

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 16, 2017

You have crowned the year with your bounty,
and your paths overflow
with a rich harvest.

— Psalm 65:12

Masses for
the Week



SUNDAY-July 16 -FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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

10:00 am - †Jimmy & †David Hobbs

MONDAY - July 17

8:00 am - Sister Rosa Dominguez †

TUESDAY - July 18 - St Camillus de Lellis, Priest

8:00 am - Carolyn Goldman †



WEDNESDAY - July 19

8:00 am - Randal Lau †

THURSDAY - July 20 - St Apollinaris, Bishop, Martyr

8:00 am - Bryan Lester

FRIDAY- July 21 - St Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest, Doc of the Church

8:00 am - Victor Neisser, Sr. †

SAT - July 22 - St Mary Magdalene

8:00 am - Stephen Henke †

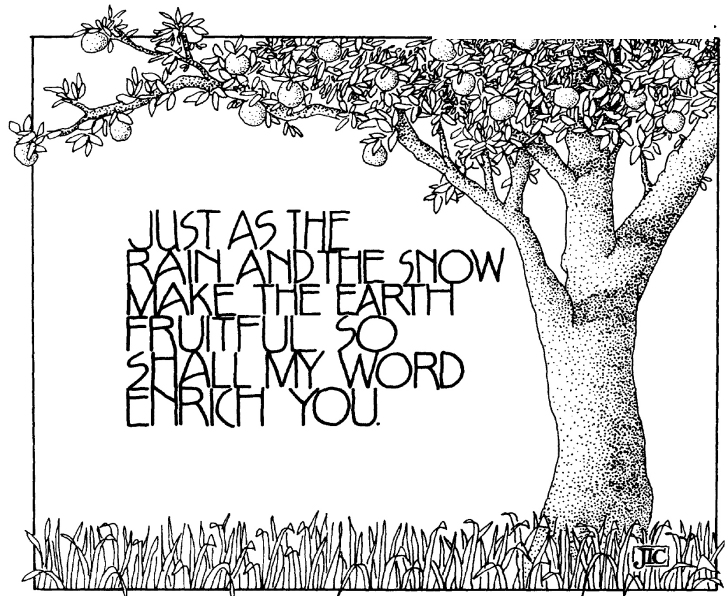
5:00 pm - George & Anna Marie Westerman



SUNDAY- July 23 -SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 am - Carmel Schoener †

10:00 am - Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Family - Clergy



This Week

SUNDAY-FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

2nd Collection - Peter's Pence

ExtrEnvelope: Altar Server Edu.Schlrshp Fund

TUESDAY - Sewing Circle - after 8:00 am Mass

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

SUNDAY- SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

ExtrEnvlp Collection - StVdP "Black Bag"

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sun: Is 55:10-11; Ps 65:10-14; Rom 8:18-23; Mt 13:1-23 [1-9]

Mon: Ex 1:8-14, 22; Ps 124:1b-8; Mt 10:34 — 11:1

Tue: Ex 2:1-15a; Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34; Mt 11:20-24

Wed: Ex 3:1-6, 9-12; Ps 103:1b-4, 6-7; Mt 11:25-27

Thu: Ex 3:13-20; Ps 105:1, 5, 8-9, 24-27; Mt 11:28-30

Fri: Ex 11:10 — 12:14; Ps 116:12-13, 15, 16bc, 17-18; Mt 12:1-8

Sat: Ex 12:37-42; Ps 136:1, 23-24, 10-15; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Sun: Wis 12:13, 16-19; Ps 86:5-6, 9-10, 15-16; Rom 8:26-27; Mt 13:24-43 [24-30]

FRUIT OF THE WORD

The seed is the word of God. The agricultural metaphors in all of today's readings give richness to the message that the word of God, cultivated in our hearts, bears much fruit in our lives. Creation itself awaits the redemption of all, even as our bodies await the resurrection. Just as we will rejoice in the fulfillment of God's word, so will all of creation sing for joy in the Reign of God. The word of God is effective and holy; it brings about exactly what it says. It is not futile or empty, but rich in meaning for those who hear and are healed. Those who hear the word of God and keep it will, with all creation, bear much fruit and sing for joy. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

NEXT WEEKEND - JULY 22 & 23

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS of HOLY COMMUNION and LECTORS

Sat. 5:00 pm - Harvin Suggs, Standby
Arleen Brennan, Standby

Sun. 7:30 am - Lawrence Yanta, Sherry Kainer
Jimmy/Patsy Whitaker

Sun. 10:00 am - Pauline Hinojosa, Liz Lemke
Donna Maxey, Standby

ALTAR SERVERS:

Sat 5:00 pm - Suzie Ryan, Standby x 2

Sun 7:30 am - Dennis Strelczyk, Jaci Foster, Stdbx x1

Sun 10:00 am - Maddie Urbano, Cy & Carly Richter

USHERS:

5:00 pm - James Hill, Norman Schoener, Standby

7:30 am - Gary & Patrick Pribyl, Standby

10:00 am - Howard Bludau, Standby x2

Weekly Offering WEEKEND of 7-1/2-17 Count - 447
Total Operating Income.....\$ 5,187.00
2nd Collection:.....(Bldg R&M Fnd).....\$ 925.00
ExtraDonate:.....(Peter's Pence).....\$ 138.00

Weekly Offering WEEKEND of 7-8/9-17 Count - 498
Total Operating Income.....\$ 4,103.08
2nd Collection:.....(D. S. A.).....\$ 952.75
ExtraDonate:.....(Peter's Pence).....\$ 70.00

Thank You! Your Generosity is Greatly Appreciated.

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

Tina Moya, Cheryl Barker, Amy Bernhard, Amy Jo Wuest, Clifton Lau, Shirley Coghlan, Cecilia Edwards, JoAnn Hough, Kite Bomersbach, Mimi Waida, Betty Escheveste, Ben Mikulik, Jr, MaryRuth Kainer, James Rung, Teresa Gomez, Tom Goslin, Fr. Jasper, & Frank Motal



Hear Ye!
Hear Ye!

EXTRA! EXTRA! EXTRA!
READ ALL ABOUT IT!!
AND BE SURE TO ATTEND!

There WILL BE an Annual Lourdes Festival !
MARK your CALENDAR.....

.....For an IMPORTANT meeting
(A Kick Off Meeting)-MONDAY, JULY 24, 2017
7:00 PM in the Church Hall (Basement)
A list of Committee ChairPersons will be in-
troduced. Please come. Help our committee
Chairpersons make the Festival a success.

Let's all do our part, and **BE** a part,
of the Lourdes **TEAM**.

General Chairpersons....*Lillian Berger &
Elaine Mayer*

Religious Education R.C.I.A. & GOF Program Contacts



Generations of Faith ~ GOF
Religious Education Classes

Martha Nichols - 361-571-0337
Tammy Fikac -361-573-1179 *or*
email: tgfikac@yahoo.com

2017-2018 Start Dates: To Be Announced

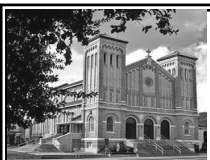


Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults
~ in the Religious Education Bldg. ~
**This is the program for anyone wanting to
know more about the Catholic Faith**

Contact: **Sister Miriam, MCSH**
email: sistermiriam@lourdesvictoria.org
or Rectory/575-3813

WELCOME TO OUR LADY OF LOURDES PARISH
*Please come to the parish office to
let us know you have arrived.
We are glad you are here.*

*You may also print **REGISTRATION FORMS** from our
web-site: www.ollvic@lourdesvictoria.org*



Welcome to OLL WEBSITE
Check it out:
www.lourdesvictoria.org
Be part of it.
Follow us on Facebook

Download information and
REGISTRATION FORMS for

Parish, GOF, & RCIA

TOWARD HEAVEN

Think well. Speak well. Do well. These three things,
thru the mercy of God, will make a person go to heaven.
—St. Camillus de Lellis

News Around Town

Knights of Columbus Council #1329 —Chicken BBQ---will be held **July 16th** from **8:30am** until sold out. Prices are \$8 per chicken or 3/\$22. Spanish rice & beans available at \$1.50 per pint. Proceeds benefit various council charity projects. Location: Airline/BenWilson. Info? Call Sun. morn. 575-9214

Knights of Columbus Council #1329--BINGO NIGHT
Every Wednesday evening; Hall opens 6 pm; Bingo Games 7:30pm-10 pm. \$10.00 per Bingo sheet pack for 10 games. Food & drinks available. Location: Airline/BenWilson. Proceeds benefit various council charity projects. For info, call on Weds. evening, 575-9214. Come for fun and meet friends!

ATTENTION Catechists: Register online for the first-ever Catechist Rally! All who served in their parish catechetical program during the 2016-17 year and/or plan to serve in the 2017-18 year are invited to attend the first-ever catechist rally. (Go to Catechist Rally on www.victoriadiocese.org for complete information.) Register at www.victoriadiocese.org. For questions contact 36-573-0828 or email: calvarez@victoriadiocese.org as soon as possible.

15th Annual FISHING TOURNAMENT - sponsored by Holy Family K of C Council #9088- **August 4 & 5, 2017**
Port O'Connor Community Center-Silent & Live Auctions
Raffle, Cash Pots - For info on Entries, Contact: Sister Ann, 361-485-2044; Julie F, 979-224-5516; or George W, 361-649-7707. ALL Proceeds Benefit Nazareth Academy Catholic School, Victoria, TX. www.nazarethacademy.org

The Married Singles Lifestyle describes couples that may have lost a sense of closeness they once had as marriage partners and are living more like roommates. **Retrouvaille** teaches couples how to survive times like these in their marriages. For more information about the **Retrouvaille Weekend** in Victoria, **August 4-6, 2017**, contact John or Jennifer Vincent 361-580-2770; or email: jbvjov@sbcglobal.net or visit www.HelpOurMarriage.com

NAZARETH ACADEMY is enrolling new students for the 2017-2018 school year. Nazareth would be proud to assist parents with their children's education. Call 573-6651 or visit www.nazarethacademy.org for more information.

The Emmaus Center: Counseling in the Catholic Tradition
Grief Group will meet at 5:30 pm at *The Emmaus Center* at 1908 N. Laurent St. Ste 140 on July 31, Aug. 14 & 28. Go to www.emmauscounselingcenter.com to make counseling & spiritual direction appointments or call 361-212-0830.

NOW HIRING: DIETARY COOK
Incarnate Word Convent, 1101 NE Water Street, Victoria, TX
Job entails: Some Experience.... Cooking Gluten free....
Cooking salt free.... Puree some foods....
Do Special diets.... Physically able to transport Food Car.
For more information, please call 361-575-7111.

Adult Confirmation Course

The Cathedral of Our Lady of Victory will be offering this course this **August--September**. This is a class for **adult** Catholics in the Victoria deanery who have received religious education, in a Catholic school or CCD classes, but need the final preparation for the Sacrament of Confirmation. The course is a 5-week commitment on Tues. Aug. 29 thru Sept from 6:30- 9pm. Register by email: jvincent@olvcathedral.org

If you are registered in a Catholic church in Diocese of Victoria you can receive *The Catholic Lighthouse* FREE!!
Subscribe: by calling 361-573-0828 or online at, <http://www.victoriadiocese.org/subscribe-now>.