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The Paulist Fathers Serving the University of Tennessee

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 9, 2023

*Zec 9:9-10
Rom 8:9, 11-13
Mt 11:25-30*

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday-Thursday at 5:05 pm

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:30 pm

Sunday: 9 am, 11:15 am, and 9 pm

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Monday and Thursday - 4:00 pm to 4:45 pm
or by appointment

MARRIAGE PREPARATION

Congratulations!

Please call the office at least 4 months before
your planned wedding date.

WANT TO BE CATHOLIC?

Please contact Fr. Rich at
(865) 523-7931 or fr-rich@john23rd.org

Irish Fest

Irish Fest is back at Immaculate Conception Church!
Mark your calendars for **Saturday, August 12th,**
4:00pm to 10:00pm!

Volunteers are needed and service hours for students
are available for setup, cleanup, food prep/sales,
admission gate, kids activities, and more.

Many hands make light work! For more information on
positions and times, please contact Beth Wolf at (865)
679-0535 or beth7137@att.net.

Catholic Charities Pregnancy Services Update

Thank you for your generous response to the 2022-2023 Baby Bottle Drive. We are overwhelmed by your outpouring of love and support. As we wrap up our 20th anniversary year, Catholic Charities Pregnancy Services would like to update you on what your efforts have enabled us to do.

- Our 24-hour Hotline has expanded to include an online chat feature. Trained staff, volunteers, and nurses answer the concerns of a woman who finds herself with an unplanned or unwanted pregnancy.
- Our six Pregnancy Help Centers currently serve 19 counties in Tennessee and a few in Kentucky and Georgia, offering mentoring, and parenting lessons in both Spanish and English to mothers and fathers needing support. As clients complete their lessons, credits are earned to purchase essential baby items through the center at a significant discount. Mothers and fathers can stay in the program until their babies are 2 years old.
- Project Rachel Program is our after-abortion healing and recovery ministry for those impacted by abortion: not only women, but the men involved, relatives, friends, and even medical personnel. We offer therapeutic counseling one-to-one, via telehealth, or in support groups. We conduct free Rachel's Vineyard weekend retreats twice a year.
- Our first Ultrasound unit has been ordered and will be installed in the new Pregnancy Help Clinic at our restored offices on Dameron Avenue in the next few months. The clinic is staffed with a trained medical team providing limited ultrasounds, pregnancy confirmation & STI testing. The next step will be a mobile ultrasound clinic that will cover all 36 counties of the diocese.
- Our adoption services "A Loving Option Adoption" has now been open a year, providing domestic infant adoptions for families wanting to adopt and walking mothers through the process when wanting to place their babies for adoption.

God bless and protect you,

M. Ernestine Meiners

Development Coordinator - Pregnancy Services



Calling all single Catholics!

August 25th-27th, 2023 - Join 400+ singles coming from all parts of the US (and beyond!) at the 22nd National Conference for Single Catholics at St. John's Resort, in Plymouth, MI OR participate virtually and engage with others via the online socials and small group discussions.

This is your chance to connect with like-minded singles (of all ages). The weekend includes talks by dynamic speakers, music, social events, Mass, adoration, fellowship and more.

If joining us in-person, use the promo code (PARISH23) when you register to get \$50 off! Discount for the first 50 sign ups nationwide to use this code.

Visit NationalCatholicSingles.com for more information and to register.

Can't find your question answered on the website?
Call 512-766-5798.



"Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest."



Scripture Readings for the Week of July 9, 2023

Sunday	Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Zec 9:9-10; Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14; Rom 8:9, 11-13; Mt 11:25-30
Monday	Gn 28:10-22a; Ps 91:1-2, 3-4, 14-15ab; Mt 9:18-26
Tuesday	Memorial of Saint Benedict, Abbot Gn 32:23-33; Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b & 15; Mt 9:32-38
Wednesday	Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a; 17-24a; Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19; Mt 10:1-7
Thursday	Memorial of Saint Henry Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5; Ps 105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21; Mt 10:7-15
Friday	Memorial of Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin Gn 46:1-7, 28-30; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40; Mt 10:16-23
Saturday	Memorial of Saint Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a; Ps 105: 1-2, 3-4, 6-7; Mt 10:24-33
Sunday	Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 55:10-11; Ps 65:10, 11, 12-13, 14; Rom 8:18-23; Mt 13:1-23 or Mt 13:1-9

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Pope Francis' Prayer for July: For a Eucharistic Life

“We pray that Catholics may place the celebration of the Eucharist at the heart of their lives, transforming human relationships in a very deep way and opening to the encounter with God and all their brothers and sisters.”

Social Concerns Committee

This group was established in 2016 to promote and inspire the implementation of Catholic Social Teaching on the parish level. Some ministries are practiced mainly by parishioners such as the Refugee Welcoming Committee. Others are practiced in concert with other Catholic parishes and in concert with other groups in the community (KITA). Many parishioners are part of the Ladies of Charity, and there are student groups such as the Knights of Columbus. Requests for financial aid come to the parish. Meeting once a month, this group tries to keep track of it all. They also spend 30 minutes at every meeting studying Catholic Social Teaching.

For more information, contact Charlie Mulligan at
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NEXT WEEK'S EVENTS

July 10-16

Monday: 4:00 pm - Confessions
5:05 pm - Daily Mass

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Thursday: 4:00 pm - Confessions
5:05 pm - Daily Mass

Saturday: 5:30 pm - Mass

Sunday: 9:00 am - Mass
10:00 am - Adult Bible Study
11:15 am - Mass
12:30 pm - Social Concern Meeting
9:00 pm - Mass

Insights and Awareness Topic 83 - Pacem in Terris

Bishop Stowe celebrates Pope Francis' renewal of peacemaking in the church.

You can view this topic at: <https://www.john23rd.org/insights>
(Sponsored by the Social Concerns Committee)

Prayer Requests

Let us pray for peace and justice throughout the world. Other prayers are needed for Jo Andrews, Isabella Bleu, Isabella Linguidi, Silas Templeton, Linda Veit, Karen Pearson Rich, Gerard Schramm, Winston Heard, Joe L., Charles, Patti Murphy, Peg Hart, Jerry Carney, Vic and Barbara Kaminsky, Suzanne Lenhart, Christine Wade, Jackson Igou, Alice Peterson, Liz Mattson, Cindy Cunningham, V. J. D'Innocenzo and his family, Beth Long, Connie Beeler, Margaret Dusichka, Diane Dusichka, Ray Bieniek, Al McGinley, residents of Serene Manor, those serving in the military, and for any too reserved to let us know.

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Lector Schedule

July 8-9

Sat. 5:30pm Joan Easterly - LuAnne Zelasko
Sun. 9:00am Michelle Odoi - Lee Campfield
Sun. 11:15am Tom Dutkosky - Suzanne Lenhart

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