



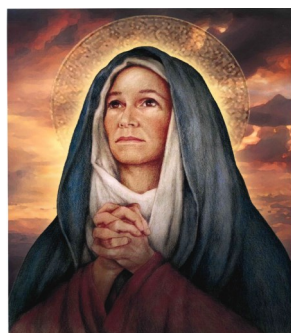
**TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME**

*Let Us Pray for Our  
Brothers and  
Sisters:*



Father Rodolfo Llamas, Kent, Florencia V., Anselmo Q., Victoria, Vargas and Rico Family, 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 Feast Day  
Celebration**  
Potluck lunch to follow at Parish Hall after Mass.

**St. Monica (332-387)**

A Christian in North Africa, she married and bore three children. Through her example, her husband, Patricius, became a Christian, and she prayed for the conversion of her son Augustine, who had abandoned his Christian faith for Manichaeism. When Augustine went to Italy, Monica met him in Milan, where he had met Bishop Ambrose and been baptized. She died during their return trip to Africa, saying all her hopes had been fulfilled. May we also never give up encouraging the spiritual journeys of those we love.

**Mass Schedule & Intentions:**

Date	Time	Int	Name
Sat. 8/24	5:00pm	+	+Marlene Torres
Sun. 8/25	11:00am (Bilingual)	+	+Marlene Torres+ +Jesus Silva+ +Salvador Guerrero+  Birthday: Isabel & Marcos Antonio Olvera Joel Lara
Mon. 8/26	7:30am		-All Souls
Tues. 8/27	7:30am		-Liturgy
Wed. 8/28	4:00pm		-All Souls
Thurs 8/29	7:30am		-All Souls
Fri. 8/30	7:30am		-All Souls

**St. Monica Parish  
News & Announcements:**

-I want to thank all the parents who have volunteered to teach I am very excited for this new year. Registrations have closed for most grades I am available this Sunday with any questions thank you and God bless.

**Responsorial Psalm:**  
*Psalm 40:2, 3, 4, 18*

**“Go out to all the world  
and tell the Good News or  
Alleluia.”**

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

When the Jews returned from exile in Babylon, they found their beloved Jerusalem in shambles. In today’s passage, the prophet looks ahead to better days when people from foreign lands will flock to Jerusalem as the city God built.

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

The letter to the Hebrews was written to people who had become discouraged and were losing faith. Today the author quotes a text from the Old Testament book of Proverbs, and finds in it encouraging words.

*The gate of the kingdom must  
be asked for by praying, sought  
after by living properly, and  
knocked at by persevering.*

**-St. Bede The Venerable**

**RCIA:**

“From the time of the Apostles, becoming a Christian has been accomplished by a journey and initiation in several stages.”

The RCIA program for 2019-2020 will meet on Thursday, September 5, at 6:00pm in the Parish Center. This is a program of information and instruction of adults on the teachings, history, practices and traditions of the Catholic Church.

This program is basically for non-Catholics who wish to learn more about the Catholic Church, but anyone is welcome to attend.

If you know of anyone who might be interested in becoming Catholic please invite them to attend.

*If you have any questions please call Father Cormac at (530)934-3314 or Aileen Carriere at (530)934-4479.*

**3rd Annual Art Sale:**

Over 100 framed pictures available by local colorist Carol Ingraham on Saturday, September 7th 9:00am-1:00pm For only \$4.00each At Eskaton Kennedy Manor Multi-purpose room 714 N. Humboldt Ave. Willows. Refreshments provided. **All proceeds go to St. Monica catechism.**

**Attention All Women:** You are cordially invited to attend the first meeting of the 2019-2020 year of the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women on Saturday, September 7, 2019 at 10am at Holy Family Parish in Citrus Heights. For more information, please contact President **Judie Martinez at judiemartinez@gmail.com.**

**Sacramental Catholic Marriage:**

Are you Catholic and married but not in the Catholic Church? We would like to help you so that you can come to full communion in your faith and the Church. Often it involves just a small amount of preparation.

For more information, and to discuss your particular situation with no obligation to continue, please call Fr. Cormac Lacre at (530)934-3314 Ext. 12.

Next Sunday, September 1st you are invited to enjoy some delicious tacos from the Divine Mercy group after 12pm Mass.

**ONE Campaign Quarterly  
Reconciliation:  
6/30/2019**

**Pledges:** \$225,835

**One-time gifts:** 34,122

**Write-offs:** 2,059

**Net Pledges and one-time gifts:** 257,898

**Less: Payments received thru 6/30/2019:** 238,234

**Net Pledges receivable as of 6/30/2019:** 19,663

**Parish Share of Proceeds:**

**Payments received thru 6/30/2019:** \$238,234

**Parish’s total share of proceeds:** 79, 496

**Less: Payments paid to date:** \$79,380

**Amount owed Parish this period:** \$116

Thank you for your continued support of The ONE Campaign.



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**Dates to Remember**

August

- **Sun. August 25th:** St. Monica Feast celebration.
- **Wed. August 28th:** Pastoral Council meeting at 6pm.
- **Thurs. August 29th:** Liturgy meeting at 6pm.
- **Sun. September 8th:** YLI breakfast after 9:00am Mass
- **Thurs. September 12th:** Knights of Columbus meet

*Thank you for your  
generosity and your  
contribution to  
Saint Monica Parish!*

**August 15, 2019**  
Holy Day of Obligation  
collection:  
\$249.00

**August 18, 2019**  
Weekend Mass  
Offerings:  
\$2,685.00