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Seventeenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

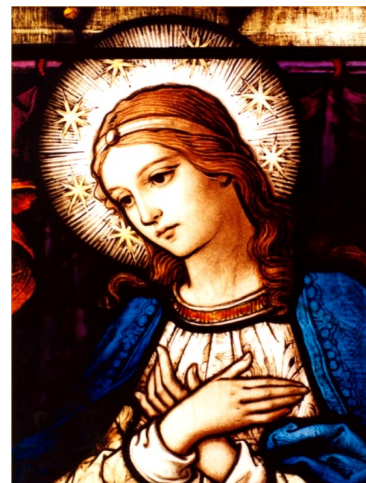
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Dear Sisters and Brothers in the Lord:

This past week I had a follow-up, post-operation appointment at the neurosurgeon's office. Dr. Payner was not available but his Physician's Assistant was and her report was very positive. While it seems that my skull is healing well I was told that I need to be more careful now because the skull plates have not fully bonded together and protecting myself from a cranial injury must be utmost in my care. The nerve synapses are still healing and that could take as long as six to eighteen months more to be completed! I do appreciate the fact that my head is presently not acting like a barometer; despite the fact that it stills lets me know when a low pressure system is pending.

Being given the positive report from the doctor's staff has helped me adjust to the subsequent report of needing to move to a different location than Kokomo. As many have become aware, I am due to report for spiritual duties at Saint Elizabeth Seton Parish in Carmel, Indiana; when the new assignments take effect on August Nineteenth. It amazes me how the past seven and a half years have gone past. My Grandfather Sell has been proven true (again!). One of his favorite sayings was "Tempus Fugit and when you get old, it goes double time!" At this stage of my life, I don't exactly agree that time flies doubly so, but it doesn't stand still for anyone, either.

One of the blessings of Priesthood is that when assignments change, friendships remain. I have had the blessings of friends over the past Forty-two years of priestly life who have become like family to me. The standing support and love that flows from those relationships is what brings comfort and hope to moving on. I have begun in recent years to tell others, if I don't see you soon at least we'll see each other in the Kingdom! May God's will make it so!

Rest assured that in my early morning prayers, I have included to needs of those whom I have served and those who I will be called to serve in the Intentions offered for the benefit of others. I will continue to do that. Perhaps some will do the same for me.

Peace and Goodness, Monsignor

Queridas hermanas y hermanos en el Señor:

La semana pasada tuve una cita de seguimiento posterior a la operación en la oficina del neurocirujano. El Dr. Payner no estaba disponible pero su asistente médico sí y su informe fue muy positivo. Si bien parece que mi cráneo se está curando bien, me dijeron que ahora tengo que tener más cuidado porque las placas del cráneo no se han unido completamente y protegerme de una lesión craneal debe estar a mi cuidado. ¡Las sinapsis nerviosas aún se están curando y eso podría tomar hasta seis a dieciocho meses más para completarse! Aprecio el hecho de que mi cabeza actualmente no está actuando como un barómetro; a pesar de que todavía me avisa cuando un sistema de baja presión está pendiente.

Recibir el informe positivo del personal del médico me ha ayudado a adaptarme al informe posterior de la necesidad de mudarme a un lugar diferente al de Kokomo. Como muchos se han dado cuenta, debo presentarme para los deberes espirituales en la parroquia de Saint Elizabeth Seton en Carmel, Indiana; cuando las nuevas asignaciones entren en vigencia el 19 de agosto. Me sorprende cómo han pasado los últimos siete años y medio. Mi venta de abuelo ha demostrado ser cierta (¡otra vez!). Uno de sus dichos favoritos era "Tempus Fugit y cuando envejeces, ¡se duplica!" En esta etapa de mi vida, no estoy exactamente de acuerdo en que el tiempo vuele doblemente, pero tampoco se detiene para nadie.

Una de las bendiciones del sacerdocio es que cuando las tareas cambian, las amistades permanecen. He tenido las bendiciones de amigos en los últimos cuarenta y dos años de vida sacerdotal que se han convertido en mi familia. El apoyo permanente y el amor que fluye de esas relaciones es lo que brinda consuelo y esperanza para seguir adelante. ¡En los últimos años he comenzado a decirles a los demás que si no los veo pronto, al menos nos veremos en el Reino! ¡Que Dios lo haga así!

Tenga la seguridad de que en mis oraciones de la madrugada, he incluido las necesidades de aquellos a quienes he servido y aquellos a quienes seré llamado a servir en las Intenciones ofrecidas en beneficio de otros. Seguiré haciendo eso. Quizás algunos hagan lo mismo por mí.

Paz y bondad, Monseñor

Covid-19: A Prayer of Solidarity

For all who have contracted coronavirus, we pray for care and healing.

For those who are particularly vulnerable, we pray for safety and protection.

For all who experience fear or anxiety, we pray for peace of mind and spirit.

For affected families who are facing difficult decisions between food on the table or public safety, we pray for policies that recognize their plight.

For those who do not have adequate health insurance, we pray that no family will face financial burdens alone.

For those who are afraid to access care due to immigration status, we pray for recognition of the God-given dignity of all.

For our brothers and sisters around the world, we pray for shared solidarity.

For public officials and decision makers, we pray for wisdom and guidance.

Father, during this time may your Church be a sign of hope, comfort and love to all.

Grant peace, comfort and healing. Be with us, Lord. Amen.

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MASS INTENTIONS			St. Ambrose		St. Mary
Monday	27-Jul	8:00 AM	John Sokol	8:00 AM	Jeanne' Papai
Tuesday	28-Jul	8:00 AM	John & Mary Kudroch	8:00 AM	NO MASS
Wednesday	29-Jul	8:00 AM	Thomas & MaryAnn Chezem	11:30 AM	John & Barbara Hickner Not Open to Public
Thursday	30-Jul	8:00 AM	Ryan Warner	8:00 AM	Betty Brownfield
Friday	31-Jul	8:00 AM	Jim Justice	12:10 AM	Poor Souls
Saturday	1-Aug	8:00 AM	Betty Brownfield	4:00 PM	Elizabeth Wehrley
		5:30 PM	Betty Shaffer		
Sunday	2-Aug	9:30 AM	Betty Brownfield	7:30 AM	Pro Populo
				11:30AM	Pedro Alvarado

Confessions—St. Mary-Saturday July 18th from 2:30-3:30 PM

St. Ambrose-Saturday July 18th 4:00-5:00 PM

Confesiones: se reanuda en St. Mary el 19 de julio de 2:30 a 3:30

Returning to Mass—Please read the guidelines on the website. [www.stambroestmary.org](https://stambroestmary.org)

Regreso a misa: lea las pautas en el sitio web. [www.stambroestmary.org](https://stambroestmary.org)

Lord, I love Your commands.

Psalm 119:127

Thank you—

We would like to thank the Knights of Columbus for the delicious fish fry that they had on Friday July 17th, in recognition of Monsignor Sell and Fr. Mark Walter. It was very much appreciated! We will miss them greatly! But wish them the best on their future ministry.

Cafeteria Positions Available—There are 1 (one) part-time position (approximately 3 hours per day) available at Holy Cross School South Campus Cafeteria and 1 (one) part-time position (approximately 4 hours per day) available at Holy Cross School North Campus. If you are interested or know someone that might be, please contact the Rectory office at 765-644-5956.

Posiciones de cafetería disponibles: hay 2 (dos) puestos de medio tiempo (aproximadamente 3 horas por día) disponibles en la cafetería del campus sur de Holy Cross School y 1 (un) puesto de medio tiempo (aproximadamente 4 horas por día) disponibles en Holy Cross School Campus Norte Si está interesado o conoce a alguien que podría estarlo, comuníquese con la oficina de la Rectoría al 765-644-5956.

Gabriel Baby Bottle Project - Please turn in your baby bottle at Mass.

Proyecto Gabriel Biberón - Entregue su biberón en la misa

Update on Covid 19: Effective immediately, and until further notice, the governor's office has mandated all residents of Indiana age 2 through adult **must wear a mask** in all public spaces. This includes children who may go to school or anyone who may attend church. The mandate to wear a mask will remain in effect until further notice. Failure to comply with this order by the governor may result in a civil ticket and a monetary fine.

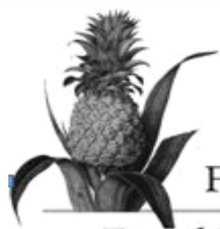
At this time we asking all parishioners to please wear a mask for any and all functions at either church or at Holy Cross School. Thank You.

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