# Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 17, 2023

Calendar of the Week

Saturday, September 16	4:00 p.m Vigil Mass - Leonard Becker № 6:00 p.m Vigil Mass - St. Anthony
Sunday, September 17 Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:00 a.m.; 10:00 a.m.—Mass—St. Anthony  10:00 a.m Mass - Ray Braden   12:00 p.m. (Spanish)
Monday, September 18	5:30 p.m Mass - St. Anthony
Tuesday, September 19	7:30 a.m Mass - St. Anthony Chapel
Wednesday, September 20	8:00 a.m Mass - Sidney Frey   5:30 p.m Mass - St. Anthony
Thursday, September 21	7:30 a.m Mass - St. Anthony Chapel <u>5:30 p.m Mass</u> - Edgar and Adeline Heintschel   ✓
Friday, September 22	5:30 p.m Mass - St. Anthony
Saturday, September 23	4:00 p.m Vigil Mass - George and Clara Class ♣ Sacristan - Nancy Koehl Lector - Janet Hollmann Usher - Seth Smith and Trey Jurica Altar Servers - Mitchell Smith and Ava Jurica Comm. Minister - Nancy Koehl 6:00 p.m Vigil Mass - St. Anthony
Sunday, September 24 Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:00 a.m.; 10:00 a.m.—Mass—St. Anthony  10:00 a.m Mass - Brian and Rashelle Fitzgerald  Sacristan - Mary Beth Tromblee Rosary Leader - Evelyn Orange Lector - Mary Beth Tromblee Usher - Matt Muzny and Chris Glueck Altar Servers - Jacob Muzny and Fitzgeralds Comm. Minister - Chris Glueck  12:00 p.m. (Spanish) - Mass - St. Anthony

# Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time



# St. Roch Catholic Church

1600 Frelsburg Rd. Alleyton, TX 78935

#### **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
Tuesday: Closed
Wednesday: Closed
Thursday: 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
Friday: Closed

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#### **PRAYER CHAIN REQUESTS:**

Bobbie Brod (979) 732-3151 or Deacon Doug & Mary Beth Tromblee (979) 733-4430



# Bible Readings

Mon: 1 Tm 2:1-8; Ps 28:2-

9; Lk 7:1-10

Tues: 1 Tm 3:1-13; Ps

101:1-6; Lk 7:11-17

Wed: 1 Tm 3:14-16; Ps

111:1-6; Lk 7:31-35

Thurs: Eph 4:1-13; Ps 19:2-5;

Mt 9:9-13

Fri: 1 Tm 6:2-12; Ps 49:6-

20; Lk 8:1-3

Sat: 1 Tm 6:13-16; Ps

100:1-5; Lk 8:4-15

Sun: Is 55:6-9; Ps 145:2-18;

Phil 1:20-27; Mt 20:1-

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September 17, 2023

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**CONFESSIONS**: Thursday 5:00-5:20 p.m.; Saturday 3:00 p.m.-3:45 p.m.

**BAPTISM:** Baptismal instructions are required; please contact the Parish Office (979) 732-3460.

MARRIAGE: Parties should notify the pastor before setting a wedding date to allow time for the required marriage

preparation (no weddings during Lent or Advent).

**REGISTRATION:** We welcome with joy all new members of the community and invite you to register online at

http://saintrochparish.org/parish-registration or stop by during office hours to fill out the forms.

**HALL RENTAL:** Contact the Parish Office for availability and pricing information.

#### **COLLECTION**

**September 10, 2023** 

\$2,274

**Picnic/Meat Donation** 

\$1,326

May God bless you through your generosity!

# **Picnic Donations NEEDED!**

Our picnic is right around the corner and will be here before you know it!
We are still collecting donation items for live auction, children's raffle, fish/duck pond, gift card walk, and silent auction!

Please consider donating and may God bless you through your generosity!

# Picnic Grounds Clean Up

# Saturday, Sept. 23 at 8:00 a.m.

This is a workday to prepare the church grounds. Please come out and give a helping hand.

Tasks include, but not limited to: spray wasps, put out ant poison, trim trees, pressure wash, weed-eat the grounds, sweep, etc.

Remember, many hands make light work!

#### PRAYER Requests

# Please pray for all of those who are ill or in need of our prayers:

Melinda Brod, Jerry Henneke, Sarah Stancik, Mary Neuendorff, Paul "Buster" Henschke, Anne Reagan, Judy Kestler

### **Picnic News!**

#### **PICNIC COMMITEE**

Brent and Melissa Nelson Buddy and Hannah Pilat Seth and Courtney Smith

#### PICNIC WISH LIST AND WORKLIST

were mailed out with important notes about the picnic, wish list, and work list!

\*Please let us know if you did not receive one!\*

#### LIVE AUCTION

Live Auction committee is accepting donation items. There will be a numerical Live Auction list. Please call a team member to get your item on the list **BEFORE** picnic day.

Erin Glueck (979-733-4575) • Sarah Fisher (281 -467-2282) • Stephanie Tribe (832-563-8027)

#### **CHILDREN'S RAFFLE**

Courtney Smith is accepting donations for the Children's Raffle. Please call/text Courtney (979-732-7090) to make a monetary or item donation.

#### FISH/DUCK POND

We are asking for bulk donations of individually packed snacks (mini chip bags, cookies, crackers, fruit snacks) and juice boxes. Some candy (no gum) and small bubbles. Monetary donations can be made to "Fish Pond".

#### **GIFT CARD WALK**

1 gift card to a local business valued at \$10. Drop off in the church office or the collection basket labeled "Gift Card Walk".

# **Picnic News Continue!**

#### **RAFFLE TICKETS**

Available to pick up in the narthex.

#### **SILENT AUCTION**

1 item — Please drop off non-perishable items to the church office before picnic day. Label them with name and details.

#### **COUNTRY STORE**

Please bring as many <u>new/unused</u> items. Ex: baked goods, small plants, noodles, etc.

#### BINGO

Please bring one adult or children \$5 item. Examples: kitchen tools, crafts, baked item, small plant, wall décor, etc.

#### **MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

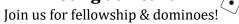
**Sept. 23** — Parish grounds clean up

Sept. 29/30 — Picnic set up

Oct. 1 — Parish Picnic

<u>PLEASE NOTE</u>: If you are not a parishioner but would like to help at Picnic, please call the Parish Office and let us know! 979-732-3460

# **Young at Heart**



Wednesday, September 20 Lunch: 12:00 p.m. | Dominos: 1:00 p.m.

# **Holy Rosary Men's ACTS Retreat**

September 21-24 | Cathedral Oaks, Weimar
\*\*Registration forms in the back of church!\*\*



#### **Upcoming Events:**

September 29— Blue Mass celebrated by Bishop
Cahill at 5:30p.m. at The Cathedral of OLV. This
mass honors and lifts up in prayer all first responders, public safety personnel, and their families.

# **2023 Diocesan Rosary Congress**

The Annual Diocesan Rosary Congress will begin on Oct. 1.

This year's congress will focus on the spiritual power of Eucharistic Adoration and the rosary.

Bishop Cahill has announced the 2023 intentions for our diocese:

- in reparation for the sins of bishops and priests;
- 2. in reparation for sins against the Holy Eucharist, and for an increase and awareness of the real presence of Christ in the Holy Eucharist;
- for the gift of peace, especially in Ukraine; and
- for an increase of vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life from our families.

# Weekly Reflection ~ September 17 Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The passage from Sirach gives us a clear guide to how we should conduct our relationships. We are told to forgive injustices, refrain from nursing our anger, and treat others with mercy. These are not things that come easy to us. We want wrongs punished and we long for revenge. If we would be disciples of Christ, we must learn to forgive and be merciful with others just as we have been forgiven and granted mercy from our Lord. Consider those things that nurse your anger and your resentment and pray for the grace to let go of those feelings.

Forgive your neighbor's injustice; then when you pray, your own sins will be forgiven.

- Sirach 28:2