

AUGUST 9, 2020 - EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

	
SATURDAY, August 8th	
8:30 A.M.	
4:30 P.M.	+ Richard Continenzi Req. Maryann & John Eng
SUNDAY, August 9th 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time	
8:00 A.M.	+ People of the Parish and Special Blessings on Marguerite & Sal Cuciti Req. by the Montrose Family
10:30 A.M.	+ Verna & Frank Dando Req. by Marguerite Cuciti
MONDAY, August 10th	
8:00 A.M.	In Honor of St. Philomena Req. by Renna Meyer
TUESDAY, August 11th	
No Mass	
WEDNESDAY, August 12th	
7:00 P.M.	+Jean Yenna Req. by Bill Yenna
THURSDAY, August 13th	
8:00 A.M.	+ LouAnn Allen Req. by Paul & Doreen Allen
FRIDAY, August 14th	
8:00 A.M.	
SATURDAY, August 15th	
8:30 A.M.	+ Lee J. Shuckrow Req. by Carol Passaic
4:30 P.M.	+ Linda Meyer Req. her Mother
SUNDAY, August 16 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time	
8:00 A.M.	People of the Parish and + Frank Dando and Verna Dando Req. by Donna Vertullo
10:30 A.M.	+ Charles DeQuarto Req. by his Wife

First Reading: 1 Kings 19:9a, 11-13a

After fleeing from the revenge of the King of Israel, Elijah hid in a cave, but at the command of God, he went outside and stood on a mountain. There the Lord came to him, not in the wind nor in the earthquake, but in a "tiny whispering sound."

Second Reading: Romans 9:1-5

Paul is deeply pained because the Jews - in spite of everything that has been given to them - have rejected Christ.

Gospel: Matthew 14:22-33

Matthew vividly recounts the event of Jesus walking on the water. When the disciples see this, they are terrified, and Jesus chastises them for their fear. Peter begs Christ to let him walk on the water; he is at first brave but begins to sink and loses faith, crying out, "Lord save me!" Christ rescues him for his faltering faith.

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS

HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly

"At the mountain of God, Horeb, Elijah came to a cave where he took shelter. Then the Lord said to him, 'Go outside and stand at the entrance before the Lord, the Lord will be passing by'... After this there was a tiny whispering sound. When he heard this Elijah hid his face in his cloak, and went and stood at the entrance of the cave."

All the natural signs, often of disasters – wind like a tornado, earthquake, fire, all familiar to us in Tennessee, Haiti, California – but the Lord was not found. It took the tiny, whispering sound to discover Him.

Our lives are filled with noise, the radio blaring in a car, ear buds attracting attention of pedestrians, police sirens all make it hard to hear a gentle breeze, singing birds, and laughter. Our attention is filled with distractions.

As the psalm advises us, 'be still and know that I am God.' Take a minute of stillness and silence to allow God to speak to you. Surely we do not want Him to pass us by, but to touch our hearts. Can you listen to God speak in silence for just five minutes? Such a moment can be a real blessing.



PLEASE PRAY FOR AN INCREASE IN VOCATIONS.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SAFETY OF ALL LAW ENFORCEMENT PERSONNEL, MILITARY PERSONNEL, AND FIREFIGHTERS.



Connie, Maryanne Mazzola, Michael Palazzo

If you know of someone in need of prayer, please let us know by calling the rectory.



Last week's Sanctuary Flowers were given in loving memory of Maxine Cuciti by her husband.

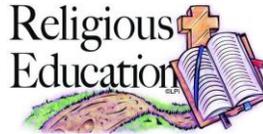


KNIGHTS CORNER New members are always welcome. Call Bill Freymann at 883-0138.



FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION OF BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

This Saturday 15th is the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is a not holy day of obligation this year.



Register TODAY!

Registration forms are available in the rectory and can also be found in the Documents tab on the Home page www.scbgardiner.org

ATTENTION PARENTS OF FIRST GRADERS

Our First Holy Communion Program begins with the First Grade. It is a two-year program. Therefore, if you have not yet registered your child please contact Christina Wynn Coordinator of Religious Education at St.CharlesBorromeo.CRE@gmail.com

ATTENDANCE & COLLECTION –

August 1st & 2nd

Attendance 107 (100 Adults and 7 Children)

Regular Collection: \$2625.50 Initial Envelope: \$ 5.00

Parish Support: \$934.00 Black & Indian Mission: \$5.00

Next weekend a collection for Solidarity Fund Church in Africa.



LOOKING FOR A GOOD HOME FOR

OUR LIBRARY BOOKS Do you know an individual, school or mission that would like books we have in our library? We are looking for some room on our shelves. Should you know of someone. Please see Ginny Gravatt or call the rectory. Thank you.



There are several Masses available in the 2020 Mass intentions book. If you would like to schedule a Mass, dedicate the Bread & Wine, Sanctuary Candle or Flowers in memory of or the

intentions of a loved one, you can make arrangements by calling the rectory office. The rectory office is open Monday, Wednesday and Fridays between 9 am and 4 pm.

2021 Mass Intention book has been opened. You may call the rectory office to schedule Mass, Bread & Wine, Sanctuary candle or Flowers for the week.

ST. CHARLES SOCIETIES ALL ARE WELCOME

The Miraculous Medal, symbol of devotion and faith, of the endless grace the Virgin Mary donates to her children. A sign of hope and love.

All are welcome to recite the Novena with Father Matthew on Monday mornings after the 8 am Mass.

Rosary Society is a group of parishioners of our parish who are devoted to the Blessed Virgin Mary. Its primary purpose is to encourage the prayer of the Rosary; to promote fellowship, support, and spirituality among its members; and to generously donate our time, talent, and treasure to causes and needs within our parish.

All are welcome to come on Thursday mornings to pray the rosary after the 8 am Mass.

Eucharistic Adoration What is First Friday Adoration? Solemn Adoration is a Eucharistic devotion whereby members of the parish unite on taking an hour of adoration before the Most Blessed Sacrament each First Friday of the month. We would like to invite you to become an adorer, one who spends an hour before the Blessed Sacrament.

Here at St. Charles Eucharistic Adoration begins after the 8 am Mass and continues until 12 noon each First Friday.

CHURCH LIST

The Parish Office is in the process of updating our Parishioner contact information. We are asking each family to contact the rectory office at 255-1374 if they would like to share their cell phone number and email address. The office is open Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

PARISHIONERS ON OUR ENVELOPE SYSTEM

We are compiling an updated list of parishioners who receive our contribution envelopes. Please inform the rectory office before this week, if you have any changes or you do not wish to receive 2021 envelopes. Thank you for your cooperation.



Our Helping Hands Ministry have been helping more families than usual during this pandemic. We have been blessed with many Pantry volunteers. Their ministry could always use volunteers that have a truck to pick up food twice a month from the Food Bank. Donations of toiletries are always welcome. If you have any questions you can leave a message at the rectory for Jean LeRose.