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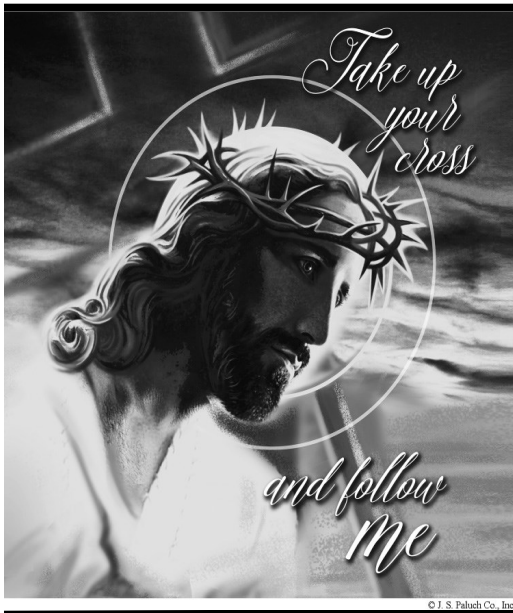
Mass Schedule: Summer Months, Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Winter Months, Saturday: 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 11:00 a.m., & 5:00 p.m.

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## LISTENING AND RESPONDING

There are three interwoven themes in today's readings: listening to God, faith vs. good works, and losing our life in order to find it. How are they related?

The Suffering Servant of Isaiah undergoes much distress and ridicule, but is able to bear it because he has listened to the promptings of God day after day. The psalm tells us that God listens, too. God hears our prayers for help and is always ready to save us. As our faith deepens, so does our desire to do the works of justice and charity that build up the reign of God. God directs our actions in ways we often cannot see, and we don't always see the results. We are called upon in faith to trust that what we do is enough, and that willingness to listen to God's promptings will lead us in the right way.

### TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — The Lord GOD is my help; who will prove me wrong? (Isaiah 50:5-9a).

**Psalm** — I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living (Psalm 116).

**Second Reading** — Faith, if it does not have works, is dead (James 2:14-18).

**Gospel** — Jesus asked his disciples, "Who do you say that I am?" (Mark 8:27-35).

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Ps 40:7-10, 17; Lk 7:1-10  
 Tuesday: 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a; Ps 100:1-5; Lk 7:11-17  
 Wednesday: 1 Cor 12:31 — 13:13; Ps 33:2-5, 12, 22; Lk 7:31-35  
 Thursday: 1 Cor 15:1-11; Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28; Lk 7:36-50  
 Friday: Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-5; Mt 9:9-13  
 Saturday: 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Ps 56:10c-14; Lk 8:4-15  
 Sunday: Wis 2:12, 17-20; Ps 54:3-8; Jas 3:16 — 4:3;  
 Mk 9:30-37

### Events of the Week:

Monday, September 17—	— 8:00 am	Mass in Church
	10:00 am	Prayer Group (Chapel)
Tuesday, September 18—	— 6:30 pm	Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help
	7:00 pm	Mass in Chapel
Wednesday, September 19—	—8:00 am	Mass (Church)
	8:30 am	Bible Study in Parish Hall
	6:00 pm	Summit Scripture Study in Youth Center
Thursday, September 20—	—8:00 am	Mass in Chapel, followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
	5:00 pm	Benediction
Friday, September 21—	—8:30 am	Mass (Church)
Saturday, September 22—	—5:00 pm	Vigil Mass (Confession available 30 minutes before Mass)

**Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**September 16, 2018**

The Lord GOD is my help,  
therefore I am not disgraced.

— Isaiah 50:7



**Pray for a Priest each day:**

*Eternal Father, we lift up to you these Pope, Bishops, Priests, Deacons, & Seminarians. Sanctify them. Heal and guide them. May their lives be pleasing to you.*

**Sun. 16:** Fr. Michael Kelleher

**Mon. 17:** Fr. Fintan Kilmurray and Fr. George Kitchin

**Tues. 18:** Fr. Piotr Kmiecik and Fr. Bartosz Kunat

**Wed. 19:** Fr. Alwin D.R. Kuzandai Sami HGN

**Thurs. 20:** Fr. Richard LaCorte and Fr. George Manchapilly CMI

**Fri. 21:** Fr. Michael Marascalco and Fr. David Milton HGN

**Sat. 22:** Fr. John McBrearty SSJ and Fr. Ryan McCoy

**Prayer List:**

Sandra Angeline, Zebulon Atkins, Phillip Babin, Jr., Caroline Battalora, James Bell, Rusty Bohn, Sr. Anna Louise Bumbera, Fr. Ronnie Calkins, Jamie Ann Canton, Sarah Carboni, Fr. David Carucci, Mary Joyce Cuevas, Marvel Desroche, Betty Dubuisson, Wilma Dubuisson, Lindsey Rogers Fowler, Janet Galen, Mary Gallagher, Alison Grey, Darren Grumme, Catherine Hanson, Chris Hanson, Barbara Hayden, Rogers Hayden, Barbara Henderson, Kenny Hoda, Pat Hoda, John Hodges, Paul Hughes, Sierra Jefferson, Faye Johnson, Chris Keel, Natalie Koenenn, Irma Ladner, Missy Ladner, Pam Ladner, Marlene Logan, Irene Melancon, Lou Miller, Carl Molesworth, Dennis Mottola, Kevin Niolet, David Paysse, Marie Peralta, Beverly Rafferty, Bryce Riordan, Taige Roof, James Senac, Roger Shaw, Melissa Starita, Carolyn Stewart, L.J. St. Pierre, Robert "Rip" Van Court, Cathy Yoeman, Ken Yoeman

**Proper Posture**

It is impossible for the Church to remain on its feet if it doesn't get on its knees.

—Anonymous

*Stewardship of Treasure  
September 9, 2018*

Collection	\$	10,173
Building Fund	\$	393
Cemetery Donations	\$	0
Second Collection	\$	0
Mass Intentions	\$	0
Youth Ministry	\$	0

Direct Debit—Electronic Transfers Forms are available in the back of the church or by calling the office @ 452.4686

**Property for Sale**

Questions regarding the pricing for the lot next to the Chapel on 140 E. Scenic Dr. should be directed to:

[bit.ly/holyfamilyproperty](http://bit.ly/holyfamilyproperty)



Sep. 22-23	5:00 pm Vigil	8:30 am	11:00 am	5:00 pm
<b>Lector</b>	Jo Johns	Clark Brennan	Carl Mayeaux	Harry Hull
<b>EEM</b>	Kim Benigno Courtney Moran Gayle Nolan Charles Nolan Shandie Zimmerman	Megan Bermond Carol Church Jennifer D'Aquilla Shirley Schmidt Lisa Simpson	Connie Jenkins Gayle Parker Sidonie Petagna Liz Shaw	Tiffany Lindmark Jim Riordan Brenda Riordan Joe Spence

**Baptismal Prep**

The next baptismal prep course will be Thursday, September 20th at 5:30 pm in the Church. Both parents are required to attend as well as both godparents. The godparents must be Confirmed, practicing Catholics.

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sun. Sep. 16	7:00 a.m.	ISAVE Chinh
	8:30 a.m.	Beverly Monnin Rory and Googsie Rafferty
	11:00 a.m.	Ralph Christman Judy Wilkinson
	5:00 p.m.	E.A. Lang Family
Mon. Sep. 17	8:00 am	Jim and Patsy Bonner Billy Connick
Tues. Sep. 18 (Chapel)	7:00 p.m.	Johnny Carver James Hoskins, Sr.
Weds. Sep. 19	8:00 a.m.	Barbara Brennan Knost Family
Thurs. Sep. 20 (Chapel)	8:00 am	Kathy Carboni Ian Hebert L.J. and Del Brown
Fri. Sep. 21	8:30 am	Aaron Vrazel
Sat. Sep. 22	5:00 pm Vigil	Mary Catherine Ward Donald DeMetz

### Thursday Adoration

We would like to invite anyone who visits the Sacrament, or is interested in visiting it more often, to please consider becoming a substitute Adorer for times when regular Adorers are unable to make their hour. Please call the office at 228-452-4686.



### Silver Rose Prayer Service

Join the Knights of Columbus as they offer the Silver Rose Prayer Service at the Holy Family Chapel of St. Paul on September 25th at 6:00 p.m. The prayer service will be followed by regular Tuesday night Mass at 7:00 p.m.



### Seafood Fest

*Save the date! Holy Family Seafood Fest will take place on September 28, 29, and 30, so mark your calendars, it will be here before you know it!*

### The Order of Angels and Humanity

*This is a three part lecture given by Fr. Mike Austin every Thursday this month. There are two lectures left. For each lecture day, there will be two sessions offered. One in the afternoon and one in the evening for those who are unable to make the earlier session.*

**September 20– 1:00 pm and 7:00 pm**

**September 27– 1:00 pm and 7:00 pm**

All sessions will take place in the Holy Family Conference Room.