

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 30, 2020



St. Libory's Catholic Church

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Weekend Mass Times:

Saturday: 4:30 P.M.

Sunday: 9:00 A.M.

Weekday Mass Times:

Wednesday: 6:45 A.M.

Thursday: 6:00 P.M.

Friday: 6:45 A.M.

Reconciliation: 30 minutes prior to Weekend Mass.

Secretary:

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Mass Intentions

Monday - Tuesday: No Daily Mass

Wednesday (Sept 2): 6:45 A.M.

Rita Schwartz t by Mike & Linda Mathis

Thursday (Sept 3): 6:00 P.M.

Jim Wieck t by Patricia Bogus

Friday (Sept 4): 6:45 A.M.

Steve Klein t by Dave & Leann Horak

Saturday (Sept 5): 4:30 P.M.

Gary Spotanski t by Arch & Betty Ambrose

Sunday (Sept 6): 9:00 A.M.

For All Parishioners

Ministers of the Altar

Saturday, September 5th, 4:30 P.M.

Lector: Beth Kozisek

Sunday, September 6th, 9:00 A.M.

Lector: Vi Mamot

Our Gifts of Treasure August 22 & 23, 2020

Adults: \$2,398.00

Assumption of Mary: \$10.00

UPCOMING EVENTS

- *September 2 – Daily Mass at 6:45 A.M.
- *September 3 – Daily Mass at 6:00 P.M.
- *September 3 – The Chosen video at 6:30 P.M. in the Parish Hall.
- *September 4 - Daily Mass at 6:45 A.M.

FROM THE PASTORS DESK

Here are some words from one of our window patron saints, Augustine. His memorial was this past Friday. Yours in Christ our Lord, Fr Sid

The Gift of Oil

What's the meaning of "They didn't take oil with them in their flasks"? What's "in their flasks"? In their hearts. Which is why the apostle says, Our boast is this, the testimony of our conscience (2 Cor 1:12). That's where the oil is, wonderful oil; it's entirely the gift of God, this oil.... Carry it with you. What do I mean, carry it with you? Keep it inside you....

It's not so very surprising, though, that *while they go to buy*, while they are looking for people to be admired by and can't find any, while they are looking for people to be comforted by and can't find any, that the door was opened, the bridegroom came and the bride, the Church, being glorified with Christ, as every single one of her members comes together to form the whole. And *they went in with him to the wedding feast, and the door was shut....*

It's said, and it's true, and it isn't said to deceive you, *Knock, and it shall be opened to you (Mt 7:7)*; but do it now while it's the time for mercy, not when it's the time for judgment. These two times, you see, cannot and must not be mixed up, since the Church sings of both mercy and judgment to her Lord. Now is the time for mercy; repent... The hour, you see, is coming, and coming we don't know when. It's coming in the middle of the night; keep awake. That's how the Gospel concludes: *Keep awake, because you do not know the day nor the hour*. Keep awake in your heart, awake in faith, awake in hope, awake in charity, awake in good works; and when you fall asleep in the body, the time will come for you to rise.... Then may that bridegroom be embraced by spiritual arms, may he lead you then into his home where you need never sleep, where your lamp can never go out.

SEMINARIANS – Please keep our seminarians in your daily prayers especially our Adam Bauer. Here is his address. Please consider sending him notes and cards of encouragement (snacks are also appreciated).

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WELCOME TO ALL VISITORS – We would like to extend a heartfelt welcome to all our visitors. Registration forms for all new members may be found at the back of the church or contact Fr. Sid.