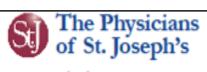


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22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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# **September Overview**

September 1, 2019

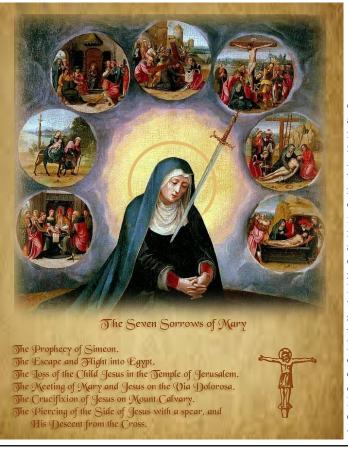
he month of September is dedicated to Our Lady of Sorrows, whose memorial the Church celebrates on September 15. September falls during the liturgical season known as Ordinary Time, which is represented by the liturgical color green.

During September, as in all of Ordinary Time (formerly known as Time After Pentecost), the Liturgy does not focus on one particular mystery of Christ, but views the mystery of Christ in all its aspects. We follow the life of Christ through the Gospels, and focus on the teachings and parables of Jesus and what it means for us to be a follower of Christ. During Ordinary Time we can concentrate more on the saints and imitate their holiness as Christ's followers.

This month the main liturgical feasts are St. Gregory the Great(September 3), St. Peter Claver (September 9), Holy Name of Mary (September 12), St. John Chrysostom (September 13), Exaltation of the Holy Cross (September 14), Sts. Cornelius and Cyprian (September 16), St. Robert Bellarmine (September 17), St. Januarius (September 19), St. Andrew Kim and Companions (September 20), St. Matthew (September 21), Sts. Cosmas and Damian (September 26), St. Pio (September 23), St. Vincent de Paul (September 27), and St. Jerome (September 30).

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The feasts of the Birth of Mary (September 8), Our Lady of Sorrows (September 15), and Sts. Michael, Gabriel and Raphael (September 29) are superseded by the Sunday liturgy.



# Fr. Faber on the Seven Sorrows

od vouchsafed to select the very things about Him which are most incommunicable, and in a most mysteriously real way communicate them to her. See how He had already mixed her up with the eternal designs of creation, making her almost a partial cause and partial model of it. Our Lady's co-operation in the redemption of the world gives us a fresh view of her magnificence. Neither the Immaculate Conception nor the Assumption will give us a higher idea of Mary's exaltation than the title of co-redemptress. Her sorrows were not necessary for the redemption of the world, but in the counsels of God they were inseparable from it. They belong to the integrity of the divine plan. Are not Mary's mysteries Jesus' mysteries, and His mysteries hers? The truth appears to be that all the mysteries of Jesus and Mary were in God's design as one mystery. Jesus Himself was Mary's sorrow, seven times repeated, aggravated sevenfold. During the hours of the Passion, the offering of Jesus and the offering of Mary were tied in one. They kept pace together; they were made of the same materials; they were perfumed with kindred fragrance; they were lighted with the same fire; they were offered with kindred dispositions. The two things were one simultaneous oblation, interwoven each moment through the thickly crowded mysteries of that dread time, unto the eternal Father, out of two sinless hearts, that were the hearts of Son and Mother, for the sins of a guilty world which fell on them contrary to their merits, but according to their own free will. Fr. Frederick Faber, The Foot of the Cross.

# **Save the Date**

The Annual Homecoming Mass and Picnic at St. Bernard Church in Loveberry will be Sunday, October 6. Mass will begin at 3:00 p.m. followed by the picnic at 4:00 p.m. Meat, drinks and paper products will be provided. Please bring a covered dish and enjoy the afternoon. While it is called a homecoming, EVERYONE is invited! If you have never visited St. Bernard Church—here is your chance. You won't be disappointed!

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#### **Parish Office Hours:**

Sunday, 10:30 - 12:30 Monday, 9 - 4 Tuesday, 9 - 4 Wednesday, Noon - 5:00 Thursday, 9 - 1 Friday, 9 - 1

# Prayer Chain:

Micki Snyder, 304 269-3688 or 304 476-8819

#### Weekend Masses:

Saturday, 6:00 p.m., Sunday, 9:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m. (Latin)

# Weekday Masses:

Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri., 8:15 a.m. Wed., 6:00 p.m.

#### Reconciliation:

Wednesday and Saturday, 5:00pm, Sunday, 8:45 & 11:45 a.m.

#### **Eucharistic Adoration:**

Wednesday, 5:00 to 5:45p.m.

(See Weekly Schedule for any changes to times or location!)

# **Bulletin Deadline**

Announcements for the Lewis County Catholic Times must be submitted by 4pm on Tuesday. Email submissions to: secretary@spchurchweston.net.

# Weekly Mass Intentions & Liturgical Calendar

Saturday, August 31, St. Saturday of the Twenty-First **Week in Ordinary Time** 

5:00 p.m. Confessions

6:00 p.m. Mass for People of the Parish

Sunday, September 1, Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary

8:45 a.m. Confessions

9:30 a.m. Mass for †Elaine Sayre by Military Order of the Purple Heart, Chapter 697

11:45 a.m. Confessions

12:30 p.m. (Latin –Twelfth Sunday After Pentecost) Mass for †Domenico and Domenica Commodari by Thomas

Monday, September 2, Monday of the Twenty-Second **Week in Ordinary Time** 

9:30 a.m. Mass for Intentions of the Celebrant

Tuesday, September 3, Saint Gregory the Great, Pope, **Doctor of the Church** 

8:15 a.m. Mass for †Luke White by Mary Fealy McCloud

Wednesday September 4, Wednesday of the Twenty-**Second Week in Ordinary Time** 

5:00 p.m. Confessions

6:00 p.m. Mass for †Margaret Shea by John and Jackie McLaughlin

Thursday, September 5, Thursday of the Twenty-Second Week in Ordinary Time

8:15 a.m. Mass for †Charles and Opal Garton by Deborah K. Garton

Friday, September 6, Friday of the Twenty-Second Week in Ordinary Time

8:15 a.m. Mass for the Students, Faculty and Staff of St. Patrick School

Saturday, September 7, Saturday of the Twenty-Second **Week in Ordinary Time** 

5:00 p.m. Confessions

6:00 p.m. Mass for †John Hogan by Vic Folio

Sunday, September 8, Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary

8:45 a.m. Confessions

9:30 a.m. Mass for People of the Parish

11:45 a.m. Confessions

12:30 p.m. (Latin – Thirteenth Sunday After Pentecost) Mass for †Rev Harold Moore

# Liturgical Calendar for Traditional Latin Mass

St. Stephan of Hungary, King & Confessor 9/3 St. Pius X, Pope & Confessor

9/4 Feria

9/5 St. Lawrence Justinian, Bishop & Confessor 9/6

9/7 Saturday of Our Lady

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

# Scripture Readings

Monday, September 2 1 Thes 4:13-18 Ps 96:1. 3-5, 11-13 Lk 4:16-30

Tuesday, September 3 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11 Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 Lk 4:31-

Wednesday, September 4 Col 1:1-8 Ps 52:10-

11 Lk 4:38-44 **Thursday September 5** 

Col 1:9-14 Ps 98:2-

6 Lk 5:1-11

Friday, September 6 Col 1:15-20 Ps 100:1-5 Lk 5:33-39

Saturday, September 7 Col 1:21-23 Ps 54:3-4, 6, 8 Lk 6:1-5

Sunday, September 8 Wis 9:13-18b Ps 90:3-6, 12-17 Phlm 9-10, 12-17 Lk 14:25-33

# **Mass Intentions**

Having the Holy Sacrifice of Mass offered is more effective than flowers or memorial gifts for your deceased loved ones or as a special intention for a living person or special occasion. Mass Intentions can be placed in a "Mass Intention" envelope and placed in the collection basket or given to the priest or the appropriate person at your parish. Please indicate if the person is living or deceased and the date you would like the Mass to be said. Mass dates are filled on a "first come, first serve" basis.

# Sanctuary Lamp

The Sanctuary Lamp is burning in memory of the Pedrosa/Pascasio family, September 1 - 14. Please keep him and the entire Diocese of Wheeling Charleston in your prayers. If you would like to memorialize the sanctuary lamp in honor/ memory of someone for a two-week period, please call the parish office at 304-269-3048.

# **Prayer List**

# Of your charity, please offer prayers for...

Those who are sick: St. Patrick Church: Rue Thompson (St. Joe's), Frank Angotti, Sam Aman, Nick Bakas, Jean Scott Chase, Paul Derico, Rose Determan, Larry Dodson, Rahlene Elder, Robert Fealy, Theresa Francis, Marsha Garton, Lori Hamrick, Robert Hamilton, Eddie Joe Hines, Ed Hubbs, Matt McLaughlin, Julia Marsh, Philomena Martin, Kathy Moodispaw, Ed and Mary Ann Murray, Susan Murray, Delores Paugh, Raylee Rahming, Mike Riley, Brenda Riley, Shane Rowan, Sheila Sayre, Iris Simons, Kimberly Snyder, Micki Snyder, Dawn Dahmer Stafford, Mary Taylor, Karen Torres

St. Boniface Church: Norma Aman, Anna Crim, Sara Queen, Vicki Radcliff, Rose Anita

Good Shepherd Mission: T. A Corcoran, Jr., Tony Ford, Bonnie Klotz, Bettie Kritzer, Jean Ott, Betty Maddix, Denise Mitchell, Mary Jo Pulcher, Mitch Snider, Ben Timmer, Victims families of the El Paso Shooting

- Those who have died: Jimmy Huffman, May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.
- All Military Personnel: Alan Hamilton, Aaron Hamilton, R. Brody Springer
- Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life
- Former priests and religious of our churches
- Those who are homebound, in assisted living or nursing homes.
- **Bishop Brennan**

# **Ministry Scheduling**

Ministry schedules for October and November will be prepared in mid September. If you know of a date that you | Saturday: will not be able to serve in your ministry, or if you have not | Sunday: been on the schedule but would like to return let me know. We will have ministry training for readers and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion in November.

We still need rosary leaders for before Mass on Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays as well as greeters for School: funeral Masses.

Please email secretary@spchurchweston.net or call 304-269-3048 to be added to the schedule, volunteer and/or give Goal: \$21,345 the dates you are not available.

We will have another altar serving training this fall. This will be for those who could not make the boot camp as well as those who want just want another training session. Please let Sandy know who you are so she can put your name on September 28 & 29: Catholic University the training list.

# Weekly Attendance & Collection

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General: 3770.12 Loan:

2019 Catholic Sharing Appeal:

Progress: \$3466 (08/21/19)

## **Second and Special Collections**

September 8: Diocesan Scholarship

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**

## St. Boniface/Good Shepherd

**Fuesday, September 17, 2019** New Tuesday Mass schedule begins. 5:00 p.m., Eucharistic Adoration Confession 6:00 p.m., Mass

## St. Patrick

Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m., RCIAbegins with Mass

Monday, September 2, 2019 Parish office closed

Tuesday, September 3, 2019 Knights of Columbus meeting, cafeteria

Thursday, September 5, 2019 6:00 p.m., Pastoral Council meeting, parish meeting room

Sunday, September 8, 2019 8:15—9:15. First CCD and Adult Religious Education Class, school Parents, lease bring kids into the cafeteria the first day. We need some paperwork filled out.

# Sunday, September 15, 2019

- CCD for grades K—8 and Adult Religious Education continues
- Teaching Safety Lessons for kids
- 6:00 p.m., DTS resumes, parish meeting room

Monday, September 16, 2019 6:00 p.m., Catholic Daughters meeting, parish meeting room

# Ministry Schedule

**September Funeral Greeters: Call the office to volunteer!** September Wednesday Rosary Leader: Call the office to volunteer!

	Server	Reader	<b>EMHC</b>	Cantor	Rosary	Linens
Saturday, Aug 31, 2019 6:00 PM Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time	Blake Francis Jayna Jerden Marley Riley	Brenda Riley	Larry Bowers Luanne Bowers Pam Thompson	Rudy Pascasio	Margaret Blake	Luanne Bowers
Sunday, Sep 1, 2019 9:30 AM Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time	Malea Clem Brady Jordan Jack Paugh	J. J. Jordan	Steve Corley Betty Hill Becky King	John Collins	Chasity King	Kathy Boyle
Saturday, Sep 7, 2019 6:00 PM Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time	Jayna Jerden Jacob Riffle Ian Riffle	Judy Jerden	J. J. Jordan Barb King Rose Neal	Bob Thompson		
Sunday, Sep 8, 2019 9:30 AM Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time	Jordyn Aman Payton Aman Dylan O'Sullivan	Mary Jane Parker	Marissa Aman Jim Mehr Ethan Mehr	Cindy Scheu	Chasity King	Kathy Boyle

# Schedule Correction

In last weeks bulletin, I ran the schedule for next weekend instead of the schedule for Aug. 31 and Sept. 1. This is the schedule for both weekends.

Please go by the schedule you receive in the mail.

Schedules shown in the bulletin will not reflect substitutions as they are too confusing to keep up with.

# Scenes from the 2nd Annual St. Patrick Parish Carnival























# **Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

he first reading is taken from the Book of Sirach 3:17-18, 20:28-29. In today's reading we have a few more of the words of wisdom on humility from this saintly man who spent his the Chosen People.

The second reading is from St. Paul to the Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24, in which he contrasts two scenes. One is the giving of the Old Covenant, and the other is the assembly of those justified by the New Covenant. The reason why the Church has selected these verses is the same reason that St. Paul had when he wrote them. He wanted to impress on the Jewish converts the superiority of the Christian religion over that of the Old Testament, which they had practiced until their conversion.

The Gospel is from St. Luke 14:1, 7-14, in which Jesus had been invited to dine in the house of a leading Pharisee. The Pharisees were so convinced of their own perfect knowledge and observance of the law, that they thought nobody else could possibly know it or observe it as perfectly as they did. In a very simple parable, Jesus told them where their pride would lead them.

A proud Christian, that is, a proud follower of the humble Christ, is a contradiction in terms. Christ, the Son of God, lowered himself to our level when He took our human nature. He was born in a stable, reared in the obscure village of Nazareth, earned his meager meals as a country carpenter, died on a cross as a malefactor with two thieves as companions and was buried in a God's banquet. Thank God, there are few whose pride leads them to these extremes, but there are far too many who set themselves up as judges over their neighbor and appoint themselves as the models to be imitated by all others.

There is a little demon of pride in each one of us. There is a natural inclination in

each one to esteem ourselves a little better in most ways, if not in all, than our neighbor. We must keep this demon in check and not let him grow in us. Any gifts of mind or body that we have are from God — our duty is to use them properly and to thank God for the loan of them. If He gave greater gifts to another, I thank God for it. That other was able to make better use of them than I would. life meditating on the law of God revealed to I have enough gifts to go on. I shall not be judged on the use or abuse of gifts which I did not receive.

> If I use all the gifts which God gave me, to help my neighbor, the spiritually poor, the lame and blind, to heaven, instead of keeping myself aloof from them as the Pharisees did, then my judgment will be easy. I shall be "repaid in the resurrection of the just."

> The proud Christian sets himself up as a by God. God doesn't know his real friends!

choose the first places, and from their selfhave done more to induce us to listen to his am humble of heart?"

Yet, there are Christians who are proud. Like the Pharisees of old, they thank God that they are not like the rest of men. They shun any contact with sinners. They cover their ears when any scandal is mentioned. Yet they never miss the gossip and are always ready to condemn offhand the unfortunate giver of scandal, without knowing the extenuating circumstances.

- Excerpted from The Sunday Readings Cycle C, Fr. Kevin O' Sullivan, O.F.M.

critic of God's wisdom. He muses: God forgives sinners too easily. God doesn't know them as well as I do. That conversion cannot be trusted, it will not last, he says. The "sinners" prosper, they are blessed with good health, a happy family, more than their share of the world's goods, and here am I who never failed God, who always did what was right and even more, and I am neglected

These are the questionings of a proud soul. Such Christians raise themselves above their neighbors in their own minds. They appointed heights they look down on their fellow guests at stranger's grave. Could He counsel when He said: "Learn of me, for I

# **Commentary for the Readings in** the Extraordinary Form: Twelfth **Sunday after Pentecost**

"A Samaritan (seeing the robbers' victim) was moved with compassion, bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine, and took care of him. And Jesus said, 'Go and do thou also in manner'" (Gospel).

St. Bede suggests that this victim is Adam and the human race robbed by Satan pictured at left). Jesus, our Divine Rescuer (pictured at right), comes to pour "wine and oil" into our "wounds": the "life"-giving Wine of His Precious Blood (PostCommunion), the "cheerful...oil" of all His Sacraments (Communion Verse).

Otherwise, having left the "Jerusalem" of Divine Life, how could we "run without stumbling" (Prayer) lifeless into the Dead Sea next to "Jericho"? "We are not sufficient of ourselves. Our sufficiency is from God." Without Jesus the Ten Commandments would be dead "letters upon stones" (Epistle)

What Christ does for us, we "in like manner" are to do unto others, friend and foe. 'Samaritan-charity" is Christ's own teaching.

Excerpted from My Sunday Missal, Confraternity of the Precious Blood

# Laborers for the Harvest

O Jesus, Good Shepherd, raise up in all parish communities, priests and deacons, religious, consecrated lay people and missionaries according to the needs of the whole world, which You love and want to save.

We entrust to You in a particular way our parish community; create in it the spiritual atmosphere of the first Christians in order that it may be a cenacle of prayer where we lovingly receive the Holy Spirit and His gifts.

Assist our pastors and all consecrated souls. Guide the steps of those who have generously welcomed Your call and prepared themselves for Holy Orders or the profession of the evangelical counsels. Direct Your loving gaze to the many welldisposed young people and invite them to follow You. Help them to understand that only in You they can achieve their fulfillment.

We entrust these great desires of Your Heart to the powerful intercession of Mary, Mother and model of all vocations, and beg You to sustain our faith in the certainty that the Father will listen to what You Yourself have instructed us to ask for.

Amen.

~ Pope John Paul II

# **Attention All High School Students**

The Dead Theologians Society will resume meeting

on Sunday, September 15 at 6:00 p.m. in the parish meeting room at the St. Patrick Church office. The Dead Theologians Society is a national organization that seeks to engage high school students through prayer, catechesis, and social activity that is rooted in the Catholic tradition and based on the Lives of the Saints. DTS meetings are open to all Catholic high school students and are held in the parish meeting room of St. Patrick Church in Weston. For more info, text @dts-weston to 81010.