



17th Sunday in Ordinary Time ✕ July 27, 2025

Weekly Calendar

7/26	Saturday – 5:00pm Mass Intentions: Sandra G. Monroe
7/27	Sunday – 11:00am Mass Intentions: People of the Parish
8/01	Morning Mass @ 8:00am
8/02	Saturday – 5:00pm Intentions: People of the Parish
8/03	Sunday – 11:00am Mass Intentions: Jimmy Harper

Offertory Collection from 8/19 & 8/20 will be posted next bulletin.

General Offertory	.00
2nd Collection	.00
Mass Stipends	.00
AERO donation	.00
Diocesan Collection	.00
Cemetery	.00
St. Vincent De Paul	.00
Total	.00

Ministry Schedule

DATE	TIME	PEOPLE
SAT 7/26	5PM	Lec: M. Poole
		EM: J. Hallett
		T. Cleary
		S. Cleary
SUN 7/27	11AM	Lec: R. Price
		EM: M. Loscomb
		M. Faulkner
		B. Rumbley



Sunday

Gn 18:20-32; Col 2:12-14; Lk 11:1-13

Monday

Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday

Ex 33:7-11, 34:5b-9, 28; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday

Ex 34:29-35; Mt 13:44-46

Thursday

Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Mt 13:47-53

First Friday

Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Mt 13:54-58

First Saturday

Lv 25:1, 8-17; Mt 14:1-12



“Contemplation is nothing else but a secret, peaceful and loving infusion of God, which, if admitted, will set the soul on fire with the Spirit of love.”

St. John of the Cross

PARISH UPDATES

All those who signed up to volunteer for the Spaghetti Dinner are invited to a planning meeting on Thursday, August 7th @ 6:30pm in the Parish Hall.

With the Parish Office closed last week, no offertory collection information was available at time of printing for this bulletin. This information will be included next week..

Letters for the bakeless bake sale have been mailed to parishioners. If you did not receive one in the mail, it could possibly mean that we do not have your information in the parish data system. Please pick up a registration form from the tables in the back of church. Complete it and return to the Parish Office via mail, email or dropping in the collection basket.

GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGE DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

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Once I went to a hospice facility to celebrate Last Rites for an elderly dying man. His family had told me that he had been uncommunicative for days. At the conclusion of the ritual, we began to recite the Our Father prayer. To everyone’s surprise, his lips moved, clearly mouthing the words to the Lord’s prayer. Stripped of most of his faculties, the man could still pray those precious God-given petitions. A lifetime of prayer had planted the words even deeper than his failing consciousness.

Do we want the Lord’s prayer to be as deeply embedded in us? If we want to be people of hope, we should. Recall that our Lord immediately follows the prayer by saying: “Ask, and it will be given to you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened to you” (Luke 11:9). We only ask, search and knock because we hope that the request is not in vain. Everything we could possibly hope for is contained in the prayer. Praying the Our Father deepens our hope.

We should consciously pour all our hopes into the Lord’s prayer; we should allow it to be an expression of hope, not simply rote words. Then, over time, it builds up our hope in God. It sinks deep into our souls and bodies. How blessed we are when these words of hope are on our lips, even when everything else seems to fail.

— Father John Muir