

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 21st, 2025

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Sts. Peter & Paul

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Mass Schedule

Sun. Sept. 21st 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am Sts. P&P: Loretta Althoff+

10:30am St. A: People of the Parish

Mon. Sept. 22nd No Daily Mass

Tue. Sept. 23rd Sts. Pio of Pietrelcina

8:30am Sts. P&P: Bernard Scheller+

Wed. Sept. 24th Weekday

8:30am St. A: Pat Klosterman+

Thu. Sept. 25th Weekday

8:30am Sts. P&P: Robert Lefor+

Fri. Sept. 26th Sts. Cosmas & Damain

8:30am St. A: Loretta Althoff+

Sat. Sept. 27th St. Vincent de Paul

8:30am St. A: Loretta Althoff+

5:00pm St. A: People of the Parish

Sun. Sept. 28th 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am Sts. P&P: Troy Stanley+

10:30am St. A: Mavis Keller+

Confession Times

Saturdays 3:45pm-4:45pm St. A

Sundays 7:45am-8:15am Sts. P&P

Anytime by request

Schedule of Ministries

Saturday, September 27th

Lector: Yvonne Ward

Servers: Volunteers

Ushers: Jim Griffith

Sunday, September 28th

8:30am

Lector: Kari Foertsch

Servers: Volunteers

Ushers: Nick Foertsch

Gifts: Nick & Kari Foertsch

10:30am

Lector: Alyson Krier

Servers: Jace Mauch & Orin P.

Ushers: Jaxon K. & Brandon G.

Gifts: Brandon Griffith Family

Financial Updates

St. Anthony

Plate: \$234.00
Envelopes: \$755.00

Sts. Peter & Paul

Plate: \$65.00
Envelopes: \$
Grain Check: \$7,601.75

Thank you for keeping God's Houses Clean for the Month:

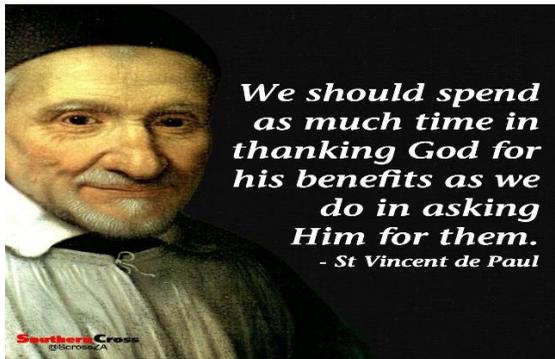
St. Anthony: Gary & Audrey Andel,
Curt & Sue Berg, Richard & Cindy
Spellerberg, Todd & Caryn Klosterman,
Don & Clair Jo Althoff, Joe & Dawn
Storbakken, Vance & Kristi Wagner

Sts. Peter & Paul: Denise Hejtmanek,
Pam Foertsch, Marietta Pellman

People in Need of Prayers

Steve Mertzen, Travis, Steve Cerkas,
August Dockter, Mary Ann Frankis,
Kristen Czekala, Tyrell Fauske, Nettie
Mauch, Kate Cook, David Severson,
John Lingen Jr., Oliver Morff, Joe
Lenz, Carol Colby, Micah Pellman,
Julie Wahler, Cindy Braun, Randy
Lugert, Randy Kolstad, Randy Mauch,
Pete Lingen, Delores Davis

- St. Anthony & Sts. Peter and Paul Religious Education program is selling Pizzas from Brew Pub and Pizza Corner. Pizzas are \$12.00 and order forms are located in the back of the church. Order forms are due back Wednesday, September 17th. Pizzas can be picked up October 5th after 10:30a.m. Mass in Mooreton.
- **Note for Sunday Lectors at Mass:** Please let Fr. Kuhn or Jackie Lingen know if you find it helpful receiving the readings ahead of time by mail or would like to use the lector workbook located in the sacristy.



Birthdays

Alyson Krier; Hattie Szudera; Norbert
Althoff; Kari Callenius; Yoney Fobb;
Brandon Griffith; Ethan Duval; Jack
Wieben; Bobby Szudera

Prayer & Scripture of the Week

Pray and read Psalm 51 or Luke chapters 15 & 16

Read Catechism of the Catholic Church paragraphs 1020-1022

The Examen Prayer by St. Ignatius of Loyola

1. Place yourself in God's presence. Give thanks for God's great love for you. Recall a person, conversation, situation that unfolded and thank God.
2. Pray for the grace to understand how God is acting in your life.
3. Review your day — recall specific moments and your feelings at the time.
4. Reflect on what you did, said, or thought in those instances. Were you drawing closer to God, or further away?
5. Look toward tomorrow — think of how you might collaborate more effectively with God's plan. Be specific, and conclude with the "Our Father."

Readings for the week of September 14th

Sunday: Am 8:4-7, Ps 113:1-2, 4-8, 1 Tm 2:1-8, Lk 8:19-21

Monday: Ezr 1:1-6, Ps 126:1-6, Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday: Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20, Ps 122:1-5, Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday: Ezr 9:5-9, Tb 13:2-4, 7-8, Lk 9:7-9

Thursday: Hg 1:1-8, Ps 149:1-6, 9, Lk 9:7-9

Friday: Hg 2:1-9, Ps 43:1-4, Lk 9:18-22

Saturday: Zec 2:5-9, 14-15, Jer 31:10-12, 13, Lk 9:43-45

Sunday: Am 6:1, 4-7, Ps 146:7-10. 1 Tm 6:11-16, Lk 16:19-31

St. Paul's Corner

“On the evening of life we will be judged on our love” (St. John of the Cross). Death is the doorway each of us must walk through to enter eternal life. On the day of our death, as the Church has always taught, each of us will individually stand before Jesus Christ where a review of our life will occur. This is known as the particular judgment. We are reminded in the Catechism:

“Death puts an end to human life as the time open to either accepting or rejecting the divine grace manifested in Christ. The New Testament speaks of judgement primarily in its aspect of the final encounter with Christ in his second coming, but also repeatedly affirms that each will be rewarded immediately after death in accordance with his works and faith. The parable of the poor man Lazarus and the words of Christ on the cross to the good thief, as well as other New Testament texts speak of a final destiny of the soul—a destiny which can be different for some and others.”

“Each man receives his eternal retribution in his immortal soul at the very moment of his death, in a particular judgment that refers his life to Christ: either entrance into the blessedness of heaven—through purification (Purgatory) or immediately, or immediate and everlasting damnation (Hell). (CCC 1021-1022).” As we pray at the end of the Apostles Creed, “I believe in life everlasting.”

Are we as Christian stewards prepared or preparing a full account of our life ready to be given to the Lord? It is good, healthy, and normal as Christians to meditate on death. Doing so allows us to prepare for eternal life and where we want to spend eternity. Jesus uses the parable of the dishonest steward as a means of reflecting upon honest and dishonest stewardship. What we do with our wealth, material goods, how we interact in our relationships with God, self, and others can be done with honesty and integrity or dishonesty and deceitfulness. The dishonest steward, although commended by Jesus for being prudent, acts out of a self-centered plan with more concern for retaining his position as steward.

We can prepare for our own particular judgment by practicing either a daily examination of conscience or the Examen prayer by St. Ignatius of Loyola. Many Christians spend time reviewing the life and faults of other people around them rather than their own conscience and soul. When we slow down and spend 5-15 minutes honestly reviewing our daily life, we become more aware of God's loving and merciful presence with us and our own personal need for God's mercy. Pray for the grace to know our own personal sins, what is the good we have done or the good we have failed to do, pray for the grace of being honest stewards of the mysteries of the Christian faith. As St. Benedict reminds us God is the Heavenly Spectator.