

HOLY ANGELS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Patrick Hirtz

SEPTEMBER
Month of Our Lady of Sorrows

*"The Lord upholds my life."
Ps 54:3-4, 5, 6 & 8*



September 19, 2021 — 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

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Mission Statement

Holy Angels is a Catholic community of faith joining past, present, and future members on a journey with Christ to the Father. Through worship, stewardship, evangelization, and works of charity, we strive to more perfectly image God, who is love.

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 5:00pm
Sunday: 8:00am and 10:45am
Spanish Mass: Sunday at 1:00pm
Daily Mass: M, W, F at 12 noon; Th at 9:00am
First Saturday ONLY is at 8:00am
(Holydays & Holidays: See special announcement in bulletin)
CONFESSION - Saturday: 4:00-4:30pm;
Sunday: between Masses or by appointment



We welcome any visitors, including those who may not be of our Catholic faith. We pray that our celebration of the sacred liturgy today was a meaningful one for you. If you are a new member in the parish, complete a census form and return it to the parish office. Census forms can be found in the foyer. To date we have 140 families and 353 parishioners.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR WEEK of Sept 19th – 25th

Sanctuary Candle

Bread & Wine

Flowers

9/19	Su	8:00am 10:45am 1:00pm	Repose of the soul of Suzanne Rezac-Seat by Shirley Broussard Lurks Health Intentions of John Fineran Spanish Mass People of Holy Angels, living and deceased
9/20	M	12 Noon	Repose of the soul of Frances Zabrauskas by Bill and Judy Boehmler
9/22	W	12 Noon	Repose of the soul of Chris Alley by Dot Alley
9/23	Th	9:00am	Repose of the soul of Brad Byrd by Judy & Bill Boehmler
9/24	F	12 Noon	In honor of Linda Epley by Dot Alley
9/25	Sa	5:00pm	Repose of the soul of Roger Charest by Terry Charest

MINISTERS SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK:

Sept 25-26	5:00pm	8:00am	10:45am
Lector	Barbara Pugh	Ghett Cayabas	Katie Pugh
Eucharistic Ministers	Sue Hurst	Moe Sims	Dot Alley
	Judy Boehmler	Marilyn Luckenbaugh	Enrique Rodriguez
Servers	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
Ushers	Bill Boehmler	Bryan Frank	Ken Dunn
	Volunteer	Joseph McGowan	Rad Hunsley
Greeter	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
Honor Family	Ushers	Ushers	Ushers
Sacristan	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer

PRE Classes

Wednesdays at 6:00pm – PRE for grades 5, 6, 7, 8-9, and 10-12
Sundays 9:15-10:15am – PRE for grades K-4

On Sunday, Sept 12th
MASS returned to 10:45am

VANCO

Some parishioners are under the impression that when they sign up for Online Giving they are required to contribute to all of the second collections. This is not the case. When you establish an account, you specify how much to give and how frequently (weekly, bi-weekly, monthly, etc.), but it only pertains to the regular collection. To contribute to a second collection, you would need to open your account on the computer and specify the second collection and the amount you wish to contribute. The advantages of Online Giving are that you don't have to remember to write a check and submit it in the collection, it helps you budget your contributions, when you're away from the parish on vacation you don't have to worry about making up your contribution when you return and it also helps the parish budget our income more accurately. It's a win-win situation for you and for the parish. I hope more of you will come to realize the advantages and sign up for Online Giving.



Holy Angel's new communication system from Bishop David and the Diocesan Communication Office. Smarter emailing and texting for Holy Angels. Now we can easily send messages, emails, texts, updates, event notifications, prayer lists and much more. Sign-up for FREE! It is simple to connect! Text CDOMHA (all capital letters) to 84576. After sending the text, you will be sent a link to register with Holy Angels.

PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE connect to Flocknote and Holy Angels
Fr. Patrick Hirtz

Collection Report 9/11-12/2021

Reg Collection		\$2019.60
Online Donations		\$1570.00
Total Reg Collection		\$3589.60
Budget	\$3516.00	+\$73.60
Reg Disbursements		\$2769.22
Catholic University		\$75.00
Votive Candles		\$26.00
Memorials		\$50.00
Emg Disaster Relief		\$1109.00
B/M Collection		\$826.00
B/M Disbursements		\$65.00

2nd Collections for August

- 9/5 Building Maintenance
- 9/5 The Catholic University of America

Special Collections for August

- 9/12 Bishops Emergency Disaster Fund — Haiti

This special collection is for those affected by Tropical Storm Grace, the earthquake in Haiti, and now Hurricane Ida. This collection will be used for immediate emergency needs and will aid in the long-term rebuilding and recovery efforts. Funds will be distributed where they are most needed.

May Our Lady of Perpetual Help, patroness of Haiti, intercede for us that this special appeal will be successful and provide for the needs of the people and the Church in Haiti.

You can drop-off your collection checks by using the outside black secure mailbox located at the office door on Tucker Street.

Attendance

(140 families /353 parishioners)

9/11-12 35-74-32-14 155

Alb Care Volunteers

Sept – Linda Epley

Altar Linen Care Volunteers

Sept – Cheryl Spence

Men of Holy Angels...

Want to learn more about the Knights?
Visit www.holyangelscc.com and learn more.
Why wait... Do it today!!!



**KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS**

MEETING

Sunday, Sept 26, 2021
6:00pm in the Conference Room

FORMED – To sign up FREE of charge as a parishioner of Holy Angels Church, go to v account. After doing so, you'll have access to a wealth of material to grow in your

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.)

Monday evenings at 6:30pm in the Conference Room

8th Grade Confirmation Class Schedule

Wed	Sept 22	6-8pm	Confirmation Class / Youth Group
Wed	Sept 29	6-8pm	Confirmation Class / Youth Group
Wed	Oct 6	-----	NO Class / Fall Break
Wed	Oct 13	6-8pm	Confirmation Class / Youth Group
Sun	Oct 17	8:00am	Mass / 9-1pm Confirmation Class / Mini Retreat
Wed	Oct 20	6-8pm	8 th & 9 th grade Confirmation Review Class / ALL Confirmandi
Wed	Oct 27	6-8pm	Mandatory Parent Meeting w/ ALL Confirmandi & Sponsors
Sat	Oct 30	11:00am	Confirmation Mass - arrive at 9am ALL Confirmandi & Sponsors

Sept 19th — 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time (B) The consequences of sin affect the daily lives of all people. We are called to live lives that are holy and abundant with the grace and peace that Jesus provides when we strive to serve one another. To serve one another we must have humility. We recognize God's grace and wisdom by the fruits produced; peace, gentleness, and mercy are abundant. That which is good and right may not always be convenient and easy to manage. Moral rightness doesn't change based on convenience. We cannot claim convenience as a mitigating factor in determining rightness or wrongness of an action. Jesus taught his disciples that they should be servants of one another rather than seeking recognition and power over one another.

Sept 20th — Bible Club Monday Participate in an hour-long, casual bible study beginning at 1:00pm, every Monday at the home of Sarah & Ken Alley. Contact Sarah at 731-445-2922.

Sept 21st — Feast of St. Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist St. Matthew (1st century), referred to as the "tax collector," when Christ called him to leave his former ways to follow him and become one of the Twelve Apostles and the Evangelist who authored the first of the four accounts of the Gospel. His account has a two-fold purpose: one, to announce that Jesus is the eternal king of all creation; and two, to encourage faith in the face of doubt, especially regarding persecution. We have very little information about him, other than he invited Jesus to his home to dine with societal outcasts (Matt 9:9-13), and that he preached the Good News after the Resurrection. Tradition says he began preaching in Judea, then moved on to Ethiopia, Persia, Syria, Macedonia, and possibly Ireland. He is venerated as a martyr, even though history does not tell us how or where he died.

Sept 22nd — Scriptural Rosary The Scriptural Rosary will be recited on Wednesday, Sept 8th at 5:45pm in the Church. We will recite the Glorious Mysteries this week.

Sept 23rd — Memorial of St. Pio of Pietrelcina, Priest Early in life, St. "Padre" Pio of Pietrelcina (1887-1968), a Capuchin priest from Italy, demonstrated an unquenchable thirst for God. While praying one day before a crucifix, he received the visible replicas of the wounds of Christ on his body, known as the stigmata. After an examination by a doctor, it was determined that there was no natural explanation for the wounds. Along with the stigmata, he experienced other mystical phenomena, including bilocation, the ability to be in two places at the same time, and reading the hearts of those who sought counsel and forgiveness in the Sacrament of Reconciliation. These two miraculous gifts enabled him to lead both the sinner and devout closer to God. Upon his death the stigmata were no longer visible.

Oct 8-9 — Eucharistic Congress / Sign-Up Today The Eucharistic Congress is a popular, free faith-filled Catholic event that will encourage you in your faith. Plan to attend this year's event Fri/Sat, Oct 8/9 at the Renasant Convention Center. Visit www.CDOM.org to register and view the schedule.

MARQUEN SUS CALENDARIOS! Nuestro Primer Congreso Eucarístico Diocesano tendrá lugar los días Viernes 8 y Sábado 9 de Octubre de 2021. Este Evento de unificación espiritual reúne a miles de Católicos de todo el Medio Sur para disfrutar de charlas espirituales, música, oración, y convivencia –todo ello centrado alrededor del Santísimo Sacramento. Ya puede registrarse (inscribirse) para este evento gratuito. Para mayores informes visite www.CDOM.org

Nov 18th - 21st — National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC) We're getting ready to attend the NCYC Nov 18th – 21st in Indianapolis, so we're doing a few fundraisers to defer the cost. Check out our website: thatsmypan.biz/HolyAngelsYouth or visit our table in the Parish Hall to see samples of products and place an order. Thank you for your continued support!

SACRAMENTS

Baptism - A preparation class is required of the parents requesting Baptism for their first child. Parents and godparents are encouraged to attend the class before the baby's birth.

Confirmation - is celebrated with students who are at least in the 8th grade and have completed the requirements for the preparation process in our PRE program.

Matrimony - Couples planning to marry should contact the Pastor at least 6 months prior to the proposed date so all parish and diocesan requirements may be completed.

Holy Orders - If you feel called to a vocation in the priesthood or religious life, please contact the pastor.

Anointing of the Sick - If you wish to receive this sacrament, contact the pastor. If there is an emergency situation, an immediate family member should contact the pastor.

Nursery

The nursery is located in the classroom next to the kitchen in the parish hall. The nursery is open to children birth to 4 years.

Notify the Parish of Seriously Ill Family Member

If a family member has been admitted to the hospital or is ill at home, please let us know by contacting Cathi Shea in the Parish Office.

Bulletin Announcement Deadline

Items must be received by Monday at 12 noon. Please submit all items to ccshea@cableone.net



CATHOLIC DIOCESE of MEMPHIS

Procedure for Reporting Sexual Abuse

Anyone who has knowledge of or who has cause to suspect an incident of sexual abuse should report the information to the appropriate civil authorities first at the **Tennessee Child Abuse Hotline**

1-877-237-0004, then to the

Diocesan Dir of Child & Youth Protection
901-359-2027, or the

Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator
901-652-4066

The Diocese of Memphis will treat all reports in a confidential manner

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www.holyangelscc.formed.org, click on the "REGISTER NOW" button and establish an r faith. Please take advantage of this opportunity to benefit yourselves and others.

SEPTEMBER – Month of Our Lady of Sorrows

Today in the Gospel, the disciples do not easily understand Jesus' teaching. After Jesus tries to explain to them that he will have to suffer and die, they cannot understand and they begin arguing about who is the greatest. Jesus then teaches them that the last shall be first and that those who welcome the littlest among them will receive God. A child in Jesus' day had no status or rights. It is this lowly person that the disciples must not only receive, but become in Jesus' name. We see how Jesus patiently continues to instruct his disciples toward a deeper understanding of the heart of his mystery.

"What were you arguing about?" Who is the greatest and most important? In our time, we see how fleeting fame is. Today Jesus asks us to humble ourselves, become childlike and welcome God into our hearts and lives. Then we become a reproach to hypocrisy, wickedness and getting ahead at all costs. The change makes us like children. In welcoming Jesus, we welcome the one who sent him, the heavenly Father and the life-giving Spirit. Now there is a childlike wonder—and real importance!

FIRST READING (Wisdom 2:12, 17-20) It is hard to imagine the depths of hatred and revenge that give rise to the thoughts expressed in today's First Reading. There is also a fair amount of guilt and failure to repent, given the accusations of the prophet's word. The goodness of God's Son is too much for the wicked. They seek to try him by fire in order to prove him and test whether God will in fact deliver him. Christians see this text as fulfilled in the Passion and death of Jesus.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Psalm 54:3-4, 5, 6 & 8) Psalm 54 is a prayer of confidence in a time of danger. The psalmist describes his affliction and proclaims his trust in the God who upholds his life.

An appeal to the name of God implies an appeal to God's strength and faithfulness; the essence of the divine character. It was a way of asking God to become visibly active in the petitioner's life. The whole of the psalm, like the Responsorial itself, proclaims faith that God will care for the unjustly oppressed one.

SECOND READING (James 3:16—4:3) Today's reading from James is a perfect complement to our First Reading. The "disorder" and "foul" (James 3:16) practices of the wicked are evident in the text from Wisdom, as is the "wisdom from above" as lived by the Son of God. The same dynamic endangers the lives of those to whom James' words are addressed—ourselves among them. Are we driven by our self-centered passions and desires or by the wisdom from above that promotes peace and bears good fruit in our behavior?

GOSPEL (Mark 9:30-37) Today's reading follows upon the Transfiguration of Jesus (the "there" in the first line). That event is framed by Jesus' teachings on his imminent suffering, death, and Resurrection—the only way to glory. The disciples do not understand his teaching and are afraid to ask him to explain (some fourteen verses earlier they had been chastened by Jesus for their faithlessness). It is not only this that they don't understand; they have missed the point of much that Jesus tried to teach them, as is evident from their arguing among themselves about who was the greatest. A child in Jesus' days had no status or rights. It is this lowly person that the disciples must not only receive, but become in Jesus' name.

The death that Jesus was going toward was politically and physically appalling. Religiously, it was considered proof of the person's God-forsakenness. Jesus, seeing the disciples' opinions about rank, declares that God is to be found where they least expect or want to go. The just one will suffer, but God will not abandon him.

REFLECTION In the Second Reading, James asks a pertinent question: "Where do the conflicts among you come from?" (James 4:1). This is a good question to ask in our families, at work, and in the neighborhood. It is not differences of opinions or even arguments that are the problems. It is how we handle them. Can we forgive? Can we compromise? Can we let go of things? How do we challenge ourselves to consciously embrace the Cross?

**Readings: 25th Week in Ordinary Time (B)**

Su	9/19	Wis 2:12, 17-20 • Ps 54:3-6, 8 • James 3:16—4:3 • Mark 9:30-37
M	9/20	Ezra 1:1-6 • Ps 126:1-6 • Luke 8:16-18
Tu	9/21	Eph 4:1-7, 11-13 • Ps 19:2-5 • Matt 9:9-13
W	9/22	Ezra 9:5-9 • Tobit 13:2-4, 7-8 • Luke 9:1-6
Th	9/23	Hag 1:1-8 • Ps 149:1-6, 9 • Luke 9:7-9
F	9/24	Hag 2:1-9 • Ps 43:1-4 • Luke 9:18-22
Sa	9/25	Zech 2:5-9, 14-15a • Jer 31:10-13 • Luke 9:43b-45

**Anniversaries: Sept 19th – Sept 25th**

9/19 Dean & Ann Dedmon
9/20 Kenneth & Elizabeth Schwarz

Birthdays: Sept 19th – Sept 25th

9/20 Beth Bell, Neel Durbin, Rose Hodge
9/21 Brian Lee
9/23 Fidelina Mar Gonzalez, Chip Hughes
9/25 Linda Epley

FOOD DRIVE for Matthew 25:40

Help us fill Matthew's Food Pantry!!!
Place donations in the grocery buggy located in the hallway at the canopy entrance.

SHARE WHAT YOU CAN**Pope Francis' Monthly Prayer Intention**

Each year, the Holy Father asks for our prayers for a specific intention each month. You are invited to answer the Holy Father's request and to join with many people worldwide in praying for this intention each month. Only one intention is offered per month, whether universal or related to evangelization.

SEPTEMBER**Universal Intention****An environmentally sustainable lifestyle**

We pray that we all will make courageous choices for a simple and environmentally sustainable lifestyle, rejoicing in our young people who are resolutely committed to this.

Funerals

When planning a funeral for a loved one, please call the pastor before making any arrangements with the funeral home regarding the date and time of visitation, the funeral Mass or service at the funeral home.

Hospitality Committee

Holy Angels will provide a funeral luncheon if the family of the deceased requests one. The Hospitality Committee consists of several women from the parish who volunteer to host the luncheons. Someone from the committee will be calling on you for food and help when the need arises.