

Mass Intention
11 September –19 September 2021

11 September 2021 - Saturday - Weekday

4.30 pm: + Tony & Evelyn Quaglia by *Tom & Roseann Bernardone*

12 September - **SUNDAY - Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8.30 am: Fr. Ignatius Smith OFM (65th Priestly Ordination) by *Ed Jim & Terry Milk*

11.00 am:

13 September 2021 - Monday - St. John Chrysostom, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

8.30 am :

14 September 2021-Tuesday - Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross

8.30 am: :

15 September 2021 Wednesday - The feast of Our Lady of Sorrows

8.30 am:

16 September 2021 Thursday - St. Cornelius, Pope & Bishop, Martyr

8.30 am:

17 September 2021 - Friday - Weekday

8.30 am:

18 September 2021 - Saturday - Weekday

4.30 pm: + Walter & Florence Hubert by *their Children*

19 September - **SUNDAY - Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8.30 am: Joan Sykes (L) by *Ed Sykes*

11.00 am: Fr. Ignatius Smith OFM (65th Priestly Ordination) by *Ramona Lewis & Family*

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, Anita Robertson, Linda Roche, Marcia Bauer, Frank M Geosits Jr, Shirley Rangaves, Josephine, Vincent McCarthy, Skip Mudge, Carl Ricca and all sick and needy.



To submit a name please call the Rectory

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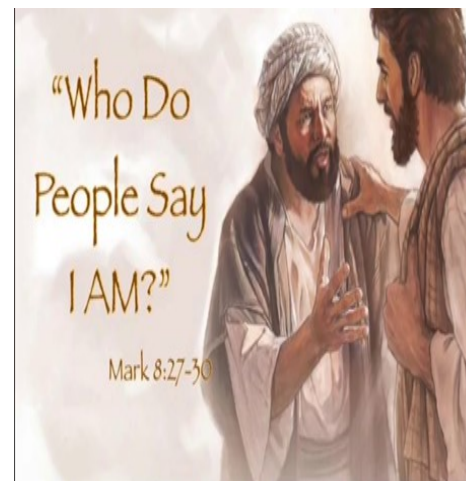
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24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**YOU
are
the
CHRIST**



**The SON
of
the
Living
GOD**

Regular Mass

Weekdays (Mon, Tues, Thurs & Friday): 8.30 am—Holy Cross Church

Saturday: 4.30 pm — Holy Cross Church

Sunday: 8.30 am —St. Patrick's Church

11.00 am —Holy Cross Church

Weekdays: 8 am—Holy Adoration

Confession: Saturday 4.00 pm - Holy Cross Church

"Find comfort in the Cross of the Lord Jesus, who continues His work of redemption in the life of every man."

- Pope Francis



The Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross

For the word of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. (1 Corinthians 1:18).

Prayer to the Holy Cross

Oh, Adorable Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, You have suffered death on the Cross for our sins.

Oh, Holy Cross of Jesus, be our true light!

Oh, Holy Cross, fill our soul with good thoughts.

Oh, Holy Cross, ward off from us all things that are evil.

Oh, Holy Cross, ward off from us all dangers and deaths and give us life everlasting!

Oh, Crucified Jesus of Nazareth, have mercy on us now and forever.

In honor of the Precious Blood of Jesus, his death, resurrection and ascension which leads to everlasting life; true as Jesus was born on Christmas Day; true as Jesus was crucified on Good Friday; true as Joseph and Nicodemus took Jesus down from the cross and buried Him; true as Jesus ascended into Heaven; may He preserve us from our enemies visible and invisible forever.

Oh, Lord Jesus Christ have mercy on us! Mary and Joseph pray for us.

Lord Jesus Christ, through Your suffering the Cross grant us strength to bear our Cross without fear or dread and give us the grace that we may follow You. Amen.

Religious Education

We resume CCD - the religious Education for the Children on September 19, 2021 at Holy Cross Church.

Wish you all a
Happy Feast



LITURGY OF WORD

First Reading: Is 50:4-9

Second Reading: Jas 2:14-18

Gospel Reading: MK 8:27-35



Today's Gospel explains the basis of our Faith as acceptance of Jesus as the Christ, the Son of the Living God and our Lord and Savior. It also tells us that Christ Jesus suffered, died and rose again to become our Savior. Finally, it outlines the three conditions of Christian discipleship, namely, denying oneself, taking up one's cross and following Jesus. Jesus saw aspects of His own life and mission foreshadowed in Isaiah's Servant Songs. Hence, a large portion of the Third Song of the Suffering Servant is presented as the first reading today, while in the Gospel, Jesus foretells His passion, death and Resurrection for the first time, in response to Peter's profession of Faith in Jesus as God's Messiah and Savior. Like the servant described in today's first reading, Jesus lived a life of radical obedience and conformity to God's will.

Today's second reading, taken from the Letter of James to the Church, reminds us that suffering is not only something to be accepted but also something to be alleviated. James explains how our Faith in Jesus, the Messiah, should help us to alleviate suffering in others by our works of mercy, both corporal and spiritual. Today's Gospel consists of two sections: 1) the Messianic confession of Peter, who acknowledged Jesus as "the Christ (Messiah,) the Son of the living God." and 2) Jesus' prediction of his Passion, death and Resurrection, followed by a clear teaching on the three conditions of Christian discipleship: "Whoever wishes to come after me must deny himself, take up his cross and follow Me."

"Make the effort to maintain a constant relationship with Christ crucified, that your love might be the more true, fruitful and lasting." - Pope Francis

Stewardship September 5, 2021

Sunday Collection \$	2500.00
Poor Box \$	7.00
Candles \$	15.00
Mission appeal collection \$	262.00

With Prayers & Blessings of God the Father

**Fr. John Kennady MMI
Dn. John Lyttle
12 September 2021**