ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

August 9, 2020

Served by the Blessed Sacrament Congregation

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St. Joseph School

Interim Principal Susan Wehrsig

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Thank you to all who assisted with the redesign of the seating and reservations for the weekend Masses.

We appreciate all the volunteers who gave of their stewardship to create and maintain a safe environment for our parish. Thank you to all parishioners who graciously and patiently cooperated with the process.

Please continue to pray for this pandemic to end and for the safety of everyone, worldwide.

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Afternoon streaming of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament begins at 4:00 p





Please continue to pray for St. Joseph School



<u>Sundav, Aug. 9</u> 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a Ps 85:9, 10, 11-12, 13-14 Rom 9:1-5 Mt 14:22-33

Monday, Aug. 10

2 Cor 9:6-10 Ps 112:1-2, 5-9 Jn 12:24-26

Tuesday, Aug. 11

Ez 2:8—3:4 Ps 119:14, 24,72, 103, 111, 131 Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14

Wednesday, Aug. 12

Ez 9:1-7, 10:18-22 Ps 113:1-6 Mt 18:15-20

Thursday, Aug. 13 Ez 121-12 Ps 78:56-59, 61-62 Mt 18:21—19:1

Friday, Aug. 14 Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63

(Ps) Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 Mt 19:3-12

<u>Saturday, Aug. 15</u> 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2 Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14 1 Cor 15:54b-57 Lk 11:27-28

Sunday, Aug. 16

Is 56:1, 6-7 Ps 67:2-3, 5-6, 8 Rom 11:13-15, 29-32 Mt 15:21-28

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A - 2020

"Take courage, it is I..."

The chaotic storm that Covid 19 Pandemic has brought in our lives is mirrored by the storm that the disciples experienced in the Gospel. Like the disciples, we are overcome by fears and anxiety. And during these moments where do we choose to put our trust?

In the midst of the storm, Jesus came walking on the water to calm the disciples' fears. But not after Peter requested that he be allowed to join Jesus but only to fail because he was overtaken by his fears. Good the Lord was there to reach out to him. And seeing the power of his presence to calm the storm, the disciples confessed their belief in who Jesus is: 'Truly, you are the Son of God'.

Like Peter, we might just be ask to "walk on the water" during the storms of our lives. The solid ground vanishes from beneath our feet and what we normally hold on as our security is taken away. It is then that we have to rely on Christ and focus our gaze on Him. To be a disciple of Christ is to walk in faith – trusting in the words of Ou Lord that assures us - "Take courage, it is I!"

As we continue to move through these uncertain times, we pray for the grace always to be aware of God's presence in our lives, and confident in the peace he offers us. *-Fr. Poli*

"Let us understand that God is a physician, and that suffering is a medicine for salvation, not a punishment for damnation"

St. Augustine

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Stewardship Report of Treasury for:			
July 28-Aug 3		YTD Actual	YTD Budget
Collections	5,864.00	33,153.00	31,760.79
R&M Collection	386.00	1,515.03	4,286.60
All Other Income	2,461.05	20,766.30	18,379.19
Deposited to Bank	8,711.05	55,434.33	54,426.58
Parish Hall	25.00	Loan to school	241,657.86
		Designated Funds	66,249.94
	Restricted Parish Hall Funds		459,146.23
			767,054.03

The Kids' Bulletin

August 9th, 2020 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

In today's Gospel reading, the disciples were out at sea in a boat when they saw something that surprised them.

Walking on Water!



In today's Gospel reading Jesus did an amazing miracle- He walked across the sea! This was a sign that He was more powerful than nature.

Peter knew that he was supposed to follow in Our Lord's footsteps, so he asked Jesus to call him to come and walk on the water too. When Jesus called him, Peter got out of the boat and started walking on the water too! But soon he noticed how windy it was and got scared. As soon as he got distracted from Jesus, he started to sink, until Jesus took him and helped him up.

We are supposed to follow in Our Lord's footsteps too. When Jesus wants you to do something, He will give you the grace you need to do it, just like He gave Peter the power to walk on the water. If you lose sight

of Jesus and only think about how hard it is, you won't be able to do what God asks, just like Peter when he started to sink. If you realize that you're having a hard time doing the right thing, it's time to turn back to Jesus!

Answer to puzzle on front: Jesus walking on the water. Answer to Flowers for Our Lady: Mary was assumed, body and soul, into Heaven!





All Weekend Masses Require Reservations

- Please be in your seat 10 minutes before mass begins. *If not, reservations are forfeited.*
- Please sit in the space for your assigned number.
- Call the office at 935-1465 for any changes:

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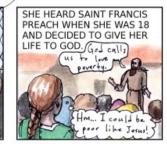
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- [°] When you will not attend mass
- When you make a change to your reservations: increase/decrease number attending and change of mass time.
- Parishioners will be confirmed for one (1) reservation. When changing mass time, the original reservation is forfeited.

Your safety and health are important, and we thank you for your understanding and cooperation. -Father Poli, Staff, Stewardship and PPAC

Saint Claire of Assisi

CLARE WAS THE DAUGHTER OF A WEALTHY COUNT IN ITALY IN THE 1200'S. SHE WAS DEVOTED TO GOD AND WASN'T INTERESTED IN WORLDLY THINGS.











ST. CLAIRE KNEW THAT HAVING NICE THINGS CAN KEEP US AWAY FROM JESUS. SHE GAVE AWAY EVERYTHING SHE HAD SO SHE COULD BE VERY CLOSE TO HIM, WHO HAD GIVEN UP EVERYTHING TO DIE ON THE CROSS FOR US. WE, TOO, SHOULD BE READY TO GIVE UP ANYTHING THAT GETS BETWEEN US AND GOD.

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WHAT TO EXPECT AND WHAT IS EXPECTED!

ARRIVING AT MASS...(arrive no later than

10 minutes before Mass or forfeit your reservation) UPON ARRIVAL, PLEASE SHOW YOUR RESERVATION CONFIRMATION TO THE FRONT DOOR HOSPITALITY TEAM. SOMEONE WILL ASSIST YOU IN LOCATING YOUR SEAT NUMBER. YOU MUST SANITIZE BEFORE ENTERING. PLEASE REMAIN IN YOUR SEATS AT ALL TIMES.

MASK TO BE WORN AT ALL TIMES

Only exceptions: priest-celebrant while he is speaking, and the lectors/cantors while they are reading/singing, and when you receive Holy Communion.

ALL WHO ATTEND MASS MUST MAINTAIN PROPER PHYSICAL DISTANCING (6 FEET)

HAND SANITIZER WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE ENTRANCE OF THE CHURCH, BUT YOU ARE ASKED TO BRING YOUR OWN AS WELL.

RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION...

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- · ONLY THE BODY OF CHRIST WILL BE DISTRIBUTED
- · USHERS WILL DIRECT YOU WHEN TO COME OUT OF YOUR PEW TO RECEIVE COMMUNION
- PLEASE MAINTAIN A 6 FOOT PHYSICAL DISTANCE FROM THE PERSON IN FRONT OF YOU; FOLLOW THE MARKINGS ON THE FLOOR
- YOU WILL RECEIVE COMMUNION ON THE HANDS ONLY TO PROTECT YOU, THE MINISTER AND THOSE WHO RECEIVE AFTER YOU.
- WHEN YOU COME FORWARD FOR COMMUNION, WEAR YOUR MASK OR FACE COVERING. WHEN RECEIVING: REMOVE YOUR FACE COVERING WHEN THE USHER INSTRUCTS, FLATTEN YOUR HANDS, CONSUME, COVER YOUR FACE AGAIN THEN RETURN TO YOUR SEAT
- · PARISHIONERS IN THE DESIGNATED HANDICAPPED SEATS WILL RECEIVE COMMUNION AFTER ASSEMBLY FROM CLERGY

DURING MASS...

THERE WILL BE NO MISSALETTES IN THE PEWS. YOU ARE FREE TO BRING YOUR OWN, BUT YOU MUST TAKE IT HOME WITH YOU.

COLLECTION BASKETS WILL NOT BE PASSED YOUR OFFERING MAY BE PLACED IN THE DESIGNATED WOODEN OFFERING BOX AT THE FRONT ENTRANCE.

- THERE WILL BE NO OFFERTORY PROCESSION
- HOLDING HANDS DURING THE LORD'S PRAYER IS NOT ALLOWED

DURING THE SIGN OF PEACE, YOU MAY SMILE, WAVE, BOW OR SHAKA TO YOUR NEIGHBOR (NO PHYSICAL CONTACT).

AFTER MASS...

AT THE CONCLUSION OF MASS, USHERS WILL DISMISS THE ASSEMBLY BY ROWS.

PROCEED DIRECTLY TO YOUR VEHICLE, CONGREGATING ON THE CHURCH LANAI, AND IN THE PARKING LOT WILL NOT BE ALLOWED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

IMMEDIATELY AFTER MASS, THE CHURCH DOORS WILL BE CLOSED TO SANITIZE THE EPEQUENTLY TOUCHED

THE FREQUENTLY TOUCHED AREAS

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION & PATIENCE DURING THIS TIME OF TRANSITION.



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