



Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time, September 20, 2020



Jesus told His disciples this parable: "The Kingdom of Heaven is like a landowner who went out at dawn to hire laborers for his vineyard." Then the owner of the vineyard said to his foreman, "Summon the laborers and give them their pay." -Mt 20:1-16

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Mon.- Sept. 21	7:30 am	† Steve Yahner
Mon.- Sept. 21	5:00 pm	Restoration of the Sacred
Tues.- Sept. 22	7:30 am	† Mark Galuschik
Wed.- Sept. 23	7:30 am	† Gail Frycklund
Thurs.- Sept. 24	7:30 am	† Sandy McNulty
Fri.- Sept. 25	7:30 am	† Patrick J. Farabaugh
Sat.- Sept. 26	7:30 am	L&D Angelo & Jenny Lapenna Family
Sat.- Sept. 26	5:00 pm	† Mike & Tom Zupon
Sun.- Sept. 27	8:00 am	† Betty Skebeck and The L&D Members of the St. Vincent de Paul Society
Low Mass, Latin 11:00 am		Parish Mass
17 th Sunday after Pentecost		

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ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday, September 26

5 PM Elizabeth, Martina & Olivia White

Sunday, September 27

8 AM Alice Hoover, Brooke & Justin Stoltz

LECTORS

Saturday, September 26

5 PM Nancy White

Sunday, September 27

8 AM Emma Venesky

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

Suspended until further notice
As is bodily contact at the Sign of Peace

FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Families using Sunday Envelopes:

	NUMBER	PERCENT
September 13, 2020	82	27%

September 13, 2020, Weekly/monthly - \$2,688.45
September 13, 2020, Repair Fund - \$20.00
September 13, 2020, Fuel Fund - \$0
September 13, 2020, St. Vincent de Paul - \$145.00
† SVDP Conference - \$45.00
† SVDP Food Pantry - \$100.00
Catholic University of America - \$235.00

Catholic Ministries Drive
35 Families (13%) have pledged \$6,130
Our Parish Goal is \$20,569



The Sanctuary Lamps burn
In Memory of
The Clarence Karlheim Family
and Clair & Penny Bender,
The week of
Sept. 20 – Sept. 26

Chicken Dinners – Sunday, September 20 from 11 AM until sold out in the upper level of the Parish Center. Dinners are \$8 each and are available for take out only. No phone orders accepted. Thank you for your support. We appreciate it!

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**The ICBU** will hold their monthly meeting on **TUESDAY, September 22 (changed from Monday, September 21)** at 7 PM in the upper level of the Parish Center.

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Happy Birthday Wishes to Greta Stevens who will turn 88 years old on **Tuesday, September 22**. Your Queen of Peace Parish Family sends you their love and best wishes for a special day!

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"Those who have a true encounter with Christ find their lives filled with happiness. This is a deep happiness that brings inner emptiness to an end because these Christians are set free from selfishness. They are saved. I want to encourage everyone who experiences this to spread the word, beginning a new chapter in the history of the Church." – Pope Francis, *The Joy of the Gospel*



Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Jerome Weakland, Richard Cence, Imogene Hoover** and **Nick Subich**. May flights of angels wing them to Paradise, and may their souls and the souls of all the Faithful departed, through the Mercy of God, Rest in Peace...Amen.

**COVID – 19**

Awareness and care for ourselves and others has been in the forefront of messages like # *we're all in this together*, and has been repeated over and over. All the directives for the celebration of Mass and the reception of the Sacraments during this time of the Coronavirus pandemic remain in effect.

**Please Remember:**

**Wear a mask** - for your protection and others.

**Social distance** - 6 feet away from your neighbor in the pews, standing in line for Holy Communion and at the Communion Rail.

**Take your conversations outside after Mass has ended** - no gathering inside the Church.

**If you are sick, stay home** – You are dispensed from assisting at Mass until further notice.

**Without our best, conscious effort** - we could face the possibility of closing Churches again!

**BE SMART, STAY HEALTHY, # *we're all in this together!***

**PARISH PRAYER LIST** – We entrust to the care of Christ the Divine Physician, those members of our Parish Family in need of Healing in Body, Mind, or Spirit especially **Paul Jenkins, Jack Farrell, Stephen Doughty Family, Dick Anna, Derek Miller, Gerard Macaluso, Bernie Ropchock, Leona Hoover, Angel Sherwood, Kara Vozniak, and Rose Moxley.** May they embrace their trials in union with the Crucified Christ for the salvation of souls, and the remission of sins.



**THE BENEDICTINE ANNUAL APPEAL** - A collection in response to the Benedictine Annual will be taken up at all Masses the **weekend of October 3/4.** As you have come to realize, the Benedictine Appeal is needed to help meet the escalating health care costs of the ailing members of our Benedictine family. This Appeal also assists the financial demands of educating our younger monks as they prepare to serve within our Community. We rely on your continued support and, in particular, we ask you to remember our Community as you pray for your families and Parish Community. Be assured of our prayers and support for you and your family now and in the years to come. As always, we thank you for your generous support. *May God Bless you always.*



**QUEEN OF PEACE ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE** is excited to announce that they now have an on-line **RADA** cutlery account. For online orders it is easiest to click on the URL for the sale on the Parish web page. All profits will be credited to our Church. RADA cutlery catalogs are now available in the Parish Office. The **PRE-PAID** order form may be returned to the Parish Office or placed in the collection box in Church. Orders will be sent in on October 31. An ideal present for the Holidays!!

**In addition:** The Activities Committee is once again offering a 6-month Lottery Card/Ticket for sale for 2021. The price remains at \$20/ticket, which consists of 2 numbers based on the first 7 PM daily Pick 3 drawing. Only 500 tickets printed, and have sold out the past 3 years!! Get your ticket soon, as the saying goes, “you snooze, you lose”!!! These tickets are a great Christmas present (I know it’s early, but before you know it, it’s here!) Call Jack (674-8948); Marsha (674-5740); Jay (674-5434); Grace (674-8762) or the Parish Office (674-8983) if you are interested.



**THAT CHRIST MAY REIGN – 40 Days of Prayer for America.** In this most critical hour of our beloved nation’s history, these savings words of our Blessed Lord are our light, our hope, and our answer: ***Amidst our great uncertainty and fear, what must we do? “Seek first the Kingdom of God.”*** Join us for 40 Days of Prayer for America, and unite your prayers with ours for the conversion of our nation and its citizens back to Christ our King!

**From the Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross on Monday, September 14 through the Feast of Christ the King on October 25,** please make the spiritual commitment to do the following three things faithfully each day:

- 1) Pray the Most Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary
- 2) Make a sincere Act of Contrition
- 3) Pray the St. Michael Prayer

By piously invoking the most powerful intercession of Our Immaculate Mother, Queen of Victory, by humbly acknowledging our own personal sinfulness, and by beseeching St. Michael the Archangel as Prince of the Heavenly Host to defend us in this spiritual battle ahead, let us make atonement for our sins of indifference and ingratitude of Christ our King, and His benevolent Majesty shall look with mercy upon us in our darkest hour to shine light into the minds of this nation, converting our hearts, and bring America back to God.

***From the Cross (September 14) to the Crown (October 25), let us have but one prayer for America:  
“That Christ May Reign!”***



***A Brief Catechism for Catholic Voters by Fr. Stephen F. Torracco, Ph.D.***

(Continued for the next several weeks as space permits)

**Isn’t conscience the same as my own opinions and feelings? And doesn’t everyone have the right to his or her own conscience?** Conscience is **NOT** the same as your opinions or feelings. Conscience cannot be identical with your feelings because conscience is the activity of your *intellect* in judging the rightness or wrongness of your actions or omissions, past, present, or future, while your *feelings* should be governed by your intellect and will. Conscience is not identical with your opinions because your intellect bases its judgment upon the *natural moral law*, which is inherent in your human nature and is identical with the Ten Commandments. Unlike the civil laws made by legislators, or the opinions that you hold, the natural moral law is not anything that you invent, but rather discover within yourself and is the governing norm of your conscience. In short, conscience is the **voice of truth** within you, and your *opinions* need to be in harmony with that truth. This is the goal of correctly informing and properly forming your conscience.