ST. ANDREW'S
CATHOLIC CHURCH

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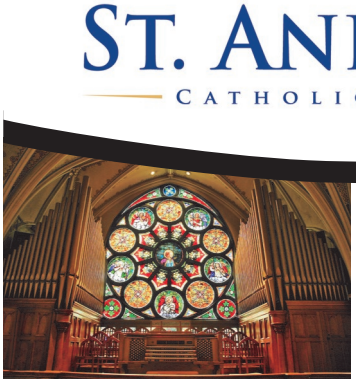
Office Hours: Monday-Friday 9:00-4:00



AUGUST 18, 2019 • TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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RECONCILIATION: Saturdays 4:00-5:00pm and Thursdays 5:30-6:30pm in the Chapel or by appointment.

BAPTISM: Baptisms at St. Andrew's occur both during Mass and outside Mass throughout the year. First time parents are required to attend a Baptism Preparation Class. For more information or to schedule a Baptism, please contact the Parish Office.

MATRIMONY: Contact the Parish Office for information on scheduling a wedding and preparation requirements.

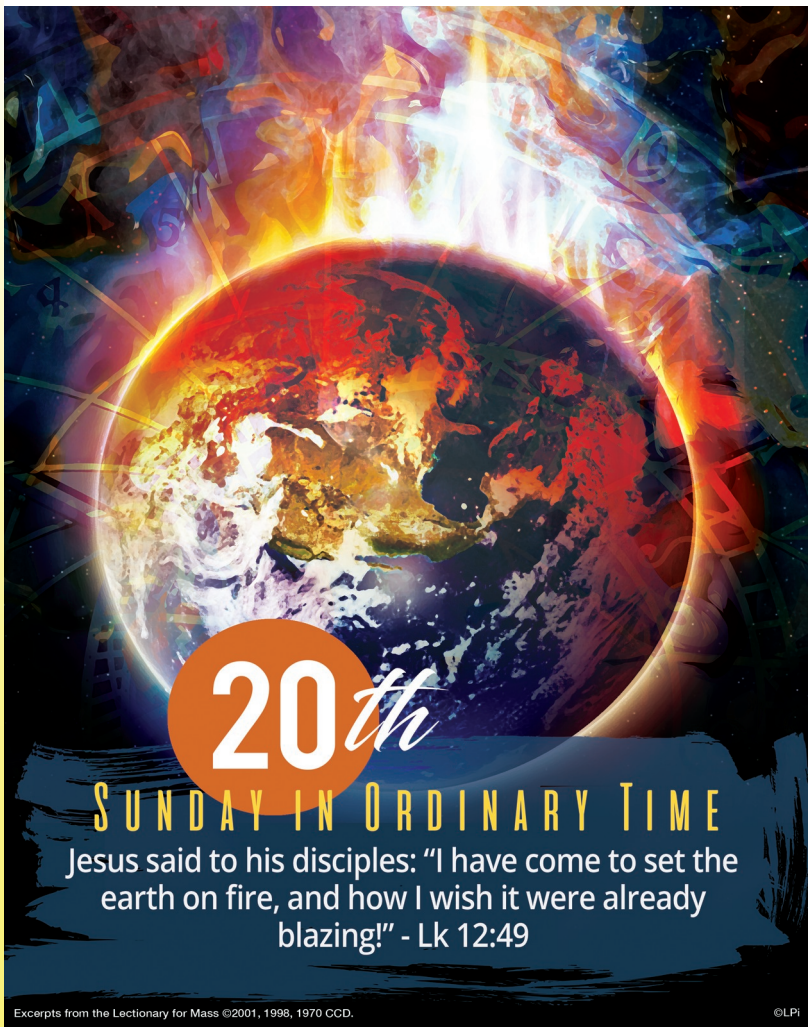
PASTORAL CARE: Please contact the Parish Office if a family member or friend is hospitalized or homebound and would like to receive Communion and/or the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick.

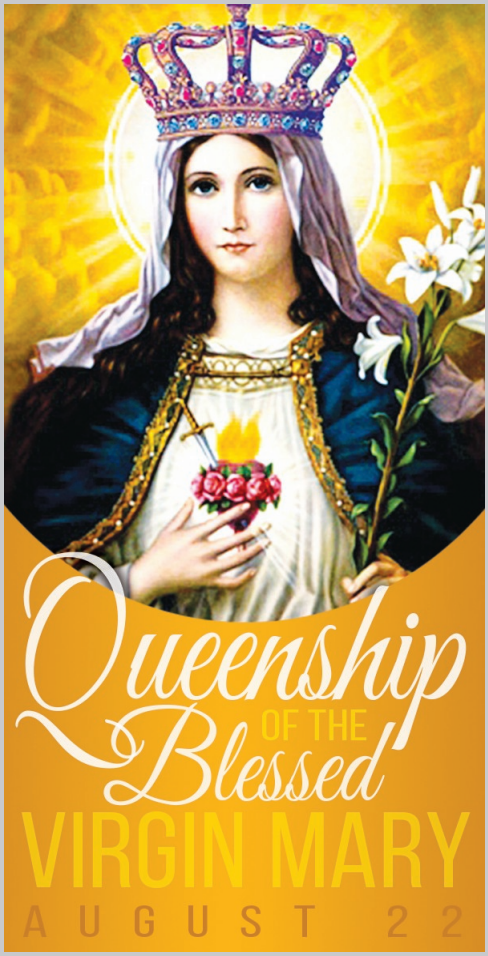
YOUTH MINISTRY: Middle School, Wednesdays 6:00-7:30pm; High School, Sundays (as scheduled) 1:00-3:00pm

CHRISTIAN FORMATION CLASSES
Grades K-8: Sundays (as scheduled) 10:15-11:15am

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday: 5:30 pm • **Sunday:** 7:30, 9:00 & 11:30 am
Daily and Holydays: Schedule inside bulletin
Children's Liturgy of the Word: 9:00 & 11:30 Mass for children ages 4–8
A nursery for infants and toddlers is available during the 9:00 & 11:30 Masses.
Adoration: Thursdays 12:30-7:00pm • **Benediction:** 6:45pm
Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet: Saturdays 9:00-9:45am in the Church





"From this day all generations will call me blessed: the Almighty has done great things for me and holy is his Name. He has cast down the mighty from their thrones, and has lifted up the lowly."

- Lk 1:48b-49, 52

Parish News

THIS WEEKEND, AUGUST 17/18, we welcome Bruce Slough, Executor Director, to represent Saint Francis Home, a non-profit assisted living facility located in Richmond, VA. Saint Francis Home is a social ministry of the Diocese of Richmond which serves seniors and disabled adults of limited financial means by offering life-enhancing care and services designed to promote physical, mental, emotional, social, and spiritual well-being in a home-like environment where independence, dignity, and self-worth are nurtured. ***Please be generous in the second collection as we support the residents of Saint Francis Home with our financial assistance.***

MARK YOUR CALENDAR for ***Sunday, September 8*** for our ***annual parish picnic***. The picnic begins after the 11:30am Mass. ***We need many volunteers!*** Please email Jeannie at jmcintyre@standrewsva.org to sign-up. *This is a great way to get to know other parishioners!*

SAMS PLAYGROUP: Happy New School Year! **On Wednesday, August 21st, we head back to the nursery for a new year** of pre-k play fun, mommy visiting time and different Catholic family crafts and activities to help enrich the Domestic Church at home. A full calendar will be emailed out soon! We will meet every Wednesday at 9:30am—11:00am in the nursery. To be added to our Playgroup email list or for questions, please contact Maria MacBain at mtrmacbain@icloud.com. You may also join us for announcements and community on our closed Facebook Page: SAMs-St. Andrew Moms. *Looking forward to seeing you and your littles very soon!*

JOIN THE MEN OF ST. ANDREW'S for brotherly fellowship on ***Tuesday, August 27*** at 7:07pm in the Social Hall.

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A FOSTER PARENT FOR A CHILD IN NEED? There is a great need for foster parents in the Roanoke Valley. Lucia Gibson, The Foster Parent specialist from Catholic Charities, will be at St. Andrew's at a ***table in the Commons after all masses next weekend, August 24/25,*** to provide information on their program and how to become a foster parent. *Please stop by.* For more information, please call/text Suzanne Guilfoyle at (540)400-9031.

Sacrificial Giving

Collection Report	August 11	Fiscal Year July 1, 2018 — June 30, 2019
Sunday & Holy Days	$17,533	$1,163,667
Maintenance Fund	$ 1,523	$117,612
Total received	$19,056	$1,281,279
Total income budgeted	$24,632	$1,416,000
Better (Worse)	$ (5,576)	$(134,721)

Create a legacy of giving,
please remember St. Andrew's in your estate plans.

Parish and Community News

7 LOAVES MINISTRY: If you or anyone you know is facing a challenging time, be it a joyous occasion such as the birth of a child, or a somber season through illness, surgery or the loss of a loved one, 7Loaves is ready to serve. We prepare and deliver dinners on dates determined by the family or individual. For more information on receiving support from 7Loaves or to join our ministry, please email Maria MacBain at 7loavesstandrew@googlegroups.com. You may also request to be added to our group email forum at: https://groups.google.com/d/forum/7loavesstandrew.

PLANNING TO BRING COMMUNION TO A LOVED ONE? If you are planning to bring communion to a loved one from Sunday Mass using a PYX, please make prior arrangements with Fr. Kevin if possible by calling the office at (540)344-9814. In a last minute situation, talk to the priest before Mass to let him know that you will be presenting a PYX at Communion and then present yourself for Communion in the priest's line as opposed to a lay minister's line. In this way all of us can follow proper protocol when leaving the church with the Blessed Sacrament.

ST. ANDREW'S ROSARY MAKERS GUILD has recently hung a rosary board in the Marian Chapel for anyone wishing to pray the rosary while they visit the church. Rosaries made by members of our Guild are hung on the board and worshipers are encouraged to use them while here praying, returning them to the board as you leave so we always have rosaries here. Please join us for the next meeting on ***Thursday, August 22 at 7:00pm*** *in the* Social Hall. For more information, please call Tim at (540) 427-2115.

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"I have come to set the earth on fire," Do you want to carry the fire of the Lord to his people as a priest? Please call the Vocations Office at (804) 359-5661 to speak with Fr. Brian Capuano or email vocations@richmonddiocese.org.

Our website is www.standrewsroanoke.org, find us on Facebook at "St. Andrew's Catholic Church in Roanoke, Virginia" and Twitter @standrewroanoke, to sign-up for Flocknote (text messaging) text *StAndrewRoanoke* to *84576*

FORMED: https://standrewsroanoke.formed.org Code: JQNXD2

Middle School Youth events can be followed on Facebook at "St. Andrew's Roanoke Youth Ministry", Twitter @andrew_youth, or Instagram "st.andrewsym"

High School Youth events can be followed on Facebook at "Youth of St. Andrew Roanoke-High School Youth Group", Instagram is @standrew_hs_youth, to receive text message reminders about **Youth Events**, text YOSAR to 84576

GENERAL INFORMATION—*Parish Office Hours:* Monday-Friday, 9:00am - 4:00pm. *In Case of Emergency* contact the office telephone 24 hours a day at 344-9814 and the answering service will help you if the staff is not available.

THE MAUSOLEUM AT ST. ANDREW'S—This beautiful, indoor facility provides our parishioners and their immediate families the opportunity to be interred on the hill. Please call Jill Blanchard at the Parish Office to schedule an appointment or for more information.

Construction News

Slating has begun on the outside of the church. Copper gutters are being fabricated on site and installed on the perimeter of the church. Installation of new lightening protection will begin in a couple of weeks. The chimneys are complete. The new flu liner has been installed. Repointing of the brinks remains on schedule. The scaffolding on the rear of the church is on schedule to be removed mid-September.

If you notice signs on the interior of the church stating an area is not to be accessed during construction unless there is an emergency, ***please abide by these signs.***

Local Directory

St. Andrew's Cemetery
595-7173
Our Lady of the Valley Retirement Community
345-5111
St. Francis Food Pantry
342-7561
R.A.M. (Roanoke Area Ministries)
345-9786
Madonna House
343-8464
Commonwealth Catholic Charities
344-5107
K of C Council #562
774-8296
Ancient Order of Hibernians
556-8883
Catholic Historical Museum
556-7240
ROANOKE CATHOLIC SCHOOL
For information call 982-3532.
Principal: Patrick Patterson
Offering classes grades from PK—12

High School Youth News

THE CONFIRMATION ORIENTATION IS WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28 at 6:30PM: Join us for this informational meeting for parents and students registered for Confirmation Preparation for the 2019—2020 school year. Calendars and all pertinent information will be distributed and explained at the meeting.

ATTENTION COLLEGE FRESHMAN! We would love to know what your plans are for next year. Please email mgaskin@standrewsva.org or go to https://www.standrewsva.org/graduating-seniors and fill out the form. Good luck in all your endeavors. *You are in our hearts and prayers!*

2019-2020 YOSAR PEER LEADERSHIP TEAM: Are you interested in having a larger role in YOSAR this year? Are you confirmed? We are looking for qualified teens that would be interested in and committed to having a leadership role to apply for the 2019-2020 YOSAR Peer Leadership Team. For more information and an application, check out https://standrewsva.org/yosar-peer-leadership-team!

MEAL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! We need volunteers to provide meals on Sunday afternoons for LifeTeen/Confirmation sessions. You would be providing lunch for the youth of Saint Andrew (about 35-45 students) from 1:00—1:30 (set up will begin after 11:30 mass in the Social Hall). If you are interested in getting involved, or would like more information, please email Megan! You can also sign up at https://standrewsva.org/yosar-forms. Sessions start in October.

UPCOMING EVENTS

SEPTEMBER 8 is our ***annual parish picnic!*** Volunteers are needed to help with activities and face painting at the YOSAR booth.

SEPTEMBER 25 is the YOSAR/Middle School Kick-off picnic from 5:00—7:00pm.

SEPTEMBER 29: The Rite of Recognition for all Confirmation candidates is at the 11:30 Mass. Our first Confirmation Class follows from 1:00—3:00pm in the lower level Classrooms 2/3.

High School Youth News

WHAT IS GRACE?

"Grace is *favor*, the *free and undeserved help* that God gives us to respond to his call to become children of God, adoptive sons, partakers of the divine nature and of eternal life." "Grace is a *participation in the life of God*." Grace is God in us, with us and for us!

~(1996,1997) Catechism of the Catholic Church 1997

Family Promise has returned to St. Andrew's!

Family Promise is a program in the Roanoke Valley that assists homeless families in finding a place to live. Local churches open their doors to these families for a week at a time to offer a good meal and a place to sleep while they search for employment and a place of residence. It has proven highly successful in helping families achieve that goal.

St. Andrew's will host three or four families the week of **September 15-22, 2019**.

We need volunteers in several areas:

- Overnight hosts (after dinner to morning)
- Dinner hosts to prepare a meal & cleanup

If you want to participate in this great ministry, reach out to Kathy McDaniel at 344-9814 or kmcdaniel@standrewsva.org

Community News

WOMEN'S CURSILLO WEEKEND for Catholic women ages 18 and over are invited to attend a personal Encounter with Christ from ***November 14—17, 2019*** at Camp Alta Mons in Shawsville, VA. The cost of the weekend is $195 which includes meals, supplies and lodging. ***Applications must be submitted by October 30, 2019.*** Early sign up is recommended. For more information, please contact Shirlee Schiavoni at (540)798-1932 or email shirl.schiavoni79@gmail.com or Brenda Holtzlander at (540)389-0128 or email cbhoho@gmail.com. *Information is also available on the OLPH website at* www.olphsalem.org/cursillo.

ST. FRANCIS HOUSE FOOD PANTRY NEEDS JELLY! *They tell us they have plenty of peanut butter but they need* ***jelly!*** ***As always,*** any non-perishable item such as macaroni & cheese, soup, rice, tuna, ramen, pasta, spaghetti sauce, cereal, and oatmeal are appreciated. Collection bins are located at the Church entrances. ***Thank you for your continued support of this ministry!***

BENEDICTINE OBLATES desire to live the Gospel values as a monk in the world, seeking God by striving to become holy in their everyday life, in their family and their workplace by following the Rule of St. Benedict. Oblates are associated with a monastic community, offering their lives to God through prayer and service. Faithfully participating in the liturgical and sacramental life of the Church, Oblates promise to practice a prayerful life in their particular denomination. Our Oblates are affiliated with St. Benedict Monastery in Bristow, VA. We meet the second Saturday of each month (September—May) at Holy Name of Mary Church, 1307 Oakwood Street in Bedford from 9:30am—12:30 pm. ***All visitors are welcome!*** For more information, go to osbva.org or email Rita Zimmermann at rzimmermann.obl.sb@gmail.com.

LADIES GAME NIGHT meets ***Tuesday, August 20 at 6:00pm*** in the Social Hall.

CAN YOU HELP AT THE RESCUE MISSION?
We have two dates in August to serve at the Rescue Mission. We need 8—10 volunteers for both ***Thursday, August 22 and August 29.*** Please consider joining us to serve. For more information or to sign-up, please call John Hitchins at 343-7087.

Community News

WHAT IN THE WORLD IS GOING ON WITH THESE INFANTICIDE LAWS AND HOW WE CAN STOP THEM IN VIRGINIA? All area Respect Life Ministries are bringing Olivia Gans Turner, President of the Virginia Society for Human Life to ***St. Andrew's Catholic Church on Tuesday, September 24 at 7:00pm.*** This presentation will explain the recent flurry of abortion laws at the state level, the shocking reality that Virginia is one vote away from having the inhumane late term abortion laws like those of New York, and educate us on the consequences of federal legislation like the ERA and what we need to do about it. This is a don't miss presentation! ***Save the Date!*** Contact Suzanne Guilfoyle for more information at (540)400-9031 or suzmguil@gmail.com

NEW KIOSK ITEMS! Please browse the new titles and CD's available at our Kiosk. The study guide for the Gospel of Luke is one of our new offerings. This is a great way to complete a bible study, working independently at your own pace at home. We have many other offerings as well. If there is an item you would like to see on our Kiosk, contact Butch Steahly at pbsteahly1@cox.net.

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT DAY: Renew the power of the Holy Spirit received at Baptism. On Saturday, September 14, John Beaulieu will lead the program at ***Transfiguration Catholic Church in Fincastle*** from 9:15am–5:00pm. The cost is $12 for adults; under 17 is free (includes light breakfast and BBQ lunch). ***Register by 9/7/19.*** For more information go to churchofthetransfiguration.com or call Bill Bushman at (540)354-7586 or the church office at (540)473-2656. ***Please join us!***

BACKPACK PROGRAM UPDATE: Thanks to the generosity of our parish, the St. Andrew's Back Pack Program is expanding to serve an additional 15 children who will be first graders at The Academy at Belle. This is a small private school serving underprivileged children. We need at least three volunteers to help shop, transport and pack food for these children once a week beginning after Labor Day and throughout the school year. If you have a few hours a week to help with this ministry or want to learn more, please contact Sarah Wall at sarahwall7@gmail.com. ***All volunteers will receive training in how to work with this ministry.***

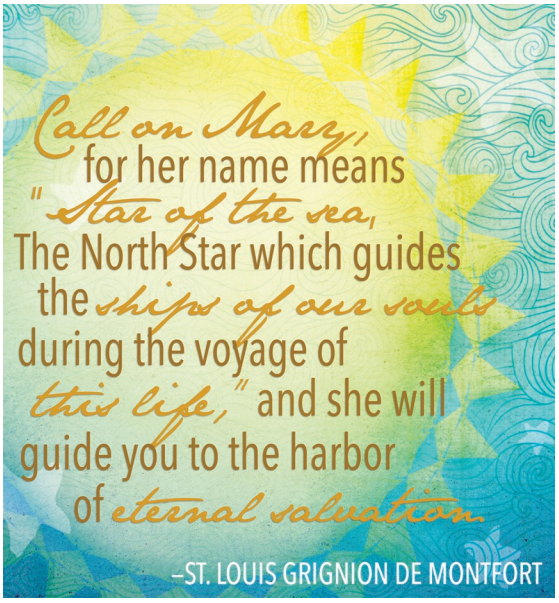
Mass Intentions

Monday	(12:00 pm)	Monica Manuel ✞
Tuesday	(12:00 pm)	Hazel Eva Waida ✞
Wednesday	(11:00 am)	Theresa Vo ✞
	Mass at 11:00 is at Our Lady of the Valley	
	(12:00 pm)	
Thursday	(12:00 pm)	Eugene Celso ✞
Friday	(12:00 pm)	Annie Vo ✞
Saturday	(5:30 pm)	Cynthia Tan ✞
Sunday	(7:30 am)	The people of St. Andrew's
	(9:00 am)	Amy Boone ✞
	(11:30 am)	Bob and Kathie Coyne ✞
	(2:00 pm)	The Vietnamese Community

✞ *Indicates the Mass Intention is for the repose of the soul of the person(s) listed*

Events this Week

Sunday	(1:00 pm)	Baptism preparation class
	(2:00 pm)	Vietnamese choir rehearsal
Tuesday	(6:00 pm)	Women's Club game night
Wednesday	(9:30 am)	SAMs Playgroup
Thursday	(12:30—7:00 pm)	Adoration
	(6:00 pm)	RCIA Team meeting
	(7:00 pm)	Rosary Makers Guild
Saturday	(9:00 am)	Rosary and Divine Mercy Chaplet
Sunday	(4:30 pm)	YOSAR Scavenger Hunt *at Wasena Park*



Wayne Lefon, Alex Kinzie, Matthew Miller, Rita Reed, Joseph Rogulski, Joan Dameron, Richard Burkhart, Rich Segedi, Ryan Howell, Susie Myhill, Ethan Rusgrove, Leslie Rusgrove, Shirl Howell, Mike Buckheit, Cole Denny, Tammy Clark,, Mary Louise Nackley, Ryan Howell, Cathy Flynn, Kohlton Griffith, Judy Ratcliff, Margaret Murphy, John Grace, Patricia Lieberman, Raine Walters, Rod Bruzgul, Beth Bonardi, Teri Burks, Lucille Gribben, Mary Beeman, Paul Bridge and Jeanne Ast.

Remember in your prayers these parishioners and family members who are actively serving our country in the military: Samuel Edward, Mason Alexander, Reeve Alexander, Giovanni Allen, Molly Wharton, Lee Hansen, Elton Darren Lewis, Joel Brian, Matthew Allen Crofton, Dustin Stewart, Joseph Lavinder, Chris Bennett, Gilman Fortin, Madison Carroll, Brendan Carroll, James Dilling, Reuben Flores, David Jacobs, Robert Clifford, Michael Joslin, Dillon Sims, Kyle Norris, Jarred Shockey, Will Klos, Mark B. Buchy, Frank Jacob Dowie, Charlie Company 4th Platoon Reserves from Roanoke and Lynchburg, Joshua Davis, Marcus Ollie, Steven Jeremy Ayers, Jacob Brookshier, Ches Mitchell, Tommy Nichols, Allen Palumbo, Michael Nghia -Nguyen, Joseph Amos, Timothy M. Brady, Brian X. Conlan, Michael Dale Davis, John W. Downs, William Farmer, Josh Ford, Jamie Guilliams, John Hinkel, Stephanie Lynn Holliday, Anthony Huff, Jarrod Huff, Herbert Jones, Michael Keller, Jeffrey Robert Klein, Matthew McCorkel, Colin McGuire, Pamela T. Schmecht, Joe Spegele and Dustin Stewart.

Readings for the week of August 18, 2019

Monday: Jgs 2:11-19/Ps 106:34-35, 36-37, 39-40, 43ab and 44 [4a]/Mt 19:16-22
Tuesday: Jgs 6:11-24a/Ps 85:9, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 9b]/Mt 19:23-30
Wednesday: Jgs 9:6-15/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 [2a]/Mt 20:1-16
Thursday: Jgs 11:29-39a/Ps 40:5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10 [8a and 9a]/Mt 22:1-14
Friday: Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22/Ps 146:5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10 [1b]/Mt 22:34-40
Saturday: Rv 21:9b-14/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18 [12]/Jn 1:45-51
Next Sunday: Is 66:18-21/Ps 117:1, 2, [Mk 16:15]/Heb 12:5-7, 11-13/Lk 13:22-30