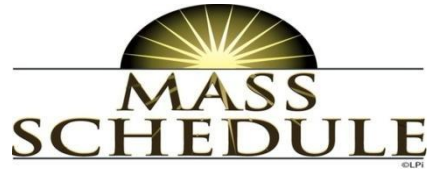


SEPT. 24TH & OCT. 1, 2023



SUNDAY 9/24 – TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:30 am +Jack O’Renick by John And Carol Sheehan +Richard and Marilyn Humm by John and Marian Maglich

MONDAY 9/25 - OUR LADY OF PEACE

PRAYER GROUP 6:00 pm

WEDNESDAY 9/27 – FEAST OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

6:00 pm Health and Well-being of Friar Ananias by Novak and Kaiser families

SUNDAY 10/1 – TWENTY- SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:30 am +Ray Olinskey Sr. by Mary Ann Olinskey +Jack O’Renick by John and Marian Maglich

MONDAY 10/2 – OUR LADY OF PEACE

PRAYER GROUP 6:00 pm

WEDNESDAY 10/4 – FEAST OF ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI

6:00 pm Health and Well-being of Barbara Echenheimer by the Novak/Kaiser Families

SUNDAY 10/8 – TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

9:30 am Parishioners of St. Cyril’s and St. Mary’s

LECTORS

9/24 Stan Salva
10/1 Carol Sheehan
10/8 Mike Beard

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

9/24 John Loughran
10/1 Jean Loughran
10/8 Amy Salva

WEEKLY OFFERING

Sept. 10 & 17, 2023	\$2,518.00
Latin America	247.00
Catholic Communication	5.00
Diocesan Life and Justice	5.00
Assumption of Mary	5.00
Mass Stipends	70.00
Coffee Sales	10.00
Donation	100.00
Santa Cali Gon	2,000.00



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Jim Visnich, Dorothy Lucas, Jeff Workman, Jason Hale, Sophia Halastik, Karen Williamson, James Collins, Dorothy Halastik, Annie Moran, Suzanne Halastik, Michael Stefancik, Mary Thomas, Darlene Sampson, Bill Ramsey, Bob and Genevieve Pinter, Alberta Bukaty, Bob Welch, Jim Eschenheimer, Mary Ann Olinskey, Howard Kaiser, Corey Cockrell, Teresa Janacaro, Frances Janacaro, Father Carlyle, Dave Bulen and Family, Virginia Maglich, Tom Caffrey, Mark Stefancik, Bob Mosier, Nancy Lathrom, Karen Novak, Michael Tapko, Ken Munsterman, Michael Smiddy, Teresa Countryman, Jennifer Connelly, Charlene Rittel, Joe Halastik and Paul Olinskey.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PARISH PICNIC:

Food and Fellowship following Mass today, September 24 in Church Hall. We will have an indoor picnic. Chicken will be furnished and everyone is welcome to bring a side or dessert to share. If you were unable to bring a dish, please join us anyway.

ALTAR SOCIETY NEWS:

Altar Society Sunday will be October 1, with the Rosary being said at 9:00 am before 9:30 Mass. The meeting will also be October 1, 2023 approx. 8:45 am while making nut horns.

The Chili Supper will be November 12, 2023 in the Church Hall. Eat in and take out will be offered. Prices will be the same as last year. For carry out \$12.00 for large container and \$5.00 for small container. Eat in price is \$5.00 that includes chili, crackers, water, tea, or coffee. Desserts can be purchased at the bake sale. Bake sale will include povatica, nut rolls, apple strudel and kolaches.

CCRC SUNDAY

CCRC Sunday is also October 1, 2023. The donation container is in back of Church. Please be generous as all money received goes to needy residents in Sugar Creek.



ST. MARY’S OUTREACH:

Food Items Needed: Large paper grocery bags, canned fruit, saltine crackers, ramen noodle packets, soups of any kind and spaghetti, spaghetti sauce and jello.

Clothing Items Needed: Blankets; Men’s, Women’s and Children’s coats and other winter items; ladies bras, men’s underwear.

Thank you for your continued support.

HOW ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI CHANGED THE WORLD

One of the most significant actions Francis took was meeting with the sultan in Egypt during the Fifth Crusade in an attempt to broker peace. He left the safety of Assisi and crossed into potentially dangerous territory to meet with the sultan in Damietta, Egypt. During his visit, Francis expressed his wish to make peace and discussed ending the war and interfaith conflict. This peace summit demonstrated Francis’ love and compassion for all God’s children, even ones from different faiths. Today, we remember St. Francis in many ways, but one of his most notable contributions is creating the Christmas nativity scene. Francis wanted to help people appreciate God’s miracles from the first Christmas. Before Francis introduced the nativity scene, people celebrated Christmas by going to Mass and listening to priests tell the Christmas story in Latin, which many people did not speak or understand. While the Church often featured depictions of Christ as an infant, there were no realistic manger scenes. Francis used his love of Christ and appreciation for all God’s creations to make the first nativity scene and create an extraordinary experience that was more accessible to everyday people looking to celebrate Christ’s birth.

Catholic world mission