

# August 23, 2015

## 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Sat 6:00 P.M. Rosary

**6:30 P.M.** +Evelyn Gerik; +Ella B. Macik, Anniv; +Darrell Dan Gerik; +Gus Kocian; +Edward Soukup; +Arthur Deiterman; +Daniel Matus, BD; +Eddie Klaus, 45<sup>th</sup> W.A.; and Dave Redwine, Health

**Sun. 7:30 A.M.** +Frank J. Karlik, Sr., BD; and +Edward Soukup

**Sun. 9:00 A.M.** +Mary Willenborg; +Daniel Petter; +Rudolph Kolar; and +Eddie Klaus; and Holy Souls in Purgatory

**Sun. 10:30 A.M.** +Joe & Lillian Machovsky

**Sun. Spanish Mass (Noon)** Parish Family

**Mon. 6:30 P.M.** – Communion Service

**Tues. 6:30 A.M.** For the Health of Teresa Compton; and Special Intention DF

**Wed. Rosary 5:00 P.M.**

**6:30 P.M. (Healing Mass)** +Amos Cocek, Anniv.

**Thurs. 6:30 A.M.** +Freddy Gerik

**Fri. 8:15 A.M.** (7<sup>th</sup> Grade) +Bill Swamp Pokluda

**Next Sat. 6:00 P.M. Family Rosary**

**6:30 P.M.** +Shelia Brown; +Edward Soukup; +Albina Navratil; +John & Emily Nors; +Bernard Lenart, Sr.; and Thanksgiving for the 56<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary of Johnnie & Jeanette Cernosek

**Next Sun. 7:30 A.M.** +Edward Soukup

**Next Sun. 9:00 A.M.** +Andrew Hlavenka; +Johnnie Uptmore; +Raymond Hutyra; and +Louis & Regina Vanek

**Next Sun. 10:30 A.M.** +James Nors; +Mildred & W.J. "Red" Billingsley; and +George & Lillie Smajstrla

**Next Sun. Spanish (Noon)** Parish Family

**The final CCE Registration K-9th, RCIC and Confirmation Class will after all Masses on Aug 29-30.**

If entering grades K-3rd bring copy of baptismal certificate to registration.

### **CCE Calendars / Registration Form**

The CCE general calendar and registration form can be found online at [assumptionwest.org/cce](http://assumptionwest.org/cce).

The Confirmation Class will publish their calendar soon.

### **CCE Parent Meetings**

K-7th grade Parent Meeting is 7:30 Sept. 2 nd in Church with a teacher meeting to follow.

8th grade Parent Meeting is September 9 th 6:15 in Parish Center.

9th grade Parent Meeting is September 13 th – 9 a.m. in Parish Center.

Confirmation Parent Meeting is September 13 th – 9 a.m. St. Joseph's hall. ***This meeting is mandatory for all confirmation parents / students.***

### **First day of classes**

Classes begin September 9th for K - 7 and RCIC.

Classes begin September 16 th for 8th grade.

Classes begin September 20th for 9th grade and Confirmation.

### **CCE Teachers and aides are needed.**

Please contact Jason Janek (644-8732) or Lori Janek (299-7749) if you are interested in teaching, assisting, or being a part of the CCE program in anyway. EIM certification must be current for all CCE volunteers.

**TODAY** –. Immaculate Heart of Mary Church in Abbott, will be having their Annual Spaghetti Dinner and Raffle in the Parish Hall. The meal, consisting of spaghetti and meat sauce, salad bar, garlic bread, dessert, and drink is from 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. Adult plates and plates to go are \$8 and \$6 for child plates under 12. A

raffle with a variety of prizes will also be held. Winners need not be present to win.

**TODAY** - St. Mary's Church from Mexia will be selling raffle tickets next weekend.

**TODAY** -- Our adult Sunday study group will meet at 9:00 a.m. in the parish cafeteria. All sessions will last one hour.

**TODAY** – 50/50 Club meets in the Parish Center after the 7:30 a.m. Mass.

**TODAY -- ANNUAL PRAYER WALK FOR WEST ISD** -- We will meet this Sunday at the elementary school at 6:00 p.m. I will bring some prayer guides to hand out to participants. After we pray over the elementary campus, we will move to the middle/high school campus. From there, we will go past the football field and end at the administration building. I hope you can join us!

**TUESDAY** – Adoration after the 6:30 a.m. Mass. Personal time to spend with Jesus.

**TUESDAY** -- CDA will have a budget planning meeting on Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. in St. Joseph Hall. All interested CDA ladies are urged to attend so that the year's activities can be planned. Please contact Evelyn Petter at 826-5675 if you have any questions

**WEDNESDAY**-- R.C.I.A.—IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN JOINING THE CATHOLIC CHURCH, COMPLETING THE SACRAMENTS, OR JUST LEARNING MORE ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH...COME AND SEE. Classes will begin at 7:00 p.m. in St. Joseph's Hall.

**THURSDAY** - Adoration after the 6:30 a.m. Mass. Personal time to spend with Jesus.

**THURSDAY** – Grief Support will be at 7 p.m. in St. Joseph's Hall.

**FRIDAY** – The Men's Group meets at 6 a.m. at St. Joseph's for Bible Study.

**SATURDAY - HOMEMADE KOLACHES FUND RAISER** CDA will bake kolaches on Saturday. Ladies are asked to be at the Parish Center at 7:00 a.m. to begin baking. Kolaches will be available after 10:30 a.m. If you would like to preorder contact Margaret Webre at 826-3804 or Evelyn Petter at 826-5675. We will have sausage kolaches at \$14 per dozen and apricot, cherry, poppy, and pecan rolls at \$13.00 per dozen. If anyone would like to make a monetary donation to offset ingredient expenses please contact Margaret or Evelyn.

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**NEXT SUNDAY** -- Our adult Sunday study group will meet at 9:00 a.m. in the parish cafeteria. All sessions will last one hour.

**FOOD PANTRY NEEDS:** Syrup, pancake mix, peanut butter, jelly, chicken, salmon, tuna, spaghetti sauce, & spaghetti, chili, can fruits, peas, cake mix, soups, & Chef Boy r Dee and Hamburger Helpers. Thank you for your support!

**SANCTUARY LAMP** is in memory of Irene Kaska by Larry & Cathy Kaska.

**MARIAN SHRINE LIGHT** is in memory of Pete Miller by Lillian Miller.

**VOCATIONS CRUCIFIX** will be in the home of Evelyn Petter this week.

**PRAYERFUL SYMPATHIES** to Albin and Ervin Laubert on the loss of their brother, Lawrence Laubert of Waco and to Santiago Rodarte Family.

**ALTAR SERVERS** – Father Paul and Father Vincent are in need of Altar Servers for Masses on the weekends. The requirement is that you have received the Sacrament of First Holy Communion and it does not matter of the age from 3<sup>rd</sup> grade to 12<sup>th</sup> grade. What a beautiful way to share your talent with our Lord. We want to encourage parents to speak with your children and encourage them to become an Altar Server. Should you have questions please give the office a call at 826-3705 and speak with Father Paul or Father Vincent.

<b>OFFERTORY COLLECTION</b>	
Offertory Collection.....	\$ 9,287.00
St. Mary's.....	\$ 459.00
CCE.....	\$ 145.00

**ST. MARY'S ENDOWMENT FUND....**

In loving memory of **MARGARET MARY SINKULE** by Joe & Margot Paul; Alois & Deborah Pustejovsky; and Mary Sybert.

**PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING:** Teresa Compton, Tim Jaska, James Smith, Freddie Hutyra, Toostie Hannes, Sierra Shaw, Mildred Bajer; Cressie & Henry Girard, Charles "Chuck" Horton, Doris Bennett, Robert Smajstrla, Alex Perez; Bill Hannes; Ken Bernsen; Kelly Hooper, Jennifer Jares Ashley; Lillian Hromadka, Karcyn Kauffman, Larry Holecek, Wesley Mashek, Nilce Carman, Nathaniel Torres, Wendell Harrison, Billy Kelm, Paula Ledford, Martha Sulak Gerik, Cathy Heltenberg, Eugene Roznos, Louis Mynarcik, Larry Payne, Jason Neill, Albin Poehls, Zander Williams, Hattie Kolar, Chris Hutyra, Delbert Helms, Dawn Hand, John Price, Estelle Marek, Butch Manske, Johnny Hutyra, Richard Hlavenka, Charlotte Klaus, Dave Redwine and Jeff Jares.

**CEF PERPETUAL ENROLLMENT.....**

In loving memory of the **FREDDIE ANTHONY GERIK FAMILY** by Ellouise Anderson, Cliff & Bonnie Archer, Ernest Bezdek, Doug & Clara Carter, Mary Ann Cocek, Christine Doskocil, Raymond & Joyce Dulock, Chuck & Bunny Felderhoff, Dianne Friend, Nita Gerik, Bill & Laurann Grimm, Bob & Andrea Grimm and Family, Ray & Jennifer Grimm and Kallie, Dorothy Hajek, Gene & Martha Hosek, Harry Lee & Mary Ann Hykel, Agnes M. Johnson, Anna Louise Kaska, John & Wilma Kostecka, Charles & Rose Kubacak, Rufus & Agnes Lamere, Ervin & Geraldine Laubert, Milada Mazanec, George Meurer, Evelyn Petter,

<p><b><u>NEXT SATURDAY 6:30 P.M.</u></b>  <b>LECTOR</b> –Jodi Brown  <b>GIFTS</b> – Jason Sullins Family  <b>ALTAR SERVERS</b> – Dayla Woodard, Anthony Williams, Johnathon Nors  <b>EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS</b> – David &amp; Kim Woodard, Evelyn Stuckly</p> <p><b><u>SUN 7:30 A.M.</u></b>  <b>LECTOR</b>- Dennis Gloeckner  <b>GIFTS</b> – Bob &amp; Theresa Plsek  <b>ALTAR SERVERS</b> – Colton Meurer, Andrew Watson, Emily Polansky  <b>EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS</b> –Chuck &amp; Bunny Felderhoff, Katherine Maler</p> <p><b><u>9:00 A.M.</u></b>  <b>LECTOR</b> – Andrew Bosela  <b>GIFTS</b> – Jon Hlavenka Fam.  <b>SERVERS</b> –Everett, Parker, Reagan Bernsen  <b>EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS</b> –Harry &amp; Debby Marak, Bernice Dulock</p> <p><b><u>10:30 A.M.</u></b>  <b>LECTOR</b> – Nicholas Hovde  <b>GIFTS</b> – Jason Janek Family  <b>SERVERS</b> – Caroline &amp; Patrick Janek, Lucas Bryant  <b>EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS</b> - Kenny &amp; Carla Sykora, Sandra Sykora</p>
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Larry & Kathy Podsednik, Dan & Jeanette Pokluda, Louise (Lou) Pokluda, Joe & Carolyn Pustejovsky, James & Marcella Sinkule, Thomas & Margaret Sinkule, Steve & Frances Soukup, Dolores Sykora, Helen Trlica, Lillian Urbanovsky, Steve & Ann Vanek and Katy Campbell, Margaret Webre, and Tommy & Jo Ann Wolf.

In loving memory of the **LAWRENCE LAUBERT FAMILY** by Ervin & Geraldine Laubert; Victor & Debbie Damm, Jonathan & Peter Johnson; and Eric & Teresa Porter, Megan, Erica, Joseph & Matthew.

**LECTOR'S WORKSHOP** – Father Paul asked that all lectors be at a meeting on Saturday, September 12<sup>th</sup> from 9:30 to 11 a.m. in church. This meeting is to make sure that we have anyone who is willing to do this ministry and your information for scheduling.

### **CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING**

**CORNER** In the second reading this week, St. Paul uses the image of marriage to talk about Christ's love and commitment to us – the church. The long version of the reading has this crucial sentence; "Be subordinate to one another out of reverence for Christ." It is not a part of our culture to choose subordination, but as the other readings point out, we have a choice. Choosing to accept discipleship means choosing humility and deference to one another – especially those who are poor and most vulnerable. It is not easy, but it is the way that leads to eternal life and joy!

### **MINISTRY FOR STRUGGLING**

**COUPLES** Retrouvaille is a marriage program that helps spouses uncover or re-awaken the love, trust and commitment that originally brought them together. For confidential information about Retrouvaille or how to register for the program beginning with a weekend on Sept. 11-13,

call 1-800-470-2230 or visit the website at [www.helpourmarriage.com](http://www.helpourmarriage.com).

### **Family Connection**

When a child is baptized, the parents speak on behalf of the child in professing the faith in which the child is to be baptized. The parents promise to teach their child this faith so that they may one day accept this faith as his or her own. In the example of Simon Peter, we learn that each person must also make his or her own profession of faith in Jesus as the one sent by God to save us. We pray for our children as they mature in the faith that they may learn that Jesus alone has the words of eternal life and that they may choose to follow the way of Christian discipleship. As you gather as a family, talk about promise that parents make at their child's baptism to teach their child about Jesus and the faith of the Church. Talk about the importance of this promise to your family and about some of the things that you are doing to try to honor this commitment. In today's Gospel we hear Simon Peter speak about what he has come to believe about Jesus. Together read today's Gospel, John 6:60-69. Pray together that each person in our family will grow in his or her faith that Jesus is the one sent by God who alone has the words of eternal life. Pray together the Apostles' Creed or the Act of Faith.

#### **Someone in the Hospital???**

Because of new right-to-privacy regulations, the hospitals are no longer able to notify the Church office about patients in the hospital. If a member of your family is in the hospital or is ill and would like to see a priest, please call the parish office.

If God brings you to it, He will bring you through it.

*In God We Trust*



**GOD BLESS AMERICA**