

St. Mary Catholic Church Windthorst, TX

St. Mary / St. **Boniface Vision Statement**

To serve Christ and promote His teachings through Worship, Education, Training, Service, and COMMINATIONITIA



Father Michael Moloney, O. F. S., PASTOR

"There's no such thing as a bad priest, just priests whose people don't pray enough for them." St . John Vianney

Mailing Address for Both Churches

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BAPTISMAL PREPARATION

on the 3rd Sunday of the month at 9:15 A.M. contact the office for dates and to register for classes

Marriage Preparation

contact the office at least <u>nine to 12 months prior</u> to wedding date

RCIA

contact Fr. Michael at 423-6687

Funerals

in the case of a death in the family, please contact the office as soon as possible.

Ministry to the Sick

contact the office immediately if you know of anyone who is sick, hospitalized or home-bound

Confession

St. Mary's every Saturday 4:00 – 4:40 pm and every Wednesday after evening Mass. (or by appointment at the office.)
St. Boniface – <u>Last Saturday</u> from 3:15 – 3:45 p.m.

Hispanic Ministry

Tuesday & Thursday in Convent Call Oscar or Alma Contreras at 423-6918 or 940-224-8183

Protecting Our Children Sessions Call Sharon Humpert @ 423-6283

Mass Schedule for the Week

Please wear a mask & practice social distancing at all Masses. Sunday & Wednesday services will be livestreamed.

June 29 - St. Mary's Monday Tommy Berend by Donor 12:00 Noon June 30 - St. Mary's Tuesday

† Anna Moloney by Fr. Michael

July 1 - St. Mary's Wednesday

Living & Deceased Members 6:00 pm by St. Mary's Christian Mothers Society

July 2 - St. Boniface Thursday † Evelyn Krahl

6:00 pm by St. Boniface's Christian Mothers Society

July 3 - St. Mary's Friday Safety of Our Country 9:00 am July 4 - St. Mary's Saturday

1st Saturday Devotion 8:00 am

Peace & Unity

† Dorothy Schreiber by Richard Schreibers 5:00 pm

Spanish Mass Parishioners

7:00 pm July 5 - St. Boniface Sunday

Living & Deceased Members 8:00 am by St. Boniface's Altar Society

July 5 - St. Mary's Sunday † Julianna Veitenheimer 10:30 am by Anna Mae Veitenheimer

ST. MARY'S MINISTERS Monday June 29th — Sunday July 5th

SATURDAY July 4th

Lector - Suzette Veitenheimer

Ushers – Roy & Julie Koetter, David Green, Doug Wolf **Eucharistic Ministers** – Debbie Schreiber, Betty Wolf **SUNDAY July 5**th

Lector - Brenda Doyal

Ushers – David McCann, Donnie Fleitman, Terry Schroeder Volunteer

Eucharistic Ministers- Craig Anderle, Dawn Vieth **SUPPORT** — Envelopes \$3807.00 Children \$0.00 Loose \$41.00

ST. BONIFACE MINISTERS Monday June 29th - Sunday July 5th, 2020

SUNDAY July 5th

Lector - Pat Hemmi

Ushers - Dan Smith, Kenneth Veitenheimer

Eucharistic Minister- Cindy Teichman & Keith Teichman

SUPPORT - Envelopes \$ 890.00 Loose \$41.00

ST. MARY'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

SANCTUARY LIGHT WILL BURN THIS WEEK for healing for those suffering with the covid-19 virus.

ST. MARY'S ANNUAL PARISH PICNIC 2020: A meeting to discuss plans for the 2020 St. Mary's annual celebration will be held on Sunday, June 28th @7PM. We encourage the finance council members, chairmen of all booths for 2019, all interested parties & all parishioners to attend. We need your opinions. We will do the social distance of 3ft. & ask all to wear a mask. Please mark your calendar.

ST. MARY'S CHRISTIAN MOTHERS SOCIETY will meet on **Wed. July 1**st, after Mass for their regular monthly meeting in the Parish Hall meeting room. All members and anyone interested in joining our organization are encouraged to attend. Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. See you there!!!

windthorst family life & Mission Outreach meet on Wednesday, July 1st, at 5:00 p.m. in the Classroom of St. Mary's Parish Hall to fill boxes for the food distribution on Thursday. Plese wear a mask & practice social distancing.

FOOD DISTRIBUTION will be on Thursday, July 2nd, from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. (or until all boxes are distributed) in the Parish Hall Meeting Room.

ST. MARY'S SCHOLARSHIPS: Fr. Michael & the parishioners of St. Mary's are happy to announce the college 2020 St. Mary's scholarship winners. They are Brooklyn King, Blair Schreiber, Brooke Schreiber & Abby Wolf. Each of these applicants were required to meet with Father Michael to learn of the Scholarship guidelines, write an essay & then have another interview with Father Michael after the essay was submitted to discuss faith & science & how they will apply their faith in the college world. Congratulations to the four lucky winners & the best to each one of them in their future career.

THANK YOU NOTE: Thank you so much for choosing me as one of the recipients of the 2020 St. Mary's scholarships. I am so blessed to be part of such a supportive community. I will be attending MSU and study to become a Licensed Professional Counselor, so this scholarship will be of great use to me. Thank you again, and God bless. Madelyn Anderle

THANK YOU NOTE: Dear Father Michael and St. Mary's Parish, Thank you very much for awarding me with a scholarship that will help me further my education. This award is very special to me and I am very thankful to be a part of such an amazing and welcoming parish. Thank you again and God Bless. Mackenzie Wolf

St. Mary's Christian Mothers Society will be celebrating 125 years of charitable service. On July 26th, 2020, the Feast of St. Ann, we will have a dedication service for the Ten Commandments/Beautitudes Monument immediately following the 10:30 Mass. After the dedication a light lunch will be served to celebrate 125 years of the Christian Mothers Society service to Church & community. We will be honoring our 50 Year Member and receiving new members into our organization. Gail Schroeder will give a short program on the history of St. Mary's Christian Mothers Society. A big Thank You to everyone who made this event happen. Come join us on July 26th.

<u>month at 9:15 a.m.</u> Classes need to be attended by Parents and Godparents. Baptismal classes need to be refreshed every three years. You may attend the class before the baby is born. Please call the office at 423-6687 or Diane Hubbard at 631-1803 to register. Thank you.

ST. BONIFACE ANNOUNCEMTENTS

SANCTUARY LIGHT WILL BURN THIS WEEK for the health & welfare of Altar Society members & their families by Altar Society.

<u>7 - DAY LIGHTS</u> Welfare of Joseph & Samantha, Emory & Braxton Kencaide by Bertha Mae Schenk.

parishioners of St. Boniface are happy to announce, Cassidy Veitenheimer & Shiloh Stallcup as the 2020 St. Boniface Scholarship winner at the college level. Each applicant was required to meet with Father Michael to learn of the Scholarship guidelines, write an essay & then have another interview with Father Michael after the essay was submitted to discuss faith & science & how they will apply their faith in the college world. Congratulations to Cassidy & Shiloh & the best to you in your college career.

ST. BONIFACE CHRISTIAN MOTHERS meet on Wednesday, July 1st, at 7:00 p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR BOTH PARISHES

THE PILGRIM VIRGIN STATUE is in the home of Bertha Mae Schenk and she as well as all of us are asked to pray for world peace, military and vocations.

July 5th Harold Stallcups

July 12th Bernice Hoegger

Confessions: Father Michael will be hearing confessions on Saturdays at St. Mary's Church Office from 3:00 to 4:00pm. All parishioners of St. Boniface & St. Mary's please take note of the time and place.

ACTS OF CHARITY: Please wear a mask at all Masses and practice social distancing (3 ft. apart). This is an act of charity to our neighbors when we practice social distancing & wear a mask.

SPECIAL NOTE FOR THOSE AGE 60 & OLDER: At this time there is no obligation to attend Mass. You are encouraged to stay at home & not attend Mass. If you decide to attend Mass you may attend any Mass. The 5:00 pm Mass & 8:00 am Mass age limit has been lifted. Any age is welcome.

MONDAY MASS TIME CHANGE: Monday Masses will be at 12:00 noon beginning June 29th, except July 6th and the 4th Monday of each month.

QUOTE FROM BISHOP MICHAEL OLSON: "PEOPLE ARE NOT OBLIGATED TO COME TO MASS AT THIS TIME...IF YOU DON'T WANT TO WEAR A MASK, YOU DON'T HAVE TO COME."

SCAM ALERT: Be careful! The scammers are back. If you receive an e-mail from Fr. Michael requesting anything of you, please do not respond and notify the Church Office. If Fr. Michael is requesting something of you he will call or text you. So please beware.

2nd COLLECTION: Today is the Peter's Pence Collection, a worldwide collection that supports the charitable works of Pope Francis. Funds from this collection help victims of war, oppression and natural disasters. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Francis and be a witness of charity to our suffering brothers and sisters. Please be generous today. For more information, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence.

La proxima semana realizaremos la Colecta Peter's Pence, la cual le proporciona al papa Francisco los fondos nece-sarios para llevar a cabo sus obras de caridad en el mundo. Lo recaudado beneficia a nuestros hermanos y hermanas que viven en los margenes de la soociedad, incluyendo a las victimas de la Guerra, la oppression y los desastres naturales. Por favor, sean generosos. Para mas informacion, visiten www.usccb.org/peters-pence.

CARE GIVERS SUPPORT GROUP: The Windthorst/Scotland Caregivers Group will not be meeting at the present time. Since we cannot meet in person(face-to-face), we will be discontinuing the meetings for the present time. Should problems arise, please continue to contact Sue Gross at 940-8800 or 800-272-3900.

WORLD WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER "Forever I will sing the goodness of the Lord." The Lord's goodness dwells in our marriage. Open up the secret of His goodness on an upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is July 17-19 and Sept. 11-13, 2020. Dates fill fast. To apply, visit our website at: http://www.dfwme.org/apply. For more information e-mail apply@dfwme.org or call 469-444-0904."

"Cantare por siempre la bondad del Senor." La bondad del Senor esta en tu matrimonio. Abre el secreto de Su bondad en el proximo Fin de Semana del Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial. Para mas informacion de Encuentro Matrimonial en Espanol, escriba a <a href="mailto:emmillo:

mews! Worldwide Marriage Encounter has created a virtual experience for those who cannot attend a Marriage Encounter weekend in person. This experience will be entirely online & will be presented 2 nights each week for a total of 7 nights. We are so excited to be able to do this during this time when it is difficult to gather in one place.

We know couples whose relationship are being stressed by all the restrictions we have been under. In addition, the per couple cost will be much less because there will be no need for hotel rooms, catering, etc. Please see the attached flyer for registration information.

ACT OF CONSECRATION TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

(OF St. Claude de la Colombiere)

My adorable Redeemer, I give and consecrate myself totally to Thy Sacred Heart in the fullest and most complete way of which I am capable.

Nail me to Thy Cross by my Baptismal Promises, by the duties of my state of life and by my resolution to serve Thee always. I renew all these before heaven and earth in Thy Sacred Heart.

Thy holy service is for me an easy yoke and its bonds do not burden me. Moreover, I would desire to fasten even more closely its tight knots.

Therefore, I embrace the beloved cross of my vocation even unto death. It shall be all my delight, my pleasure, my glory. God forbid that I should glory, save in the Cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through which the World is crucified to me, and I to the world. Thy poverty shall be my treasure; Thy sufferings my delight; Thy Person, my only love.

I will never abandon Thee, my Savior; I will unite my self intimately with Thee. I do not fear the narrow path of holiness, because Thou art my light and my strength.

I hope, therefore, O my Lord, that Thou will make me firm to resist all temptations and that Thou will make me victorious over all the enemies of my soul. Continue to stretch out Thy hand over me, and to bestow Thy favors upon me.

By Thy Blood, by Thy Wounds and by Thy Sacred Heart, I implore Thee, O adorable Jesus, by this act of consecration grant that I May become a new creation of Thy love. Amen



MILITARY PRAYER LIST - Charles Berend, Jr. (Navy), Fermin Estrada Jr., (Army), Sgt. Bill Foster, Capt. Sean Fuhrmann (Marines), Lt. Colonel Tony Garcia (Navy), Cpl. Kellen Green (Marine), Luke Grotelueschen (Army), Captain Brian Hoff (Marine), Tracey Hoff (Navy), Damian Hoffman (Army), Master Sgt. Nicholas Klein (Army), Stephen Koetter (Army), Adam Lambert (Army), James Devon Lindeman (Army), PVT Miguel Luna Jr., Jess Martinez (Army), Joshua Millican (Navy), Blake Newby (Army), Sgt. Kenneth (K.J.) Nichols (Army), Major David Ogura (Army), Kyle Page (Marine), Frank Prokop, (Colorado Air National Guard), Sgt. Robert Rhinehart, Private Trey Schenk (Marine), Tracy Hoff Schmitt (Army), 1st Class Craig Slaten (Air Force), Staff Sgt. Ricky Smith (Air Force), Judy Solorio (Navy), Staff Sgt. Matthew Tubbs, Sgt. Ann Schreiber Turner (Air Force), Cpl. Logan Veitenheimer (Marine) Josh Winter (Army), Major Audrey Wolf (Army), Zachary Zotz (Army). (If there are any changes or additions please call the office.) Dear Heavenly Father, please protect our troops as they protect us. Bless them and their families for all that they are doing for us in our time of need. We ask this in the name of Jesus. A men

REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING IN YOUR PRAYERS!

John Anderle Jr., Lester Anderle, Bob Baumer, Conner Berardi, Andy Berend, Gus Berend, Daphne Borgman, Patience Blake, J.C. Birkenfield, Teresa Lindeman Birkenfield, Mabel Bowlden, Gary Brewer, Mark Brockriede, Dan & Stephanie Burke, Al Cabrera, David Carcaño, Jesús Colchado, John Deason, Brandy Evans, Danielle Mueller Fontenot, Emily Foster, Jeanne Fischer, Annette Fleitman, Rick Fleitman, Cindy Frerich, Kimberly Fulford, Tootsie Gardner, Beth Geis, Jerry Green , Louise Green, Sister Marie Green, Jerry Gibson, Artie Hallenbeck, Gary Humpert, Pat Humpert, Billie Hoff, Debbie Hoff, Ernie Hoff, Frosty Hoff, JoAnn Hoff, Marvin Hoff Sr., Pauline Hoff, Willie L. Hoff, Myra Hoffman, Libby Ingram, Karen Lowe, C.D. Knoblach, Elsie Koetter, Nick Koetter, Evelyn Krahl, Dee Litteken, Agnes Loran, Brian Lucore, Kyler Marlar, Annette Meurer, Jess Meurer, Hans Meyer, Madi Scogin, Skylar Mueller, Kim Nelson, Travis Nelson, Jerry Ostermann, Rita Pearson, Nancy Pennartz, Colby Peterson, Gina Phillips, Phillip Rafferty, Dawson Reynolds, John Rife, Bradley Rodgers, Cassey Schenk, Frank Schenk, Leonard Schenk Sr., Paul Schenk, Roch Schenk, Rosalie Schenk, Vera Ann Schenk, Agnes Schreiber, Fern Schreiber, Gerald Schreiber, Nelda Schreiber, Roxanne Schreiber, Alex Schroeder, Ashley Schroeder, Bruce Schroeder, Carolyn Schroeder, Hans Schroeder, Lauren Schroeder, Linda Schroeder, Mary Lou Schroeder, Rosalee Schroeder, Ryan Schroeder, Helen Seigler, Henri Seto, Debbie Shifflett, Geneva Simpson, Jim Simpson, Lisa Smith, Weldon Snyder, Kate Talley, Margaret Green Tift, Trent Tipton, Randy Townsend, Ann Veitenheimer, Anna Mae Veitenheimer, John Veitenheimer, Ralph Veitenheimer, Gayle Vieth, James Vieth, Tim Vieth, David Williams, Debbie Williams, Charles Winkles, Sarah Witten, Jim Wolf, Kenny Wolf, Larry Wolf, Martha Wolf, Pauline Wolf, Alphonse Zotz Jr., Bruce Zotz, Chuck Zotz, Harola Zotz.

If you wish your name removed or there are any changes, please call the office. Prayer of the Faithful: Lord Jesus, we lift those on our weekly list to you; You are the healer of the sick and we keep praying and hoping for those who are ill. May we continue to pray for all who are sick and hurting and may your peace come to each and every one of us. Amen

ST. MARY'S 7-DAY LIGHTS: +Rebecca Schreiber by Catholic Daughters of the Americas #296; Special Intentions, Thanksgiving by Danny Schlumpfs; Stella & Ron, Cordella, Bobby & Pat, Angela & Nubbin, Caroline Anderle, Betty Jo Water's family, James & Pat Zotz's family, Beth & M.J., +John Rife, Lillie Rife, Roxanne Schreiber, Leonard & Vera Ann, Lenny & Elaine, Kenny & Karen, In thanksgiving for the rain by Ralph & Clara; Special Intentions, Our Family, Lillie Rife, Cindy Frerich, Gerald by Gerald & Sherry Berend; Bobby & Carolyn Schreiber, Donnie & Cindy Frerich, Ray & Myra Hoffman, M.J. & Beth Geis, +John Rife, Lillie Rife, Arthur & Shirley Litteken, Shirley Williams, Russell Williams, Fern Schreiber, World Peace by Rosalee Schroeder, Ricky Schroeder & family, Jim & Geneva Simpson & family by Mom; Rick Fleitman by Grandma; Our Sick Members, For an Increase in Priestly & Consecrated Life Vocations, Students of WISD/CDA #296 Members by Catholic Daughters Court #296.

YEARLY LIGHTS: For my family & in memory of +Henry & +Troy Pennartz by Hillary; For my Family & in memory of Henry & Troy Pennartz by Hillary; For all battling cancer by Charles & Joyce Vieth; In Memory of Janice, Ed & Catherine, Lois Luig, Nanci Luig Carr & Geraldine Lindemann by Eddie Luig Family; For World Peace and safety of our Military, especially for Damian Hoffman (Army), David Ogura (Army), & Zachary Zotz (Army) by Grandmommy; For Jeanne & Family, Ray & Myra & Family, Chuck & Diane & Family, Terry & Kathy & Family, Dolores Sumbera & Family by Frances Hoffman; Living & Deceased Members of Catholic Life Insurance Branch #30; Our Family & For The Safety of Our Military by Ralph & Clara; For Joe Schreiber & Joseph Schreiber by Agnes Schreiber; For Mom by Johnnie & Alice; For Students of W.I.S.D. & C.D.A. #296 Members by C.D.A. #296; The Holy Spirit's Daily Guidance in Endeavors for each member of my family by Donor; For Lawrence & Helen Berend Family by Terry & Carol Sales; For Our Family by Joe & Lugenia Zotz; Arnold & Lillian Lindeman by the Family; Thomas & Leona Schlumpf by Danny Schlumpf Family; Ben's safety by Mom & Dad; For our Family by Frank & Joyce Wolf; For all our Family by Don & Benita Essler; For Our Family by Bernard & Pat Scheffe; Sick & Hurting of St. Mary's Christian Mother's Society by the Christian Mothers; For my Family & for Bruce by Anna Mae Veitenheimer; Safety of Volunteer Firemen, Safety of Ben Wolf, Gina Loran, Brett Hoff, Kevin Schroeder, Corey George, & Greg Schlumpf, Living and Deceased Members of Charles & Mary Lindemann family by Benny Lindeman; Thank you for all the graces & blessings received for our Country, Community & Family by Bert & Elizabeth Hoff; Living & Deceased Members of Alphonse & Caroline Zotz by the Family; For our Family by George & Juanita Martin; My Family by Margaret Beaman; My Family; Living & Deceased members of Himmels Family, For

my family & For +Al Veitenheimer by Ann Veitenheimer; Dad & Mom by Nubbin & Angela; Floyd & Betty Humpert by the Family; For Our Family & In Memory of Alfred Berend by Cordella; Guidance & Protection for our Military Service Men & Women by V.F.W.

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DIOCESE OF FORT WORTH THE BISHOP'S OFFICE

Pastoral Letter



To All Priests, Deacons, Seminarians, Religious Men and Women, and Faithful Laity of the Diocese of Fort Worth

June 13, 2020

Dear Friends in Christ,

"The Church reproves, as foreign to the mind of Christ, any discrimination against men and women or harassment of them because of their race, color, condition of life, or religion." These words, written at the Second Vatican Council in the Declaration entitled, *Nostra Aetate*, articulate concisely the teaching of the Church against the sin of racism in conformity with the heart and mind of Jesus Christ. It is the heart and mind of Christ that must always be at the forefront of our discernment and consideration of all matters involving the morality of our relationships with other human beings and the laws and structures that safeguard and govern these relationships. Faith and right reason anchor our discernment in the light of the Truth that proclaims our dignity as human beings created in the image and likeness of God.

The rule of law and its just promulgation and enforcement by well-formed police and civil servants are required and necessary to safeguard the rights of people and for the peaceful settlement of disagreements and for an adequate care of genuine public peace. We cannot stand against the sin of racism, or any other social evil, without the just rule of law and its humane and measured enforcement by the police entrusted with this great responsibility. This requires transparent protocols and practices that foster the accountability and public trust especially with those who in our history have been most alienated by acts of racism intensified by the experience of poverty. It further requires the social support for those who generously place themselves in harm's way and for their formation as first responders to serve and protect our social order and peace especially mindful of those most vulnerable to harm by an abuse of power.

We are each and all children of the one true and living God. During these times of pandemic and social unrest, we are tempted to fear and to act irrationally and unjustly, controlled by the false gods and idols that incite us to reject God and to harm our neighbor either through violence or indifference to the plight of the poor and disenfranchised. As I stated in my homily at the Mass offered for the repose of the soul of George Floyd and for peace and an end to civil discord, "Justice is the need and responsibility of everyone. Peace is the need and responsibility of everyone. We can only achieve them if we work towards them together and we cannot achieve them without recognizing that justice and peace come from God and we need Him."

Let us pray together for justice and peace that can only come about if we rely on the help of God and call on His name. I remain,

Sincerely Yours in Christ,

+ Michael F. Olson

Most Reverend Michael F. Olson, STD, MA

Bishop of Fort Worth

Sunday, Jun 28, 2020

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Welcome, prophet

Younger generations are quick to tell older ones how wrong they are about everything. But wise elders don't dismiss challenges to their perspective lightly—especially when they have some truth to them. A prophetic word may at times come more naturally to the young: free of the accretions of habit and with no comfortable niche to defend (yet). Take time today to talk across the age gap. Hear the words to another generation's songs, consider their protests, withhold instant judgment. Having a conversation partner, as we've learned from the time of isolation, is worth the investment.

TODAY'S READINGS: 2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a; Romans 6:3-4, 8-11; Matthew 10:37-42 (97). "Whoever receives a prophet because he is a prophet will receive a prophet's reward."

Monday, Jun 29, 2020

SOLEMNITY OF PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES

A matching set for all eternity

Saints Peter and Paul are together the patrons of Rome, where both were martyred around the same time. The two men had their differences, but they were central in establishing the Christian faith, which eventually won over the Roman Empire despite fierce opposition from officials. Saint Augustine wrote: "Both apostles share the same feast day, for these two were one . . Let us embrace what they believed, their life, their labors, their sufferings, their preaching, and their confession of faith." Amen.

TODAY'S READINGS: Day: Acts 12:1-11; 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18; Matthew 16:13-19 (591), "Whatever you bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatever you loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven."

Tuesday, Jun 30, 2020

MEMORIAL OF THE FIRST MARTYRS OF THE CHURCH OF ROME

Holiness involves dying a little each day

Tertullian, one of the first Christian theologians, wrote: "The blood of the martyrs is the seed of the church." The church's first martyrs are commemorated a day after the feast of Saints Peter and Paul—who tradition says were also victims of Nero's slaughter, beginning in 64. And martyrs aren't meant to be just a memory but also a model. Look no further than first responders and essential workers to see modern examples of those following the model of self-sacrifice for the sake of others. Offer a sign of gratitude for their service.

TODAY'S READINGS: Amos 3:1-8; 4:11-12; Matthew 8:23-27 (378). "Why are you terrified, O you of little faith?"

Wednesday, Jul 01, 2020

MEMORIAL OF JUNÍPERO SERRA, PRIEST

Live and learn

Missionaries in the age of the Iberian conquest of the Americas played a complex role, as protectors of the Indians but also projectors of the empire's power. Junípero Serra shares that mixed legacy—a mission priest who brought the saving power of Jesus but also was part of a colonization project that brought harsh treatment and epidemics. We know a little more about

indigenous rights today—and about epidemics too, for that matter. Keep the faith, but mix it with a healthy dose of respect for different traditions.

TODAY'S READINGS: Amos 5:14-15, 21-24; Matthew 8:28-34 (379). "Seek good and not evil, that you may live."

Thursday, Jul 02, 2020

The healing power of compassion

Jesus healed in ways we consider miraculous, not because he had anything to prove about his power, but because his compassion urged him to alleviate suffering in whatever ways he could. His teaching and his healing went hand in hand: Both were focused on bringing us to wholeness. When he calls the paralytic man his son or child, it displays a mark of the tenderness he feels for all of us. Jesus draws us close in a healing embrace. Accept his healing today.

TODAY'S READINGS: Amos 7:10-17; Matthew 9:1-8 (380). "Courage, child, your sins are forgiven."

Friday, Jul 03, 2020

FEAST OF THOMAS, APOSTLE

Beyond all doubt

Thomas may have started out doubting, but once he saw and touched the truth, his faith took him very far indeed. It is said he traveled to the southwest coast of India in the year 52 and spent the last 20 years of his life there planting Christianity. To this day, "Saint Thomas Christians" in India trace their origins back to the apostle. In fact, Thomas is so popular that India has issued a commemorative stamp in his honor! Doubt does not oppose faith, it makes faith possible.

TODAY'S READINGS: Ephesians 2:19-22; John 20:24-29 (593). "Thomas answered and said to him, 'My Lord and my God!'"

Saturday, Jul 04, 2020

INDEPENDENCE DAY

'Tis of thee

It's not all that well known that at its founding, the United States was not a terribly tolerant collection of colonies when it came to religion. Every colony but Pennsylvania had some form of anti-Catholic law at the time of Independence. Thankfully, customs, attitudes, and laws have evolved. But freedom can never be taken for granted, lest it be taken for good! Celebrate your freedom today—as an American and as a Catholic!

TODAY'S READINGS: Amos 9:11-15; Matthew 9:14-17 (382). "The days will come when the bridegroom is taken away from them, and then they will fast."



Invest just five minutes a day, and your faith will deepen and grow—a day at a time

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ST. MARY'S ANNUAL 2020 PARISH PICNIC MEETING

SUNDAY, JUNE 28TH @ 7PM

Please come with ideas, suggestions & opinions.

Everyone is encouraged to come.

We ask all that attend to wear a mask and practice social distancing.

SEE YOU THERE!!!

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FRIDAY	FRIDAY JULY 3 1st Friday Mass St. Marys 9:00 am Please wear a mask and practice social distancing. Church Office Closed	St. Marys 12:00 noon St. Marys 12:00 noon Please wear a mask and practice social distancing.	St. Marys 12:00 noon St. Marys 12:00 noon Please wear a mask and practice social distancing.	FRIDAY JULY 24 St. Marys 12:00 noon Please wear a mask and practice social distancing.
THURSDAY	THURSDAY JULY 2 Mass St. Boniface 6 pm Please wear a mask and practice social distancing. Food Distribution 9- 11am (Parish Hall)	THURSDAY JULY 9 Mass St. Boniface 6 pm Please wear a mask and practice social distancing.	THURSDAY JULY 16 Mass St. Boniface 6 pm Please wear a mask and practice social distancing.	THURSDAY JULY 23 Mass St. Boniface 6 pm Please wear a mask and practice social distancing.
WEDNESDAY	WEDNESDAY JULY 1 Mass St. Marys 6:00 pm Silent Adoration 6:30 Novena 7:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Mass will be live-streamed Family Life & Mission Outreach 5:00pm St. Mary's Mother's Society meeting after Mass St. Boniface Mother's meeting 7pm	WEDNESDAY JULY 8 Mass St. Marys 6:00 pm Silent Adoration 6:30 Novena 7:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Mass will be live-streamed 3rd Degree K of C #1824 3rd Degree K of C #1715	WEDNESDAY JULY 15 Mass St. Marys 6:00 pm Silent Adoration 6:30 Novena 7:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Mass will be live-streamed	WEDNESDAY JULY 22 Mass St. Marys 6:00 pm Silent Adoration 6:30 Novena 7:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Mass will be live-streamed
June 27, 2020 – July 24, 2020 MONDAY TUESDAY	TUESDAY JUNE 30 Mass St. Mary's Church Office closed	TUESDAY JULY 7 Mass St. Mary's Church Office closed	TUESDAY JULY 14 Mass St. Mary's Church Office closed	TUESDAY JULY 21 Mass St. Mary's Church Office closed
June 27, 2020 MONDAY	MONDAY JUNE 29 Mass St. Mary's 12:00 noon Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.	MONDAY JULY 6 Mass St. Mary's TBA Church Office Closed	MONDAY JULY 13 Mass St. Mary's 12:00 noon Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. VFW 7pm VFW 7pm VFW Ladies Aux 7pm St. Boniface Prayer Hour 10am	MONDAY JULY 20 Mass St. Mary's 12:00 noon Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.
SUNDAY	SUNDAY JUNE 28 13 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME St. Boniface Mass 8:00AM St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Both Masses live streamed Picnic Meeting 7pm 2nd Collection-Peter's Pence	SUNDAY JULY 5 14 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME St. Boniface Mass 8:00AM St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Both Masses live streamed	SUNDAY JULY 12 15TH SUNDAY IN ORDIANRY TIME St. Boniface Mass 8:00AM St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Both Masses live streamed Scotland Sr. Citizens 12 Noon	SUNDAY JULY 19 16 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME St. Boniface Mass 8:00AM St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Both Masses live streamed
SATURDAY	SATURDAY JUNE 27 Mass St. Mary's 12:00 noon St. Mary's Church Office Confessions 3:00 – 4:00 St. Mary's Mass 5:00PM Live-streamed at 5 St. Mary's Mass 7:00PM (Spanish) Please wear a mask & practice social distancing at all Masses. 2nd Collection-Peter's	SATURDAY JULY 4 1st Saturday Mass St. Mary's 8:00 am Confessions 3:00 – 4:00 At the Church office St. Mary's' Mass 5:00PM Live-streamed at 5 St. Mary's Mass 7:00PM (Spanish) Please wear a mask & practice social distancing at all Masses.	SATURDAY JULY 11 Mass St. Mary's 12:00 noon Confessions 3:00 – 4:00 At the Church office St. Mary's' Mass 5:00PM Live-streamed at 5 St. Mary's Mass 7:00PM Gpanish) Please wear a mask & practice social distancing at all Masses.	SATURDAY JULY 18 Mass St. Mary's 12:00 noon Confessions 3:00 – 4:00 At the Church office St. Mary's Mass 5:00PM Live-streamed at 5 St. Mary's Mass 7:00PM (Spanish) Please wear a mask & practice social distancing at all Masses.

