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porque has revelado los misterios del Reino a la gente sencilla.*

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**Matthew 11:28-30**

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**Birthdays / Cumpleaños:** July/Julio 5, Angely Pacheco; 6, Benjamin Ochoa; 7, Josue Bahena, Dirk VanIngen; 14, Brandon Osorio, America Gonzalez; 15, Bryan Medrano; 18, Katie Harvey; 20, Joan Smith; 23, Gabriella Mesa; 31, Emmanuel Curiel.

**Anniversaries/Aniversarios...** July/Julio 3, Luis Sanchez y Lilian Henriquez, 12 anos.

**Weekly Readings**

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14° Semana del Tiempo Ordinario  
Zac/Zec 9:9-10  
Rom 8:9, 11-13  
Mt 11:25-30

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Gn 28:10-22a  
Mt 9:18-26

**July 11, Tuesday-Martes**  
Saint Benedict, Abbot  
San Benito, abad  
Gn 32:22-32  
Mt 9:32-38

**July 12, Wednesday-Miércoles**  
Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7, 17-24  
Mt 10:1-7

**July 13, Thursday-Jueves**  
Gn 44:18-21, 23-29; 45:1-5  
Mt 10:7-15

**July 14, Friday-Viernes**  
Saint/Santa Kateri Tekakwitha  
Gn 46:1-7, 28-30  
Mt 10:16-23

**July 15, Saturday-Sábado**  
Saint Bonaventure, Bishop  
San Buenaventura, obispo  
Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26  
Mt 10:24-33

**July 16, Sunday-Domingo**  
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Is 55:10-11  
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**Mass Intentions**

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St Mary Altar Society

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Parish

**Sat, July 15, 4:00 p.m. Milan**  
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**14th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A  
14° Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario, Año a  
Gospel of St. Matthew/El Evangelio de San Lucas  
July/Julio 8-9, 2023**

*From Deacon John...*

*God is humble. To follow Him as good stewards, we too must be humble. Humility is a central tenant of a stewardship life. In our Gospel, Jesus speaks to the Father about the role humility plays in salvation. “I give praise to you, Father, Lord of heaven and earth, for although you have hidden these things from the wise and the learned you have revealed them to little ones.” Who are “little ones”? People whom acknowledge they don’t have all the answers, and are very much in need of a savior. They recognize that all they have is a gift from God, and they embrace good stewardship as the path that leads to peace now, and ultimately to heaven.*

*Dios es humilde. Para seguirlo como buenos administradores, también debemos ser humildes. La humildad es un inquilino central de una vida de mayordomía. En nuestro Evangelio, Jesús le habla al Padre sobre el papel que juega la humildad en la salvación. “Te alabo, Padre, Señor del cielo y de la tierra, porque escondiste estas cosas de los sabios y de los entendidos, y las revelaste a los pequeños”. ¿Quiénes son los “pequeños”? Personas que reconocen que no tienen todas las respuestas y que necesitan mucho de un salvador. Reconocen que todo lo que tienen es un regalo de Dios y aceptan la buena mayordomía como el camino que conduce a la paz ahora y, en última instancia, al cielo.*

**Weekly Schedule of Services**

Sunday Celebration, Unionville 8:00 a.m.

Saturday Bilingual Mass, Milan 4:00 p.m.

Sunday Bilingual Mass, Milan 11:00 a.m.

Evening Vespers with Communion: Wed, 6:00 p.m.

Reconciliation, 30 minutes before mass & by appointment

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### Background on Today's Gospel

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### Bishop McKnight's July prayer intention for our Local Church

For the men and women in military uniform; that they may serve their country with honor and be kept safe, especially those serving in harm's way. We pray to the Lord.



### Intención del mes de julio del Obispo McKnight por nuestra Iglesia Local

Por los hombres y mujeres en uniforme militar; para que puedan servir a su país con honor y estén a salvo, especialmente aquellos que están que sirven en áreas de peligro.  
Rogemos al Señor.

company.

The second part of this reading calls to our attention the unity between the Father and the Son. God has made himself known through Jesus, and in knowing Jesus, we come to know the Father. In Jesus' life and in his person, God reveals himself to us.

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Tue, July 11 9-10:00 am	Ladies Yoga, Milan Parish Hall
Tue, July 11 6:00-8:00 pm	San Juan Grupo de Oración, Milan Iglesia
Tue, July 11 7:00 pm	Stewardship Council Meeting Milan Parish Hall
Wed July 12 7:00 pm	Liturgy of the Hours / Visperas, with Communion Milan Church
Thu, July 13 9-10:00 am	Ladies Yoga, Milan Parish Hall
Fri, July 14 8:00-5:30 pm	Milan Community Food Pantry Monthly Distribution Day
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Sun, July 23 8:30 am	16th Sunday, Holy Mass, Unionville Church

Giving and Expenditures	Last 30 Days	Year To Date
Weekly Collections	\$5,438	\$2,046
Operating Expense	\$5,581	\$1,598
Balance	-\$143	\$1,352



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*As we continue to celebrate the pascal mystery,  
may the selfless life of Jesus Christ*

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Collections	\$2,577	\$682
Expenses	\$7,529	\$540
Balance	<b>-\$4,952</b>	\$142



***Bishop McKnight's July Prayer Intention:***

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**The Fourteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time  
Year A, Sunday, July 9, 2023**

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Sun, July 16 11:00 am	15th Sunday Mass and Livestream Milan Church
Wed July 19 5:00 pm	Evening Prayer Unionville Church
Sun, July 23 8:30 am	<b>16th Sunday Holy Mass</b> <b>Unionville Church</b>

### Ministers

### July

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