

# St. Aloysius, Gate of Heaven & Sacred Heart Church

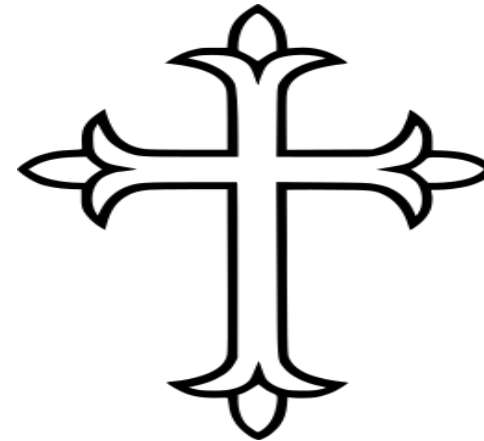
THE ASSUMPTION OF BLESSED VIRGIN MARY AUGUST 15, 2021.

## Reflections on Sunday's Readings

Reasons why we believe in the dogma of Assumption: Pope Pius XII in the papal document *Munificentimus Deus* gives four reasons for our belief in the Dogma of Assumption of Mary.

1) The uninterrupted tradition about Mary's death and Assumption starting from the first century. 2) The belief expressed in all the ancient liturgies of the Church. 3) The negative evidence — the absence and veneration of a tomb of Mary while most of the apostles have their tombs. 4) The possibility of bodily assumption warranted in the Old Testament in the cases of Enoch (Gn 5:24), perhaps Moses (Dt 34:5), and especially Elijah (II Kgs 2:1).5) The theological reasons: a) The degeneration of the body after death is the consequence of "original sin," and Mary, as "Immaculately Conceived," is exempted from the post-mortem decay of the body. b) As receiver of the fullness of grace and holiness because she is mother of Jesus and co-redeemer with Him, Mary's place is with her son, God's Son Jesus, the Redeemer, in the abode of holiness, Heaven.

**Life messages:** 1) As Mary's Assumption was a reward for a holy life, this feast invites us to keep our bodies pure and holy. Paul gives three additional reasons: a) our bodies are the temples of the Holy Spirit, b) our body parts are the members of Christ's Body, and c) our bodies are to be glorified on the day of the Last Judgment.2) We are given an assurance of hope in our resurrection and a source of inspiration during moments of despair and temptations.3) We receive a message of total liberation from all our bondages: impure, unjust, uncharitable thoughts, desires, words, actions, and neglects, addiction to evil habits, drugs, alcohol, gambling, pornography and sexual aberrations.



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## ONLINE GIVING

<https://staloysiuschurch.weshareonline.org>

## Mass Schedule

<b>Saturday</b>	4:00 PM	St. Aloysius
<b>Saturday</b>	5:30 PM	Sacred Heart Church ( <b>July 4th to Labor day</b> )
<b>Sunday</b>	9:00 AM	St. Aloysius
	11:00 AM	Gate of Heaven

## Weekday

**M T O S** 8:15 AM St. Aloysius

## Adoration

**M/T/W/T** 7:30 to 8:15 AM  
**Friday** 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

## Holy Day of Obligation

Holy Eve:	5:30 PM	Gate of Heaven
Holy Day:	9:00 AM	St. Aloysius
	7:00 PM	St. Aloysius

## Sacraments

**Confession:** Before all masses.

**Baptism:** Call the rectory to make arrangements.

**Marriage:** Call the rectory to schedule your Wedding and pre-Cana classes

## Pastoral Visitation

When confined at home, please call the rectory to arrange for a visit and Holy Communion. Please call the rectory if you are facing surgery or hospitalization and would like the Sacrament of the Sick.

**PARISH MISSION STATEMENT**

As a parish, we strive to bring our communities of Catholic Christians together, as we have for over 100 years, by loving and serving God and Each other through Worship, education and Service.

**MASS INTENTIONS: Aug 14- Aug22, 2021**

**Saturday, Aug 14**

8.15 AM- Sr. Victoria(Birthday)  
4.PM- Fulton + Muller Families  
5.30 PM- Patrick & Lucy Mc Award

**Mon, Aug 16**

8.15. AM - Michael Kocan(L)

**Wed Aug 18**

8.15 AM- Tillie Pelagallo(Birthday)

**Thurs Aug 19**

8.15.AM- Unborn

**Saturday, Aug 21**

8.15.AM- Unborn  
4.00 PM- Pearson Family  
5.30 PM- Debruce Families

**Sunday, Aug 15**

9:00 AM- Harold M McClain  
11.AM- Cora+ Gail milk

**Tues. Aug 17**

8.15. AM - Lapsed Catholics

**Fri. Aug 20**

8.15.AM- Lapsed Catholic

**Sunday, Aug 22**

9:00 AM - Wonda Froehlich  
11.00 AM- Thomas+Dorothy Quick

**NOTE. Free will offering is accepted for the mass offered. There is no fixed stipend.**

**PRAYERS FOR THE SICK & DECEASED**

**For the Sick:** Joni & Vinny Salvatore, Colleen & Jerrilynn O’Neil; Nora Fernandez,; Laurie & William McMichael, Carol Faughn, Christopher Merklin, Robert Ackerly, Maureen Connolly, Shannon Bruning, Patty Lewis, Lynne Hyzer, Beth Marie Martin, Jim Wilbur, Dom Formato, Darren Steele, Jonell Dalton, Easton Gorr. Joe Salvia. Joe & Linda Mchugh, Jerry & Roe Mills, Ken & Arsenia Mchugh, Deniese Harting, Maureen Molloy, Frank Kinsley, Mary Jones, Carl Diane Rafi, Walter Hanewich, David Porter and David, Gina Teipelke, John Jordan.

**For the Deceased:** Andrew Hund , Beth Ann Sanabria, Justin Haas , David Tucker, John Jordan, Erminio Babich, Harold M McClain, Wanda Froehlich, Donald Conway, Patricia A. Severing, Robert J.Chapman,Sr, Evelyn D. Banks-Reynolds, Joan C. Doland, Jared Doughty, Gerald Tuleweit & Donald Hendrickson.

**Collection for Last Week.**

**First Collection: \$2504**

Thank you.

**Readings for Next Sunday**

**Dt 4:1-2, 6-8**

**Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22,27**

**Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23**

**BIBLE STUDY**

Good Soil Bible Study Group will meet this week. 4.00 PM on Tuesday at Rectory.

**Mass Attendance for last week**

Place	Time	Number of people attended
St.Aloysius Church	4. PM - Saturday	25
Sacred Heart chapel	5.30.PM - Sunday	32
St.Aloysius Church	9.AM Sunday	55
Gate of Heaven	11.AM Sunday	31
	<b>Total</b>	<b>143</b>

**Baptism**

Alice Margaret Frome was baptized on 08.07.2021at St. Aloysius Church. Let us welcome her into the Catholic Church and pray for her that she may grow in the faith of the Church.

**Vote of thanks**

Our parish picnic was a great success. We would like to thank Kurpil Family for Music and every one for your contribution and participation.

**Reflect Christ in your Life**

Clare’s emphasis on the person of Jesus Christ is an emphasis on the human person as well, what we are and what we are called to be. Christ crucified is the mirror in which we are to see our reflection, our strengths and weaknesses, our failures and our capacity to love. She wants us to reflect Christ in our lives, to help build up the Body of Christ through transformation in love, and to participate in the church. She is a mystic who calls us to go forward into God by letting Christ take on our flesh so that we may reflect the face of Christ to the world. She tells us not to be dissuaded in the path to God, to be resolute in our convictions and trust the guidance of the Spirit in our lives. Her thought is centered on the essence of human identity: Be yourself and allow God to dwell within you. Christ will then be alive and the world will be created anew.

**COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY**

Is in need of spaghetti sauce, soup, tuna fish and jelly.

