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Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (English)

Eight Sunday after Pentecost (Latin)

August 3, 2025

Welcome! We are glad you are here!

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RECONCILIATION / SACRAMENT of PENANCE

Tues after 6:30 pm Latin Mass
during Rosary

Thurs after All-Day Adoration 10:00 am – 6:00 pm
Followed by *Benediction*

WEEKDAY LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

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

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

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

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.

Aug 3 9:00 am Daniel Hanson
11:00 am For the People

Aug 5 6:30 pm Juana Andrade

For these whose anniversary of death occurs this week.

July 30 Gale Davis
Karl Huth

July 31 Leona Maricle

Aug 1 Roger Schmale

Aug 2 Luis Fernandez Hipolito

Aug 4 Gene Vituo
Ivette Golly



**IF TODAY YOU HEAR HIS VOICE,
HARDEN NOT YOUR HEARTS**

Psalm 90

POPE LEO XIV UNIVERSAL PRAYER INTENTION: AUGUST

For mutual coexistence:

Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious, or ideological reasons.

WEEKLY FINANCIAL INFORMATION

07/272025			
WEEK 55	Income*	Budget**	Difference*
WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP REPORTING			
Offertory+Online Giving	\$2,409	\$3,746	\$1,341
Special Donation			
EARLY STEWARDSHIP REPORTING			
Total to Date	\$14,720	\$15,000	\$280
* BLACK number means: Collected More than Planned			
* RED number means: Did not Collect Enough			
NOTE	Total to Date Income includes Special Donations. * Total Donations does not include Altar Society & Restricted funds. **The Budget for the Fiscal Year 25-26 will be updated soon**		

CALENDAR SNAPSHOT

Please double-check the 'Calendar' on the website for most current schedule: stcveneta.com

Saturday, August 2

Sunday, August 3

2nd Collection-Renovation

English Mass 9:00 am
 Coffee & Donuts 10:15 am
 Latin Mass 11:00 am
 Coffee & Donuts 12:15 pm

Monday, August 4

Tuesday, August 5

Latin Mass 6:30 pm

Followed by Rosary with Exposition and Benediction Confession during Rosary

Wednesday, August 6

Thursday, August 7

Adoration 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

Followed by Benediction

Confession 6:00 pm

Saturday, August 9

Sunday, August 10

English Mass 9:00 am
 Coffee & Donuts 10:15 am
 Latin Mass 11:00 am
 Coffee & Donuts 12:15 pm

Please Pray with Us For . . .

Our parishioners, family, and friends.

Those who are sick and who have asked for our prayers:

Joe Sicotte ↔ Barb Puryear ↔ Kay Beach

Cayson Livingston ↔ Dave Cramsey Family

Joel Woods ↔ Marissa Campbell ↔ Jim Simpkins

Those who have recently died.

The members of our parish family who are in the military; a hospital; a nursing home; who are first responders; shut-ins; and **All who have No One to Pray for Them.**

REFLECT & RESPOND TO SCRIPTURE

First Reading:

The author of Ecclesiastes speaks of the futility of an anxious heart and restless mind. *What helps to ground you in your day-to-day living?*

Second Reading:

Paul encourages the Colossians to put to death the "old self" (bad behavior) and to live into the "new self" (life in Christ). *What could you do this week to practice this "new self"?*

Gospel:

Jesus tells the crowds the parable of the rich fool, warning against excessive material wealth. *How do you balance your material needs with "what matters to God"?*

TODAY'S READINGS

Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23;
 Psalm 90;
 Colossians 3:1-5, 9-11;
 Luke 12:13-21

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**LIVE THE LITURGY
 INSPIRATION OF THE WEEK**

Jesus warns us that at any moment we can be called before God to face judgement. When we are, our life will be measured not in dollars or accomplishments, but in what matters to God. What do we have to show for our time spent on earth? ©LPI



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WHY DO WE DO THAT CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED

Question: I hear Catholics talk about venial and mortal sin, but the Bible just says that if you break any part of the Law, then you are guilty of breaking the whole Law (James 2:10). So why does it make sense to say some sins are only venial and others are mortal and can lead to a loss of salvation?

Answer: James 2:10 says, "Whoever keeps the whole Law but fails in one point has become guilty of all of it." However, James is not saying all sins are equally wrong. In the previous nine verses he scolded Christians who show favoritism and choose which men to love (the rich) and which men to not love (the poor). James says, "If you really fulfil the royal law, according to the Scripture, 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself,' you do well. But if you show partiality, you commit sin, and are convicted by the law as transgressors" (James 2:8-9).

Christians are still under a moral law. This is what James calls the "royal law" and Paul calls the law of Christ in Galatians 6:2. Christians don't get to pick and choose whom they are called to love and which moral laws they are bound to follow. James continues, "For whoever keeps the whole Law but fails in one point has become guilty of all of it. For he who said, 'Do not commit adultery,' said also, 'Do not kill.' If you do not commit adultery but do kill, you have become a transgressor of the Law" (James 2:10-11).

In other words, a Christian can't tell God, "So what if I hated my neighbor, at least I loved a bunch of other people." Just as he can't say, "So what if I murdered a guy? At least I didn't sleep with his wife!" The fact that a person keeps some major parts of the Law (like "not committing adultery") doesn't excuse his failure to keep other major parts of the Law (like "not murdering"). Jesus even recognized that some people who break minor parts of the Law will still go to heaven, because he said, "Whoever then relaxes one of the least of these commandments and teaches men so, shall be called least in the kingdom of heaven" (Matt. 5:19).

Please note that the new office hours will be in effect starting August 4th.

- Tuesday 8:00 AM – 1:30 PM
- Wednesday 8:00Am – 1:30 PM
- Thursday 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM

Please note that the office days and hours may vary from week to week. Be sure to check the website calendar regularly for the most up-to-date information Thank You!

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Knights of Columbus
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Sponsored by:

*Knights of Columbus Council 1430
Whalen Family + Fiddlers Green Golf Course*

August 23, 2025

Fiddlers Green Golf Course

Starting Time 8:00 AM, Check-in 7:30 AM

Shotgun Start - No Club Restrictions

Awards Luncheon to Follow On-site

Adult Golf	\$40
Lunch	\$12
Student Golf	\$20
Lunch	\$12

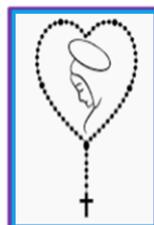
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