

**ANNOUNCED MASSES**

**Saturday, August 24, St. Bartholomew, Apostle**

8.30AM No Mass

4.00PM Rose Ann Donnadio (L) by Barbara & John Donnadio

**Sunday, August 25, 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9.00 AM George & Patricia Procak by & Anna & Ron Meyer

11.15AM Patrick Crowe by Pat Newman

**Monday, August 26**

8.30AM Teresa Puzio by B&J Zagkowski

**Tuesday, August 27, St. Monica**

8.30 AM Mary Weiden by St. Anthnoy's Rosary Society

**Wednesday, August 28, St. Augustin, Bishop & Doctor**

No Mass

**Thursday, August 29, The Passion of St. John the Baptist**

6.30PM Rose Ann Donnadio (L) by Barbara &

John Donnadio

**Friday, August 30**

8.30 AM Margaret Smith by Louis & Doreen Zicoello

**Saturday, August 31**

8.30AM No Mass

4.00PM Verna Hess by Christine Barnansky

**Sunday, September 1, 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

9.00 AM Anthony Pawlica by & Anna & Ron Meyer

11.15AM Rose Ann Donnadio (L) by Barbara & John Donnadio

**LECTOR SCHEDULE**

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 24**

4.00 PM Kathleen Johnson

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 25**

9.00 AM Ed Kennedy & Jim Mangano

11:15 AM Marsha Sereno & Rose Paolini

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 31**

4.00 PM Kathleen Johnson

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1**

9.00 AM Marsha Sereno & Rose Paolini

11:15 AM Ed Kennedy & Jim Mangano

**PARISH PRAYER LIST**

Please Pray for Don Tedesco, Marilyn Pizzonia, Michael Dean, Michele Griesbaum, Lisa Donohue, James Valenti, , Kathleen Quinn, Vincent Russo, Aliya Rachlin, Tara Byrne, Anthony Giordano, Bob Einterz, Andrea Fedoruk, Nicky Castagna, Jane Schneider, Michael and Matthew Mclean, and Samantha. For Our Military Personnel: Michael Donnelly, Vaughn Schlott, Ana Lucia Teran-Stasilli, Arianar Severf, Larry Weiss, Martin Kamen, Peggy Connolly, Mary Ann, Kimberly Chatfield, Isabella Marchese, Ira Glickler, Rose Infantino, Cathy Gerrard, Linda Bozza, Margaret Payne, Stephanie Freer Greyden Freer, Collen Kent, Karen Fullone, Carol Scott, Eileen Hoynes Hope Traver, Louise Smith, Karen Fullone, Stephen Scognamiglio, Pam Kocher, Anne Hellevig, Gabriella Francesca Maria Paolini, James Vincent Paolini, Janice Mutia and Rose Ann Donnadio.

Notify us of changes and additions

**TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**First Reading: Isaiah 66:18-21**

Isaiah portrays a time when people from many nations will gather in Jerusalem and proclaim God's glory. God's messengers will teach many nations about God. Just as the Israelites bring offerings; these messengers will bring people from all nations to worship.

**Second Reading: Hebrews 12:5-7, 11-13**

The Hebrews are told that God disciplines those he loves. When a parent disciplines a child, the child usually learns what is expected of him. The Hebrews are encouraged to face life's trials as a form of discipline, and attempt to learn something from them.

**Gospel: Luke 13:22-30**

Jesus warns that the door to God's kingdom will be locked for those who ignored his wishes. Many people will come from all nations and take their place in God's kingdom. Others will not be recognized by God, and he will reject them.

**PARISH STEWARDSHIP**

We are grateful to all who contribute so generously each week.

**Sunday Collection** \$ 1720.00

**Assumption** \$ 504.00

**Thank you for your continued support and generosity**

## **MESSAGE FROM FR. JOSELIN...**

My dear Parishioners,

I wish to express my gratitude and appreciation for all what you do for our Parish and to our Universal Church. Just know that the Church is not merely about the infrastructure but it's you who are the Church and **YOU ARE THE CHURCH**. I have no words to appreciate the good works you do for our Parish. There are something I need to thank you for and something I want to request.

Sunday August 11<sup>th</sup> we had our Chicken Barbecue in our pavilion and it was really a huge success. The credit goes first and foremost to all our Parishioners and especially our Parish Council members. Usually we get about 30 to 40 baskets for our raffles every year but this year through your generosity we got about 53 baskets and two super Prizes. It shows how much you all love and care for our Parish. This year we made \$4572.00 from Chicken Barbecue. We spent about \$1696.28 and after all the expenses we made for our church **\$2875.72**. Special thanks to Pete Scalia for taking care of some of the expenses for our Chicken Barbecue. Special thanks to Terry Hass for giving back 50/50 money for our Parish. Special thanks to all the donors and volunteers who worked hard to make this Chicken Barbecue fundraiser a successful one.

Friday, August 23<sup>rd</sup> we prayed Rosary in front of First way life center in Monticello. We pray rosary 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Friday of every month in the same location. I make a special appeal to all our Parishioners to come and pray Rosary along with other people who pray the Rosary. Hopefully we will see more of you on Friday, September 13<sup>th</sup> at 1 PM in Prince Street, Monticello.

**God bless you  
Fr. Joselin**

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## **WHY DO CATHOLICS DO THAT?**

**Why do we ask the saints to pray for us?**

The saints' prayers for us are called "intercessory prayers." Asking the saints to pray for us is "good and pleasing to God" and is encouraged in Scripture: "I ask that supplications, prayers, petitions, and thanksgivings be offered" (1 Timothy 2:1). Intercessory prayer is powerful: by it, the saints help us on earth and we help those in purgatory. Our prayers are joined to the prayers of Christ, who "never ceases to intercede for us" (Catechism of the Catholic Church, 2741).

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## **MASS INTENTION FOR YOUR LOVED ONES**

Mass for September through December is open. If anyone wants to offer Mass for your loved ones both deceased and living you are most welcome to do so. You can get your mass done either by filling up the Mass intention form at the back of the Church or you can stop by at the Rectory and get your Mass done. It is our obligation to offer Mass for our loved ones and pray for their souls and good health.

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## **200 CLUB**

Tickets for the 200 Club will be on sale after all the weekend Mass

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## **ST. ANTHONY'S FOOD PANTRY**

The food pantry is always in need of food stuffs and/or monetary donations. Please be generous. Thank you for your increased giving to the food pantry.

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## **PRAYER TO ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST**

O God, You raised up Saint John the Baptist to prepare a perfect person for Christ. We call upon St. John's intercession to properly prepare us with a true sense of repentance to receive your grace and salvation. Make us faithful to truth and justice, as you did your servant, John the Baptist, herald of Your Son's birth and death. Lord, may you increase your life within us.

**Amen.**

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## **EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS SCHEDULE**

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 25**

9.00 AM Ron Meyer

11.15 AM Jim Rizzi

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1**

9.00 AM Neil Stasilli

11.15 AM Barbara Donnadio

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## **PERPETUAL ADORATION**

My dear Parishioners,

For any Church to grow, the devotion to the Blessed Sacrament and to our Blessed Mother is essential. I appreciate the members of our Rosary Society who pray Rosary regularly after the weekday masses and now we have begun **PERPETUAL ADORATION** in our Church on First Fridays from 9 AM to First Saturday and we will close the Adoration with the Healing Mass on First Saturday at 8.30 AM. We will have our next Adoration on First Friday in September. Please sign up for an hour or two if you could.