

*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
Covenantal Ministry



*St. Boniface Catholic Church
Scotland, TX*

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 **nine to 12 months prior**
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 – Last Saturday 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 live-
streamed.**

Monday	July 20 – St. Mary's
12:00	† Ed Veitenheimer by Stella & Ron Hoffman
Tuesday	July 21 – St. Mary's
	Intentions of Fr. Michael
Wednesday	July 22 – St. Mary's
6:00 pm	† Alfred Berend by Anna Mae Veitenheimer
Thursday	July 23 – St. Boniface
6:00 pm	† George Krahl by Mildred Lindemann
Friday	July 24 – St. Mary's
12:00 Noon	† Geraldine Lindemann by Kenny Wolfs
Saturday	July 25 – St. Mary's
12:00 Noon	† Fr. James O'Toole by Fr. Michael
5:00 pm	† Steve Munchrath by Ann Veitenheimer
	Spanish Mass
7:00 pm	Parishioners
Sunday	July 26 – St. Boniface
8:00 am	† Hugo Teichman by Donna & Amanda
Sunday	July 26 – St. Mary's
10:30 am	† Duane Zott by John Wolfs

ST. MARY'S MINISTERS

Monday July 20th – Sunday July 26th, 2020

SATURDAY July 25th

Lector – Gina Wolf

Ushers – Roy & Julie Koetter, David Green, Doug Wolf

Eucharistic Ministers – Deb Schreiber, Betty Wolf

SUNDAY July 26th

Lector – Ted Neeb

Ushers – David McCann, Donnie Fleitman, Terry Schroeder
Nathan McCann

Eucharistic Ministers – Craig Anderle, Dawn Vieth

SUPPORT – Envelopes \$2780.00 Children \$.00

Loose \$28.00

ST. BONIFACE MINISTERS

Monday July 20th – Sunday July 26th, 2020

SUNDAY July 26th

Lector – Pat Hemmi

Ushers – Dan Smith, Kenneth Veitenheimer

Eucharistic Minister Terry Berend, Brad Wolf

SUPPORT – Envelopes \$1305.00 Loose \$30.00

ST. MARY'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

SANCTUARY LIGHT WILL BURN THIS WEEK. For world peace & an end to the Covid-19 virus.

ST. MARY'S CHRISTIAN MOTHERS SOCIETY NEWS: Due to the outbreak of the Corona Virus, the St. Mary's Christian Mothers Society will reschedule the Ten Commandment/Beautitudes Dedication & Reception until a later date. The new member & 50 Year Honoree will also be rescheduled. We hope that this rescheduling will enable everyone to be able to come and enjoy these special occasions. The safety of all our community members is very important during this time.

The Christian Mothers of St. Mary's will not hold their regular monthly meeting on August 5th due to the corona virus. We would like everyone to stay safe & well. The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, Sept. 2nd. Please mark your calendar and make plans to attend.

THANK YOU NOTE: Father Michael & St. Mary's Parish,

Thank you so much for awarding me with the St. Mary's Catholic Scholarship. This will greatly help me with my final year towards my Bachelor of Science in nursing degree at MSU. I'm so proud to be a member of this Parish & community. Thank you again, Brooklyn King

THANK YOU NOTE: St. Mary's wishes to thank Jerry & Margaret Smith & Frances Hoffman for their generous donation to St. Mary's Cemetery Fund & Bernard & Pat Sheffe for their generous donation to St. Mary's Building Fund in honor of James Wilde.

BAPTISMAL CLASSES are offered on the third Sunday of the month at 9:15 a.m. 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.

The next Baptism will be Sept. 27th - after 10:30 Mass.

ST. BONIFACE ANNOUNCEMENTS

SANCTUARY LIGHT WILL BURN THIS WEEK in loving memory of Shawn Sargent.

SCOTLAND SENIOR CITIZENS : Due to the corona virus, the Scotland Senior Citizens scheduled for July 19th has been cancelled.

WEEKLY BULLETINS: Since the Church is locked most of the week days, the bulletins will be placed in the bulletin board at the entrance of Church after Mass each Sunday if you would like to pick one up.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR BOTH PARISHES

THE PILGRIM VIRGIN STATUE is in the home of Lloyd Schreibers the week of July 19th and they as well as all of us are asked to pray for world peace, military and vocations.

July 26th Arthur Hemmis

August 2nd John & Lillie Wolf

Confessions: Father Michael will be hearing confessions on Saturdays at the 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.

MONDAY MASS TIME CHANGE: Monday Masses will be at 12:00 noon except the 4th Monday of each month.

NOTICE: Due to the corona virus surge, we would like to ask that you call the office to make an appointment for any type of transaction, such as a visit with Father Michael, book the hall (For the future), or any type of concern you might have at this time. First of all it is to make sure the person you would like to speak with is in the office the time you plan to come by. We also ask that you wear a mask. This is for the protection of all concerned..we have the health and safety of our visitors in mind. You may continue to drop off bulletin notices, requests for lights in the slot of the office door. You may also drop off your stewardship donations if you would like. Even though the Church is serving a 50% capacity, the bills still continue. Thank you for your understanding.

PRIEST CARE FUND SPECIAL COLLECTION: "A lifetime of Service Asks for a Moment of Support" The patron saint of priests, Saint John Vianney, once wrote "the priesthood is the love of the heart of Jesus." A priest's love also extends to the Catholic faithful as they lead parishes, teach and preach the Gospel and offer the Sacraments.

As faithful Catholics we have an opportunity to return to them, in love, a sense of security in their retirement years by making a gift to the **Priest Care Fund**. The **Priest Care Fund** special collection provides funds for medical and long-term care over and above what is covered by our priests' insurance and other resources.

Even though we no longer pass collection baskets, everyone may still support this special collection in the following ways:

1. Donations in Church as usual.
2. Donations mailed to parish.
3. Using envelopes clearly marked for the special collection and mailing them or dropping them in the slot in the Church office door.

A RECEPTION honoring Cheryl Pope will be held at the Pilgrim Bank on Thursday, July 30th to commemorate her retirement after 20 faithful years of service. Please join us throughout the day as we celebrate Cheryl's service to our bank community!

FAMILY LIFE AND MISSION OUTREACH: Once again they are offering vouchers for Srs. Over 60 years of age. Participant's income must be below the maximum gross household income of 185% of annual poverty income guidelines.

You must register for vouchers. A representative will be at the Parish Hall at the next Family Life Distribution which will be Thursday, August 6th.

WORLD WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER Just as a small mustard seed can become a large and elaborate bush, discover how a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend can encourage our marriage to blossom and provide a lifetime of joy. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends is Sept. 11-13, 2020.

Dates fill fast. To apply, visit our website at ken_cathy_101577@verizon.net. For more information call 469-444-0904."

Asi como una pequena semilla de mostaza se puede convertir en un arbusto grande y elaborado, descubre como un fin de Semana del Encuentro Matrimonial Mundial puede ayudar a que nuestro matrimonio Florezca y nos de una vida llena de alegria. Para mas informacion de Encuentro Matrimonial en Espanol, escriba a [ken_cathy_101577@verizon](mailto:ken_cathy_101577@verizon.net) o visite <http://www.emmsecion21.org>

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.

During this Coronavirus pandemic, many are tempted to fear, anxiety and perhaps even despair. Some have lost their precious lives, some have lost those whom they love, some have suffered through the debilitating effects of this illness, some have lost their Jobs, their income and most have encountered much disruption to the normal flow of their daily lives.

Every crisis in life is also an opportunity to turn to our beloved Savior in trust and complete abandonment so as to rest in His merciful hands. To rest in the hands of God means we are secure despite the uncertainty of life. It means we raise our eyes to Heaven, rather than look down in fear.

**This bulletin compliments of Catholic Life Insurance
Union Branch #30 of Windthorst and
Branch #36 of Scotland.**

The following prayers Will help you as you seek to place your total trust in God:

A Prayer to Combat the Coronavirus Pandemic

Most Merciful and Triune God,
We come to You in our weakness.
We come to You in our fear.
We come to You with trust.
We place before You the disease present in our world.
We turn to You in our time of need.

Bring wisdom to doctors.
Give understanding to scientists.
Endow caregivers with compassion and generosity.
Bring healing to those who are ill.
Protect those who are most at risk.
Give comfort to those who have lost a loved one.
Welcome those who have died into Your Eternal Home.

Stabilize our communities.
Unite us in our compassion.
Remove all fear from our hearts.
Fill us with confidence in Your care.
(mention your particular concerns and prayers now)

Jesus, I trust in You.
Jesus, I trust in You.
Jesus, I trust in You.

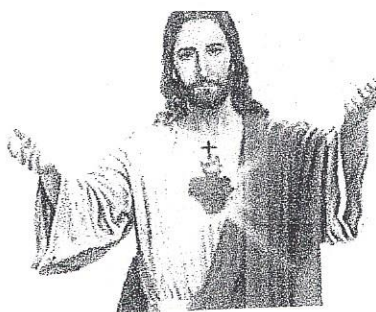
Amen.

Short Litany to Our Blessed Mother

Our Lady, Queen of Peace,
pray for us.
Our Lady, Comforter of the Afflicted, pray for us.
Our Lady, Help of Christians, pray for us.
Our Lady, Health of the Sick, pray for us.
Our Lady, Seat of Wisdom, pray for us.
Our Lady, Queen of Heaven and Earth, pray for us.

Amen.

My Catholic Life



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), 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., Bob Baumer, Conner Berardi, Andy Berend, Gus Berend, Patience Blake, J.C. Birkenfield, Teresa Lindeman Birkenfield, Mabel Bowlden, Gary Brewer, Mark Brockriede, 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, 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 Krah, 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, 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: JoAnn Hoff, Bill Vieth by Joyce Berend; In loving memory of +Lorine Wolf & +Aunt Margie on their birthdays, All those who are sick, Our healthcare worker's safety, Our country, Special intentions by Frank & Joyce; Caitlyn & Aaron for a happy marriage & blessings in their new careers, +Duane, Healing for Caroline, Healing for Edna, Alberta Badgett, Shirley Anderle, Kristi & Mark, Gerald & Sherry, Ralph & Clara, Cordella, Suzette & Richard, In thanksgiving for family & friends by James & Pat; Complete healing for Gerald, Our family, Our moms, Fern Schreiber, Andy & Ann Berend by Gerald & Sherry Berend; +James Wilde, Suzanne & family, Jim & Lois, Pauline Wolf, +John Rife & Lillie, Roxanne Schreiber, Lloyd & Rita, +Duane Zotz, James & Pat, Ralph & Clara, Gerald & Sherry, Suzette Schreiber, Leonard & Vera Ann, Bernard & Pat, Darlene Schenk, Kenny, Martha & Larry, Donnie & Cindy, Frances Hoffman, Gary & Jennifer Julian, For the welfare & safety of our VFD, Bill & JoAnn, Dale & Angie, All the sick of our community, Agnes Schreiber, Margaret Beaman, Pauline Hoff by Bobby & Pat; Bobby & Carolyn Schreiber, Donnie & Cindy Frerich, Ray & Myra Hoffman, M.J. & Beth Geis, Lillie Rife, Arthur & Shirley Litteken, Shirley Williams, Russell Williams, Fern Schreiber, Bobby & Pat Scheffe, World Peace, For all my family by Rosalee Schroeder; 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 Sumner & 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.



DIOCESE OF FORT WORTH
THE BISHOP'S OFFICE



July 26, 2020

My dear brothers and sisters in Christ:

The patron saint of priests, Saint John Vianney, once wrote, "the priesthood is the love of the heart of Jesus Christ." A priest's love also extends to the Catholic faithful as they lead parishes, teach and preach the Gospel, and offer the Sacraments.

As faithful Catholics we have an opportunity to return to them, in love, a sense of security in their retirement years by making a gift to the Priest Care Fund. One hundred percent of the money you give to the Priest Care Fund special collection remains in the Diocese of Fort Worth to provide medical and long-term care over and above what is covered by our priests' insurance and other resources.

I invite you to be exceptionally generous to our Second Collection for the Priest Care Fund next weekend. A lifetime of service asks for a moment of support. Even more, I ask for your continued prayers for our priests.

Thank you for all you do throughout the year to financially support the apostolic work of our Church at home.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ Michael F. Olson

Most Reverend Michael F. Olson, STD, MA
Bishop of Fort Worth

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26 de julio de 2020

Mis queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo:

El santo patrón de los sacerdotes, San Juan Vianney, una vez escribió: "el sacerdocio es el amor del corazón de Jesucristo." El amor de un sacerdote también se extiende a la feligresía católica cuando dirigen parroquias, enseñan y predicán el Evangelio y ofrecen los sacramentos.

Como fieles católicos, tenemos la oportunidad de devolverles, en amor, una sensación de seguridad en sus años de jubilación al hacer una donación al Fondo de Cuidado al Sacerdote. El cien por ciento del dinero que contribuye a la colecta especial del Fondo de Cuidado al Sacerdote permanece en la Diócesis de Fort Worth para brindar atención médica y a largo plazo más allá de lo que cubren el seguro de nuestros sacerdotes y otros recursos.

Los invito a ser excepcionalmente generosos con nuestra Segunda Colecta para el Fondo de Cuidado al Sacerdote el próximo fin de semana. Toda una vida de servicio pide un momento de apoyo. Aún más, les pido sus oraciones constantes por nuestros sacerdotes.

Gracias por todo lo que hacen a lo largo del año para apoyar económicamente el trabajo apostólico de nuestra Iglesia doméstica.

Sinceramente suyo en Cristo,

+ Michael F. Olson

Reverendísimo Michael F. Olson, STD, MA

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SPIRITUAL COMMUNION PRAYER

My Jesus,

I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love you above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

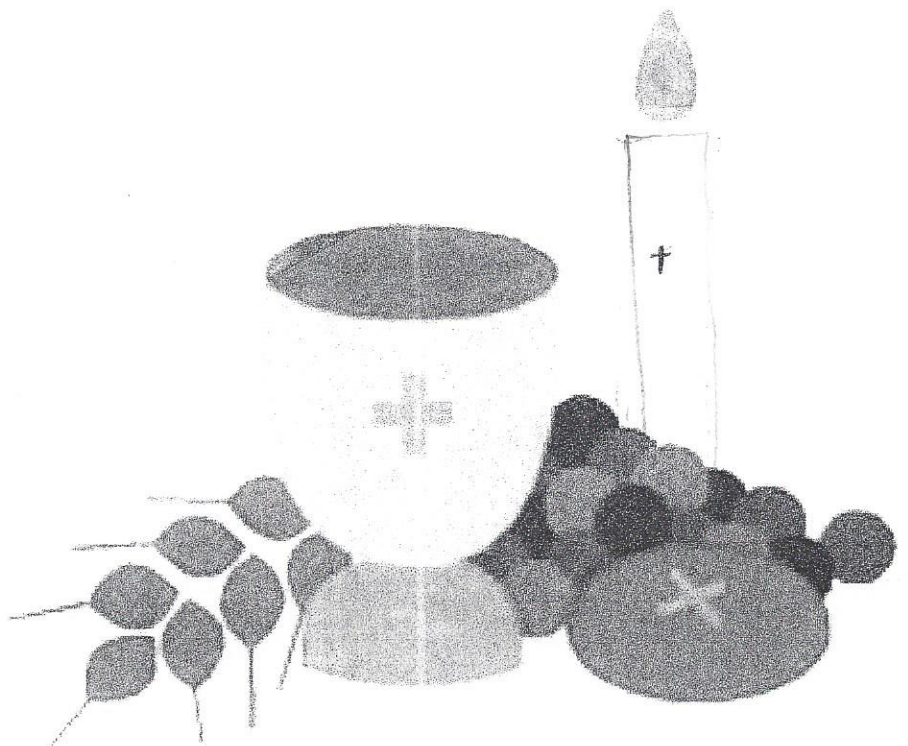
Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.

Prayer provided by Dr. Edward Sri



Sunday, Jul 19, 2020

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

With friends like this . . . we're blessed!

We tend to find what we're looking for. First Bishop of Boston John Cheverus, who died this day in 1836, always sought—and brought—friendship. Forced to flee France after his ordination because of the French Revolution, he arrived in the United States to become the trusted pastor of native peoples in Maine. Named Bishop of Boston, he drew resistance from Protestant leaders there, who later wept and protested when Cheverus was called back to France. His priests followed him, laypeople trusted him, poor families relied on him. However you lead, do it with love and friendship.

TODAY'S READINGS: Wisdom 12:13, 16-19; Romans 8:26-27; Matthew 13:24-43 (106). *"The kingdom of heaven is like yeast that a woman took and mixed . . . until the whole batch was leavened."*

Monday, Jul 20, 2020

MEMORIAL OF APOLLINARIS, BISHOP, MARTYR

Stay the course

According to tradition, the Syrian Saint Apollinaris was made a bishop of Ravenna, Italy by Saint Peter himself. The miracles and preaching of Apollinaris won over many converts, and the Romans in charge tortured and drove him from his city multiple times, but nothing could stop him from returning to his flock, until he eventually died from his beatings. If you need help persevering in the face of great challenges, look to this early Christian leader and pray for a dose of the strength he found in staying unwaveringly true to his faith and his church.

TODAY'S READINGS: Micah 6:1-4, 6-8; Matthew 12:38-42 (395). *"There is something greater than Solomon here."*

Tuesday, Jul 21, 2020

MEMORIAL OF LAWRENCE OF BRINDISI, PRIEST, DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

Operate out of love

Lawrence of Brindisi, an Italian priest, surrendered everything he had to God's will. His offering consisted not only of the poverty, chastity, and obedience required of his Capuchin religious order, but also his compassion and considerable intellect. Lawrence's fluency in Latin, Hebrew, Greek, German, Bohemian, Spanish, and French meant he was tasked to translate the Bible as well as negotiate peace with other countries. None of these lofty pursuits kept him from showing love to everyone he met. May we all practice what he preached: "God is love and all his operations proceed from love."

TODAY'S READINGS: Micah 7:14-15, 18-20; Matthew 12:46-50 (396). *"Whoever does the will of my heavenly Father is my brother, and sister, and mother."*

Wednesday, Jul 22, 2020

FEAST OF MARY MAGDALENE, APOSTLE OF THE APOSTLES

Be the bearer of Good News

Contrary to the mistaken legend that arose later, Mary Magdalene was not a prostitute. She was a friend and follower of Jesus who accompanied him during his ministry and remained with him through the agony of his death. Compelled by unbearable grief, she is the first person in all four gospels to witness the empty

tomb. In 2016, Pope Francis issued a decree that elevated this day from a memorial to a feast day as he called Mary Magdalene the Apostle to the Apostles. What good news of Jesus can you bring to others today?

TODAY'S READINGS: Song of Songs 3:1-4b or 2 Corinthians 5:14-17; John 20:1-2, 11-18 (603). *"Jesus then said . . . 'Go to my brothers and tell them . . .'"*

Thursday, Jul 23, 2020

Your turn to keep the faith going

In today's gospel Jesus notes that the crowd hears him but doesn't understand. Misunderstanding the message of Jesus was a problem from the beginning, which is why we all can use help in understanding matters of faith, help that is available from the Christian community. Catholics do not isolate scripture alone as the sole basis of faith but also emphasize tradition as essential to our understanding; tradition handed on through the church. You are part of the living Body of Christ that carries on the tradition. Today recall that you help express and form the tradition through your actions—make them good ones!

TODAY'S READINGS: Jeremiah 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13; Matthew 13:10-17 (398). *"The disciples approached Jesus and said, 'Why do you speak to the crowd in parables?'"*

Friday, Jul 24, 2020

MEMORIAL OF SHARBEL MAKHLUF, PRIEST

Healing measures

Legend says healing might be gained by traveling to Lebanon and praying at the tomb of Sharbel Makhluf (1828-98), a Maronite monk known for his virtue and holiness. Closer to home, there's a mosaic shrine to Saint Sharbel located in New York City's St. Patrick Cathedral. Throughout the world, there are more than 3 million Maronite Christians, an Eastern Catholic Church established in the fifth century and in full communion with Rome. In a world with so much illness, today is a good day to ask Saint Sharbel to lend a healing hand. And we should all do the same.

TODAY'S READINGS: Jeremiah 3:14-17; Matthew 13:18-23 (399). *"The seed sown on rich soil is the one who hears the word and understands it."*

Saturday, Jul 25, 2020

FEAST OF JAMES, APOSTLE

Let the storm subside

The apostle James, along with his brother John, members of Jesus' inner circle, were nicknamed the "sons of thunder" perhaps because of their fiery personalities. At one point in the gospels they asked Jesus if they should call "fire down from heaven" on a village that does not welcome them. Fortunately for the villagers (and for us) Jesus had a different idea of how power should be used—not for vengeance but for healing. Pray that those who wield great power in our own nation and world might take their cue on this point from Jesus rather than James.

TODAY'S READINGS: 2 Corinthians 4:7-15; Matthew 20:20-28 (605). *"Whoever wishes to be great among you shall be your servant."*

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



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O Mary,
you always shine on our path
as a sign of salvation and of hope.
We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick,
who at the cross took part in Jesus' pain, keeping your faith firm.
You, Salvation of the Roman People,
know what we need,
and we are sure you will provide
so that, as in Cana of Galilee,
we may return to joy and to feasting
after this time of trial.
Help us, Mother of Divine Love,
to conform to the will of the Father
and to do as we are told by Jesus,
who has taken upon himself our sufferings
and carried our sorrows
to lead us, through the cross,
to the joy of the resurrection. Amen.

Under your protection, we seek refuge, Holy Mother of God. Do not disdain the
entreaties of we who are in trial, but deliver us from every danger, O glorious and
blessed Virgin.



JULY 18, 2020 – August 14, 2020

SATURDAY		SUNDAY		MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY	
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.		SUNDAY JULY 19 <u>16th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</u> St. Boniface Mass 8:00AM St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Both Masses live streamed		MONDAY JULY 20 Mass St. Mary's 12:00 noon Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.		TUESDAY JULY 21 Mass St. Mary's <u>Church Office closed</u>		WEDNESDAY JULY 22 Mass St. Mary's 6:00 pm Adoration 6:30 pm Chaplet 6:30 pm Novena 7:00 pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Mass will be live-streamed		THURSDAY JULY 23 Mass St. Boniface 6 pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.		FRIDAY JULY 24 St. Mary's 12:00 noon Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.	
SATURDAY JULY 25 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.		SUNDAY JULY 26 <u>17th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</u> St. Boniface Mass 8:00AM St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Both Masses live streamed St. Mary's Mothers Society Dedication		MONDAY JULY 27 Mass St. Mary's 6:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. 4th Degree K of C		TUESDAY JULY 28 Mass St. Mary's <u>Church Office closed</u>		WEDNESDAY JULY 29 Mass St. Mary's 6:00 pm Adoration 6:30 pm Chaplet 6:30 pm Novena 7:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Mass will be live-streamed		THURSDAY JULY 30 Mass St. Boniface 6 pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.		FRIDAY JULY 31 St. Mary's 12:00 noon Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.	
SATURDAY AUGUST 1 <u>1st SATURDAY</u> Mass St. Mary's 8:00AM 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. 2nd Collection: Priest Care		SUNDAY AUGUST 2 <u>18th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</u> St. Boniface Mass 8:00AM St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Both Masses live streamed 2nd Collection: Priest Care Fund		MONDAY AUGUST 3 Mass St. Mary's 12:00 noon Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.		TUESDAY AUGUST 4 Mass St. Mary's <u>Church Office closed</u>		WEDNESDAY AUGUST 5 Mass St. Mary's 6:00 pm Adoration 6:30 pm Chaplet 6:30 pm Novena 7:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Mass will be live-streamed Family Life & Outreach 5pm		THURSDAY AUGUST 6 Mass St. Boniface 6 pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Food Distribution 9:00-11:00am		FRIDAY AUGUST 7 <u>1st FRIDAY</u> St. Mary's 9:00 am Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.	
SATURDAY AUGUST 8 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		SUNDAY AUGUST 9 <u>19th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</u> St. Boniface Mass 8:00AM St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Both Masses live streamed		MONDAY AUGUST 10 Mass St. Mary's 12:00 noon Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. VFW & VFW Ladies Auxiliary		TUESDAY AUGUST 11 Mass St. Mary's <u>Church Office closed</u>		WEDNESDAY AUGUST 12 Mass St. Mary's 6:00 pm Adoration 6:30 pm Chaplet 6:30 pm Novena 7:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Mass will be live-streamed 3rd Degree K of C #1715		THURSDAY AUGUST 13 Mass St. Boniface 6 pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. St. Boniface Prayer Hour 10:00am		FRIDAY AUGUST 14 St. Mary's 12:00 noon Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.	