



For the One who carved the islands / has come to live among us,
And this is the house He has chosen, / St. Mary Star of the Sea. — Anne Porter



GREETERS AND SERVERS—SEPT. 14/15, 2019

REMINDER: Servers and Greeters, not Parish staff, are responsible for finding a substitute once a schedule is disseminated. Thanks.

ALTAR SERVERS

SAT. 5:30 pm: Ed Carder
SUN. 8:30 am: Isaac and Samuel Johnson
SUN. 11:00 am: Maggie Anderson and Dominic Sabo

GREETERS

SAT. 5:30 pm: Rita Beebe and Grandchild
SUN. 8:30 am: Linda Kauzlarich and Nenita Chvilicek
SUN. 11:00 am: Mark Ortmeier and Sharon Sofie

LECTORS/EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

SAT. 5:30 pm: Kim Hammers/Nancy Blume and Susan Gomez
SUN. 8:30 am: Angel Duran/Lucero Figueuroa and Blanca Sanchez
SUN. 11:00 am: Carol Kenyon/Marian Meany

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 5:30 PM: For the repose of the soul of **Joe Sebastian, the nephew of Jackie and Victor Petricka**, as requested by Jackie and Victor Petricka.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 8:30 AM: For the special intentions of the **Hispanic Community of St. Mary Star of the Sea**.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 11:00 AM: For **Deacon Bill Swanson for his special intentions**, as requested by Liz Sabo.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 12:05 PM: For the special intentions of the **living members of St. Mary Star of the Sea Ladies Guild**.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 6:30 PM: For the repose of the soul of **Teresa Neyra and comfort of her family**, as requested by the Bereavement Support Ministry.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 12:05 PM: For the repose of the soul of **Raymond Heffernan and comfort of his family**, as requested by the Bereavement Support Ministry.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 12:05 PM: For the repose of the soul of **Father Raymond Heffernan**, as requested by Judy Atkinson.

Readings for the Week...

MONDAY Colossians 1:24-2:3 Psalms 62:6-7, 9 Luke 6:6-11	TUESDAY Colossians 2:6-15 Psalms 145:1-2, 8-11 Luke 6:12-19	WEDNESDAY: Colossians 3:1-11 Psalms 145:2-3, 10-13 Luke 6:20-26	THURSDAY Galatians 4:4-7 Luke 1:46-55 Luke 1:39-57	Friday 1 Timothy 1:1-2, 12-14 Psalms 16:1-2, 5, 7-8, 11 Luke 6:39-42	SATURDAY: Numbers 21:4-9 Psalms 78:1-2, 34-38 Philippians 2:6-11 John 3:13-17	SUNDAY Exodus 32:7-11, 13-14 Psalms 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19 1 Timothy 1:12-17 Luke 15:1-32
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WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

11:30 am: CONFESSIONS
12:05 pm: Mass
1:00 pm: Ladies Guild Meeting--Hall
3:00 pm: Chaplet of Divine Mercy--Church
6:30 pm: Rainshadow--Hall

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

12:05 pm: COMMUNION SERVICE
3:00 pm: Chaplet of Divine Mercy--Church
6:00 pm: Choir Practice--Church

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

3:00 pm: Chaplet of Divine Mercy--Church
6:00 am: CONFESSIONS
6:30 pm: Mass

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

11:30 am: CONFESSIONS
12:05 pm: Mass
1:00 pm: Saint Vincent De Paul Society Meeting--Hall
3:00 pm: Chaplet of Divine Mercy--Church
6:30 pm: Knights of Columbus Meeting--Hall

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

11:30 am: CONFESSIONS
12:05 pm: Mass
1:00 pm-Midnight: Adoration
3:00 pm: Chaplet of Divine Mercy--Church

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

**THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS
CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT
COLLECTION**

Midnight-9:00 am: Adoration
8:30 am: CONFESSIONS
9:00 am: Daily MASS
12:00 Noon: Funeral for Teresa (Jane) Neyra--Church
4:30 pm: CONFESSIONS
5:30 pm: Mass

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

**CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT
COLLECTION**

8:30 am: Spanish Mass (CONFESS. 30 min. prior)
9:30 am: RE Classes-as assigned
9:30 am: Youth Choir (RE)
9:50 am: Altar Server Training (RE)
11:00 am: English Mass (CONFESS. 30 min. prior)
12:30 pm: Pax Christi Meeting--Rm. 6
12:45 pm: Theology Kettle--Hall
5:30 pm: PT Chorus--Hall



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Catholic Church**

Father Peter Adoko-Enchill

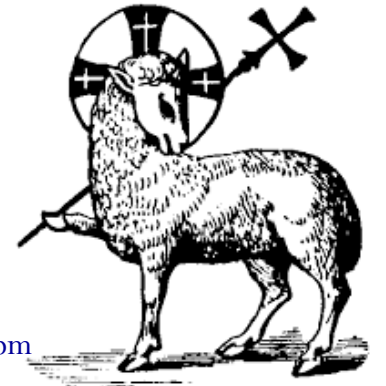
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Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time, September 7/8, 2019



FUNERAL FOR TERESA (JANE) NEYRA

The funeral for Teresa (Jane) Neyra will be celebrated on Saturday, September 14, at 12:00 Noon in the

church. The funeral will be preceded by the rosary at 11:30 am. May she rejoice in Your kingdom, Dear Lord, where all her tears are turned into gladness.

--REMINDER--

Orientation for 2019-2020 youth and children's Religious Education classes is this Sunday, September 8, from 9:30-10:45 am in the Hall. All parents with students must attend this orientation session.



AS SCHOOL STARTS AGAIN

We ask God's blessings for all of our students as they begin the new school year. May you all receive God's abundant graces and may He open your eyes to the many exciting opportunities that this new school year brings you.

Especially, we welcome back our religious education students as your classes begin. Learning about God and our Catholic Faith are two of the greatest gifts that you will receive in life. A special note of greeting to our confirmation students as you prepare for reception of this important sacrament.



AS SUMMER ENDS AND FALL BEGINS

As summer draws to a close we look back

on the fun, sun and many great activities of our Parish. Changing the weekend Mass times was a particular accomplishment along with the weddings, the funerals and all so many other endeavors. Thanks to you all for your help with all the summer's work to make our Parish our true faith home. Now let's take a special moment to thank God for his abundant gifts in the past and ask for His guidance in the fall to come as well as our Blessed Mother's blessings for all the work ahead.



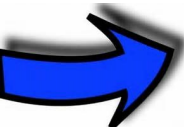
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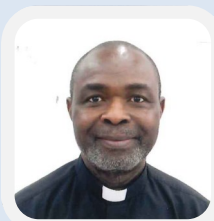
CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT COLLECTION

A collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development will be taken up at all Masses on September 14/15. The CCHD address the root causes of poverty in America through promotion and support of community-controlled, self-help organizations and transformative education. Know that you are giving those on the margins a hand up, not a hand out.

"OUR MISSION IS TO..."

**CELEBRATE GOD'S PRESENCE IN OUR MIDST BY MASS, SACRAMENTS, AND PRAYER;
LIVE CHRIST'S LOVE BY SERVING OTHERS, ESPECIALLY THE POOR, NEGLECTED, AND SUFFERING;
GROW IN THE TRUTHS AND VALUES OF OUR CATHOLIC TRADITION, TEACH THEM TO OUR CHILDREN,
AND PROCLAIM THEM TO THOSE WHO DO NOT KNOW THEM."**





THE CATECHISM OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Thanksgiving and Praise to the Father

1359 The Eucharist, the sacrament of our salvation accomplished by Christ on the cross, is also a sacrifice of praise in thanksgiving for the work of creation. In the Eucharistic sacrifice the whole of creation loved by God is presented to the Father through the death and the Resurrection of Christ. Christ the Church can offer the sacrifice of praise in thanksgiving for all that God has made good, beautiful, and just in creation and in humanity.

1360 The Eucharist is a sacrifice of thanksgiving to the Father, a blessing by which the Church expresses her gratitude to God for all his benefits, for all that he has accomplished through creation, redemption, and sanctification. Eucharist means first of all "thanksgiving."

1361 The Eucharist is also the sacrifice of praise by which the Church sings the glory of God in the name of all creation. This sacrifice of praise is possible only through Christ: he unites the faithful to his person, to his praise, and to his intercession, so that the sacrifice of praise to the Father is offered *through* Christ and *with* him, to be accepted *in* him.

CATECISMO DE LA IGLESIA CATOLICA

La acción de gracias y la alabanza al Padre

1359 La Eucaristía, sacramento de nuestra salvación realizada por Cristo en la cruz, es también un sacrificio de alabanza en acción de gracias por la obra de la creación. En el Sacrificio Eucarístico, toda la creación amada por Dios es presentada al Padre a través de la muerte y resurrección de Cristo. Por Cristo, la Iglesia puede ofrecer el sacrificio de alabanza en acción de gracias por todo lo que Dios ha hecho de bueno, de bello y de justo en la creación y en la humanidad.

1360 La Eucaristía es un sacrificio de acción de gracias al Padre, una bendición por la cual la Iglesia expresa su reconocimiento a Dios por todos sus beneficios, por todo lo que ha realizado mediante la creación, la redención y la santificación. "Eucaristía" significa, ante todo, acción de gracias.

1361 La Eucaristía es también el sacrificio de alabanza por medio del cual la Iglesia canta la gloria de Dios en nombre de toda la creación. Este sacrificio de alabanza sólo es posible a través de Cristo: Él une los fieles a su persona, a su alabanza y a su intercesión, de manera que el sacrificio de alabanza al Padre es ofrecido por Cristo y con Cristo para ser aceptado en él.

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE**

SATURDAY VIGIL IN ENGLISH	5:30 pm
DOMINGO MISA EN ESPAÑOL	8:30 am
SUNDAY MASS IN ENGLISH	11:00 am
MONDAY	12:05 pm
TUESDAY ** COMMUNION SERVICE	12:05 pm
WEDNESDAY	6:30 pm
THURSDAY	12:05 pm
FRIDAY	12:05 pm

(CONFESSIONS 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO EACH MASS)

**Mass times are subject to change during the year. Please consult the Weekly Calendar on the last page of this bulletin for the specific schedule of Masses for the week.



ADORATION THIS FRIDAY

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament this coming Friday, September 13, will be from 1:00 pm Friday afternoon until 9:00 am on Saturday morning. All are welcome to attend.



ROSARY MAKERS MEETING

St. Mary's Rosary Makers will resume their good work Monday, September 16, at 1:00 pm in the Hall. This friendly group makes rosaries for our parish, our region and the world. Plan to join in.



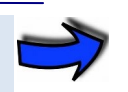
THE PRAYER TEAM IS AVAILABLE

The Prayer Team is available to pray with people at 12:30 pm, in the Chapel after the 11:00 am Mass this Sunday. Please wait in the pew in front of Our Lady's statue and they will come for you.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Week of 9/1/2019
Week #9
Week / Semana

Actual / Colecta Real	\$ 7,266.61
Budgeted / Presupuesto	\$ 6,902.15
	\$ 364.46
Year to Date / Año Corrido	
Actual Collection / Colecta Real	\$ 53,993.86
Budgeted / Presupuesto	\$ 62,119.35
	<\$ 8,125.49>



THE THEOLOGY KETTLE HAS BEGUN

The Theology Kettle this fall will gather on Sunday afternoons, 12:45 pm, in the Social

Hall. The **NEW** topic for discussion will be, 'The Victory of Christ: Exploring the Book of Revelation.'



THE MOST HOLY NAME OF MARY
Feast Day
September 12

The feast of the **Most Holy Name of Mary** began in Spain however it came to world attention when in 1683, John Sobieski, king of Poland, brought an army to the outskirts of Vienna to

stop the advance of invading Turkish armies. After Sobieski entrusted himself to the Blessed Virgin Mary, he and his soldiers were victorious. Pope Innocent XI then extended this feast to the entire Church to commemorate this victory at the Battle of Vienna in 1683. *The Holy Name of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a day on which the inexpressible love of the Mother of God for her Holy Child is recalled, and the eyes of the faithful are directed to the figure of the Mother of the Redeemer, for them to invoke with devotion.* Mary always points us to God, reminding us of God's infinite goodness. She helps us to open our hearts to God's ways, wherever those may lead us. Honored under the title "Queen of Peace," Mary encourages us to cooperate with Jesus in building a peace based on justice, a peace that respects the fundamental human rights of all peoples. One of the local traditions surrounding the development of the croissant holds that the day was commemorated in Vienna by the creation of a new kind of pastry shaped in the form of a half-moon from the crest on the Turkish flag.



THE RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION (RCIA) WILL START SEPTEMBER 18

For those interested in becoming Catholic/receiving the Sacraments, register for RCIA classes which will begin on September 18. Questions? Contact Liz Sabo at lsabo@stmaryss.com or through the Parish Office at 360-385-3700.



PAX CHRISTI MEETING

Pax Christi will meet **NEXT** Sunday, September 15, at 12:30 pm, in Classroom #6. All are welcome to join in the discussion. Pax Christi International is a global Catholic peace movement working worldwide to transform a world shaken by violence, terrorism, deepening inequalities, and global insecurity through establishment of world peace, respect for human rights and justice and reconciliation.



LADIES GUILD MEETING THIS MONDAY

The Ladies Guild will meet on Monday, September 9, at 1:00 pm in the Hall. All ladies of the Parish are welcome to attend.

THE LADIES GUILD MEMBERS WILL SPEAK AT ALL MASSES NEXT WEEKED

The women in our lives have helped shape us and ground us in our faith. The women of the Ladies Guild continue this work by serving and enhancing our parish community in many ways. Representatives of the Ladies Guild will be available in the Narthex after the Masses to answer any questions you may have regarding their ministry and its good works.



THE SHELTER NEEDS YOU!

Kim Hammers is stepping down at the end of this shelter year in March 2020. We are hoping to recruit a new Homeless Shelter Coordinator for St. Mary's for the 2020-2021 season. Ideally, such a person could shadow Kim for this upcoming season beginning in October. If this might be a calling for you at this time in your life you will be surrounded by assured blessings and graces from this experience. Please contact Kim at kimhammers53@gmail.com or call 360-531-0971 for an up close and personal view of the best opportunity in town!