

# August 30, 2020

## Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

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**Queen of the Holy Rosary Parish, Hostyn Sts. Peter & Paul Parish, Plum**

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Please be careful to follow the COVID19 safety guidelines proposed by our local and state officials and the Diocese of Victoria. We will continue to follow all present guidelines as published in previous bulletins. (more information is available on the diocese and parish websites). Parishioners should not attend Mass if exhibiting any signs of sickness. In consideration of the public health concerns caused by the spread of COVID-19, Bishop Cahill has dispensed the faithful of the Diocese of Victoria from the obligation to physically attend Sunday Mass through **September 30**. Those who are unable to attend Mass or who believe it is best to stay at home are encouraged to make a Spiritual Communion, and to participate in Mass through television, radio and internet. At this time, Mass Ministry is on a volunteer basis: to volunteer at Hostyn contact the parish office and to volunteer at Plum contact Maxine Holub or Mary Lou Anderle.

Any parish group planning to resume gatherings, meetings and events following the social distancing guidelines is asked to inform the parish office.

### Mass Intentions

Monday, August 31	H 7:00 AM	Marie Von Minden
Tuesday, September 1	H 5:30 PM	Elaine Zbranek
Wednesday, September 2	P 5:30 PM	Evelyn Bolfik
Thursday, September 3	H 7:00 AM	Lillian Janda Koether
Friday, September 4	P 5:30 PM	Johnny Prihoda
Saturday, September 5	H 9:00 AM	Msgr Gerry Cernoch
	H 5:00 PM	Howard Templin
		Wilfred & Mary Ann Holtman
Sunday, September 6	H 8:00 AM	Frank Macik
		Patrick Janda
	P 10:00AM	Paul Walla Jr

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#### *Schedule for the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)*

Hostyn – Saturday, 4:00 to 4:45 pm and Sunday, 7:30 to 7:50 am

Plum – Sunday, 9:30 to 9:50 am

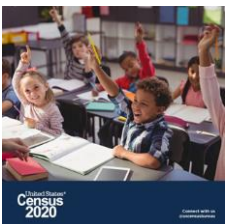
15 minutes before weekday Masses

**Contributions:** Church collection, online, dropped off and mailed in contributions August 13 to August 19:

Plum \$1831, Flowers \$10, Building \$150, Cemetery \$150

Hostyn \$2707, Flowers \$20, Catholic Schools Tuition Assistance \$25, Building & Memorial \$330

**Prayer List** We offer our prayers for Patsy Smith, Lanice Oeltjen-Hunger, Loretta Brugger, David Berger, John White, Mary Ann Kana, Sue Schaefer, Cesar Villasana, Virginia Janda, Jody Hatfield, Lillian Machala, Patricia Daubert, Heather Hoffmann, Cyril Muras, Dorothy Renna, Bernice Kollaja, Helen Kruppa, Nancy Leer, Michele Kallus, Louis Rocha, Chad Grover, Travis Grover, Felix Estrada Rios, Ed Muras, Rose Vanecek, Weldon Synnott, Albert Foley, James Pfluger, Sister Louise Miksch, Barbara Genzer, Barbara Ticken, Kamren Bayless, Steven Brothers, Prayer Blanket Recipients, and all those who are sick or injured.



**Every 10 years, the US Census Bureau** undertakes a mammoth task: counting all the people residing in the United States. This count affects the allocation of funding for our community's public resources (e.g., roads, hospitals, schools), how we plan for the future, and our voice in government. Because of the coronavirus pandemic, the deadline to respond to the census has been extended to Oct. 31. Learn more about the importance of the #2020Census at [2020census.gov](http://2020census.gov). If you have not filled out your Census please call 844-330-2020 or go to [www.2020census.gov](http://www.2020census.gov).

**Religious Education for our Youth** – plans are being formulated for our programs.

At this time, **First Reconciliation and First Communion** preparation for children in 2<sup>nd</sup> grade and older will begin with in person instruction Wednesday, September 9, 6 pm, at the Hostyn Parish Hall. At home instruction can be arranged for those who choose. **Plans for all other youth are being formulated and cannot be finalized until registrations are completed.** Please go to the parish website under the Faith Formation tab, Faith Formation for All Ages, to complete the registration forms or call the parish office by September 6, so that we can prepare for our programs.

## Hostyn & Plum

**The Diocese of Victoria Pastoral Institute Extended Program** will offer *Sacraments of Initiation* with instructor Fr. Bob Knippenberg, at the Hostyn Parish Hall. Tuesday mornings: Sept. 1 to Oct. 6, 9:15 to 11:30 am OR Thursday evenings: Sept. 3 to Oct. 8, 7 to 9:15 pm. Register by contacting the parish office.

**XXXIII Annual Catholic Conference** Saturday, October 17, 2020. Join at one of the 5 locations (Hallettsville is the closest) for a hybrid, virtual & in-person gathering. Details to follow or from the Diocese website.

**For men interested in a vocation as a Permanent Deacon for the Diocese of Victoria**, informational meetings are at St. Robert Bellarmine, El Campo, Wednesday, Sept. 16, 7 – 9 pm in the Salon, and at Our Lady of Sorrows, Victoria, Saturday, Sept. 19, 1 – 3 pm in the Trinity Center. It is only necessary to attend one meeting. For more information on the formation program for the Permanent Diaconate contact Deacon Chuck Glynn [cglynn@victoriadiocese.org](mailto:cglynn@victoriadiocese.org)

**AMEN Food Pantry** – our parishes volunteer day is September 14. Contact the parish office to volunteer.

**Social Ministry Committee** meeting – Wednesday, September 16, 9:30 AM, Hostyn Parish Hall.

### AN ELECTION YEAR PRAYER FOR THE FAITHFUL WITNESS OF CATHOLICS IN THE UNITED STATES

By His Eminence Cardinal Raymond Leo Burke, Patron of the Sovereign Military Order of Malta and former Prefect of the Supreme Tribunal of the Apostolic Signatura

O Lord Jesus Christ, You alone are the Way, the Truth, and the Life. In Your Church You show us the Way.

You teach us the Truth, and You give us Your Life.

Grant, we humbly beg You, that, always and in all things, we may be faithful to You in Your Holy Church, and to Your Vicar on Earth, the Supreme Pontiff, Pope Francis.

Grant also, we beg You, that, in these times of decision, all who profess to be Catholic and who are entrusted with the sacred duty to participate in public life, may, by the strength of Your grace, unwaveringly follow Your Way and faithfully adhere to Your Truth, living in You with all their mind and heart, for Your greater glory, the salvation of souls, and the good of our nation. Amen.

Our Lady of Guadalupe, Mother of America, Pray for us.  
Saint Thomas More,

Patron of Religious Freedom, Pray for us.

Due to the pandemic, The Good Friday *Collection for the Holy Land* will be on **September 12 & 13**. This Pontifical Collection collects funds for support of the Holy Places, but above all for those pastoral, charitable, educational and social works which the Church supports in the Holy Land for the welfare of their Christian brethren and of the local communities. When you contribute, you become an instrument of peace and join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land.

## Hostyn

**Vigil Lamps** The Blessed Mother Lamp is offered for special intentions+. The St. Joseph Lamp is offered in memory of CJ Roensch. A Holy Family Lamp is offered for the special intention of KB

**Cemetery Volunteers** – Sept. 4, Mowing Crew #5

**Hymnals and Missalettes** – would you like a hymnal so that you can sing during Mass? Hymnals are available in the narthex – if you take one, it is yours until November 2021 – please write your name on it and do not leave it in church. Missalettes are also available for your personal use – again, write your name on it and do not leave it in church.

**October Festival** – It has been decided that we cannot have our traditional festival this year, due to the COVID19 pandemic. The good news is, we do plan to have the **Raffle** and an **Online Auction**. Raffle tickets are now available for pick in Church and are also available online for our out of town buyers. Auction items are being accepted now at the parish office, and on September 26, 3 – 7 pm and September 27, 9 am to noon at the Parish Hall. Deadline for auction donations is September 30. The online auction will run from Friday, October 2, 8 am to Friday, October 9, 7 pm. Purchased Auction Items can be picked up Saturday, October 10, noon to 5 pm, and Sunday, October 11, 9 to 11 am. To purchase raffle tickets, make a donation, or view auction items, please go to <https://www.charityauction.bid/hostynpicnic> More information is available on the parish website or by contacting the parish office.

## Plum

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**Preparation Volunteers for next weekend:** Maxine Holub, Cinda Tomgenovich, Katie Janda