

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY

ORDINARY TIME

Let Us Pray for Our
Brothers and
Sisters:



Father Rodolfo Llamas, Kent, Ruthie Portillo, Florencia Vasquez, Anselmo Q., Victoria, Rose Wampler, Carol Hall, Janna Alves, for those with health complications, and for all the intentions of the families not listed.

We Pray to the Lord.

St. Monica Parish News & Announcements:

-No Second Collection this weekend.

-You are invited and encouraged to take a new step and journey as a CFF teacher and/or teacher aide for Kindergarten, 4th, 5th, and 8th grade- 2nd yr. confirmation. We will start registrations though classes will be pending awaiting to hear from parents to be willing to become teachers. Keep in your prayers the children to participate and teachers.

-Ministries and or groups if you would like to have information stated on the bulletin and or announced please fill out our new form by going to our website <https://stmonicawillows.com>. On our website you will find instructions on how to submit the information. All information wished to be announced or placed in bulletin must be submitted by using this form. Thank you for your cooperation.



Mass Schedule & Intentions:

Date	Time	Int	Name
Sat. 8/3	5:00pm	t	-All Souls
Sat. 8/3	5:00pm		-All Souls
Sun. 8/4	9:00am		-All Souls
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	12:00pm		Birthday: +Antonio Lara Hernandez
	12:00pm	+	+Antonio Maria Lara Hernandez
Mon. 8/5	7:30am	+	-All Souls
Tues. 8/6	7:30am		-Liturgy -All Souls
Wed. 8/7	4:00pm		-All souls
Wed. 8/7	4:00pm		-All Souls
Thurs. 8/8	7:30am		-All souls
Thurs. 8/8	7:30am		-All Souls -All souls
Sat. 8/10	9:00am (Stonyford)		-All Souls
	5:00pm		

Do you have a Mass intention?

We now have mass intention envelopes, you can fill out and place in the offering basket.

You can also personally stop by or call the parish office when you need a Mass celebrated (530)934-3314.

Responsorial Psalm:
Psalm 90: 3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17
"If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts."

-First Reading
Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23
Ecclesiastes is one of the seven books in the Old Testament referred to as Wisdom books. Wisdom literature reflects on how to live in this world in a way that is pleasing to God. The author of this book calls himself *Qoheleth*, a term that perhaps means "teacher". *Qoheleth* has a pessimistic view of life, in part because he doesn't believe in life after death. The wisdom he teaches is that one should not be burdened by anxieties, but rather live each day as a gift from God.

-Second Reading
Colossians 3: 1-5, 9-11
In our previous readings from Colossians, we have seen how Christ is the only mediator between God and the world, and how our baptism has made us one with Christ. The author will today remind us of the heights to which Christ has raised us, and then call upon us to live up top this.



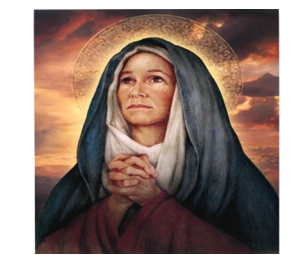
RCIA:
"From the time of the Apostles, becoming a Christian has been accomplished by a journey and initiation in several stages."
We would like to invite anyone who is interested in becoming Catholic to attend the Inquiry meetings of the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) program beginning on Thursday, September 5, 2019, at 6:00pm in the Parish Center.

This program of faith formation is for adults who have never been baptized, or who were baptized in another faith, and now seek to know more about Catholicism. We also welcome Catholics who have been away from the church for many years and seek a refresher course. If you have any questions please call Father Cormac 934-3314 or Aileen Carriere 934-4479.



Just one week from photo session!
Out of 134 openings we only have 18 signed up, missing 116 openings available
We are in need of volunteers for sign-ups and for photo sessions. Remember that by everyone's participation it will help to have a great parishioners directory to help Fr. Cormac and all of us in this community to get to know each other by name. Please participate by signing up after Mass or online.
Thank you for your cooperation!

SAVE THE DATE!



St. Monica Feast Day Celebration
Sunday, August 25th
11:00am Mass
(No 9:00am/12:00pm Masses)
Potluck lunch to follow at Parish Hall.
Please participate by bringing a salad, ice cream, and or sodas for our potluck! We will provide the main dish.
Please take a tag off the donation board (in vestibule) indicating what items you would like to bring. Keep the tag as a reminder and then write your name and phone number on the line behind the tag.
We ask that the salads/ice-cream be dropped off at the Parish Hall between 9am-11am (before Mass) on August 25th. Please drop off 12pkg. canned sodas by August 18th at the Parish office.
Thank you for your participation in this Parish community event!

THE GABRIEL PROJECT
Gabriel Project Angels and to all who have a passion for the pro-life cause you are invited to the Diocesan Respect Life Gathering Sat., August 24th at Good Shepherd Parish. 9539 Racquet Court, Elk Grove.
8:30am- Opening Mass
9:15am- Networking & Exhibits
10am-3pm- Program

ALERT! BEWARE OF SCAMS!
We would like to make everyone aware of a scam targeting our Parish community. Many of our parishioners are receiving text messages and emails claiming to be from Fr. Cormac, Fr. Cormac Lacre, or something similar. The messages give a compelling story asking for gift cards and cash. Please know that Fr. Cormac will NEVER ask you for gift cards, money, or any personal information via a text message or email in this way. If you receive a message from Fr. Cormac ignore it and call the office. Again, do not engage. The messages are compelling and people are losing money.

- Dates to Remember**
August
- **Mon.-Fri. August 5th-9th:** NO PARKING on parking lot due to construction
 - **Tues.-Sat. August 13th-17th:** Lifetouch Directory photo sessions
 - **Wed. August 21st:** YLI meeting
 - **Thurs. August 22nd:** Blood Drive
 - **Sun. August 25th:** St. Monica Feast celebration

Thank you for your generosity and your contribution to Saint Monica Parish!
July 28, 2019
Weekend Mass Offerings:
\$2,270.00
Stonyford: