



St. Catherine of Siena Catholic Church

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24th Sunday in Ordinary Time (English)

September 17, 2023

16th Sunday after Pentecost (Latin)

Welcome! We are glad you are here!

Rev. Ron Nelson, Parish Administrator
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Rev. Raj Michael Pandi

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From our
541-935-3933

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Reconciliation / Sacrament of Penance

Tues **after** the 6:30 pm Latin Mass
during the Rosary

Thurs **after** the All-Day Adoration &
Benediction at 6:00 pm

WEEKDAY LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Tues **6:30 pm** Latin Mass-Rosary-Benediction
CONFESION **after** the Mass
during Rosary

Thurs Eucharistic Adoration **10:00 am – 6:00 pm**
followed by Exposition and Benediction
CONFESION **after** the Benediction

Fri 9:00 am Latin Mass **EVERY**
1st Friday of the Month

Bulletin Items * Deadline
12 noon * Wednesdays

WEEKEND SCHEDULE

Sundays 9:00 am (English - livestreamed)

Sundays 11:00 am (Latin - livestreamed)

**Mass Intentions for the week. Loving God,
we lift these intentions into your hands.**

Sept 17 9:00 am For the People

11:00 am Becky Demers

Sept 19 6:30 pm Dana Marie Bill

**For these whose anniversary of death
occurs this week.**

Sept 18 Susan de Piero-Davis

Sept 22 Ted Nothaft

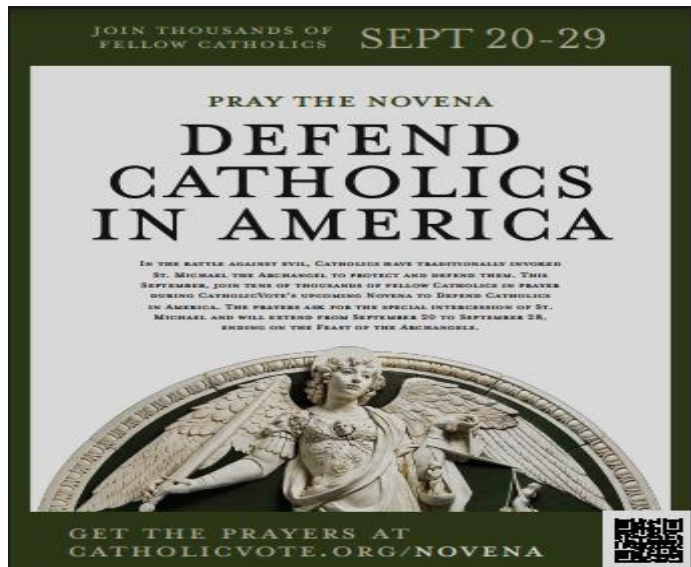


The Altar Society is a ministry here at St. Catherine's Church providing our parish with its liturgical needs to help continue to make it more inviting and prayerful for parishioners. We are responsible for Church liturgical expenses such as candles, wine, hosts, vestments, and linens. To accomplish this, we fundraise and accept donations directly to the Altar Society.

The Altar Society also helps our Church community by providing assistance at funeral receptions. We appreciate your help and continued support of this ministry. Thank you!

	Income	Budget	Difference
WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP REPORTING			
Offertory	2,128	2,745	617
+ On Line			
YEARLY STEWARDSHIP REPORTING			
Total to Date	28,248	30,195	1,945

*A **black** number means we collected more than planned.
A **red** number means **we did not collect enough**.



In the battle against evil, Catholics have traditionally invoked St. Michael the Archangel to protect and defend them.

On September 20-28, join tens of thousands of fellow Catholics in prayer invoking the Intercession of St. Michael during Catholic Vote's upcoming Novena to Defend Catholics in America.

To participate visit catholicvote.org/novena and receive special access to all the prayers and a daily email during the Novena to remind you to pray. **ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL, DEFEND US!**

A FRIENDLY REMINDER: BEWARE OF PHISHING EMAIL SCAMS

These scams may involve an email (fake) from a priest or pastor usually asking for money or gift cards.

Please understand our Clergy staff would never engage in a request of this type. If you happen to see an email like this, **please delete it immediately**.



Remember to stop by our Prayer Request Board in the vestibule.

Post a Prayer Request
Take a Prayer Request

CALENDAR SNAPSHOT

Go to stcveneta.com.

Saturday, Sept 16

Sunday, Sept 17

2nd Collection- Altar Society

English Mass 9:00 am
Latin Mass 11:00 am
Coffee & Donuts 12:15 pm

Monday, Sept 18

Office Closed

Tuesday, Sept 19

Latin Mass 6:30 pm

Followed by Rosary with
Exposition and Benediction
Confession during Rosary

Wednesday, Sept 20

Thursday, Sept 21

Adoration 10:00 am – 6:00 pm

Followed by Benediction

Confession 6:00 pm

KofC General Meeting 7:00 pm

Friday, Sept 22

Saturday, Sept 23

Sunday, Sept 24

2nd Collection Archdiocesan Seminarian Appeal

English Mass 9:00 am
Latin Mass 11:00 am
Coffee & Donuts 12:15 pm



Winter Warmth Drive - September 1- October 31

Our Winter Warmth Drive is officially under way! There are countless individuals and families in our community that do not have the blankets and winter clothing they need to stay warm as temperatures begin to drop. Some of these neighbors in need are experiencing homelessness, and rely on warm clothing much more than you and I. For the next two months, CCS is collecting donations of hats, scarves, gloves, jackets, blankets, and socks before the wintry weather truly sets in to help prepare our community for the winter. Anyone interested in donating their winter clothing can leave their donation at CCS' services centers or any of our participating donation drop-off barrel locations listed at ccslc.org/wwd. If you do not have the time to drive but are still interested in donating, financial contributions can also be made online at ccslc.org/wwd.

Donate for a good cause. Drop off barrel is in the Parish vestibule.



Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA)

You are Invited! Are you or someone you know considering joining the Catholic Church? **Have any questions?** **Would like more information?**

We – Diane & Shawn – will be happy to talk with you and help you take that first step! The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (OCIA) classes will begin in late

September and will culminate in the Easter season. Please contact **Diane and Shawn**

Church: sd_church7@msn.com or leave a message: (541) 515-0943

More information will be coming in the following weeks.

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time Questions of the Week

TODAY'S READINGS

Sirach 27:30—28:7;
Psalm 103;
Romans 14:7-9;
Matthew 18:21-35

First Reading:

Sirach teaches that the Lord desires us to be forgiving and merciful to each other. In doing so, the Lord will show us mercy and forgiveness in return. **To whom could you show mercy and forgiveness this week?**

Second Reading:

Paul instructed the Romans that Jesus was the Lord of all — both the living and the dead. **How should this really impact our daily living?**

Gospel:

Jesus tells the parable of the unforgiving servant to teach the disciples the importance of compassion and forgiveness, especially toward those who sin against you. **How do you deal with friends or co-workers who have wronged you?** ©LPi

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ST. CATHERINE OF SIENA

2023 - 2024

SACRAMENT PREP

TA: JESSICA JESIAH

VENUE: PARISH HALL

CURRICULUM - SPIRIT OF TRUTH

REGISTRATION FEE: \$50

SUNDAYS

SEPTEMBER 10

SEPTEMBER 17

OCTOBER 1

OCTOBER 29

NOVEMBER 19

DECEMBER 3

DECEMBER 17

(2024 To follow)

LIVE THE LITURGY INSPIRATION OF THE WEEK

Our personal relationship with Christ is important, yes — but thank God, that is not all there is to being a Christian. We depend upon the support, the encouragement, and even the correction of the rest of the Body of Christ. ©LPi



Psalm 103

WHY DO WE DO THAT?

Catholic Life Explained

Question:

Why did God create the world?

Answer:

Some philosophies and religions have claimed the universe necessarily “emanates” from God, but the Church teaches glory (CCC 293-295). God didn’t have to make the world., nor did he make it because he needs it; he created the world because we need him. God is who love itself (1John 4:18) desires the good of all things and so, out of a super abundant, overflowing possession or goodness, God created beings that would benefit from being in relation with him. ©CA



Please join us for the 40 Days for Life Fall Campaign starting on Wednesday, Sept. 27

through Sunday, Nov. 5. Are you able to spare one hour, or maybe one hour a week, to come out to pray and keep a peaceful vigil at the Planned Parenthood on Franklin Blvd?

Visit the website: 40daysforlife/eugene to sign up for hours to pray. Father Ron will be leading us in prayer for our kickoff. Bring your family and friends with you to pray to end abortion while keeping a peaceful vigil during these 40 days.



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Men of the parish – interested in knowing what the
KCs are all about?

Contact:

Grand Knight Antonio Moreno - 505.363.0702

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

St Catherine's SVdP Meetings Schedule

- 1st Monthly Meeting is on the 1st Monday of the month.
- 2nd Monthly Meeting is on the 3rd Monday of the month.

**Both meetings are held at the
Fern Ridge Library Conference Room.**