



Rev. Mike Austin, Pastor

Deacon Bill Vrazel

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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There is Spiritual Fruit Hanging All Around Us!



11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Without cost you have received; without cost you are to give.” - Mt 10:6-8

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In the backyard of the house where I live with other priests, there is a lemon tree which produces a huge amount of fruit. One evening in the spring I needed some lemons for a chicken dish. I glanced from the kitchen and saw the tree bursting with large, bright, gorgeous lemons, hanging thick on seemingly every branch. Turning to Fr. Bob (I’ll change his name to protect the innocent) who sat on the couch, I said, “Father, could you pick a few lemons for me?” He said sure and into the backyard he went. He returned a few minutes later empty-handed. “John, there’s no lemons. Sorry.” I said, “What are you talking about?” I looked again and saw the grapefruit tree on the other side of the yard, which had recently been picked clean of fruit. He didn’t see the abundant fruit because he was looking in the wrong place!

Like Fr. Bob, we sadly don’t see the fruit all around us. We think that the culture is spiraling down, young people avoid church, and the future looks bleak. Why go out into the world and work? The world looks like a fruitless tree.

Jesus doesn’t see things that way. This week he tells us, “**The harvest is abundant, but the laborers are few.**” Look again: there is spiritual fruit hanging all around us! The lonely ready to be visited. The sick ready to be healed. The forgotten ready to be remembered. The poor ready to be treated with dignity. The sad ready to be consoled. The young ready for the Gospel. So, let’s ask the Lord to send laborers to get to work. And he will. He might send you and me. Just remember to look at the correct trees.— *Father John Muir*

TODAY’S READINGS

First Reading: “Therefore, if you hearken to my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my special possession, dearer to me than all other people, though all the earth is mine. You shall be to me a kingdom of priests, a holy nation.” (Ex 19:5-6)

Psalms: We are his people: the sheep of his flock. (Ps 100)

Second Reading: Indeed, if, while we were enemies, we were reconciled to God through the death of his Son, how much more, once reconciled, will we be saved by his life. (Rom 5:10)

Gospel: Then he summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits to drive them out and to cure every disease and every illness. (Mt 10:1)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Cor 6:1-10/Ps 98:1, 2b, 3ab, 3cd-4/Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday: 2 Cor 8:1-9/Ps 146:2, 5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a/Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2 Cor 9:6-11/Ps 112:1bc-2, 3-4, 9/Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: 2 Cor 11:1-11/Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 7-8/Mt 6:7-15

Friday: 2 Cor 11:18, 21-30/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 6:19-23

Saturday: Vigil: Jer 1:4-10/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15ab and 17/1 Pt 1:8-12/Lk 1:5-17

Day: Is 49:1-6/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80

Next Sunday: Jer 20:10-13/Ps 69:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35 (14c)/Rom 5:12-15/Mt 10:26-33

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Monday, June 19, 2023 –	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – 8:00 am Mass - Church – 10:00 am Holy Family Parish Prayer Group - Chapel – 5:00 pm – 11:00 pm Adoration - Church – 5:00 – 6:00 pm Reconciliation offered in Church
Tuesday, June 20 –	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – 6:30 pm Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help - Chapel – 7:00 pm Mass - Chapel
Wednesday, June 21–	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – 8:00 am Mass – Church
Thursday, June 22 –	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – 8:00 am Mass - Chapel – 9:00 am – 5:00 pm Adoration until Benediction at 5:00 pm – Chapel
Friday, June 23 –	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – 8:30 am Mass - Church
Saturday, June 24 –	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – 5:00 pm Vigil Mass - Church (Reconciliation offered 30 minutes prior to Mass)

Lord, Hear Our Prayer

Jerri Anderson, Sandra Angeline, Andrew B. Barrett, Jeff Beaver, Kim Beech, James Bell, Tracy Biggs, Rusty Bohn, Dian Bradley, Mike Brown, John Bull, Sister Anna Louise, Bumbera, Josephine C., Fr. Ronnie Calkins, Jamie Ann Canton, Sarah Carboni, Fr. David Carucci, Jerry Casey, Jim Cooke, Mae Mae Cooley, David Corollo, Donna Dantin, Lynn Dantin, Danny Davis, Sr., Jim Dean, Megan Delgado, Marvel Desroche, Dawn Domecq, Jeannie and John Dubuisson, Anne Erickson, Peter Fenn, KimFitzgerald, Janet Galen, Roy and Betty Gamez, Charles Grey, Donnie Haley, Jr., John Hayden, Alan Hoda, Pat Hoda, Fay Hogan, Daniel Huck, Paul Hughes, Sally James, Janet Jefferson, Sierra Jefferson, Connie Jenkins, Faye Johnson, John Knight, Marcus Kaszabowski, Natalie Koenenn, Jill Ladner, Missy Ladner, Pam Ladner, Debbie Lizana, Charlotte Logan, Mark Logan, Marlene Logan, Evelyn Lumpkin, Laura Creel Meadows, Carl Molesworth, Pat Morley, Dennis Mottola, Kevin Niolet, Rita Norman, Joshua Parker, Larry Peterman, Michelle Pisciotta, Bill Redo, Bryce Riordan, Jacob Rivera, Jaxson Rivera, Bev Rogers, Taige Roof, June Rutland, Janet Ryan, Kevin Ryan, Clyde Schepens, William "Scooter", Leah Scott, J2Oames Senac, Rachel Singleton, Melissa Starita, Barbara Swilley, Jim and Michael Trott, Morgan Ulrich, Pat Vial, Anastasia Virvilis, Bill and Mag Wall, Jimmy Wetzels, Tilton White, Becky Wooley, Angie Parker Yonkin,



In Memoriam

Mary "Brenda" Byrne,
Olivia G. Denson, Connie Jean Jenkins,
Albro P. "Bodie" Michell, Richard Paul
"Dickie" Moran, James Gehrkin Riordan,
Sr., Nancy Smith, Carolyn Marie Stewart,
Truong Anh Tu, William Youngblood

Please contact the Parish Office at 228-452-4686 to add or take some off the Holy Family Prayer List. Thank you.

Weekly Operating Report

June 12, 2023

Weekly Operating Credits

Offertory/Collection: \$17,350

Building Fund: \$464

Youth Ministry: \$636

Cemetery: \$5

Masses: \$370

Memorials: \$5

Eucharistic Procession: \$800

Local Charity: \$50

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Forms are available in the back of the
church or by calling the
office at 228-452-4686

Weekly Fixed Expenses

Schools: \$3210

Salaries and Benefits: \$4750

Diocese Support Tax: \$917

Utilities: \$1187.50

Janitorial, Maintenance, Grounds: \$1189.75

Insurance: \$584

TOTAL FIXED WEEKLY EXPENSES: \$13,075.00

"These are just the fixed expenses. There are many areas of ministry that require funding throughout the year (Youth Ministry, Religious Education, Adult Education, Liturgy, Office Supplies). I am publishing this as part of our new financial budgeting system. There will also be a general report quarterly. God Bless!" Fr. Mike

Pray For a Priest Each Day

"O Holy Mother of God, pray for our priests your Son has chosen to serve the Church. Help them, by your intercession, to be holy, zealous, and chaste. Make them models of virtue in the service of God's people. Help them be pious in meditations, efficacious in preaching and zealous in the daily offering of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Help them administer the Sacraments with love and joy. Amen"

Sun., June 18: For Father Sebastian Thekkedath CMI

Mon., June 19: For Fathers Anil Thomas SVD and Truong Q. Trinh

Tue., June 20: For Father Joe Uko

Wed., June 21: For Father Adam Urbaniak

Thur., June 22: For Father Peter Varghese CMI

Fri., June 23: For Father Khoa Phi Vo

Sat., June 24: For Father Marci Wiktor



June 24, 2023
and June 25,
2023

Lectors

5:00 pm - Saturday, 6/24/23

James Benigno

8:30 am - Sunday, 6/25/23

Clark Brennan

11:00 am - Sunday, 6/25/23

Carl Mayeaux

5:00 pm - Sunday,
6/25/23

Jo Whitney Johns

EEMs

Don Frilot, Ursula Frilot and Roger Ridgeway

Michael Burch, Carol Church, Tony Diaz Del Valle, Rodney Malberg and Lisa Simpson

Chad Burge, Joy Burke, Lena Farr, Daren Freeman and Meg Payment

Richard Bohn, Ann Giles and Jo Spence

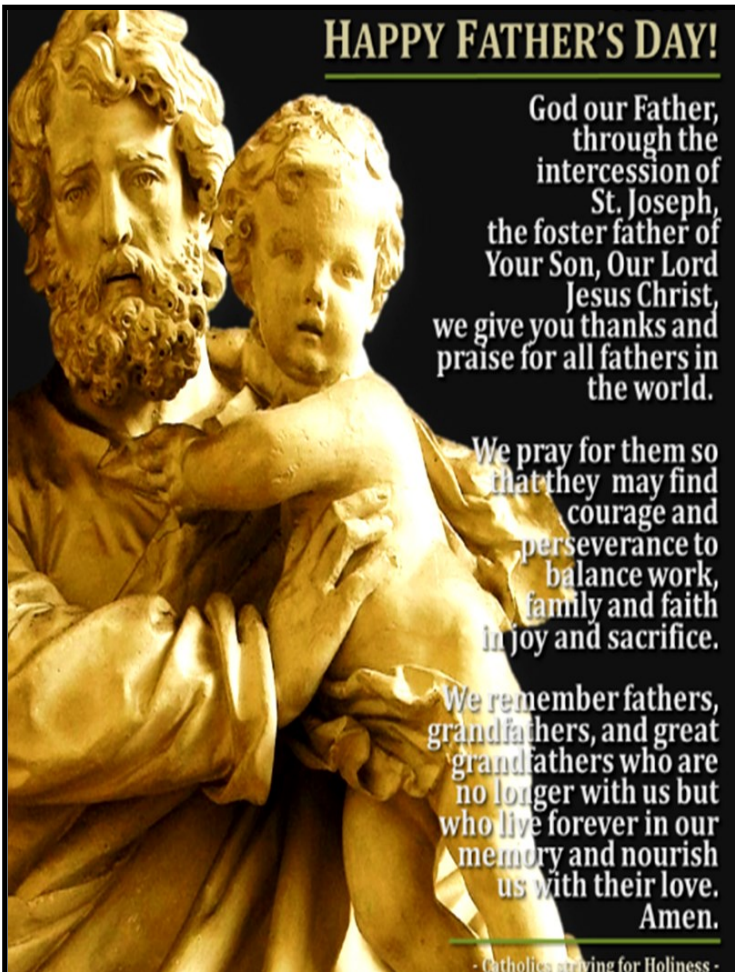
Altar Servers

Gage Garriga, Magdelene Vignes and Molly Vignes

Banks Barrett, Alexander Espinal and Anna Ladner

Elleigh James Burge, Jack Farr and R. J. Sandoz

Lee Baggett, Allie Giles and Evelyn Giles



HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

God our Father,
through the
intercession of
St. Joseph,
the foster father of
Your Son, Our Lord
Jesus Christ,
we give you thanks and
praise for all fathers in
the world.

We pray for them so
that they may find
courage and
perseverance to
balance work,
family and faith
in joy and sacrifice.

We remember fathers,
grandfathers, and great
grandfathers who are
no longer with us but
who live forever in our
memory and nourish
us with their love.
Amen.

- Catholics striving for Holiness -

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, June 17	5:00 pm	† Frank Koppe † Bill Wood Special Intentions for Charlie Whaley
Sunday, June 18	8:30 am	† Edward Reid, Sr. † Bob Mire † Frank and Patricia Schmidt † Herbert Hanson † Ba Ho
	11:00 am	† Bodie Michell † Carol Stewart † Inez Black
	5:00 pm	† Olivia Denson Healing for Bruce Carver
Monday, June 19	8:00 am	
Tuesday, June 20 (Chapel)	7:00 pm	
Wednesday, June 21	8:00 am	
Thursday, June 22 (Chapel)	8:00 am	
Friday, June 23	8:30 am	* † <i>The Repose of the Soul</i>



SUMMER SERIES
HOLY FAMILY PRESENTS
GAME NIGHT OLYMPICS

Holy family Parish will hold a social event, the first Friday of every month.

Friday, July 7th
6:30 pm
SVDP Gym
Games begins at 7:15pm

Please bring an appetizer & Beverage to share!



Everyone one is invited.
Please prayerfully consider coming and enjoying fellowship



Pastor's Message



From Rev. Rofinus Jas,
Pastor at Our Mother of Mercy
Catholic Church

We were so happy to be a part of the
Eucharistic Procession Team and can't
wait until the next one!

What a day filled with the Holy Spirit!

My deepest gratitude to everyone at
Holy Family and St. Thomas.

— Father Jas

Father Jas & SVD
Laité Missionary of
Our Mother of Mercy
Catholic Church
Invites you to a



HEALING MASS SERVICE

Friday, July 21st at 5:00 pm
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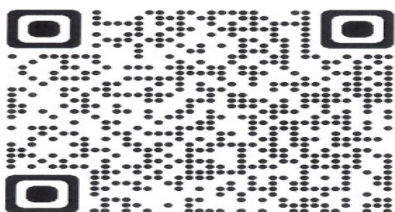
*Please bring your friends and those
who need special prayers in this
powerful evening of healing and prayer.*



HOLY FAMILY PARISH OFFICE will be **CLOSED** Monday &
Tuesday, **July 3rd and 4th** in observation of
Independence Day. There will be **NO MASS** at St. Paul
Chapel on **Tuesday, July 4th.**



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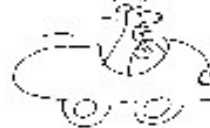


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