

**Twenty Ninth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
October 22, 2017**

“Repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar,
and to God what belongs to God.”

— Matthew 22:21

Masses for
the Week



SUNDAY - Oct 22- Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am - Rev. Msgr. Thomas McLaughlin †

10:00 am - Franklin & Leona Sedlar: 59th Wedd. Annv.

MONDAY- October 23 - St John of Capistrano, Priest

8:00 am - Jimmy Whitaker: Birthday

TUESDAY- October 24 - St Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop

8:00 am - Winfred Kainer †

WEDNESDAY - October 25

8:00 am - Frieda Miller: Birthday

THURSDAY - October 26

8:00 am - Dorothy Boehm: Birthday

FRIDAY - October 27

8:00 am - Edith Krenek †

SATURDAY - October 28 - Ss. Simon and Jude, Apostles

8:00 am - Sr. Manuela Hernandez † : Memorial Birth Day

5:00 pm - Cathy Brown †

SUNDAY - Oct 29 - Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am - Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Family - Clergy

9:30 am - Jimmy † & David † Hobbs

10:00 am- Joint Catholic/Lutheran Commemoration Service

Service begins at Our Lady of Lourdes church.

*Processes to and continues at Trinity Lutheran church where the
Joint Commemoration event concludes with a Fellowship meal..*

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sun: *Is 45:1, 4-6; Ps 96:1, 3-5, 7-10; 1 Thes 1:1-5b; Mt 22:15-21*

Mon: *Rom 4:20-25; Lk 1:69-75; Lk 12:13-21*

Tues: *Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21; Ps 40:7-10, 17; Lk 12:35-38*

Wed: *Rom 6:12-18; Ps 124:1b-8; Lk 12:39-48*

Thur: *Rom 6:19-23; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 12:49-53*

Fri: *Rom 7:18-25a; Ps 119:66, 68, 76-77, 93-94; Lk 12:54-59*

Sat: *Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 6:12-16*

Sun: *Ex 22:20-26; Ps 18:2-4, 47, 51; 1 Thes 1:5c-10; Mt 22:34-40*

NEXT WEEKEND - October 28 & 29

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS

of HOLY COMMUNION

and **LECTORS**

Sat. 5:00 pm - Norman Schoener,

Standby x2

Alicia Arnold

Sun. 7:30 am - Standby,

Connie/James Novak

Standby

Sun. 9:30 am - Standby,

Travis/Toni Schaar

Jeff Nunley

ALTAR SERVERS:

Sat 5:00 pm - Kaden, Kylie, Kalynn Fikac

Sun 7:30 am - Jenny Marbach, Katelyn & Karley John

Sun 9:30 am - Aaron & Renee Bradicich, Suzie Ryan

USHERS:

5:00 pm - M John, F Motal, T Goslin, R Dominguez

7:30 am - Frank Marbach, James Novak, Mike Fikac

9:30 am - Kenny Spann, Al Schoener, Harrison Raska



This Week

SUNDAY-Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

ExtrEnvlps: St Vincent de Paul “Black Bag” Collection

MONDAY - CORNBREAD WORKSHOP - 8:30 am

TUESDAY - Sewing Circle - after 8:00 am Mass

WEDNESDAY - R.C.I.A. - 7:00pm - RE Bldg.

SATURDAY - Confessions - 4:00 - 4:30 pm

SUNDAY - Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Special Extra Envelopes: World Missions Collection

10am - Joint Catholic/Lutheran Commemoration Service

POWER STRUGGLE

Power struggles occur on every level of society, from the world stage to relationships at work, to our own homes. We struggle for position in the hierarchy of power: Who has power over whom? How do they wield it? What is the source of that power? What is the healthy response?

In this Sunday’s Gospel reading the Pharisees engage Jesus in a power struggle over whether Jews should show tribute to Caesar by paying taxes. Jesus’ response puts this and every struggle for power into perspective. In harmony with the words of Isaiah and Paul, Jesus teaches us that God is the ultimate source of all power—the power of earthly rulers, the Pharisees, Jesus, the Church, and the power within ourselves.

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Weekly Offering

WEEKEND of 10- 14/15 -17 Count - 499

Total Operating Income.....\$ 4,818.00

ExtrEnvlps.....(AltarSrvrEdu.Schlrsp).....\$ 55.00

CCE Registrations.....\$ 65.00

Thank You! Your Generosity is Greatly Appreciated.

\$\$\$ PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK \$\$\$

Tina Moya, Clifton Lau, Shirley Coghlan, Cecilia Edwards, Kite Bomersbach, Mimi Waida, Ben Mikulik, Jr, Mary Ruth Kainer, James Rung, Tom Goslin, Joe Lara, Margie Tater, Michael Berger, Lawrence Yanta, Reinhart Schoener, Sue Rivera, Cheryl Blaylock, Paul Tasin & Casey Smith

Parish Festival **Updates**

CORNBREAD WORKSHOP

MONDAY, OCTOBER 23rd

An Opportunity to Volunteer.....

FESTIVAL WORKSHOPS NEED VOLUNTEERS

All Workshops take place in the Church Hall (basement),
and after the 8:00am Mass.

PLEASE COME AND HELP, in any way that you can.

Lillian Berger & Elaine Mayer - General Chairpersons

RAFFLE tickets are here !!!

Located at the entrance of the church and extras in the Rectory. Please help **SELL !!** Pick up an envelope of tickets and write your name on the outside. Each envelope contains 4 sets of 7 tickets valued at \$20.

You can turn in your money and ticket stubs in the envelope with your name written on it to the Rectory or place it in the collection basket. Thank you so much for all your donations and help! *April Nunley*

~ **REMEMBER** ~

SELL !! SELL !! SELL !!

Early Bird Ticket Sales

Dawn Burns Durham.....	200.
April Nunley	150.
George A. Alvarez	100.
Joana Bochat	60.
Emily Yeary	40.
Harvin Suggs	20.

SILENT AUCTION

The Committee is asking for your help to make the 2017 auction a huge success. Donations of handcrafted items, seasonal autumn harvest and Christmas items, baked goods, baskets of homemade canned goods, or anything else you can think of would be greatly appreciated. Thanks to those of you who have already donated items and baskets. With all working together we can make this year's Festival the best one yet. Thanks,
Sherron & Josie

CHILDREN'S GAMES

Planning is underway for kids' games at the Festival. New small toys or monetary donations are greatly appreciated. They can be taken to the Rectory or Rel. Ed. Building during class time or I can pick them up. Sign up sheets for working at the festival will be coming soon to the RE Bldg. Contact Stephanie John, 550-5772. Thank you....

LIVE AUCTION

Donations are being accepted for the Live Auction. If you or your business would like to donate towards the Auction, please call Tammy Fikac, 573-1179. We welcome donations of specific or seasonal items, services, trips, antiques, etc.

PLACEMATS

It's That Time Again! Order forms for Placemat Ads are in the back of the church. Please pick one up, complete it and return in the collection basket so you or your business can be recognized on our Festival placemats. If you have any questions, contact Lynette Mayer 578-9487.

IMPORTANT MESSAGE

PLEASE NOTE A CHANGE IN MASS TIME:

ONLY on Sunday, October 29th, the 10:00am Mass will begin at 9:30am and will be completed by 10am. All other weekend Masses remain unchanged.



ECUMENICAL SERVICE -OCT 29- 10AM

A *milestone occasion* will be commemorated jointly by the Catholic community of O.L. Lourdes and the Lutheran community. A catered Fellowship Meal at Trinity Lutheran hall will follow the common service.

COMMEMORATION of the FAITHFUL DEPARTED

ALL SOULS



NOVEMBER 2, 2017 - Mark the date

Mass at 6:00 pm in remembrance of loved ones who have left us in the past year.

MEMORIALS

CDA, Court St. Ann #369 invites you to the **Fall Games Party, Thurs. October 26, 2017.** Sand"witches"meal served at 6:00pm. Admission, \$8 includes meal & treats. Where? KC Hall at BenWilson and Airline. Reservations: Call Joan S, 361/485-2387 or Dolores S, 361/575-6111.

KJT Society #115, Victoria, will be having a **quarterly meeting** at Holy Family Catholic Church in Victoria following the 7:30 am Mass on Sunday, Oct. 29, 2017 in the Bridal room. All members are invited to attend. For more information, please call Donald D, 361/578-6730 or Lawrence Y, 361/649-7280.

Sts Peter & Paul, Meyersville, TX - Saturday Oct. 28th Altar Society **FALL GARAGE SALE.** Shop 7am to 2 pm in A/C church hall and stay for lunch (free will donation).

St Peter Catholic church, Blessing, TX -ANNUAL BBQ Turkey/Dressing Dinner on Sunday, Oct. 29, 2017, at 11am at the parish hall. \$10.00 each. Dine in or drive thru.

Continuing Christian Education - CCE Religious Education Classes Contacts

Martha Nichols - 571-0337 - marthan60@hotmail.com
Tammy Fikac -361-573-1179 tgfikac@yahoo.com

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults - RCIA

"My soul longs for you, O God." (Ps 42.2)

COME AND JOIN A PROCESS OF ENCOUNTER WITH OUR LOVING AND MERCIFUL GOD WHO WELCOMES YOU TO HIS FAMILY. Contact Sr Miriam, MCSH, at sistermiriam@lourdesvictoria.org or 575-3813

Society of St Vincent de Paul - REPORT - SEPT 2017

VCAM	\$ 100.00
UTILITIES	330.21
RENT	225.00
FOOD	300.00
MEDICAL/Prescription	138.52
CELL PHONE	49.60
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS.....	\$ 1,143.33
BLACK BAG COLLECTION.....	\$ 1,177.50
TOTAL PEOPLE HELPED.....	80