

7.14.2019

WELCOME!

Our parish community welcomes you! We are blessed by your active participation in our worship together. Thank you for helping us grow!

"Be faithful in little things."
-Bl. Francis Xavier Seelos, C.Ss.R

WEEKLY PARISH OFFERINGS

SUNDAY MASS

8:00 am and 10:30 am

CONFESSION

before, between, and after Sunday Masses
or by appointment: call Fr. Jim

DAILY MASS

Wednesdays at 8:30 am at
Steinway Piano Gallery on Hwy 31
Thursdays at 8:30 am at
Women's Health Center off Hwy 31

Parishioners can still sign up to have a Daily Mass in their home via the church website.

MINISTRY OF THE SICK

Please contact the parish office if you or anyone you know would like to receive weekly communion.

STEWARDSHIP: GIFT OF TIME, TALENT, AND TREASURE

Contact these parishioners if you are interested in assisting in the following ways:

Altar Servers: Theresa West at (228) 209-4935;

Ushers, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers:

Joan Dryden at (251) 680-5541;

Coffee Social: Zannyha Wright at (334) 405-3631

LAST WEEK'S OFFERING

Tithe Collection: \$4078.73
Building Fund: \$4061.00

UPCOMING 2nd COLLECTION

7/21: Building Fund

TEEN LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP

Calling all teens to the Visitation Monastery for a FREE workshop on being a leader in your faith. Starts Saturday 7/27 at noon, ending that night at 9pm. Return Sunday 7/28 at 7am for Mass and continued workshop, ending at noon. This is a great opportunity to meet other teens from the Archdiocese, share and grow in your faith and leadership. See entrance tables for more information

VBS THANK YOU!

Thank you to all the volunteers, especially our teens; WOW, what great leaders you are! A special thank you to Kim Barber for heading up

COME ADORE HIM

Christ the King Adoration Chapel is looking for more weekly guardians (adorers):

Sunday 1am, 2am, 3am, 6am, 5pm

Monday 1am, 2am, 3am, 4am, 11pm

Tuesday 3am

Wednesday 2am

Thursday 1am, 2am, 3am, 7am, 11am

Friday 4pm

Saturday 1am, 3am, 6pm

This could be your opportunity to answer His call to spend more time with Him! Contact Missy Schmidt @ 626-7427, or go to Christtheking.weadorehim.com

UPCOMING EVENTS

PHOTO DIRECTORY SHOOT

JULY 14 AFTER MASSES

This is the last chance to be in the Founding Members Photo Directory.

VBS PRESENTATION

JULY 14 @ 10:30 AM MASS

Enjoy a musical performance from our Vacation Bible School students during Mass!

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

JULY 14 @ 9:15 AM

This for all servers who would like more instruction.

PRODISEE PANTRY SERVICE

JULY 17 @ 6:00 PM

Give back to our host ministry!

HS TEEN LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP

JULY 27-28 @ VISITATION MONASTERY

More details to the left; register soon!

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

Pre-register your children for 2019 - 2020 Sunday School. Forms are at the entrance.

If you are interested in becoming a new Catechist, you must now register on-line at mobile.cmgconnect.org before attending the training session. These are held monthly at St. Lawrence in Fairhope at 7pm. Upcoming dates are 8/13 and 9/10.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

We are pleased to be able to present "Be Prepared," an apologetics video series recorded by Pat Arensberg of the Archdiocese. Join us at 9:15 am each Sunday.

Upcoming topics:

- July 14: Purgatory
- July 21: One Church or Many?

MEN OF ST. JOSEPH

All men are invited to join! "Put the Family in the Hands of The Father." Our next meeting will be Tuesday, July 15, 7:30 pm at Spanish Fort Methodist Church, in the resource center.

ONE FAITH, ONE FAMILY CONFERENCE

This year's conference is less than a month away: August 2nd and 3rd at the Daphne Civic Center. This year's theme is "The Family that Plays Together, Prays Together."

Featured speakers include Dr. Greg and Lisa Popcak, counselors dedicated to helping Catholics find faith-filled solutions to tough marriage, family, and personal problems. The Vigil Project, our conference musicians, is a community of artists that collaborates to make music and resources for an authentic encounter with God and sincere prayer.

For tickets and more information, visit www.mobarchconferences.org.



FAMILY CONNECTION FOR THE FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

- *First Reading: Deuteronomy 30:10-14 | Moses reminds the people that God's commandments are not remote but are already in their hearts.*
- *Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 69:14,17,30-31,36-37 | Turn to the Lord in your need, and you will live.*
- *Second Reading: Colossians 1:15-20 | Jesus is the head of the body, the Church.*
- *Gospel Reading: Luke 10:25-37 | The parable of the Good Samaritan*

Families rely on selfless love. Parents show love for their children not just when it's convenient, but whenever their children's needs must be met. Imagine if the members of a family were concerned only with their own needs. How quickly things would fall apart!

In the story of the Good Samaritan, we learn about someone who went out of his way to care for the needs of another. He recognized the victim as his brother and accepted responsibility for him. As a family, talk about the responsibilities of each member of the family. Share how you, as parents, care for the needs of everyone in the family even when it's inconvenient. Ask your children to share times when they did chores and helped the family even when it was not convenient.

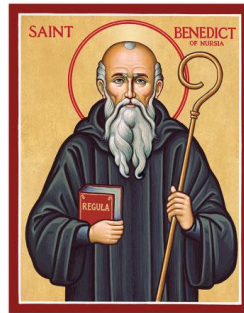
Read aloud this Sunday's Gospel, Luke 10:25-37. Talk about how the Samaritan went out of his way to care for the needs of the victim. Make a commitment as a family to follow the example of the Good Samaritan. Explain that the more you learn to accept responsibility for each other's needs at home, the more you'll be able to accept responsibility for the needs of others in the world.

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PRAYER FOR THE MONTH OF JULY

St. Benedict, known as the "Father of Monasticism," established the famous monastery and composed the Benedictine Rule, a rigorous rule of life adopted by monks throughout Europe which focuses on discipline, reparation, and communal living.

Please continue to pray with us to St. Benedict. More copies of the daily prayers are available at the entrance tables.



DAILY READINGS | JULY 15-21

July 15: Memorial of Saint Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor of the Church |

EX 1:8-14, 22 / PS 124:1B-3, 4-6, 7-8 / MT 10:34—11:1

July 16: Tuesday of the 15th Week in Ordinary Time | EX 2:1-15A / PS 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34 / MT 11:20-24

July 17: Wed. of the 15th Week in Ordinary Time | EX 3:1-6, 9-12 / PS 103:1B-2, 3-4, 6-7 / MT 11:25-27

July 18: Thursday of the 15th Week in Ordinary Time | EX 3:13-20 / PS 105:1 AND 5, 8-9, 24-25, 26-27 / MT 11:28-30

July 19: Friday of the 15th Week in Ordinary Time | EX 11:10—12:14 / PS 116:12-13, 15 AND 16BC, 17-18 / MT 12:1-8

July 20: Saturday of the 15th Week in Ordinary Time | EX 12:37-42 / PS 136:1 AND 23-24, 10-12, 13-15 / MT 12:14-21

July 21: 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time | DT 30:10-14 / GN 18:1-10A / PS 15:2-3, 3-4, 5 / COL 1:24-28 / LK 10:38-42



REGISTER TODAY AT FRANCISXSELOS.ORG! CLICK "JOIN US"

July 14, 2019: Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

WHAT WE MUST DO

"Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life; you have the words of everlasting life."

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