

# JULY 30, 2006: SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## THE CALENDAR:

### Monday, July 31: St. Ignatius of Loyola

Jeremiah 13:1-11; Matthew 13:31-35

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Nelson Mangen

10-11:30 a.m. Bible Study (Heritage Park)

### Tuesday, August 1: St. Alphonsus Ligouri

Jeremiah 14:17-22; Matthew 13:36-43

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Vitalis & Mary Barga

7:00 p.m. Pastoral Council Meeting (D)

### Wednesday, August 2: Weekday

Jeremiah 15:10. 16-21; Matthew 13:44-46

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Earl & Ruth Marchal

7:00-8:30 p.m. Bible Study (HF)

### Thursday, August 3: Weekday

Jeremiah 18:1-6; Matthew 13:47-53

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): John & Juanita Henry

Exposition after Mass until Benediction (8:30 p.m.)

3:00-4:00; 7:00-8:00 Sacrament of Penance

### Friday, August 4: St. John Mary Vianney

Jeremiah 26:1-9; Matthew 13:54-58

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Margaret & Ed Pohl

### Saturday, August 5: Weekday

Jeremiah 26:11-16, 24; Matthew 14:1-12

1:30 p.m. Stucke/Bergman Wedding (D)

5:00 p.m. Mass (D): L/D of Mangen/O'Reilley Family

### Sunday, August 6: The Transfiguration of the Lord

8:00 a.m. Mass (D): Parishioners

9:30 a.m. Mass (HF): Parishioners

11:00 a.m. Mass (D): Parishioners

## READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

**Sunday:** Daniel sees one like a Son of Man taking his place with God (Daniel 7:9-10 13-14). We celebrate the kingship of the Lord (Psalm 97). We follow facts, not clever stories, about the Lord Jesus (2 Peter 1:16-19). Mark relates the transfiguration of the Lord (Mark 9:2-10).

## BAPTISM

Next pre-baptismal program: Sunday, September 10 at 1:00 p.m. for new or expectant parents. We baptize at Sunday Mass. The next date for baptisms after the 11:00 Mass will be July 30.

## WEDDINGS AND MARRIAGES

**Marriage Encounter**, the weekend of July 28-30, can enhance your marriage. Please call 1-800-547-1251 Code 00.

**Retrouvaille** (French for Rediscovery) can help you save your marriage. Please call 1-800-470-2230 for more information.

## WEDDINGS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Congratulations to Ashley Brand and Matthew Deters who were married here yesterday. Julie Stucke and Jon Bergman will marry at St. Denis next Saturday. Daniel Ahrens and Linda Wakefield plan to marry here on Saturday, August 19.

Barb and John Berger will be celebrating their fiftieth wedding anniversary on August 4. George and Julia Mangen will celebrate sixty years of marriage on August 7. James and Donna Monnier will celebrate twenty-five years of marriage on August 8. Congratulations and best wishes to them and their families.

## PROJECT RACHEL, AFTER ABORTION

The Archdiocese sponsors Project Rachel for healing after abortion. Call 937-492-4449 for more information.

## LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS July 29 & 30, 2006

### 5:00 p.m. Mass (D):

*Ushers:* Group 2; *Lector:* Dennis Mestemaker

*Eucharist:* Peggy Borgerding, Diane Elsas, Jerry Elsas (P) Meghann Heft, Melissa Heft, David Huelskamp, Cheryl Huelskamp, Betty Jutte, Diane Martino, Michael Liette, Katie Mestemaker (C); *Servers:* Marisa Coons, Joanna Cruz, Caitlin Liette

*Gifts:* Dave and Cheryl Huelskamp Family

### 8:00 a.m. (D):

*Ushers:* Group 7; *Lector:* Robert Paulus

*Eucharist:* John Harman, Nicholas Harman, Michael McClurg (P) Mary Ann Gump, Brittany Reed, George Kuether, Erin Keiser, Brittany McMaken, Ryan McMaken, Shirley McMaken, Jennifer Paulus (C); *Servers:* Joshua Paulus, Stephanie McMaken, Matt Stover *Gifts:* Jim and Mary Lou Nerderman

### 9:30 a.m. Mass (HF):

*Ushers:* James Pohlman and Mark Stucke

*Lector:* Joyce Kremer *Eucharist:* Irene Gehret (P) Kari Didier and Urban Gehret (C); *Servers:* Elizabeth & Jay Heitkamp and Alex Dirksen

*Gifts:* Bob and Lisa Mayo Family

### 11:00 a.m. Mass (D):

*Ushers:* Group 12 & 16; *Lector:* Emily Pitsenbarger

*Eucharist:* Bob Goubeaux, Lori Griesdorn, Jean Grieshop (P) Doris Goubeaux, Matt Hileman, Ryan Schlater, Brad Luthman, Marvin Luthman, Betsy Moorman, Ken Moorman, Dale Meier (C); *Servers:* Kristi Luthman, Laura Condon, Danielle Condon

*Gifts:* Kevin Grilliot Family

## VOCATION VEIWS

If you are willing to share what you have, God will multiply your gifts. Imagine how God can use you to nourish a hungry world. Consider being a sister, brother, priest, or deacon.

## WELLNESS TIPS

**Body:** Use skim milk for less calories and fat and more calcium.

**Mind:** Turn off the television and sit down at the table to eat your evening meal. **Spirit:** Sing a spiritual song or hymn.

## FATIMA USA-2006

The Spiritual Center of Maria Stein will honor the Mother of God as The Lady of Fatima Friday evening, August 11, at 7:30 p.m. A living rosary and candlelight procession will follow Mass.

## HISTORY AND BASIC BELIEFS OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Carolyn Stucke offers a course on Church history at Precious Blood Church in Chickasaw on August 2, 16, 23, 30 from 7:00 to 9:30 p.m. At the same time and place, on August 2 and 16, Denise Warnecke will teach a course on the basic beliefs of the Church. Please call 937-498-1192 to register.

## SISTER DOROTHY STANG-A MODERN DAY MARTYR

Sister Elizabeth Bowyer will share with us the life and death of Sister Dorothy on Wednesday, August 16 at 7:00 p.m. in St. Denis church basement. Sister Dorothy grew up in of Dayton and joined the Sisters of Notre Dame. She worked for justice, good stewardship of God's creation and for the poor in Brazil for thirty-seven years. She died in 2005 carrying out her mission. We shall take up a free will offering to defray Sister's travel and help the work of the Sisters of Notre Dame de Namur. Stay for refreshments following her talk.

## FIRST COMMUNION/CONFIRMATION PICTURES

Your first communion and confirmation pictures will be available in the church basement after 11:00 Mass today.

**FATHER DAVE**

Last week I spoke about temperament. When we go against temperament, we have stress. Sometimes we have to go beyond temperament; we cannot avoid all stress. We have to know how to cope with stress and how to recognize bad stress. If the Lord calls us beyond ourselves, we have to go.

Through the Church Christ has called us each into conscious, active and fruitful participation (Vatican Council, *On the Sacred Liturgy*, 11, reinforced by other documents of the Church); we cannot refuse to participate. We can refuse to move more closely to the celebrating community, but we cannot refuse to participate, since Christ calls us to this. What happens if we do not participate? God will continue to love us. Christ will continue to love us. The Church will continue to love us. The pastor will continue to love us. We, however, shall lose by the refusal.

**SILENCE IN THE LITURGY**

We need silence. When we first experienced the changes in the Mass in the early 1970's, I heard complaints that people did not have enough silence in Mass. We need silence. The Liturgy does not consist of only word and activity. It demands silence of us.

Even before the Liturgy starts we need silence. Without the silence we give the indication that we can rush into Mass with no preparation. No more can we do this than an athlete can start a game without warming up. This silence applies to priest and those serving in special roles during Mass as much as it applies to the gathered people. Certainly we can talk in church, but as we get closer to the start of the Mass, the talking should die down so that we can carry out the sacred action of the Mass in a devout and fitting manner.

**ANNULMENT INFORMATION EVENING**

On Tuesday, August 8, 7:30-9:00 p.m., Jean Borgert and Dr. Mary Ehret will have a meeting at St. Charles Center at Carthagena on the Church's teachings on divorce. This evening is an opportune time to deal with the hurting situations of divorce and find out how to apply for an annulment and its cost. Call 937-492-4449.

**VACATION MASS TIMES**

Include Sunday Mass in your vacation plans. You can find Mass times for anywhere in the country by calling 1-410-676-6000 or by visiting [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org) on the internet (Search by city name, zip code or phone number).

**HOLY FAMILY CHURCH NEED A NEW ROOF**

We have looked over the bids for the new roof and we have made our choice. I have written to the Archdiocese for permission to put the new roof on. We shall probably receive permission if we have the money to pay for it. It costs \$12,036 and includes the roof and the painting of the bell frame. If you would like to donate to this project, please send your donation to the office (14 E Wood St) or put it in the Sunday collection marked for the roof by next Sunday.

**CUB SCOUT RELIGIOUS AWARDS**

Quincy Baltes has earned his Light of Christ Emblem and Tyler Bruns, Justin Bruns, Drew Martin and John Barga have earned the Parvuli Dei Emblem for Cub Scouts. We shall award these medals before the 9:30 Mass today. Congratulations to them.

**WELCOME**

We welcome all here, whether longtime residents, newly arrived in the parish or not Catholic, whether interested in the Catholic Church or not. If you have not registered or if you have changed your address, please fill out the form below and put it in the collection basket or mail it to the office.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_



"What good are these for so many?"-- John 6:9

**COLLECTION  
July 23, 2006**

<b>Holy Family (need \$1500):</b>	
Loose (35)	\$ 238.01
Envelopes (46)	\$ 714.00
Total	\$ 952.01
<b>St Denis (need \$6500):</b>	
Loose (157)	\$ 816.65
Envelopes (217)	\$ 3075.00
Total	\$ 3891.65

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**YOUTH MINISTRY**

**Pizza Sales:** There will be pizzas on sale for \$3.00 after all the Masses this weekend.

**Training Christian Leaders:** Training Christian Leaders is a leadership seminar put on by the Office of Youth Ministry. We encourage our current High School Youth Leaders to attend. Contact Mike if you are interested. The dates are August 13-16.

**Junior High Leadership Conference:** Next weekend two junior high youth leaders will be attending the Junior High Summer C.A.M.P. 2006 at Pleasant Vineyard Retreat Center in Camden, Ohio. We have two open spots left for any other junior high youth leaders. Contact Mike if interested.

**High School Youth Leaders:** Our next youth leaders meeting will be tomorrow at 7:00 p.m. in the St. Denis church basement.

**OUTING PLANNED AUGUST 30, 2006**

Tour St. Peter in Chains Cathedral and enjoy a cruise and lunch on the B&B Riverboat. Depart from St. Denis church parking lot at 9:15 a.m. and return around 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 30. Please see the flyers at the entrances to church. Call the office at 526-4945 to register. Deadline to register is August 16.

**A.E.D. REFRESHER TAPES**

We have two tapes in the office for those who are trained to use the AED. You can sign out a tape and review the procedures at your leisure. Please come to the office.

**NEW BEGINNINGS**

We have started to pray together for the success of our parish renewal program, "New Beginnings." Starting the first weekend of August, we will use the hymn "All Are Welcome" on page 627 and pray the parish renewal prayer on the back cover of the *Word and Song 2006* before Mass to ask for God's blessing and the guidance of the Holy Spirit for our renewal program. We shall continue this until the program ends in October.

**GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP**

We invite you to a special ten-week program starting September 19. All sessions will be held on the third Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in the church basement and will encourage journaling as a way to honor and cope with the loss of a loved one. Suggested fee is \$15.00. Call the office by September 1 to register.

**BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING**

There will be blood pressure screening after all the Masses next week in the church basement at St. Denis and the rectory at Holy Family.