

JULY 18, 2021

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

SACRED HEART PARISH (SH); SAINTS CYRIL & METHODIUS PARISH (SSCM)

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MONDAY, July 19

No Mass

TUESDAY, July 20

No Mass

WEDNESDAY, July 21

No Mass

No Confessions

THURSDAY, July 22

Saint Mary Magdalene; feast

No Mass

6:30 – 7:30 a.m. SH Parish Hall, Men's Group

FRIDAY, July 23

No Mass

SATURDAY, July 24

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. SH, Sunday Eucharist

SUNDAY, July 25

8:00 a.m. SSCM, Sunday Eucharist

9:30 a.m. SH, Sunday Eucharist

FUTURE EVENTS

Sunday, August 22

SSCM Annual Homecoming Picnic

FOR THE WEEK

Scripture Readings

Monday: Ex 14:5-18 Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday: Ex 14:21-15:1 Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15 Mt 13:1-9

Thursday: Sg 3:1-4 Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Friday: Ex 20:1-17 Mt 13:18-23

Saturday: Ex 24:3-8 Mt 13:24-30

Sunday: 2Kgs 4:42-44 Eph 4:1-6 Jn 6:1-15

Remember in your prayers the following Catholic clergy:

Pope Francis, Bishop Brendan Cahill, Bishop Emeritus David E. Fellhauer, Rev. Samuel Appiasi, Rev. Augustine Asante, Rev. Ty Bazar and Deacon John Glueck.

Mass Intentions

+Agnes & James Starry, +Bubba Pritchard, +Agnes Vybiral; Parishioners of Saints Cyril & Methodius and Sacred Heart; +Frank Otahal

OUR OFFERING TO GOD

Saints Cyril & Methodius Parish

Various Sunday Contributions: \$1,020.00

On Line Giving through June 28, 2021: \$413.00

Missionaries of La Salette Collection: \$286.00

Sacred Heart Parish

Various Sunday Contributions: \$1,685.00

On Line Giving through June 28, 2021: \$307.00

Missionaries of La Salette Collection: \$351.00

DIOCESAN SERVICES APPEAL 2021

As of July 7, 2021

Saints Cyril & Methodius Parish, Cistern

Parish Assessment	\$ 8,207.00
Parishioner Contributions	\$ 4,360.00
Balance Owed February 28, 2022	\$ 3,847.00

Praise to God for those who have given!

Al Bauer, Elizabeth & Darrel Brosch, Barbara & David Charba, Betty Danner, Estelle & Ed Hughes, Sheryl & Stephen Kosler, Isabel & Luciano Martinez, Parishioner, Edna Mae & William Psencik, Marcella & Billy Teague, Annie & Ray Tompkins, Della Mae Urban, Grace & Eugene Vinklerek, Patrick Vinklerek, Winifred Vinklerek, Claire & Charles Youngblood

Sacred Heart Parish, Flatonia

Parish Assessment	\$22,105.00
Parishioner Contributions	\$ 8,535.00
Balance Owed February 28, 2022	\$13,570.00

Praise to God for those who have given!

Andrea & Jerry Alvarado, Sylvia & Doug Baker, Agnes & Leonard Barta, Lori Berger, Angeline & Wiley Boehnke, Betty & Weldon Borel, Laurie & Edward Branecky, Ann & Ted Bratton, Raquel & Evodio Cedillo, Alice June & Richard Cernosek, Carmen & Thomas Cliffe, Linda Crump, Laurie & Michael Dierschke, Nancy & Kirby Farek, Barbara & Dennis Freytag, Joe Gajdos, Isabel Garcia, Mary & Dennis Gosch, Nancy & William J. Gosch, Angie & Thomas Hajek, Joannette & Greg Kadlub, Terri & Michael Kalina, Carolyn & Ronnie Kallus, Barbara Klozik, Ronnie Koncaba, Shirley Lanni, Ginny & Gary Marek, Bernice Mikulenka, Margaret & Victor Molnoskey, Deitra & Chad Novak, Dina & Derl Ohnheiser, Renee & Kenneth Pavlica, Leigh Ann & Chris Sodek, Jyl & Dean Stavinoha, R.J. Steinhauer, Evelyn Syrinek, Jovita & Leonard Trejo, Judy & David Vire, Sharon & Daniel Vyvjala, Julia Webster, Jeanette & Ervan Zouzalik

MESSAGE FROM THE DEACON

In today's Gospel, Jesus was hoping that the apostles and him could retreat for a while and rest from all the work they had been doing tending to their followers. But, the spiritual hunger of the followers was too great, and Jesus is moved with compassion by all the people who faithfully followed him, even to a deserted place where finding food and shelter would have been a struggle. Their desire to listen to Jesus teach superseded their comforts of life. Which brings me to two thoughts.

To what extent are we willing to pursue the truth and hear the teachings of Jesus? The amount of faith-based resources we have available literally at our fingertips (on our cell phones) is astounding. What is so great is that we don't even have to give up anything to access it, other than our time. Father Mike Schmitz has a podcast that will essentially read and explain the Bible in a year through a Catholic lens. Word on Fire and Catholic Answers are 2 more of my favorites, but I encourage you to seek out your favorite podcast, YouTube channel and/or Christian playlist that will help you want to spend just a few moments with Jesus every day.

The second thought is that Jesus is always moved by those who pursue him earnestly. Let's face it, aren't we all like sheep without a shepherd from time to time? Fortunately, God's desire for us to fully know our Father in Heaven was so great that he sent His only Son to come down from heaven and enter our world of chaos, to be our shepherd.

In Christ, Deacon Tim

FROZEN chicken from the drive thru meal is for sale; \$5 per bag. Call the parish office, 865-3568.

MEN'S GROUP meets weekly on Thursdays, from 6:30 am until 7:30 am in the parish hall. Coffee provided. Any questions, contact Andrew Velasquez 361-798-6883 or Johnnie Hoffman 361-772-5049.

PICNICS

July 18 Ascension, Moravia

PLEASE, PRAY FOR THE SICK.

Father Eddie Winkler, Moe Abdelbagi, Giselle Aguilon, Andrea & Jerry Alvarado, Agnes & Leonard Barta, Carol Barta, J. D. Bartek, Della Bartos, Bennie Beale, Elva & David Benavides, Donald Bennett, Angeline Boehnke, Tanya Brannies, Dawn Bratton, Ted Bratton, Dub Brazzel, Kenneth Brosch, Georgia Brunner, Ben Charba, Linda Clabourne, Jackie Coldewey, Analea Del Rio, John Demny, Emma Dunham, Emery Eldridge, Jena Ermis, Mason Ermis, E.J. Filip, Leroy Florus, Cathy Frazier, Kassidy Freytag, Doris & Lonnie Garbade, Nancy & William J. Gosch, Jill Borel Gough, Raymond Harbich, Lincoln Hardy, Roy Henderson, Lenore Hernandez, Estella & Ed Hughes, Karen Janak, Charlie Jurak, Merlene Jurek, Sharyn Kahlden, Carolyn Kallus, Garrett Kallus, Daniel Kocian, Ronnie Koncaba, Nadine Krischke, Caitlyn & Tyler Le Pori, Keith Le Pori, Georgie & Joe Lev, David Lev, Scott MacDonald, Cullen Machac, Myrtle Maeker, Maria Angelse Manzano & Family, Tiffany Marek & family, Anthony Martin, Kim McCoy, Chuck Meyer, Margaret & Victor Molnoskey, E. Norma Montoya, Linda Munos, Earline & Bennie Okruhlik, Evelyn Okruhlik, Rudy Patek, William Psencik, Almeda Poth, Samantha Ramirez, Norm Ratliff, Richard Ratliff, Mariana Reyes, Barbara Richter, Juanita Rosas, Mike Schulze, Brandon Smolik, Vivi Snow, Lynn Stanley, Bradley Stavinoha, Edward Stech, Skylar Stephens, Evelyn Syrinek, Janice Taubert, Victor Tichacek, Jacob Vargas, Bruce Vecera, Felix Velasquez, Stella Velasquez, Julia Webster and Jeanette & Ervan Zouzalik.