

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE		
DATE	MASS READINGS	MASS INTENTION
Monday, September 21 <i>St. Matthew, Apostle &amp; Evangelist</i>	Ephesians 4:1-7, 11-13 / Matthew 9:9-13	Reparation for the sins of our nation
Tuesday, September 22 <i>Weekday</i>	Proverbs 21:1-6, 10-13 / Luke 8:19-21	Priests of our diocese- living and deceased
Wednesday, September 23 <i>St. Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest</i>	Proverbs 30:5-9 / Luke 9:1-6	+Maggie Leibold
Thursday, September 24 <i>Weekday</i>	Ecclesiastes 1:2-11 / Luke 9:7-9	+Frank Mueller
Friday, September 25 <i>Weekday</i>	Ecclesiastes 3:1-11 / Luke 9:18-22	+Cliff Youngers
Saturday, September 26 <i>Weekday</i>	Ecclesiastes 11:9—12:8 / Luke 9:43b-45	+Jerome Metzen
Sunday, September 27 <i>26th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	Ezekiel 18:25-28 / Philemon 2:1-11 / Matthew 21:28-32	+Dorothy Youngers People of the Parish

MINISTER SCHEDULE			
	9/26, 5:30 PM	9/27, 8:00 AM	9/27, 10:30 AM
<b>ROSARY</b>	Norman Pelz	Andy Lauer	Art Gentry
<b>EMHC</b>	Albert Hubl	Jim Armour	Krista Allmond
<b>LECTOR</b>	JP Brunke	Jack Armour	Aaron Schroeder
<b>SERVERS</b>	Gabe Brunke	James McCosh	Austin Hastings
<b>USHERS</b>	Julie Hubl Justin Pelz	Daniel Oberley Samuel Oberley	Richard Pelz Randy Blasi
<b>SACRISTAN</b>	Lynn Robertson	Carol Schroeder	Jennifer Blasi

**SEPTEMBER 20: SAINTS ANDREW KIM TAEGON AND ST. PAUL CHONG HASANG**



Andrew Kim Taegon was born in Korea to a noble family. In the early 1800's, Christians brought the Good News of Jesus to Korea. Andrew's parents heard their message and became Christians. Andrew was baptized when he was 15 years old. Shortly after that, his father was killed for his belief in Jesus. Andrew decided to become a priest so he set out on a journey of over 1300 miles to the nearest seminary. He had only been a priest for one year, when he was tortured and killed for his faith. Paul Chong Hasang was another Korean Catholic who was also killed for his love for Jesus. Together, these two men and the 111 other Korean Catholics who were killed for their faith were proclaimed saints by Blessed Pope John Paul II when he visited Korea in 1984.

WEEKLY CALENDAR
<b>MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21</b>
7am Adoration 8am Mass
<b>TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22</b>
12am Adoration 8am Mass 6:30pm Finance Council Mtg.
<b>WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23</b>
8am Mass 7pm RE
<b>THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24</b>
8am Mass 3pm Mission Society 7pm Lectio Divina
<b>FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25</b>
8am Mass
<b>SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26</b>
6am Kapaun's Men 4:30pm Confessions 5:30pm Mass
<b>SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27</b>
8am Mass 9:15am RE 10:30am Mass 2pm Marian Movement of Priests
<b>COMING UP NEXT WEEK</b>
10/4 K-5 RE/RCIA/Adult Ed 10/7 6-12 RE



**September 20, 2020**

**25th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*September is dedicated to Our Lady of Sorrows.*

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**MASS SCHEDULE**

*WEEKEND • Saturday 5:30 pm  
Sunday 8:00 am & 10:30 am*

*WEEKDAYS • Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri. 8:00 am  
Wed. 6:30 pm*

**CONFESSION SCHEDULE**

*WEEKDAYS • Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri., 7:30 - 7:55 am  
Wed. 6 - 6:20 pm*

*WEEKEND • Saturday 4:30 - 5:15 pm*

**SOCIAL MEDIA**

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**HOLY FATHER'S SEPTEMBER PRAYER INTENTION**

We pray that the planet's resources will not be plundered, but shared in a just and respectful manner.

**BE PREPARED TO BE CALLED TO WORK**

The parable in today's gospel has many beautiful nuances, but here is one you may not have considered. At the end of the day, the landowner finds men standing around near his vineyard and asks, "Why do you stand here idle all day?...You too go into my vineyard." Of all the workers hired that day, this last group is the most controversial. It seems unfair that they were hired at the last minute and given the same pay as those who had worked all day. But look at the compassion with which they were treated. The landowner didn't want to see anyone go without work. He empowered them, much as our Heavenly Father empowers us. As missionary disciples, we must not stand idly by. We have work to accomplish! And whether you are young or old or somewhere in between, be prepared to be called to work! It is never too late to be given a task. Your discipleship does not end until you depart this life for the next.

**PRAYER OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION**

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

**FAITH FORMATION 2020-21**

**Sundays (youth, adult, RCIA):** September 20

**Wednesdays:** September 23

**CGS:** October 12 & 14 - Registrations will be mailed out this week

Packets have been mailed out with K-12 registrations. Please bring them to class with you!

**LECTIO DIVINA: STARTING THIS THURSDAY!**

Prayerfully explore the gospel reading for the upcoming Sunday through Lectio Divina, Thursdays at 7pm in the Parish Center. Both men and women are welcome!

**CANDLE REMINDERS**

One of the responsibilities of the Altar Society is to supply candles for our Altar, and to also make sure we have an adequate supply of votive and 7 day candles for both of the candle stands just below the statues of Mary and Jesus. Donation envelopes are available on each stand, and donations of \$2.50 for the large ones and \$ .25 for the small ones may be put in these envelopes and placed in the collection basket to be given to the Altar Society to help cover the cost of these candles. As the wicks do need to be trimmed before placing in the holders, we have several people that keep a close eye on the candles and replace them as needed, so new candles should always be available in the stands for your use. Donations are also greatly appreciated for any candles you may get from our storage closet to take home for your personal use. Thank you.

**STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**

September 13, 2020.....\$10,958.10

Year to Date (July 1-Sept. 13).....\$90,928.77

Thank you for your gift to St. John's Parish!

**CHURCH CLEANING**

9/26 Ruth Welters– Smith 316-648-5349

Melissa Welters-Davis 316-706-4085

10/3 Lange Family 316-652-5037

**PRAYER REQUESTS**

**Please pray for all those listed below:**

Colton Smith, Shane Armour, Anna Mueller, Gary Klausmeyer, Ross Klausmeyer, Colton Horsch, Frances Johnson, Josh Buller, Marilyn Lies, Al Montanez, Joanne Flippin, David Oberley, Stephanie Faber, Donald Love, Jolene Schauf, Doris Albaugh

**Pray for those in the military:**

John Ihrig, Matthew Youngers, Austin Peak, Travis Winningham, Megan Darke, Brandon Darke, Wyatt Curry, Grant Martin

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

September 20 Art Gentry  
Timothy Rakes  
Teresa Wetta

September 21 Brian Zimmerman

September 22 Dan Dugan

September 23 Madonna Smith  
Jessica Armour  
Olivia Finney

September 24 Anna Mueller  
Reva Papsdorf  
Alaina Smith

September 25 Larry Gorges

September 26 Kelly Belton  
Dalton Pauly  
Dawson Pauly  
Emmett Davis

**LIFE CHAIN**

The National Life Chain is the largest peaceful, prayerful, pro-life, public witness in the world. More than 1,500 cities across the US and Canada are expected to participate on Sunday, October 4, 2:00-3:30 p.m. More information will be announced next week, or you can contact Elaina Maus at [stjohnsprolife@gmail.com](mailto:stjohnsprolife@gmail.com). You can also go to <http://LifeChain.net> for the location nearest you.

**Dear Clonmelians,**

This week marks the kicking off of our 2020-2021 Religious Education and Faith Formation year. I want to make you aware of the many opportunities for Faith Formation we are offering for ages 3-103+ and invite you to participate in one or more of them.

**Catechesis of the Good Shepherd (ages 3-12)**

CGS is a hands-on approach to helping our youngest parishioners develop their own relationship with God, using provided materials and scripture to grow closer to the Good Shepherd. Registration for CGS will begin next week and CGS will start October 12th & 14th.

We are offering the following CGS Levels this year:

Level 1 (age 3-6): Monday 2-3:50pm, 6:20-8pm, Wednesday 2-3:50pm

Level 2 (age 6-9) & Level 3 (age 9-12): Monday 11:55am-1:40pm, Wednesday 4-6pm

**Sunday Religious Education (grades K-5)**

Religious Education for grades K-5 is offered on Sunday mornings from 9:15-10:15am. Using the Spirit of Truth series by Sophia Institute, we guide children in this program through the basics of the faith. Classes begin Sunday, September 20th.

**Wednesday Faith Formation (grades 6-12)**

Every Wednesday evening for our 6-12th grade youth we gather in community for Mass at 6:30pm, and then gather for a meal at 7pm. At 7:30pm we break off for classes relevant to each age group. This year those classes are: 6th grade (The Mass/Mary & the Saints), 7th & 8th grades (Old Testament/Theology of the Body), 9th & 10th grades (Church History/Supernatural's), 11th & 12th grades (Theology of the Body/Supernatural's). Our first Wednesday is September 23rd.

**Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (adults)**

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) offers adult religious education for those who have not yet received all of the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Communion, Confirmation) or for those who have received the Sacraments but wish to learn more about the foundations of the Catholic faith. RCIA classes take place each Sunday from 9:15-10:15am starting Sunday, September 20th.

**Adult Education Class (adults)**

This year the Adult Ed class will be journeying through Church History. The history of the Church is not just the recitation of popes and saints; it is a story of adventure, intrigue, rebellion, reform, and devotion. In this class you will learn about the important people, places, and events in two thousand years of Church history. Join the Adult Ed class on Sundays from 9:15-10:15 am.

**Lectio Divina Group (adults)**

Lectio Divina, Latin for Divine Reading, is a co-ed study of the Gospel for the coming Sunday's Mass that will happen on Thursday's at 7pm in the Parish Center. The Fall 2020 scheduled dates are: Sept 24, Oct 1, 15, 22, 29, Nov 5, 12, 19, Dec 3, 17. Each week is it's own standalone study so you can come when works for your schedule.

**Kapaun's Men (adult men)**

Kapaun's Men meets every other Saturday morning with breakfast at 6:00am and the program of study from 6:30-7:30am. This year they are working through the Into the Breach series from the Knights of Columbus that seeks to answer what it means to be a Catholic man in today's world. Their next meeting is Saturday, September 26th.

**Walking With Purpose (adult women)**

This year the women of WWP will be doing a 17 week study called Grounded in Hope, a scripture study of the Letter to the Hebrews. WWP meets on Monday nights from 7-8:30pm, and takes one Monday off every month for participation in the Altar Society meetings. WWP sessions will begin October 12th and registration for WWP will begin next week.

**Covid Precautions**

We are excited to welcome so many families and individuals back to campus outside of the Mass, but there are some precautions that we are taking due to Covid-19 that I want you to be aware of:

- All participants are to wear masks when inside for Faith Formation unless social distancing
- Rooms and surfaces will be disinfected after every session/meeting
- Seating in rooms will be distanced as much as possible
- Our Wednesday meals will be served to the youth pre-plated with social distanced seating