

TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDAY
in ORDINARY TIME
OCTOBER 6, 2019

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LaVonne Dalton Christian Outreach

--If you know someone that should have a card sent to them or is in the hospital or experiencing illness, give LaVonne a call at 970.854.5125

Young Adults—Going to Denver for a day or two?
Get event updates by texting DCYA to 84576 to see what's going on for YOU!

Bulletin messages: Fr Jerry 720.339.1472 or jerryrohr@gmail.com by Noon, Wednesdays

Use of St Patrick facilities: contact Fr Jerry

Sacrament Information:

BAPTISM/MARRIAGE: Contact Fr Jerry

RECONCILIATION: St Patrick, Sat. 3:00-4:00pm

Christ the King Sat. 4:30pm

St Peter before Sunday Mass

Or by appointment—

720.339.1472

 Connect with your parish by joining FlockNote.

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"A Hundred Thousand Welcomes"

ST PATRICK

Sunday Mass at 8:00am

Communion Service—Monday at 7:30am

Mass—Tues-Wed-Thurs-Fri at 7:30am

Confessions—Saturday 3:00 to 4:00pm

CHRIST THE KING

Saturday Mass, 5:00pm, October 12

Anticipated Mass for Sunday

Confessions before Mass 4:30pm to 4:50pm

ST PETER THE APOSTLE

Mass—Tuesday, October 8, 5:00pm

Sunday Mass, October 13, 10:30am

Confessions before Mass OR by appointment

Pray for the Sick of our Parishes...

Carole Blomme, Saul Aviña, Mary Orr, Grant Ferguson, Fr Dan Zimmerschied, Fr Brian Morrow, Ruby Trujillo, Betty Paquette, Kathleen & Tom Bornhoft, Eliza Morten, Rob Russell, Mark Dalton, Mary Lou Waruszewski, Lenore Troelstrup, Derek Weingardt, Ivan Venezuela, Angela Conde Purdy, Shawn Maloney, Lonnie Krueger, Marty Tindera, Leah Pridemore, Joe Kinnie, Bev Susman, Marie Bricknell, Adrianna Pridemore, Dolores Haskell, Frank Unrein, Lucy Dominguez, Carl Morgan, William Pridemore, Frances Boerner, Ruth Guthrie, Kathy Wolff, Brenda Pauley, Karen Hoefler, Joanine Lousberg. Changes? Tell Father. God bless.

Need a wheelchair at St Patrick's? You'll find one you can use for transport into and out of the building by the votive candle stand in the church. Please return when finished with its use so others may use it.



St Patrick Hall reservations—must be a current registered member of one of our Parishes.
Contact Fr Jerry.

SACRISTANS:

Jason Depperschmidt—José Leon—Thom Elliott—
Raymond Brekel—Vince Hoefler

MINISTRIES FOR OCTOBER 12 & 13

Christ the King Saturday 5:00pm

Music: Carolyn Davis & Trainee

Lector: Karen Swan

Eucharist: Bobbie Helfer & Jerry Wagoner

Confessions Before Mass 4:30-4:50pm

St Patrick Sunday 8:00am

Hospitality: Carole Blomme

Ushers: Joe Krogmeier & Dan Ortnier

Servers: Maggie K & Lauren B

Lector: LaVonne Dalton

Eucharist to sick: Julie Elliott

St Peter the Apostle Sunday 10:30am

Ushers: Rick Vanderheiden & Rick Unrein

Servers: Jesse & Jack Bornhoft

Lector: Bill Helgoth

Eucharist: Vicki Horton & Raymond Brekel

Offertory: Leo & Debbie Brekel

Confessions Before Mass by Request

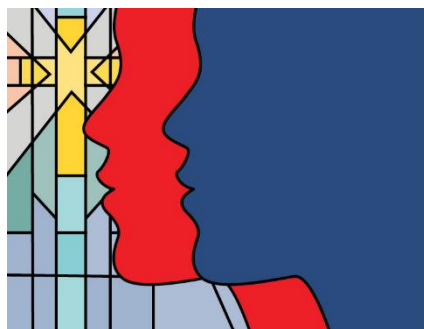
--St Raphael Counseling 720.377.1359

Clinical counseling for individuals, children, teens, couples & families. Outpatient substance abuse counseling. Post-abortive counseling. Tele & Electronic counseling also available.



It's Tootsie Roll Time!—The Knights of Columbus are offering FREE Tootsie rolls and if you are feeling up to it, you can donate to the Knights efforts for Mentally Disabled Citizens.

Catholic Women of NorthEast Colorado— Catholic women of northeast Colorado



will have their quarterly meeting in Sterling at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 421 S 11th Avenue, on Thursday, October 24, at 9:30am. RSVP with Virginia Yahn (970.522.5835) or Donna Nicklas (970.522.7078).

Mass Intentions

Sunday 8:00am	October 6 +Louis Donjon by Rita Kropp +Jim Atkin by JoAn Atkin
Monday 7:30am	October 7 Communion Service
Tuesday 7:30am	October 8 deceased members of the Altar and Rosary Society of our parishes
Wednesday 7:30am	October 9 +Angelo Ossino by family
Thursday 7:30am	October 10 +Margaret Hendrix by family
Friday 7:30am	October 11 +Francesca Carbonaro by family
Saturday 7:30pm	October 12 Neo-Catechumenal Mass



BAPTISM CLASS FOR PARENTS & GODPARENTS—

Sunday, October 20, 1:00pm at St Patrick Church. Please Fr Jerry to register for the

class. (Next class will not be until January, 2020). Cost is \$20 per family.



Parish Council—Monday, October 28, 7:00pm, St Patrick Hall. Everyone is welcome for our final meeting of the calendar year. We take a look at our financials for each parish and bring up issues to discuss and take action on. Your voice is important! Come and join us for 90 minutes, Fr Jerry promises to have some adult beverages for us.



Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Many years ago, I attended the going-away party of a Sister of St. Joseph of Carondelet (CSJ) who, after working hard well into her eighties, was moving to their retirement home because of some health problems.

For over an hour the tributes to her brought forward secure, prosperous adults whom she befriended as at-risk children, and cared for into adulthood. We heard from grateful parents who were devoted to her because of her passionate advocacy on the part of their children, decades earlier.

We watched elderly, frail nursing home patients weep in gratitude to her for her compassionate care for them. We heard multi-generational stories of her friendship to families who needed and loved her, from their own childhoods all the way to the lives of their grandchildren.

She was, of course, miserably uncomfortable through the whole evening, watching the clock and trying to get out from under the attention she had successfully eluded her whole life as a Religious, until she couldn't find anywhere to hide and had to listen to a small fraction of the people who love her.

When it was finally her chance to speak, after the lengthy standing ovation and over the muffled sobs of the packed room, she simply said, "What's the big deal? I only did what I was supposed to do." And that was that.

My scripture-teacher husband says to me all the time, as I thank him for the endless ways he makes my life joyful, "I am your unprofitable servant. I do what I am obliged to do." He's kidding, but not really. We are meant to serve each other, in Jesus' name. I love being a servant in the household of God.

In what ways are the most rewarding parts of your life related to service?

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Vigesimoséptimo Domingo de Tiempo Ordinario

Hace muchos años asistí a una fiesta de despedida para una monja de la congregación de las Hermanas de San José de Carondelet (CSJ). Ya entrada en sus ochenta décadas de vida, había trabajado hasta entonces, pero por problemas de salud debía mudarse a una residencia de ancianos.

Por más de una hora le dieron tributo adultos seguros y prósperos quienes ella había tomado bajo su ala cuando eran niños en peligro, y a quienes siguió cuidando hasta la edad adulta. Oímos los testimonios de padres agradecidos, devotos a ella por la manera apasionada en la que ella había defendido a sus hijos décadas antes.

Vimos pacientes de asilo, viejitos y débiles llorando de agradecimiento por todo el cuidado compasivo que ella había mostrado hacia ellos. Escuchamos historias multi-generacionales de su amistad con familias que la habían necesitado y amado, desde su propia infancia hasta las vidas de sus nietos.

Por supuesto que ella se veía miserablemente incomoda durante toda la velada, viendo el reloj y tratando de salir del centro de la atención que ella tan exitosamente había evadido toda su vida como religiosa, hasta que ya no tuvo donde esconderse y solo le quedo escuchar a una pequeña fracción de la gente que tanto la quería.

Cuando por fin le tocó hablar a ella, después de una larga ovación de pie y por encima de los llantos callados de la gente en el lugar, simplemente dijo. “¿Por qué tanto escandalo? Sólo hice lo que tenía que hacer.” Y eso fue todo.

Mi esposo que es profesor de las escrituras me dice todo el tiempo cuando yo le doy gracias por todas las incontables maneras en las que me alegra la vida. “Soy tu infructífero servidor. Hago lo que estoy obligado a hacer.” Es una broma, pero realmente no.

Se supone que estamos hechos para servirnos los unos a los otros, en el nombre de Jesús. Me encanta ser servidora en la casa de Dios.

¿En qué maneras son las cosas relacionadas al servicio lo más provechoso en tu vida?

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Upcoming Events !!!

- October 7 Knights of Columbus meeting, 8:00pm, St Patrick basement, Holyoke
- October 8 Mary-Martha Circle, 8:30am, St Patrick Hall, Holyoke
- October 11 The Music of John Denver, 7:30pm, Holyoke High School Auditorium, Holyoke
- October 14 Holy Family Circle meeting, 9:00am, St Patrick Hall, Holyoke
- October 20 Baptism Class for Parents & Godparents, 1:00pm, St Patrick Church, Holyoke.
Cost is \$20 per family.
- October 20 Men’s Discernment Retreat, 9:30am to 5:00pm, St John Vianney Seminary,
Events include Mass, lunch, adoration time, and Q & A with the Vocations
Director and seminarians.
- October 28 Parish Council Meeting, 7:00pm, St Patrick Hall. All are welcome.
- November 17 Discernment Retreat for High School Boys, 9:00am to 4:00pm, St John Vianney
Seminary. Register at www.denverseminarians.org