

**Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 25, 2019**

This Sunday's Holy Scriptures

Isaiah 66:18-21
Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13
Luke 13:22-30

FOCUS: *Strive to enter through the narrow gate.* Today we are given fair warning by Jesus that we should strive earnestly to enter the kingdom of God, and not simply assume a place will be reserved for us. So let's make an effort, as we travel the path of discipleship, to travel lightly, unencumbered by unnecessary attachments to the things of this world.

LITURGY OF THE WORD:

In the first reading, God proclaims that he comes to gather all nations. The second reading exhorts the Christian community not to disdain discipline, as it originates from God's love. In the Gospel from Luke, Jesus tells his followers to strive for salvation through the narrow gate.

Your Gift to God: August 15th & 18th

Queen of Peace	\$ 1716
Building Fund	\$ 35
Candles	\$ 24
St. John the Baptist	\$ 1042
Building Fund	\$ 40

Queen of Peace Church will begin celebrating First Saturday mass beginning on September 7 at 7 AM for the intention of the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, August 26th

7 A.M. – Deceased members of Emma Wick

Tuesday, August 27th – St. Monica

7 A.M. – Albin & Justine Migl

Wednesday, August 28th – Saint Augustine

7 A.M. – Otto & Lydia & Toni Havel

Thursday, August 29th – Passion of

7 A.M. – Clifton Hranitzky **St. John the Baptist**

Friday, August 30th

7 A.M. – Otto, Lydia & Toni Havel

Saturday, August 31st

5 P.M. – Sweet Home – Fr. Charles Sonnier

Sunday, September 1st

7 A.M. - Sweet Home – Elizabeth Hoffer

9 A.M. – Koerth – Henry Wick, Thomas Wick,
& Ben Kopecky

Sanctuary Candle at Queen of Peace

August 25–31: Otto, Lydia & Toni Havel

Sanctuary Candle at St. John the Baptist

August 25 – 31: In Thanksgiving of Anniversary
Jerome & Jocelyn Bolom

Lectors – Queen of Peace

Saturday August 24	5 PM – Sue Munsch
Sunday August 25	7 AM – Paula Janota
Saturday August 31	5 PM – Sky Anderle
Sunday September 1	7 AM – Susan Jansky
Saturday September 7	5 PM – Amanda Fling
Sunday September 8	7 AM – Juliet Monk

Eucharistic Ministers Schedule

Saturday August 24	5 PM – Elaine Berkovsky
Sunday August 25	7 AM – Lynette Havel
Saturday August 31	5 PM – Charles Hermes
Sunday September 1	7 AM – Anthony Harper
Saturday September 7	5 PM – Jason Fling
Sunday September 8	7 AM – Joyce Harper

CCD REGISTRATION

CCD registration form for the 2019-2020 year can be found on our website qpcatholicchurch.com on the "Faith Formation" link. Complete the form. You may email it to sky.anderle@gonzalesisd. Payment may be given on September 4, the first CCD class.

Those enrolling in First Communion Class (2nd Grade) and Confirmation Class (11th Grade) must bring a copy of their baptismal certificate to complete their registration.

CCD classes will begin Wednesday, September 4 at 6:30 pm at the Sweet Home School. A CCD Calendar may be picked up at the entrance of the church and will be posted on the bulletin board.

****We are in need of volunteers to aide and/or assist in classrooms. Please consider to volunteer during this time.

Picnics & Festivals

August 25 – Sts. Cyril & Methodius, Cistern
September 1 – Sacred Heart, Hallettsville
September 1 – Sts. Cyril & Methodius, Shiner
September 1 – St. John Bosco, Vanderbilt
September 8 – Holy Cross, Yorktown
September 29 – St. John the Baptist, Koerth



St. Mary's University Chapel Choir will be performing at Queen of Peace Church at 5 pm mass on Saturday, August 31, 2019.

Save the DATE

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church Picnic will be held on Sunday, September 29, 2019. We ask for your support for a successful picnic.

AUCTION items are needed. Please no garage sale items or used items. Contact Jocelyn Bolom at 361-293-4760 or the Church Rectory at 361-741-3206.

COUNTRY STORE is asking for homemade items: canned goods; baked goods; handmade articles such as aprons, potholders, hand towels; small plants, etc. Garage sale items are unacceptable.

Volunteers are needed in every Picnic activity during the day. Volunteers are especially needed during cleanup. We will appreciate your support.

Jocelyn and Jerome Bolom are the picnic chairpersons. Please contact them by calling 361-293-4760. They have information on each activity chairperson to be contacted that may need your help.

Picnic Time is Near

St. John the Baptist Church Picnic Meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 28th at 6:30 PM in the St. John Parish Hall. All who are interested are welcome to attend; however, committee members are urged to attend with their list of workers.

Raffle booklets for the St. John the Baptist Church were mailed to those not picked up. More booklets will be available soon.

KJZT #12 Sweet Home will hold a quarterly meeting on Monday, August 26th at 2 PM at the Queen of Peace Parish Hall. All members are encouraged to attend.