

8.23.2020

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 9:30am

CONFESSION

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

DAILY MASS

Wednesday, Steinway @ 8:30am

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 TREASURE

All checks intended for the Capital
Campaign must be written payable
to “In the Seelos Tradition.”

LAST WEEK'S OFFERING

Tithe: \$1737.00

Building Fund: \$25.00

Catholic Home Missions \$352.00

UPCOMING 2ND COLLECTIONS

August 23rd & 30th - Building Fund

September 6th - Building Fund

September 13th - Burse Club

HAPPY 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Congratulations to Elmer and
Joan Dryden on 50 years of
marriage. Please join in their
celebration after the 8am Mass
or at the 9:30 Mass.

UPCOMING EVENTS

SEPTEMBER 13th - SUNDAY
SCHOOL begins 9:15 am

SEPTEMBER 16th - RCIA classes
begins at 6:30 pm

SEPTEMBER 20th - Parent meeting
for all Sunday School Students.
Details are forthcoming.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CORNER

Contact: Theresa West at (228) 209 4935 or
theresabertagnolliwest@yahoo.com.

Sunday School for 2020 -2021

Please see below for details.

Teachers are Needed

Please contact Theresa West

*ALL 2019-2020 Catechist please turn in your
class binder from last year*

MISSING HOLY WATER??

We are happy to provide Holy Water for each
family. Please pick up one for your family, if you
did not receive one last week at the exit doors.

Once empty, refill with ordinary water and
bring to Fr. Jim for blessing. Since we are not
able to provide Holy Water, bring yours with
you to bless yourself before Mass. See Sacred
That Surrounds Us for more.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

Fall campaign of 40 Days for Life kicks off
September 21st with a rally at 6:30 pm to
include Pro-Life Apologetics 101. Rally will
be at the Women's Resource Center, across
from Planned Parenthood at
717Downtowner Loop W, Mobile.
40 Days of Life Sidewalk guardians are
needed. Sign up today at
<https://www.40daysforlife.com/mobile>

SUNDAY SCHOOL 2020-2021

Registration has begun. A COVID 19 waiver form must be completed for each student and
accompany your registration. Students will need to wear a mask and have their temperature taken at
the entrance door before going to their class. Sunday School will start September 13, 2020 and run
thru May 2, 2021. Class times will be 9:15 am to 10:15 am.

RCIA

Registration begins August 9th. RCIA is for non-baptized persons and those of other Christian faiths
who are interested in joining the Catholic Church. If you are an adult Catholic who has not yet been
Confirmed, you may join the process as well. Classes will begin September 16th and run until Easter.
Forms may be obtained at the exit table. If you have any questions, please contact Fr. Jim or Theresa
West.

WE WORSHIP TOGETHER!

Mass times will remain 8:00 am 9:30 am through Labor Day. We urge you to wear a mask to
help keep your fellow parishioners safe. Eucharistic Ministers are assisting Communion
during Mass. They are to follow the same protocol as the priest by wearing a mask and
sanitizing their hands prior to distribution of Communion. If you are interested in
participating, please contact Joan Dryden.

SACRED THAT SURROUNDS US: HOLY WATER



Holy Water gives blessings for three reasons; as a sign of repentance of sin, for protection from evil, and as a reminder of our Baptism. Holy water is a sacramental, a “Sacred sign which bear(s) a resemblance to the sacraments.” Many use it daily as they leave their house, begin their prayers, or end their day.

AT HOME RESOURCES

- Live Mass with Fr. Jim Sunday’s at 9:30 am. If you have not already signed up, please email Jennifer.evelyn.moore@gmail.com
- Adorecast – a live Eucharistic Adoration stream from our friends at Catholify <http://www.adorecast.com>
- Basilica of National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception live stream Mass, Sunday 11 am central <http://www.nationalshrine.org/mass>
- Saint John Paul II National Shrine live stream daily Mass (11 am central), hour of prayer (3 pm eastern) <http://www.jp2shrine.org>

PRAYER TO ST. MONICA (Memorial is Thursday, August 27th)

Dear St. Monica,
Troubled wife and mother, many sorrows pierced your heart during your lifetime. Yet, you never despaired or lost faith. With confidence, persistence, and profound faith, you prayed daily for the conversion of your beloved husband, Patricius, and your beloved son, Augustine; your prayers were answered. Grant me that same fortitude, patience, and trust in the Lord. Intercede for me, dear St. Monica, that God may favorably hear my plea for (Mention your intention here) and grant me the grace to accept His Will in all things, through Jesus Christ, our Lord, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.

Amen

DAILY READINGS | AUGUST 24-30

MONDAY: RV 21:9B-14 /PS 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18/ JN 1:49B / JN 1:45-51
TUESDAY: 2 THES 2:1-3A, 14-17 /PS 96:10, 11-12, 13 /HEBREWS 4:12 /MT 23:23-26
WEDNESDAY: 2 THES 3:6-10, 16-18 /PS 128:1-2, 4-5 /1 JOHN 2:5 /MT 23:27-32
THURSDAY: Memorial of Saint Monica 1 COR 1:1-9 /PS 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 /MT24:42A, 44 /MT 24:42-51
FRIDAY: Memorial of Saint Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church 1 COR 1:17-25 /PS 33:1-2, 4-5, 10-11 / LUKE 21:36 /MT 25:1-13
SATURDAY: Memorial of the Passion of Saint John the Baptist 1 COR 1:26-31 /PS 33:12-13, 18-19, 20-21 /MT 5:10 / MT 6:17-29
SUNDAY: JER 20:7-9 /PS 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 /ROM 12:1-2 /MT 11:29AB /MT 16:21-27



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August 23, 2020 / Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time



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