

**Mass Intentions
22 August - 30 August 2020**

- 22 August 2020 – Saturday - The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary
4.30 pm:
- 23 August 2020 - Sunday - Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time
8.30 am:
11.00 am:+Mary Geiger *by Judith Jarfar*
- 24 August 2020 - Monday - St. Bartholomew, Apostle
8.30 am:
- 25 August 2020 –Tuesday - Weekday
8.30 am:
- 26 August 2020 - Wednesday - Weekday
8.30 am:
- 27 August 2020 –Thursday - St. Monica
6.30 pm:
- 28 August 2020 – Friday-St. Augustine, Bishop & Doctor of the Church
8.30 am:
- 29 August 2020 – Saturday - The passion of St. John the Baptist
4.30 pm:
- 30 August 2020 - Sunday - Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
8.30 am:
11.00 am:

The benefits of Laughing:

- Reduces heart disease
- Natural pain killer
- Improve breathing
- Help you lose weight
- Gives good sleep
- Decrease stress
- Makes you look young

There's no reason NOT to laugh.

Stewardship Aug, 16, 2020

Sunday Collection	\$1041.00
Assumption	\$ 338.00
Candle	\$ 25.00
Poor Box	\$ 155.00

**With Prayers & Blessings of God the Father
Fr. John Kennady MMI
Dn. John Lyttle
23 August 2020**

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21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**You
Are
Peter
and
upon
this
Rock**



**I
Will
Build
My
Church**

Regular Mass with Social – Distancing
Saturday: 4.30 pm — Holy Cross Church
Sunday: 8.30 am —St. Patrick's Church
11.00 am —Holy Cross Church

Let us all Stay Safe, Clean & Healthy

UNSTABLE EMOTIONS CAUSE PAIN

What's the use of having an intellect which is cunning and crooked? What's the use of having emotions which are so unstable? At the drop of a hat, you lose your temper; you become sad and emotionally upset. Do you see this happening in people around you? Some people are so sensitive that they can't take even a simple criticism. They get hurt again and again. If you're hurt, you're responsible for it. You may point the finger towards others but somewhere, you must take responsibility.

You're not seeing the world as it is when you get ultra-sensitive and feel hurt. There are thorns in the world. If you go and put your foot on the thorn and then cry out, "Oh, someone has hurt me," it's your lack of sensibility. So, we need to be strong in our emotions. Strong in our emotions means that your positive emotions must be strong so that nobody can shake them. Then, they don't



turn into negative emotions. Negative emotions, sadness, depression, are all signs of weak emotions. You're unable to sustain your compassion, your joy, your love. The same love turns into hatred. The same love turns into worry. The same love, distorted, becomes anger, jealousy, greed, and all of those negative emotions.

PRAY FOR THE SICK

J. Gottesmann, W. Rieger, K. Eschenberg, J. Feeley, R. Knack, Ron Rhodes JR, Dan Buddenhagen, Brenda Long, Mary Ann, Eileem Ohman, Madeleine Wootan, Olga Viruet, Anita Robertson, Linda Roche, Gloria Grunn, Marcia Bauer, Frank M Geosits Jr, Baby Alexian, Shirley Rangaves, Jerome Bauer, Josephine and all sick and needy.

To submit a name please call the Rectory



LITURGY OF WORD

First Reading: Isaiah 22:19-23

Second Reading: Rom 11:33-36

Gospel Reading: Mt. 16:13-20



The first reading, taken from Isaiah, gives a detailed description of the investiture of a royal court official. The robe, the sash, and the keys are insignia

of this office. The Lord God, through Isaiah, tells Shebna that the keys of authority will be taken away from him, the unfaithful, proud "master of the royal palace." In the Responsorial Psalm (Ps 138), David thanks God for having raised him from lowly origins and given him authority as King over the people of Israel. In the second reading, St. Paul points out that God is the Source of all authority on earth and in Heaven. Today's Gospel passage, giving the Petrine promise of Mt. 16:16-20, defines Catholicism. Here, Jesus reveals his plan to build his Church on the strong bedrock foundation of Peter, to whom he will then give the Keys of teaching and governing authority in the Church. Thus, Simon Bar-Jona receives a new mission symbolized by a change of name, Cephas (Peter), the rock (petros), on which Jesus will build his Church which the power of evil cannot overcome. Peter will be given the Keys of the Kingdom and the power to bind and to loose (make laws; exercise authority) on earth, decisions which Heaven will ratify. Thus, Jesus commissions Peter, giving him authority and leadership in the Church.

Happy moments, - Praise God; Difficult moments, - Seek God

Quite moments, - Worship God; Painful moments, - Trust God

Every moments, - Thank God.