

Pastor: Rev. Father Hamish Currie

Assistant Pastor: Rev. Father Kumar Kanagaraj

Parish Secretary:

Sue St. Jules

Office hours: 8:30AM-12:30PM

Sunday Masses:

5:00 PM Saturday Vigil Mass 10:00 AM, 8:30 PM

Weekday Masses:

8:00 A.M.

No Mass on Wednesdays

Sacrament of Penance:

Saturday 4:15 to 4:45 P.M.

Baptism:

Usually on the 3rd Sunday of the month. Please make arrangements *one* month in advance by contacting the Parish Office.

Marriages:

Please make marriage arrangements six months in advance by contacting the Parish office.

Papal Blessing:

Please allow at least 6 months for Papal Blessing to arrive after the request has been made.

Knights of Columbus:

Ed Corelli 705.759.8855

CWL President:

Gerri Chateau, 705-759-4698

Liturgical Music/Choir:

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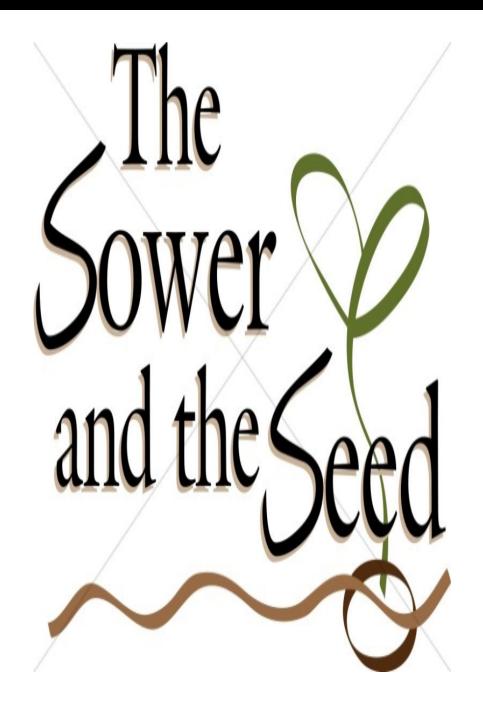
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Fifteenth Week of Ordinary Time

July 16, 2017



Scripture Readings: July 17 to July 22, 2017

Monday	Exodus 1.8-14, 22; Matthew 10.34-11.1		
Tuesday	Exodus 2.1-15a; Matthew 11.20-24		
Wednesday	Exodus 3.1-6, 6-12; Matthew 11.25-27		
Thursday	Exodus 3.13-20; Matthew 11.28-30		
Friday	Exodus 11.10-12.14; Matthew 12.1-8		
Saturday	2 Cornithians 5.14-17; John 20.1, 11-18		



Monday, July 17 8:00 A.M.

lJohn Nesom by Wife Brenda & Family **†Dominic Pavoni by Michelle Inch & Marie Carter**

Tuesday, July 18 8:00 A.M.

Sister Margaret Dodge by Brian & Bev Dunn łAnn Harrison by Brian & Bev Dunn

Wednesday, July 19 No Mass

Thursday, July 20 8:00 A.M.

łAnn Harrison by Joan O'Leary

Friday, July 21 8:00 A.M.

Francesco Nicola Tassone by Daughter

Concetta Mazzuca & Family

Saturday, July 22 5:00 P.M.

Sophie Ostrowski by Her Family Łucy Pomber by Karen & Larry Hepditch **†Suzanne Farrell by Simone Ross** łCharles H. Blake by Lynda Blake

Sunday, July 23 10:00 A.M.

Intention of Parishioners

8:30 P.M.

†Vince Runco by Maria & Marcel Runco

SUMMER MASS SCHEDULE

JULY 1/2-AUGUST 26/27

SATURDAY 5:00 PM

SUNDAY 10:00 AM

SUNDAY 8:30 PM

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July 22/23	Lectors	Eucharistic Minister	Ushers	Greeters
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Sunday 10:00 AM	Louise Bichler	Louise McGuire Bill Denneny Myrtle Corelli	Rudy Wheatley Brian Lidstone	Myrtle Corelli Gertrud Wurzer
Sunday 8:30 PM	Ivan McCaig		Gino Filice Terry Zuccato	



ALTAR FLOWERS

Please contact the office if you would like to provide Altar Flowers in memory of a loved one.

THIS WEEK AT THE PRECIOUS BLOOD CATHEDRAL

The Craft Group Will meet Wednesday July 19th. from 12:00—3:00

The Rosary is recited after each weekday Mass

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Adoration Chapel located at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, 114 MacDonald...open 6:00 a.m. to Midnight. Anyone can drop in for a visit. However, some Adorers do commit to a weekly hour visit. Adorers are need for **Monday** 9pm-10pm; **Tuesday** 2pm-3pm; **Wednesday** 8pm-9pm; **Friday** 2pm-3pm; 9 pm-10 pm; **Saturday** 1pm-2pm and **Sunday** 6pm-7pm; 7pm-8pm; 8pm-9pm; 9pm-10pm. Contact Raffaella at 705-206-3968.

Prayer Line

We are pleased to announce that once again we will have a Prayer Line available for parishioners.

Anyone wishing to have prayers for a special intention, for someone who is ill, having surgery, for the deceased, or any other intention may contact Corona at 705 575 6975.

Anyone wishing to join the prayer line to provide prayers can also contact Corona. Your help would be greatly appreciated.

INTERIOR RENOVATIONS...

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Charles H. Spurgeon

In the Community

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Please call Parish Office at 705 942-1377.

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Gospel Jam!

Would you enjoy listening to old-time hymns or modern worship music being played live?

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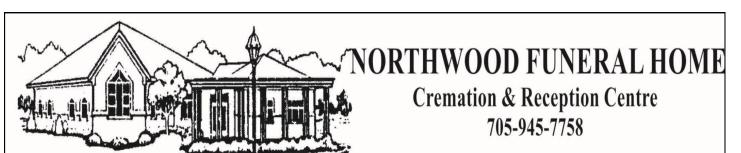
Would you share your talents if you play an instrument?

Would you like to learn to play an instrument? We've got just what you need!

Come and join us for a good old fashioned *Gospel Jam Session* in the **St. Jerome's Church hall** most often on the last Sunday of each month from **1:00pm to 3:00pm**. (the price of admission is your smiling face!)

Bring your song requests, voices, ears, instruments, friends....most importantly, bring your passion to give praise in song!

Hope to See you at our next Jam, Sunday, July 23rd!



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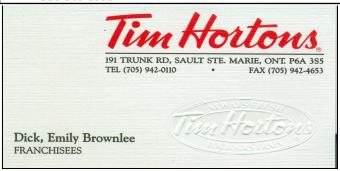
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Fifteenth Week of Ordinary Time

The Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time is about God's faithfulness. The promise of Isaiah 55 and Parable of the Sower from **Matthew's Gospel** remind us that no matter what obstacles we face as his disciples, as sowers of the Good News, God will work effectively through us. "But the seed sown on rich soil is the one who hears the word and understands it, who indeed bears fruit and yields a hundred or sixty or thirty fold."

Saturday is the **Feast of St. Mary Magdalene**.

We begin three weeks of readings from the **Book of Exodus** continuing the story of God's faithful deliverance of the people from slavery in Egypt. This week we read of their plight in Egypt, Moses' birth and how he became a part of Pharaoh's inner circle, Moses' encounter with God in the burning bush, God's summons to Moses and the people, and the story of the Passover up to the time they left Egypt.

The **Psalm responses** this week are particularly wonderful entries to prayer:

Our help is in the name of the Lord.
Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live.
The Lord is kind and merciful.
The Lord remembers his covenant forever.
I will take the cup of salvation, and call on the name of the Lord.
His mercy endures forever.

We follow a powerful part of **Matthew's Gospel** all week, with some wonderful messages of Jesus, preparing us for parables about the Kingdom of God. Jesus does not come to bring simple peace, but to call us to find our lives by surrendering them to him and his mission. Then Jesus goes to teach and to preach, beginning with strong words for the towns in which he worked great cures and where the people have not repented. Rather than being discouraged, Jesus prays to his Father and we have the privilege of overhearing him say that, although these things are hidden from those who seemed educated and clever, "you have revealed them to the childlike." Jesus invites us to come to him – when we are burdened – and he will give us rest. When the Pharisees go after his disciples because in their hunger they picked grain on the Sabbath, Jesus challenges them to learn what God meant by these words from the prophet Hosea, "I desire mercy, not sacrifice." From that point on, those who rejected him conspired to kill him.

On the **Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time** we are reminded that God has sown good seed, but, of course, an enemy has sown weeds in the same field. We are not supposed to go out there judgmentally pulling up weeds, but to leave judgment to God. The way the Kingdom of God grows is the way tiny seeds grow and the way yeast makes dough rise: it is surprising and slow and almost imperceptible. If we have ears, we ought to hear.