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**Diocese of Charleston**

# Our Lady of the Lake Catholic Church

**195 Amicks Ferry Road, Chapin, South Carolina 29036**

**(Street Address now New Mailing Address)**

**Church Telephone: 803.345.3962**

**Website: <http://www.ollchapin.org>**

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**Rev. Dennis B. Willey, Pastor (843.834.5447 ~ [pastor@ollchapin.org](mailto:pastor@ollchapin.org) ~ Father's Day Off is Monday)**

Deacon Greg Weigold (803.345.3962) Deacon Malcolm Skipper (803.345.2250) Deacon John Stetar (803.318.5092)

Deacon Jim Atkinson (704.246-9034 ) Office Hours: Monday - Friday 9:00am - 1:00pm

**Parish Worship Schedule: Public Masses are BACK! The Mass schedule is as follows: Daily Mass: Tuesday through Friday at 12 NOON. Saturday Mass at 12 NOON is on the FIRST Saturday of each month. Sunday Masses: Saturday Vigil at 5PM and Sunday at 9AM. Mass will still be LIVE STREAMED on Sundays at 9AM via the Parish's Facebook Page and Boxcast allows us to have a direct link: OLL Sunday Mass on Boxcast. To provide a safe environment if attending Masses, see Guidelines on the website, [www.ollchapin.org](http://www.ollchapin.org).**

The church will still be open between the hours of 7am and 7pm to pray before the Blessed Sacrament in the tabernacle. Praying before the Blessed Sacrament in the Tabernacle or in an Monstrance is the same. Both are equally blessed opportunities to spend an hour with the Lord! PLEASE NOTE: CHURCH DOORS ARE LOCKED DURING MASSES.

**Reconciliation: (Confessions are Back! Be sure to see the Schedule & Guidelines in the Constant Contact emails, Weekly Reminders, Parish website or call the Parish Office).**

To get FREE Catholic Programs, Videos, etc., go to [www.FORMED.org](http://www.FORMED.org) use Parish Name & Zip Code 29036

## **Baptism**

Baptisms scheduled in advance. Please call the Parish Office for more information or to attend a Baptismal Preparation Session.

## **Marriage**

Catholics are bound by Canon Law to the Catholic Form of Marriage and must consult a priest at least 6 months prior to their wedding in order to remain in good standing with the Catholic Faith. If you are planning to be married in the coming year, please call the Parish Office for an appointment.

## **Membership**

Newcomers are asked to register so that we may properly welcome you into our parish community. Forms are on line or in the Parish Office. Also, the 2nd Sunday of every month is NEW Parishioner Registration. Active Participation includes 4 things:

- 1) Registration in the Parish for a sufficient period of time.
- 2) Regular use of the Sunday envelopes.
- 3) Faithful attendance at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days.
- 4) Participation in Parish events and service to the Parish.

## **Nursery (Not Open)**

Provided during 10:30am Sunday Mass for children ages 6 months-5 years in *Saint Andrew Hall (former Sanctuary)*.

## **Religious Education on Sunday**

FAITH FORMATION FINISHED FOR THE YEAR. If you have any questions, please contact Cassy Vernau, Director of Religious Education Programs, at 803.477.5132 or [dre@ollchapin.org](mailto:dre@ollchapin.org).

**Visitation of the Sick (Homebound) (Not Yet Possible)**

## Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



**August 2, 2020**

Jesus said the blessing, broke the loaves,  
and gave them to the disciples,  
who in turn gave them to the crowds.  
They all ate and were satisfied.

Matthew 14:19-20

## **Staff**

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**Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**AUGUST 2, 2020**



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and looking up to heaven,  
Jesus said the blessing, broke the loaves,  
and gave them to the disciples,  
who in turn gave them to the crowds.

Matthew 14:19

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## LONGING FOR SPIRITUAL WELL-BEING

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## ADMITTING OUR HELPLESSNESS

Jesus' disciples, after a long day of preaching and healing, find themselves confronted with thousands of hungry people who need to be fed. They themselves were no doubt hungry and thirsty. In desperation, they turn to the Lord and ask him to tell the people to go to the towns and villages to buy food. Jesus tells them to give the people food themselves. They admit that they can come up with only five loaves and two fish, hardly enough to feed even themselves. It was only after the disciples admitted their total helplessness in the situation that the miracle of the multiplication of the loaves and fish occurred. Where is the lesson for us? It is in admitting our helplessness in life's most difficult moments that a miracle may perhaps be waiting for us.

## MIRACLES OF MULTIPLICATION

Many believers admit that when faced with life-threatening illness, all that can be done in many instances is to throw one's hands up in total helplessness and, in desperation, call upon God. The miracle that can occur is often not a cure of the illness. The miracle may be the strength and courage given by God to move through the pain and grief with hearts of faith. Remember what Saint Paul tells us today. "For I am convinced that neither death, nor life ... nor any other creature will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord." When we know deep hunger for meaning and direction, when we are at our lowest, let us heed the words of the prophet Isaiah, and come to the Lord, that we may have life. If five loaves and two fish can be multiplied miraculously to feed thousands, then surely the compassion and love of Christ Jesus can be multiplied again and again for those whose hearts hunger and thirst for healing and wholeness.

## TODAY'S READINGS

Isaiah 55:1-3  
Psalm 145:8-9, 15-18  
Romans 8:35, 37-39  
Matthew 14:13-21



Miracle of the Loaves and Fishes, undated  
Attributed to Pedro Mena y Medrano (Spanish, 1628-1688)  
after Jacopo Robusti, called Tintoretto (Italian, 1519-1594)  
Chicago Institute of Art (CIC)

# THE SAINT MICHAEL PRAYER

Can a prayer be inspired by a battle? Pope Leo XIII (pictured at right) wrote the Saint Michael prayer, printed below, in 1884, after supposedly seeing a frightening vision: evil spirits, trying to fulfill Satan's boast to destroy our Lord's Church within a century, were engaging in fierce attacks against it.

Although the Pontiff also saw St. Michael casting Satan (also known as the devil) and his demons back into Hell in his vision, he was so horrified by what he had seen he felt compelled to help defend our faith in this struggle.

In the Saint Michael prayer he throws down the gauntlet to "the father of lies" as Jesus calls the devil in John's Gospel (8:44), by enlisting the help of a very special Archangel:



St. Michael makes a great general in this fight between Christ and Satan for our souls! After all, we read in Revelation (12:7-9) that "there was a great battle in heaven; Michael and his angels fought with the dragon...and that great dragon...who is called the devil and Satan, who seduces the whole world...was cast unto the earth, and his angels [the demons] were thrown down with him."

St. Michael's very name (in Hebrew, Micha'el meaning "Who is like God?") denotes the war cry uttered in that battle. Note that when we talk about Satan or the devil here we are also referring to his "army" of fallen angels, the evil spirits referred to in the Saint Michael prayer.

**Saint Michael the Archangel,  
defend us in battle.  
Be our protection against the wickedness and  
snares of the devil.  
May God rebuke him, we humbly pray;  
and do Thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host,  
by the Divine Power of God,  
cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits  
who roam throughout the world  
seeking the ruin of souls.**

As a special patron and protector of the Church, St. Michael has been assigned to fight against Satan; to protect faithful souls from him, especially at their death; to champion God's people; and, further along this line, to escort them to their judgment.

Pope Leo XIII saw to it that the Saint Michael prayer was recited after every low Mass throughout the world. (The low Mass, discontinued in 1970 after Vatican II, was said by a priest alone, with no music.) This prayer is not said at Mass today, but in 1994 Pope John Paul II urged the faithful keep to reciting it.

Although we tend to downplay the notion of the devil as being too quaint or outmoded today, he does indeed exist and not just as a symbol of evil, or as character in a fairytale to frighten us.

We obviously can't excuse all our sins and failures by saying, as the comedian Flip Wilson did in a line he made famous, "The devil made me do it!" After all, God allows us to be tempted but gives us the grace and the free will to choose Him and not the devil.

Still, we shouldn't assume the devil is just some cartoon figure. Priests such as Father Malachi Martin and Father Gabriele Amorth have written extensively of their struggles with demons during exorcisms.

One of Satan's greatest assets is his camouflage, the belief that he doesn't exist, as Father Martin once noted in his acclaimed book *Hostage to the Devil*. Father Martin felt strongly that disbelief in Satan and the forces of evil leaves us unable to resist them.

On the subject of resistance, keep in mind that we can and should say the Saint Michael prayer at church or just on our own during the day for spiritual protection for ourselves and for others as well!

Satan was unable to destroy the Catholic Church in the 20th century, but certainly our faith withstood terrible onslaughts just from Hitler and Stalin *alone*. We are still engaged in that war that has gone for all of human history, in one form or another, between God and the devil.

Each of us has had our own battles against the dark side trying to turn us away from eternal life with our Creator. Satan's idea for our eternal life is one spent with him in hatred and misery and he's after as many souls as he can get!

As St. Peter once noted "be sober and watch, because your adversary the devil as a roaring lion, goes about seeking whom he may devour" (1 Peter 5:8). "The evil spirits who roam about the world seeking the ruin of souls" mentioned in the Saint Michael prayer have surely been busy, but in asking for help we can fight back against them *every day*.

Prayer and the sacraments are an essential part of what St. Paul called the "armor of God" in his letter to the Ephesians. The Saint Michael prayer can help us indeed "stand against the deceits of the devil" (Eph 6:11) by "taking the shield of faith" (Eph 6:16). Remember, God permits us to be tempted by the devil but gives us the grace to resist him through prayer in our daily lives.

Let us not be afraid to ask for St. Michael's help in this prayer and others like it. We need to remember that each time we pray we work to defeat our *real* enemies, not each other, but rather the devil and his evil spirits.

As St. Paul put it, we fight "not against flesh and blood but against principalities and power, against the rulers of the world of this darkness, against the spirits of wickedness" (Eph 6:12). With God's help in prayer they can all be overcome



# **NEW GUIDELINES FOR GOING TO CONFESSION**

## **Returning to "Normal" Schedule of Confessions on Saturday Afternoons from 3:30pm until 4:30pm**

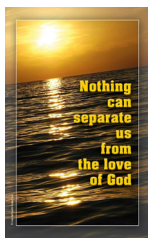
**We have permission from the diocese to return to the Sacrament of Confession. After reading all of the diocesan suggested protocols to ensure the safety of parishioners and priests the following protocols for Confession are implemented as of 25 July 2020:**

- Confessions return to the original schedule prior to Covid-19:
  - Saturday afternoon from 3:30PM to 4:30PM
  - Please DO NOT attempt to go to Confession after 4:45pm. Father needs time to prepare for the Vigil Mass.
  - No Sign-up is required. The priest will hear as many Confessions as possible. If Confession ends before you are able to receive the sacrament please return next week or call Fr. Dennis to set up a time.
  - Appointments outside of these times may be scheduled privately with Fr. Dennis by texting or calling him at 843.834.5447. You may also email him at [pastor@ollchapin.org](mailto:pastor@ollchapin.org).
- Confessions will be heard in the Bride/Cry Room. You may go to Confession anonymously standing at the screen or walk past the screen to go face to face with Fr. Dennis—maintaining a six-foot distance.
- As Fr. Dennis is hearing impaired, he may ask penitents to speak up so that he can hear them. To maintain the Seal of the Confessional please be certain to close the door to the Bride/Cry Room when you enter and to leave it open when you depart.
- **Confessions will be heard while standing. This will eliminate the need to sanitize surfaces repeatedly. If you need to be seated bring a folding chair with you from your home.**
- Masks are strongly recommended.

**When you arrive at the church please observe the following while waiting for your appointed time:**

- Please form lines in narthex, maintaining a six-foot separation. Tape on the narthex floor will help you maintain a safe distance from others. Please stand at the sign in the Narthex when you are next in line for Confession. This sign is placed a discreet distance from the door to the Bride/Cry Room to ensure the Seal of the Sacrament of Confession for anyone going to Confession.
- The Church will be open for you to complete your penance in the Sanctuary. Please observe safe distancing while seated or kneeling at prayer.
- Recorded music will be played in the narthex to ensure the Seal of the Sacrament of Confession.
- The left side glass side door of the church will be unlocked to enter and leave the church.

## Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



**OUR DEEPEST NEEDS.** The word of God serves up a tremendous feast for us today. Isaiah beckons all who hunger and thirst to come to the Lord for satisfaction. The psalmist cries out, "The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs" (Psalm 145:16). Saint Paul tells us that nothing can separate us from the love of God. Finally, in the Gospel, we hear the story of the miraculous feeding of over five thousand people from a mere five loaves and two fish. Most of us have our material needs met on a day-to-day basis. These scriptures, nevertheless, have much to say to the contemporary believer. We must ask ourselves, "Where are my deepest hungers? Where are my thirsts?" After material needs are satisfied and, in some cases, over-satisfied, many people still experience a deep longing for spiritual balance and well-being. As the loaves and fish are multiplied in today's Gospel, perhaps our prayer can be a longing for the satisfaction of the deepest needs that only God can fill.

### The Week Ahead

**MONDAY, AUGUST 3, 2020 NO MASS**

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 4,** Mass 12 noon

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5,** Mass 12 noon

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 6,** Mass 12 noon

*In Honor of Father Dennis on his Birthday*

**FIRST FRIDAY, AUGUST 7,** Mass 12 noon

*In celebration of Tom & Ursula Callan as they celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary*

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 8,** Vigil Mass, 5 pm

Mass Intention for *John Barbican*

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 9,** Morning Mass 9 am

*Missa Pro Populo (Mass for the People)*

*For now, we are staying with only 2 Sunday Masses because of a lack of volunteers needed to cover ALL three Masses, the 5pm Vigil, 8am and 10:30am Sunday Masses.*

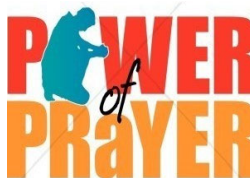


**Protecting Our Children** ~ Our Lady of the Lake and the Diocese of Charleston are committed to the protection of children. The following numbers are provided for your information: Diocesan Victim Assistance Minister: 800.921.8122; Diocesan Office of Child Protection Services: 843.853.2130 ext. 209. *The Parish's Safe Environment Coordinator is Pat Moore.*



We wish **Deacon John Stetar** a very Happy & Blessed Birthday, which he celebrated last Sunday, August 2nd.

And, we wish **Father Dennis** a very Happy & Blessed Birthday, which he will celebrate on August 8th. Be sure to extend your best wishes to both of them!



*At the conclusion of the Recessional Hymn, we will kneel and pray **ONE HAIL MARY**, asking for Mary's intercession for an increase of Vocations to the Religious Life and to the Priesthood. Additionally, we will pray to St. Michael the Archangel asking for his protection. As our Parish is dedicated to the Virgin Mary and as the Eucharist is the source and summit of our lives as Catholics, it is most appropriate for us to pause before we leave Church on Sunday to ask her intercession for an increase of Vocations to the Religious Life and to the Priesthood. Further, given the pandemic that we currently find ourselves in, it is likewise appropriate that we ask for protection from our God-given defender, St. Michael the Archangel. We will continue to pray these intercessory prayers at the end of each Mass on the weekends as well as at the Daily Masses.*

### Reconciliation Returns to Previous Schedule in August



*The Sacrament of Confession has returned to our previous schedule of Confessions on Saturday afternoons from 3:30pm until 4:45pm. Guidelines for going to Confession can be found in Father Dennis' Constant Contact Email sent this past Wednesday, in the Weekly Reminder and on the Parish's website at [www.ollchapin.org](http://www.ollchapin.org). Call the Parish Office to sign up to receive these emails.*



**Urgent Appeal from Catholic Charities of the Midlands:** The homeless men and men's prison ministry needs men's pants,

khakis, jeans, for 32/29, 32/30, 32/32, 32/30 34/30, 34/32, 34/34. If you can help us with a donation, please put it in the pull out drawer of the Vollkommer Bell Tower on the right hand side and indicate the size on a piece of masking tape affixed to the donation. Much appreciated for all of those that can help!



Our heartfelt sympathy goes to **Marilyn Marconi & Family** on the passing of **Robert "Bob" Marconi** on July 11, 2020. Our thoughts and prayers are with Marilyn and loved ones.



## Flowers for the Altar



Flowers on the altar this weekend were provided by **Preston & Susan McDaniel** in loving memory of **Olga Moluf**; and, by **Valerie & Walker Kingsley** in loving memory of **Todd Kingsley**.



The **SECOND COLLECTION** for August 9, 2020 is for the  
**Debt Reduction ~ Loan on Land**

**A collection basket will be on the offertory table before and after Mass. Please use this basket to donate to the Parish. Thank you for your support.**

## WILL YOU CONSIDER ONLINE GIVING?



Not surprisingly, our weekly collections have been impacted by this crisis. If you are receiving Father Dennis' Constant Contact emails, you know the details). Donating Online allows the church to operate with a more consistent revenue stream, and saves time and money for those involved in processing bank deposits. It will save you time too! You can individually donate to "Special Envelope" offerings as well. Go to [ollchapin.org/online-giving](http://ollchapin.org/online-giving) and click on "Choose Here to Give" image.

If you are a registered member of the Parish and are providing your Offertory on-line and no longer need your Envelope Sets, PLEASE call the Parish Office so we can stop sending you Envelopes and the incurred printing and mailing costs. MANY THANKS!

### From the Treasurer's File



From Father Dennis' Constant Contact Email dated July 22, 2020: "We are currently working with the Finance Council on the 2020-2021 Fiscal Year Budget that began on 1 July. As our collections have been affected by the Covid-19 Pandemic and its impact on so many of our parishioners we will not be reporting our weekly income from now until mid to late August. (Our budget must be submitted to the Diocese by 15 August.) This will give us time to complete our budget for the new Fiscal Year and recalibrate our weekly offerings based on a reduced income projection. We will then resume our weekly reporting of weekly collections compared with budgeted weekly collections. This will provide you with a more accurate picture of the financial health of the parish moving forward. Thank you for your continued support."

**Mass Intentions** Father Dennis will continue celebrating PUBLIC Masses on the weekends at 5pm on Saturday for the Vigil and on Sunday Morning at 9:00am. Mass intention will be rescheduled for the Sunday Mass at 10:30am. We are



officially on the Summer Mass Schedule and therefore there are no Sunday Evening Mass Intentions at 5pm. Please feel free to call the Parish Office if you need to know when a Mass requested was rescheduled.

**PLEASE NOTE:** The only Saturday Mass at **12 noon** will now be for **First Saturday** and it will be celebrated **Ad Orientem**. The Vigil Mass on Saturday at 5 pm is offered in loving memory of **Liz Drexelius**, at the request of the Drexelius Family. The Mass at 9:00am on Sunday, August 2nd is offered as a **Missa Pro Populo (Mass for the People)**.

*I give myself to God to use me, lead me, change me and mold me.*

*In return, I strive to give back the gifts He has given me – my charisms, my passion, my love.*



The Catholics popes and bishops have told us that racism is a sin. Jesus has taught us that we must love one another. There is no mention of skin color, no second class. We are all created equal in the love of the Holy Trinity. But do we harbor racism deep within our souls? Now is a moment to reflect on this question.

*...I have sinned in my thoughts and words,  
What I have done, and what I have failed to do...*

At every turn, we are faced with questions of what needs to change and what we can do. Two black men are arrested while walking down a country road with no sidewalk. They are charged with jaywalking... Clearly society needs systemic change, and our behavior, the laws and courts must support racial justice and equality. But revamping laws and systems does not alone erase racism. What the US Constitution calls the general welfare and Catholic moral law calls the common good, should be part of our moral compass. Individually, we who benefit from white privilege (wittingly or unwittingly) can befriend persons of color, and step out to defend their rights to equal access, equal education and equal privilege. When we have the opportunity to promote, sponsor and encourage the charisms and gifts of non-white persons, we can and should do so. When we contribute to the Bishop's Annual Appeal, Catholic Charities, We Care, Clean of Heart and the poor box, we are helping many people that don't look like us.

Ask ourselves, 'Where have I failed to do good?' 'Can I do more?' 'What can I do better next time?' Ask God for help and guidance to turn around the tide of racism. Father John Judie, a retired priest of the Archdiocese of Louisville noted the racial justice wasn't only the dream of Martin Luther King, it is also God's dream. Martin Luther King was a vessel for God's work. We all are.

Do you know what your charisms are? If not, plan to attend one of the charism workshops here at Our Lady of the Lake when they resume. Watch the bulletin for dates and details. Specific workshops are held in SAH for handicapped accessibility.

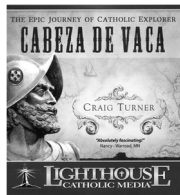


## Please Keep in Your Prayers

Sister Alice Abate, O. Carm., Jim Allen, Beverly Anderson, Leslie Atkinson, Jenna Bailey, Leslie Barker, Robert Barnes, Shirley Barra, Max & Carolyn Braun, Sister Katerina Batali, M.S.C., William Bouknight, Marc Burdick, Timothy Burgess, Jason & Megan Boyars, Ross Calderone, Ursula Callan, Gianna Grace Capella, Darlene Carder, Lori Carson, Lisa Casey, Loretta Casey, Christina Cassidy, Professor Chandra, Chris Christopher, Jerry Contra, Jack Corbett, Rachel Coursey, Artie Cross, Rick Cross, Danielson Family, Jerry Danes, Richard Dively, Frankie Tulsa Dobard, Christine Dornburg, David Duskey, Paul Ellis, Stephanie Enright, Deacon Dave Farinelli, Sister Lee Faszold, O. Carm., Bennett Fisher, Jackson Folk, Kerry Franklin, John Gaskin, Donna Gilbertson, Ed Goebel, Margaret Godley, Bryan & Vaughn Gooch, Amy Grewe, Olga Guella, Robert Haggard, Katherine Helmeke, Judy Henderson, Carol Hirsch, Connor Hirsch, Andy Hollis, Matthew Hood-Pittenger, Melanie Hood-Pittenger, Jan Horvath, Mr. & Mrs. Hudson, Blake Jarrell, Arthur Henry Jillson, Ron Johnson, Madison Jordan, Holly Keehn, Mark Keller, Frances Kendra, Mickey Kircher, Rose Lardner, Ginger Larkin, Keith Lauer, Mrs. Jennifer Leach, Dee Levy, Patricia Linn, Rick Lint, Chuck Luce, Jeff Lutts, Scarlet Lutz, Kathy Lyden, Barbie Madison, Kathy Malinowski, George M. Martin, Scott Matula, Mary Anne McAlear, Mary Anne Miller, Mike Milliff, Carol Morrett, Carol Morris, Alyssa & Natasha Munoz, Fernanda Passerini, Jorge Passerini, Greg Patterson, Alexander Pawlak, Juniper Jean Prete, Judy Price, Mike Poole, Isabella "Bella" Danyelle Raniszewski, Dr. John Ries, Lisa Rister, Sister Catherine Riggs, O. Carm., Flor Rimando, Jim Robinson, Devin Rokusek, Norma Salen, Marianne Sautter, Emma Scheuermann, Hugh Senn, Bobby Serina, Beatrice Sharpe, Jerry Shealy, Kaylee Sides, Stuart Silverman, Ben & Gini Sirois, Harold Smith, Wayne Stackleather, Clark Stahl, Nora Jane Stockinger (preterm infant) & Family, David Stucker, JoAnn Suarez, Joe Taffoni, Jan Tetmeyer, Chuck Thom, Sheila Thompson, Annette Thornton, Rose Torok, Joan Underwood, Nancy Underwood, Stan & Jeanne Van Hoeck, Betty Van Sickle, Nancy Vazrek, Emily Velilla, Donna Vel Dink, Jahmaul Walters, Melanie Watt, Renee Weber, Jackie Webre, Deacon Greg Weigold, Paul Werner, Madison Williams, William Woodruff, IV, Delores Wolff

## Lighthouse Catholic Ministry

### Faithful Explorer



So often we hear stories of abuse perpetrated by European explorers on noble savages. Here is your chance to hear an extraordinary tale about an explorer who remained true to his faith. In 1527, Spanish explorer Cabeza de Vaca led an expedition to Florida. Craig Turner here tells this amazing story — a tale of shipwrecks and slavery, of miracles, battles, apparitions, privations and hardship, of spies and bribery, of human sacrifice, and above all, an astonishing journey through a wilderness that took all but four lives out of three hundred. Those who sought to gain the most fared the worst, and those who accepted their terrible fate performed miracles.

## Respect Life Ministry



Now that the ministries are holding monthly meetings again (with guidelines), the **Respect Life Ministry** will meet on Monday, August 3, 2020 @ 6:00 pm in either St. Andrew Hall or in the Library on the 2nd Floor of the Family Life Center. Rosary for Life will still be held either virtually or at Planned Parenthood on August 15th which is an abortion Saturday. Please join us for this powerful rosary, either virtually or in person at Planned Parenthood, 2712 Middleburg Drive, Suite 107, Columbia, SC 29204. Please email us at [RespectLife@OLLChapin.org](mailto:RespectLife@OLLChapin.org) with any questions or to sign up for ZOOM.



We have uploaded [\*Meditations for the Rosary in Times of Crisis\*](#), courtesy of director of the Family Life Office for the Diocese of Charleston. These are beautiful and include all four sets of mysteries. Click on the QR Code with your SmartPhone.

You do not need to be an active member of the Respect Life Ministry to be on our email list. If you want to be informed of upcoming activities, events, prayer novenas and prolife legislative alerts. Please E-mail Maureen & Deacon Greg at [RespectLife@OLLChapin.org](mailto:RespectLife@OLLChapin.org) to join our list or with any questions regarding the Respect Life Ministry. For our full collection of resources and a schedule of activities and events, please visit <https://ollchapin.org/respectlife>. Meditations for the Rosary can also be found on the website.



## The Lord's Word

**August 3-August 9, 2020**

**Monday:** Jer 28:1-17; Ps 119:29, 43, 79, 80, 95, 102; Mt 14:22-36  
**Tuesday:** Jer 30:1-2, 12-15, 18-22; Ps 102:16-21, 29, 22-23; Mt 14:22-36 or Mt 15:1-2, 10-14  
**Wednesday:** Jer 31:1-7; Jer 31:10-12ab, 13; Mt 15:21-28  
**Thursday:** Dn 7:9-10, 13-14; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9; 2 Pt 1:16-19; Mt 17:1-9  
**Friday:** Na 2:1, 3; 3:1-3, 6-7; Dt 32:35cd-36ab, 39abcd, 41; Mt 16:24-28  
**Saturday:** Hb 1:12 — 2:4; Ps 9:8-13; Mt 17:14-20  
**Sunday:** 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a; Ps 85:9-14; Rom 9:1-5; Mt 14:22-33

Scripture Study



*These parishioners are celebrating Birthdays this week. If you see them, don't forget to extend your Best Wishes for a Blessed Day!*

### *August 3*

Susan Dietrich  
Jo Dowdy  
Caroline Hayes  
Mary Thomas  
Malissa Vidal

### *August 4*

Gabriella Bachman  
Trevor Olenchuk  
Nathan Ripke  
Dalton Steen

### *August 5*

Tony DelSignore  
Brendon Esposito  
Kate Jeffcoat  
Seejin Kong  
Tom Kostura  
Jennifer Perritt

### *August 6*

Leonardo Castillo  
Robert Gummere  
Jacob Hunke  
Esmeralda Perez

### *August 7*

Mary Lou Clyde

### *August 7*

Kerry Franklin  
Jessica Friedel  
Kelsey Helock  
Jen Nelson  
Tracy O'Connor  
Hannah Tavella  
Sharon Treloar

### *August 8*

Sue Cryer  
Brady Longerbeam  
Becky Lusk  
Eric Valdepenas  
Rev. Dennis B. Willey

### *August 9*

Josiah Aguila  
William Bouknight  
Michael Connolly  
Vonnice Fulmer  
Hailey Gallagher  
Dennis Hunniford  
Grace Lackovic  
Manny Anthony Leano  
Patrick McMahon  
Kristine Reich  
Robert Woods

### *August 1*

William & Angela Bouknight  
Bruce & Beverly Brubach  
Tom & Ursula Callan  
Tommy & Theresa Hines  
Keith & Courtney Mallon  
Steve & Sadie Perry  
Henry & Barbara Sweatman

### *August 2*

James & Sandra Bloomer  
Eric & Nina Budds  
Michael & Cindy Ottone  
Gregory & Dorothy Place

### *August 3*

J. Mark & Karen Davis  
Casey & Aletha Flanagan  
Byron & Jeanette Sherman

### *August 4*

Tom & Georgene Kostura  
John & Laura Lee Stockdell

### *August 5*

Steven & Susan Burke  
Steven & Anne Marie Hays  
Scott & Marie Minick  
Richard & Marianne Sautter

### *August 6*

Henry & Frances Collazo  
Craig & Sheila Veach

### *August 8*

Paul & Diana Ellis

### *August 9*

John & Joan Blackwelder  
Jim & Susan Kruse  
Michael & Carol Morrett

### *August 10*

Tony & Rena DelSignore  
Jeff & Mary Lackovic  
Matt & Susanne Payne

### *August 11*

Albert & Sally Bueno  
Joseph & Lisa Traphagen

### *August 12*

Jeff & Jo Dowdy  
Kenneth & Ann Elias  
Sal & Marie Hernandez

### *August 13*

David & Katherine Lindler

### *August 13*

Michael & Lori Mitsch

### *August 14*

Thomas & Patricia  
Franceschina  
Dan & Eileen Petkovic

### *August 15*

Edward & Linda Goebel  
Tom & Mary Vacula

### *August 16*

Vincent & Carol Carnavale

### *August 18*

John & Kathy Hogan

### *August 19*

Neil & Elaine Baer  
Keith & Janet Dolougherty  
John & Kathy Loy  
Craig & Beverly Schinke

### *August 20*

Jason & Lumi Bakos  
Leo & Uyen Kachnik

### *August 21*

Dante & Mary Capriotti  
Robert & Kim Gummere  
George & Eileen Higgins  
Henry & Mary Lees  
David & Kristin Schaefer

### *August 22*

Jim & Sherry Luzar  
Ron & Loretta Price

### *August 23*

Jason & Michele Cartwright

### *August 24*

Bob & Eleanor Cunningham  
Don & Mary Moore

### *August 25*

Lou & Gayle Chiasson  
Richard & Karen Dively  
Dick & Pat Murphy  
Jay & Mary Thomas

### *August 26*

Tony & Tony Lynn Chirico

### *August 29*

Pat & Beth Brown  
Jason & Denise Osolin

### *August 30*

Robert & Janice Probst



*Beginning in August Father Dennis will invite all those who are celebrating Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries to come forward at every Sunday Mass to receive a blessing. Moving forward we will make*

*this a ONCE a MONTH event. The FIRST SUNDAY of the month we will celebrate birthdays occurring that month. On the SECOND SUNDAY of the month we will acknowledge all couples celebrating their anniversary of receiving the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony. Those celebrating their birthday or wedding anniversary will be asked to simply stand in the pews to receive their blessing. Further, as Holy Matrimony is a Sacrament, we will be holding a special celebration of Marriage each year for all couples marking important anniversaries (10, 25, 50, 60, etc, and all other wedding anniversaries. This will be a*

## *Use of Parish Facilities During Covid-19 Precautions:*



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**GUIDELINES** (found on the website at [www.ollchapin.org](http://www.ollchapin.org), Father's Constant Contact Email or the Weekly Reminder) for safe ministry meetings.

As Parish Ministry activities begin to resume, we ask parish leaders to please email [parish.life@ollchapin.org](mailto:parish.life@ollchapin.org), with your proposed plans. Be sure to review the





# Care & Share

AUGUST 30, 2020

Donated items can be placed in the pull-out cabinet in the Vollkommer Bell Tower any time whether you can attend the Public Masses or not. The church will be open from 7am until 7pm for personal prayer.



*God of Compassion,  
we give thanks for the  
breakthroughs of modern  
medicine,  
and especially for scientists who  
develop new medications and  
treatments  
and researchers who develop and  
test vaccines.*

*Give them the energy and stamina to do the  
painstaking research and testing  
required to demonstrate effectiveness and safety.  
May efforts to slow the spread of the virus buy  
precious time until reliable treatments and an  
effective vaccine  
change the course of the COVID-19 pandemic.*

*We pray through Christ our Lord.*



*Our policy regarding face masks: It strongly recommend-  
ed that all parishioners use  
face masks for your protection  
and for the protection of others  
when safe distancing cannot*

*be observed. That said, masks are not mandatory  
at OLL for the simple reason of enforcement. It is  
not fair to require volunteer greeters and ushers to  
enforce a mandatory use policy. Volunteers need  
not be in the position of having to "police" others  
or to turn some one away because they are not  
wearing a mask. Masks are strongly suggested if  
safe distancing cannot be observed while at Mass.*

*This must be said: we can not guarantee you will  
not contract the Covid-19 virus by attending Pub-  
lic Mass. We do believe our precautions are suffi-  
cient to minimize the risk. If you have any doubts,  
please, stay at home and join us on Sundays for  
the live streamed 9AM Mass.*

*Please take a moment to thank our volunteer Greeters,  
Ushers and Cleaners when you see them! Without their  
support we could not hold public Masses. Please con-  
tinue to BE PATIENT with one another during this  
time. THANK YOU for following all instructions.*