



## NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

2019

### Sunday, August 11 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 BW Special Intentions of the Parishioners & Friends of St. Rose

10:30 DE Frances Cucci from Marion Weber

12:00 DE Jim Lang from Margaret Joering

### Monday, August 12

*Saint Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious*

12:10 Purgatorial Society

### Tuesday, August 13

*Saints Pontian, Pope, and Hippolytus, Priest, Martyr*

12:10 Sam Hamilton from the Three Daughters

### Wednesday, August 14

*Saint Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr*

12:10 Special Intention of Adele Wilhelm

7:00 BW Michael Saylor from Bill and Jane Stacey & Tina Colvin

### Thursday, August 15

*The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

8:00 BW Gregory Lee Prangley from Bob and Kathleen Prangley

12:10 BW William Earls from Paul Christensen and Lucy Davis

### Friday, August 16

*Saint Stephen of Hungary*

12:10 Frances Cucci from Christine Ryan

### Saturday, August 17

12:10 Paul Raymer from Carol and Larry

**BW** 7:00 Diane Zuk from the Zuk Family

### Sunday, August 18 Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 DE Special Intentions of the Parishioners & Friends of St. Rose

10:30 BW Dick Sayre from the Charles Family

12:00 BW Sally Saylor from Bill and Jane Stacey

## From the Pastor's Desk

In the charity of your prayers please pray for the soul of **Barbara McCarthy Rielly** whose funeral was last Saturday, August 10th, here at St. Rose Church.

CCD starts **September 15** for kindergarten thru 8th grades. Registration will be that morning at 9:00 a.m. Classes are every **Sunday** from 9:15 to 10:15. Any questions please contact Debbie Wesselman at [wesselmandmma@aol.com](mailto:wesselmandmma@aol.com) or 513-703-8229.

*Save the Date for St. Rose Picnic September 8th from 5-7 PM.*

## St. Rose Church Golf Outing August 25, 2019

California Golf Course (5924 Kellogg Avenue) 4 Person Scramble

Foursomes and individuals welcome.

Golf and Dinner \$85.00, Golf Only \$60.00

Dinner and Cocktails Only starting at 6:00 PM \$25.00

Tee Times starting at 12:30. Skill Prizes and First Place Team Award

**A fun time for all.**

**August 15th, The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a holy day of obligation. Masses are as follows: August 14th 7PM August 15th 8:00 and 12:10 PM.**

## RCIA

*Do you know anyone who would like to learn about the faith and the Church. Our RCIA is starting the end of September on the 21st. The classes are approximately one hour meetings at 10:00 A.M. You can call Fr. Barry for more details and the schedule.*

The Little Sisters of the Poor will be present at all the Masses today seeking your assistance in their ministry. For the past 150 years, the Sisters have been offering the needy elderly of the tri-state, a home where they are welcomed as Christ, cared for as family, and accompanied with dignity until God calls them to himself. The Sisters depend on our support to meet the needs of their poor elderly. Your generosity will be appreciated.

For more information visit their website at [www.littlesistersofthepoorcincinnati.org](http://www.littlesistersofthepoorcincinnati.org).

## **“SOLDIERS OF THE CROSS: CATHOLIC PRIEST AND SISTERS IN THE CIVIL WAR”**

Dr. William Kurtz of the University of Virginia and Fr. David Endres of the Athenaeum of Ohio will discuss the recently-published book *Soldiers of the Cross*—an account of the long-forgotten service of Catholic priest chaplains and sister nurses in the Civil War—on Monday, Sept. 16 at 7:30 p.m. in the Bartlett Center, Athenaeum of Ohio, 6616 Beechmont Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio 45230. The event is free and open to the public.

Lectors/Lay Distributors for August 17th and August 18th

7:00 Joe Christmann, M. Luehrmann, F. McCune, W. Russ, L. Solimine

8:30 Jon Hemmer, Matt Howland, Tom Perrino, Tim Smullen, Lenny Diaspro

10:30 Roland Becker, Rich Creighton, Bob Sheil, Joseph Sonnefeld, Jerry McCabe

12:00 Patrick Homan, Matt Scheitering, Shawn Gillete

**Rev. Barry Windholtz**

*Pastor*

## This Weekend's Hymns

*All hymns can be found in the Seasonal Missalette.*

Opening Hymn: #356

Communion #233

Closing Hymn: #347

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### Opening Prayer

Almighty ever-living God,  
whom, taught by the Holy Spirit,  
we dare to call our Father,  
bring, we pray, to perfection in our hearts  
the spirit of adoption as your sons and daughters,  
that we may merit to enter into the inheritance  
which you have promised.  
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,  
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

### Reflecting on Living the Gospel

As we continue our Ordinary Time journey with Jesus to Jerusalem we hear more parables and teachings, laden with ancient imagery. The expression, "Gird your loins," has the sense of "brace yourself." It literally means something like, "tighten your pants." That image, coupled with "light your lamps" and "be like servants who await their master's return," and even "recline at table," tells us we are in the ancient world. But despite these images and the imaginary cultural bridge we must cross, we can certainly gain a sense of what is meant by these teachings. Some simply prefer to focus on the line, "be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, / the Son of Man will come," shedding all ancient and other imagery.

When we reduce the teaching to this essential element, it becomes easier to grasp the message. The exhortation to be prepared applies to each of us as we do not know the time, place, or date of our personal end. In other words, we don't know when we will die. It might be more exciting to ponder the end of the world, but it is far more likely that we will not be around for that event. We should be prepared spiritually for our own personal end.

This might not be such a happy or pleasant message on an August weekend in the midst of Ordinary Time. But perhaps this is a good time to hear it. When summer plans are winding down and attention is turning to the start of the school year, we ask ourselves if we are ready for the coming of the Son of Man. Or, are we deluding ourselves in thinking that day will never come? When it does, it comes like a thief in the night. Brace yourself!

### Closing Prayer

Jesus, Son of Man, you will come like a thief in the night, at a time we know not. May we be prepared for your arrival, having placed our priorities in line with yours. Inspire us with your values rather than the values of the world, so that we may be found ready for your coming, whenever that might be. We ask this in your name. Amen.



#### For Reflection:

• Jesus tells us, "Gird your loins and light your lamps." How might we spiritually respond to these commands?

#### Suggestions for group and individual use:

1. Pray aloud the "Opening Prayer" (in *The Roman Missal* called the "collect").
2. One person read aloud the gospel.
3. Each read prayerfully "Reflecting on Living the Gospel" and spend some time in personal prayer.
4. Share together responses to "For Reflection."
5. Pray the "Closing Prayer."

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### Gospel Luke 12:32-48 (or Luke 12:35-40)

(Citation adapted for length. For full text, see your Bible.)

Jesus said to his disciples:

"Do not be afraid any longer, little flock,  
for your Father is pleased to give you the kingdom.  
Sell your belongings and give alms.  
Provide money bags for yourselves that do not  
wear out,  
an inexhaustible treasure in heaven  
that no thief can reach nor moth destroy.  
For where your treasure is, there also will your  
heart be. . . .

"[B]e like servants who await their master's  
return from a wedding,  
ready to open immediately when he comes  
and knocks.

Blessed are those servants  
whom the master finds vigilant on his arrival.  
Amen, I say to you, he will gird himself,  
have them recline at table, and proceed to wait  
on them. . . .

Be sure of this:  
if the master of the house had known the hour  
when the thief was coming,  
he would not have let his house be broken into.  
You must be prepared, for at an hour you do not  
expect,  
the Son of Man will come."

Then Peter said,  
"Lord, is this parable meant for us or for everyone?"  
And the Lord replied,  
"Who, then, is the faithful and prudent steward  
whom the master will put in charge of his  
servants  
to distribute the food allowance at the proper time?"



Blessed is that servant whom his master on  
arrival finds doing so.  
Truly, I say to you, the master will put the  
servant  
in charge of all his property.  
But if that servant says to himself,  
'My master is delayed in coming,'  
and begins to beat the [other servants],  
to eat and drink and get drunk,  
then that servant's master will come  
on an unexpected day and at an unknown  
hour  
and will punish the servant severely. . . .  
Much will be required of the person entrusted  
with much,  
and still more will be demanded of the  
person entrusted with more."

### Readings for the week:

19th Sunday in Ord. Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday Assumption	Friday	Saturday	20th Sunday in Ord. Time
Wis 18:6-9	Deut 30:12-22	Deut 31:1-8	Deut 34:1-12	Rev 11:19c	Josh 24:1-15	Josh 24:14-29	Jer 38:4-6, 8-10
Ps 33:1, 12, 18-19, 20-22	Ps 147:12-19, 14-15, 19-20	Deut 32:3-4ab, 7, 8, 9 and 12	Ps 65:1-5a, 5 and 8, 16-17	12:1-6a, 10ab	Ps 135:1-3, 16-18, 21-22 and 24	Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 11	Ps 40:2, 3, 4, 18
Hab 11:1-2, 8-19 or Hab 11:1-2, 8-12	Matt 17:22-27	Matt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14	Matt 15:15-20	Ps 43:10, 11, 12, 16	Matt 19:3-12	Matt 19:13-15	Heb 12:1-4
Luke 12:32-48 or Luke 12:35-40				1 Cor 15:20-27			Luke 12:40-53