



## 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

“And so I say to you, you are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church,  
and the gates of the netherworld shall not prevail against it.”

*Matthew 16:18*

Jesus Returning the Keys to St. Peter by Jean Auguste Dominique Ingres, 1820  
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August 27, 2023 • Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

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### **Office Hours**

Monday - Friday ..... 8:45 am-12:00 pm  
1:00 pm-5:00 pm

### **Parish Staff**

Pastor..... Rev. Patrick Knippenberg  
Parish Secretary ..... Sr. Valerie Janecka, IWBS  
Bookkeeper ..... Cindy Doyle  
PCL/Safe Environment Coordinator ..... Martha Nichols  
PCL ..... Tammy Fikac  
Music Ministry..... Thomas Santos & Tracie Tibiletti

### **New Parishioners Welcome**

Registration forms online at [www.lourdesvictoria.org](http://www.lourdesvictoria.org)  
or email: [ollvic@lourdesvictoria.org](mailto:ollvic@lourdesvictoria.org)

### **Mass Schedule**

Saturday Vigil..... 4:00 pm  
Sunday ..... 7:30 am and 10:00 am  
Daily (Monday-Saturday) ..... 8:00 am

### **Confessions**

Saturday..... 3:15 pm to 3:45 pm  
..... Before Daily Mass

### **Faith Formation • Continuing Christian Education (CCE)**

Sunday ..... 8:30 am - 9:45 am (August through May)

### **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

First Friday ..... 8:30 am to 12:30 pm

### **Baptismal Instruction**

First Sunday of Every Month

# Mass Intentions

## Sunday, August 27 Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am † Winfred & Mary Ruth Kainer  
10:00 am † Simon Cisneros

## Monday, August 28

8:00 am † Henry & Margaret Dove  
† Pauline Rivera

## Tuesday, August 29

8:00 am Soft, Gentle Rain

## Wednesday, August 30

8:00 am † Emmett Yeary

## Thursday, August 31

8:00 am † Janie Sandelovic  
† Helen Schoener

## First Friday, September 1

8:00 am † Dennis & Alfred Baros

## First Saturday, September 2

8:00 am † Robert Hagel  
4:00 pm Esther Sanchez (85<sup>th</sup> Birthday)

## Sunday, September 3 Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Family  
10:00 am † Margaret Rogers  
12:00 pm Vietnamese Community  
*Fr. Frances T. Nguyen, III, Celebrant*

The beautiful floral arrangements enhancing this weekend's liturgies are in memory of Robert, Aleen and Ann Kalinowski through the generosity of Cindy and John Mayer.



## Scripture Readings

*For the Week of August 27, 2023*

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Is 22:19-23; Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6, 8; Rom 11:33-36; Mt 16:13-20
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Memorial of Saint Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church</b> 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a & 9b; Mt 23:13-22
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Memorial of the Passion of Saint John the Baptist</b> 1 Thes 2:1-8; Ps 139:1-3, 4-6; Mk 6:17-29
<b>Wednesday</b>	1 Thes 2:9-13; Ps 139:7-8, 9-10, 11-12ab; Mt 23:27-32
<b>Thursday</b>	1 Thes 3:7-13; Ps 90:3-5a, 12-13, 14 & 17; Mt 24:42-51
<b>Friday</b>	1 Thes 4:1-8; Ps 97:1 & 2b, 5-6, 10, 11-12; Mt 25:1-13
<b>Saturday</b>	1 Thes 4:9-11; Ps 98:1, 7-8, 9; Mt 25:14-30
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Jer 20:7-9; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Rom 12:1-2; Mt 16:21-27

## Question of the Week

*What have I learned about God and God's will through prayer?*



## Please Pray for Our Sick

Samuel William Bek  
Milton Greeson  
John Correll  
Ruben & Frances Espino  
Maria Garcia  
Kevin Quinn  
Larry Vitek

Pat Krenek  
Joe Lara  
Johnny Garner  
Jason Berger  
Tina Moya  
Adam Michaelis  
Cole Ohrt  
Jimmy Whitaker

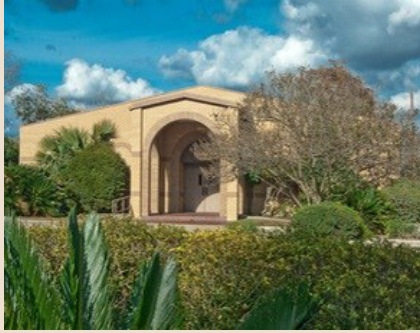
Eunice Dove  
Eddie DeLaRosa  
Marjorie Tasin  
Wade Shumbera  
Frank & Gloria Wearden  
Marjorie Anders  
Kevin Tan  
Frank Reyes, Jr.  
Carly Walker  
Keith Martin

Fr. Dominic Antwi-Boasiako, VF  
Patsy Bradicich  
Robert Weitz  
Mary Ellen Lara  
Judy Parsons  
Robert Molina  
Mark Niemeier  
Matt Alvarez, Sr.  
Shirley Kirby  
Bernice Drost

Jo Anne Hough  
Lawrence Yanta  
Patricia Pooley

*Please contact the parish office to have a name kept on the list, to remove names, or to add names.*





## In and Around Our Parish

### Country Store

Donations are requested for the Fall Festival Country Store. Items may be made, sewn and/or purchased. In addition, baked goods will be appreciated. Volunteers to work the booth also are needed. Any questions may be directed to Diane Heller at 361-550-7710.

### Bread Toasting Workshop

Beginning after the 8:00 am Mass on Tuesday, October 3, you are invited to come to the Church Hall to participate in the initial steps of preparing the dressing to be served at the OLL Fall Festival on November 12. The activity typically takes 4-5 hours with ample quality help. For more information, contact Toni Schaar at 361-649-3659.

### Back to School Blessing and Children's Mass

We invite all children and educators of our parish to receive a special blessing for a healthy, safe and successful school year at all three Masses during the weekend of August 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>. We will celebrate the beginning of a new school year at the 10:00 am Mass on Sunday (August 27<sup>th</sup>) with children of our parish participating in the liturgy of the Mass.

### VCAM Raffle

Volunteers for Victoria Christian Assistance Ministry will be selling raffle tickets after all weekend Masses on August 26 and 27. Tickets are \$5.00 each or \$25.00 for 6. Please consider helping those in need by purchasing tickets. VCAM thanks you in advance for your generous help.

### First Friday (September 1)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament following the 8:00 am Mass (8:30 am - 12:30 pm)

### Black and Indian Missions-Catholic Communications Campaign (CCC)-The Catholic University of America

Next week, our second collection is for the Catholic Communication Campaign, Black and Indian Missions and the Catholic University of America. The Catholic Communication Campaign connects people with Christ, here and around the world in developing countries, through the internet, television, radio, and print media. Fifty percent of funds collected remains in our diocese to fund local communications efforts. Your support helps spread the

gospel message! To learn more, visit [www.usccb.org/cc](http://www.usccb.org/cc). Mandated by the III Plenary Council in 1884, the 125 year old National Collection for Black and Indian people continues as the embodiment of the Church's concern for evangelizing the Black and Indian peoples of the United States. The funds are distributed as grants to dioceses throughout the United States, supporting and strengthening evangelization programs which otherwise would cease. The Catholic University of America (CUA) and its scholarship fund for needy students, CUA, located in Washington, D.C., is the national university of the Catholic Church. Many priests and professional lay ministers throughout the US obtain their education from CUA. For more information, please visit [www.cua.edu](http://www.cua.edu).

### Annual Fall Picnic

Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Hallettsville, Texas, will be serving Country Fried Chicken, Stew, Homemade Cornbread Dressing with all the trimmings at \$13.00 a plate starting at @ 10:15 am (KC Hall) on Sunday, September 3, 2023. Everybody welcome! Fun for all ages!

### Festival & Homecoming

St. Mary Church in Nada, Texas, will be serving a BBQ Beef and Sausage Dinner on Sunday, September 3, 2023. Serving time is 11:00 am - 1:30 pm. Plates are \$12.00 (adults) and \$6.00 (children under 12).

**ONLY 11 WEEKS  
TIL FALL FESTIVAL WEEKEND**

## Ministry Schedule • September 2/3, 2023

### Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Saturday • 4:00 pm Laurie & Bob Bautista  
Sunday • 7:30 am Dennis Boehm, Martha Nichols, James Novak  
Sunday • 10:00 am Martha Chandler, Charlene Edwards, Lynette Mayer, Donna Maxey (Choir)

### Lectors

Saturday • 4:00 pm Liz Lemke  
Sunday • 7:30 am Tammy Fikac  
Sunday • 10:00 am David Post

### Altar Servers

Saturday • 4:00 pm James Record, Suzie Ryan, Bailey Underwood  
Sunday • 7:30 am Kalynn & Kylie F., Clara V.  
Sunday • 10:00 am Felix R., Hunter V., Cole-W-J.

### Ushers • Door Monitors

Saturday • 4:00 pm Thomas Joost, John Novak, Norman Schoener, Von Tuch  
Sunday • 7:30 am Gary Pribyl, Patrick Pribyl, Matt Warwas, Stand-by  
Sunday • 10:00 am Gary Edward, Joe Ryan, Kenneth Spann, Stephen Stone



## Our Stewardship

### August 15, 2023

Count.....269  
Total Operating Income.....\$ 1,571.00

### August 19/20, 2023

Count.....549  
Total Operating Income.....\$ 4,434.00  
2nd Collection • Altar Servers' Education Fund.....\$ 1,120.00

*Your Generosity is Greatly Appreciated.*



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