



24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

“You wicked servant! I forgave you your entire debt because you begged me to. Should you not have had pity on your fellow servant, as I had pity on you?”

Matthew 18:32-33

Parable of the Unforgiving Servant by Claude Vignon, 1629
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September 17, 2023 • Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Office Hours

Monday - Friday8:45 am-12:00 pm
1:00 pm-5:00 pm

Parish Staff

Pastor..... Rev. Patrick Knippenberg
Parish Secretary..... Sr. Valerie Janecka, OVISS
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
or email: 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

Saturday3:15 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 Friday8:30 am to 12:30 pm

Baptismal Instruction

First Sunday of Every Month

Mass Intentions

Sunday, September 17 Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am † Diosdado Valerio
10:00 am † Franklin J. Sedlar
† Laddie Frank & Bettie Clarke Janda
12:00 pm Vietnamese Community
Fr. Frances T. Nguyen, III, Celebrant

Monday, September 18

8:00 am † Jackie Post

Tuesday, September 19

8:00 am † Carolyn Goldman
Collin David Janecka

Wednesday, September 20

8:00 am † Ronnie & Marie Dove

Thursday, September 21

8:00 am Sarah Stewart

Friday, September 22

8:00 am Norman James Schoener (Birthday)

Saturday, September 23

8:00 am † Louis A. Marbach
4:00 pm † Dennis Berry

Sunday, September 24 Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Family
† Alfred & Dennis Baros
10:00 am † Mr. & Mrs. Robert & Anne Hagel
(Wedding Anniversary)

The beautiful floral arrangements enhancing this weekend's liturgies are made possible through the generosity of Tammy Fikac in memory and honor of all catechists who have given their time and shared their faith with the children of our parish.



Scripture Readings

For the Week of September 17, 2023

Sunday	Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sir 27:30 – 28:7; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12; Rom 14:7-9; Mt 18:21-35
Monday	1 Tm 2:1-8; Ps 28:2, 7, 8-9; Lk 7:1-10
Tuesday	Memorial of Saint Januarius, Bishop and Martyr 1 Tm 3:1-13; Ps 101:1b-2ab, 2cd-3ab, 5, 6; Lk 7:11-17
Wednesday	Memorial of Saints Andrew Kim Tae-gŏn, Priest, and Paul Chŏng Ha-sang, Companions, Martyrs 1 Tm 3:14-16; Ps 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 7:31-35
Thursday	Feast of Saint Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 19:2-3, 4-5; Mt 9:9-13
Friday	1 Tm 6:2c-12; Ps 49:6-7, 8-10, 17-18, 19-20; Lk 8:1-3
Saturday	Memorial of Saint Pius of Pietrelcina, Priest 1 Tm 6:13-16; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5; Lk 8:4-15
Sunday	Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Is 55:6-9; Ps 145:2-3, 8-9, 17-18; Phil 1:20c-24, 27a; Mt 20:1-16a

Questions of the Week

*How do I see myself letting resentment or bitterness build up in my heart?
Who do I need to reach out to and forgive?*

Please Pray for Our Sick

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Espino
Maria Garcia
Kevin Quinn
Larry Vitek
Pat Krenek
Joe Lara
Johnny Garner

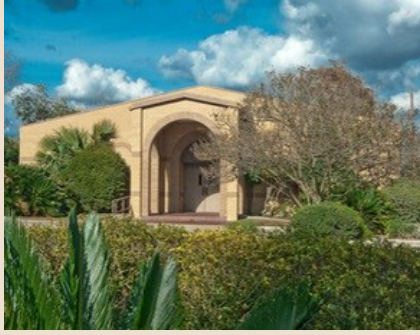
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Cole Ohrt
Jimmy Whitaker
Eunice Dove
Eddie DeLaRosa
Marjorie Tasin

Wade Shumbera
Frank & Gloria
Wearden
Marjorie Anders
Kevin Tan
Frank Reyes, Jr.
Carly Walker
Keith Martin
Fr. Dominic Antwi-
Boasiako, VF
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Robert Weitz
Mary Ellen Lara
Judy Parsons
Robert Molina
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Matt Alvarez, Sr.
Shirley Kirby
Bernice Drost
Jo Anne Hough
Lawrence Yanta
Patricia Pooley

Don Buethe
Samuel William Bek
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*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

OLL Altar Society

The Altar Society will meet on Monday, September 18th at 6:30 pm in the Church Hall. All women of the parish are invited to attend.

Keeping Kids Safe

As caring adults, we have the responsibility of providing the safety of children and youth. By making them aware of guidelines we give children and youth tools to educate regarding boundaries, safe and unsafe behaviors. The lessons and activities are age appropriate. The following are dates set up for each grade level. It is very important that your children attend.
K-2 – Sept 17 9-10 – Sept 24 3-6 – October 1 7-8 – October 8

Amor Meus Spirituality Center Announces Events for 2023-2024

A current brochure featuring the spiritual events

which Amor Meus Spirituality Center will host in 2023-2024 is on the table at the entrance of the Church. One retreat/workshop and two retreats will be presented in 2023 with ongoing group prayer events beginning August 30 and October 3. The first retreat/workshop event will be on Saturday, October 21, 2023. In 2024, two retreats, one retreat/workshop and one workshop will be hosted along with group prayer events throughout the year. A few 2023-24 brochures giving the dates and times with more information on each event are placed on the table at the entrance of the Church. For further information, see the website at www.amormeusspiritualitycenter.org, or email amormeuscenter@gmail.com or call 361-575-7111.

Parish Picnic

St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Moulton, will hold its Parish Picnic on Sunday, September 17, 2023 at St. Joseph's Social Center (on Church Grounds).

Knights of Columbus Council #1329 Fraternal Benefits Night

Calling all Catholic Men! The Knights of Columbus Council #1329 is sponsoring a Fraternal Benefits Night on Tuesday, September 19th, at the KC Hall, corner of Airline and Ben Wilson, starting at 6:00 pm This is a great opportunity to learn about the Fraternal Benefits of being a Knight, including Life Insurance, Retirement Planning and Long-Term Care plans. A meal will be served and the whole family is invited. There is no cost, but a RSVP is needed. Please contact Gary Rangnow at 361-649-2023 (text or call) or email, rangnow@tisd.net. We just need your name and number of attendees. We are hoping to see you there!!

BBQ & Raffle

Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church (11220 FM 237, Meyersville TX) invites you to a celebration on Sunday, September 24,

2023. Serving is 11:00 am - 1:00 pm with dine-in or to-go. Plates are \$12.00.

Morning Rosary Retreat at OLL

Men and women are invited to a retreat focusing on the rosary on Saturday, September 30th from 8:30 am – noon, hosted by the Altar Society officers. The retreat will include breakfast and will conclude with Adoration and Benediction, with an opportunity for Confession. Please RSVP to Tracie Tibiletti at 361-550-0717 or tracietibiletti@gmail.com

ONLY 8 WEEKS

TIL FALL FESTIVAL WEEKEND

There will be a fundraiser update meeting on September 25, 2023, at 7:00 pm in the Church Hall. We will go over the preparations and information for this event. Please come join us for this important meeting. Howard Book – Fundraiser Chair

The appeals for donations to the Country Store and Children's Games Booth continue to be in place.

Raffle Tickets

If you haven't already picked up your raffle tickets, you may do so at the narthex of the church. Take as many envelopes as needed. Any sold tickets and money can be returned in the collection baskets or dropped off at the rectory. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call Donna Maxey at 361-550-7158.

Furniture Update

A pre-owned adjustable organ bench (cost = \$1200.00) has been installed in the choir loft of Our Lady of Lourdes Church.

Ministry Schedule • September 23/24, 2023

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Saturday • 4:00 pm Arleen & Pat Brennan, Harvin Suggs
Sunday • 7:30 am Dennis Boehm, Martha Nichols, James Novak
Sunday • 10:00 am Cindy Mayer, Charlene Edwards, Antoinette Garcia, Donna Maxey (Choir)

Lectors

Saturday • 4:00 pm Katherine Harrod
Sunday • 7:30 am Bud Tucker
Sunday • 10:00 am Greg Richter

Altar Servers

Saturday • 4:00 pm James Record, Suzie Ryan, Daniel Hudson
Sunday • 7:30 am Ami, Lia & Isa B.
Sunday • 10:00 am Carley, Cy & Renah R.

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, Mike Fikac
Sunday • 10:00 am Gary Edwards, Joe Ryan, Kenneth Spann, Stephen Stone



Our Stewardship

September 9/10, 2023

Count.....	481
Total Operating Income.....	\$ 4,614.00
2nd Collection • Diocesan Services	
Appeal Fund.....	\$ 905.00

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