Diane Hriniak, Anthony Pagano, Sr., Helen Ryan, Frances Salewski, Sue Schmaus, Pam Sibley, Chris Strobl, Gary Texter, Katylynn Auer Weidel, Elissa Zahn

PRAY FOR THOSE IN NURSING HOMES

Regina Parthesius, Virginia Steinbeck, Robert Wise

LOOKING AHEAD

Helping Hands Food Pantry
Every Saturday by Appointment (9 AM start)
 A.A. ~ Every Sunday ~ 3:00 PM
Sunday, Sept. 12 ~ Finance Council ~ 10:30

Monday, September 13

Parish Council Meeting ~ **6:30 PM**
(First part of the meeting will be a recap of SummerFest. Meeting is open to the Parish.)

Tuesday, September 14

Religious Education Classes Begin
 6:30 to 7:30 PM

Friday, September 17

Mamakating
 Knights of Columbus
 MUM SALE
(See Details at Right)



Saturday, September 18

R.E. Level 7 Rite of Enrollment ~ 11:00 AM
 Commissioning of Catechists at 5:30 PM Mass

THE WORD



Today's Scripture

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

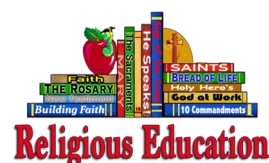
Isaiah 50: 4c-9a
 James 2:14-18
 Mark 8:27-35

Paul speaks of his rejection of all those things that could separate him from the Lord.

As we hear Christ ask the disciples, "Who do you say that I am?", we should remember that the question is also addressed to us. Do we want a powerful miracle worker who will solve all of our problems, or do we want someone who challenges us to love and serve and die to ourselves so that we light live in Him!

Mass Attendance/Collection

Attending Mass September 4 & 5: **114**
 Weekend Collections: **\$3,883.00**



New Term Begins

The new 2021/2022 term for Religious Education begins this Tuesday, September 14, with classes running from 6:30 to 7:30 PM. At 11:00 AM on Saturday, September 18, Level 7 students will make their Rite of Enrollment. "Catechetical Sunday" will take place during the 5:30 PM Mass on September 18, with commissioning of all catechists.

Mamakating KofC Selling Mums

The Mamakating Knights of Columbus will have their annual Mum Sale on Friday, September 17 starting at 9:00 AM, in the open area opposite Bruce's Carpet in Bloomingburg. The sale will continue while quantities last. If sufficient quantities remain at 4:00 PM on Friday, the sale will continue Saturday morning at 9:00 AM until sold out. Questions? Call Joe Herschel at 845-798-0052.



Carmelite Appeal



The 2021 Carmelite Appeal will take place during the Mass on Saturday, September 25 and Sunday, September 26. Our gifts are gratefully used in support of Carmelite programs and services. Thank you for your generosity!



Recap Planned

The Parish Council meeting on September 13 will begin at 6:30 PM — a half hour earlier than usual — to accommodate a review of SummerFest 2021. Parishioners are most welcome to attend.



An Update

OLA parishioners have been extremely diligent in paying their pledges toward the Renew & Rebuild campaign that took place 4 years ago. THANK YOU! Those who took a five-year pay-off have less than a year to go to completion. Your contributions will continue to work until exhausted toward improvements to our physical structures. (Current balance in the account is over \$61,000.) Most recently completed was the sealing and remarking of all parking lots, and a comprehensive repair/replacement of the drainage system surrounding the Father Forrester Parish Center, as well as a new floor and striping for same. A discussion of future projects will take place at the September 13th Parish Council meeting. The meeting is open to the Parish.

JAMES 2:14-18

What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if someone claims to have faith but has no deeds? Can such faith save them? Suppose a brother or a sister is without clothes and daily food. If one of you says to them, "Go in peace; keep warm and well fed," but does nothing about their physical needs, what good is it? In the same way, faith by itself, if it is not accompanied by action, is dead. But someone will say, "You have faith; I have deeds." Show me your faith without deeds, and I will show you my faith by my deeds.

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