

## Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time July 25, 2010

### Mass Intentions for the week

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>July 25</b>
	<b>Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
8:30 a. m.	For the People
10:30 a. m.	Jon Boyer
<b>Monday</b>	<b>July 26</b>
	<b>St. Joachim &amp; St. Anne</b>
8:00 a. m.	Art Stankey
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>July 27</b>
8:00 a. m.	Howard Kaesburg
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>July 28</b>
8:00 a. m.	Charles Peyla
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>July 29</b>
	<b>St. Martha</b>
8:00 a. m.	Virginia Heimbürger
<b>Friday</b>	<b>July 30</b>
	<b>St. Peter Chrysologus</b>
8:00 a. m.	Helen Liske
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>July 31</b>
	<b>St. Ignatius of Loyola</b>
8:00 a. m.	Marie Creed
5:00 p. m.	Robert Miller
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>August 1</b>
	<b>Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
8:30 a. m.	Carol Igo
10:30 a. m.	For the People

### THIS WEEK

<b>Monday</b>	<b>Quilting</b>	<b>9-2 PM</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Holy Hour following morning Mass</b>	
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Confessions</b>	<b>4:00-4:45 PM</b>

### *In The Hospital...*

Please pray for all of our sick relatives and friends, especially **Alvin Sonnenberg** who is a patient at Memorial Hospital.

Dewey Holten is now at Rosewood Care Center. Please continue to pray for all of our parishioners who are shut-ins and those who are in nursing homes.


#### RECENT BAPTISM

Congratulations and welcome to God's family, **Randi Lynn Bleich**, daughter of Bradley and Tricia (Rau) Bleich, who was baptized this past Sunday. May God's blessing be abundant for Randi and her family as they continue their journey of faith.

### SUNDAY OFFERING

July 18, 2010

<b>Sunday Envelopes</b>	<b>\$5430.00</b>
<b>Loose</b>	<b>444.00</b>
<b>Guatemala</b>	<b>55.00</b>
<b>St. Vincent de Paul</b>	<b>430.00</b>

*peace with the Lord*  Father Sean Palas officiated at a Mass of Christian Burial on July 15 for long-time parishioner **Fred Tonnie**. May Fred and all the faithful departed rest in peace.

### SCHOOL OF RELIGION

PSR registration:

August 29 after the 10:30 Mass in the parish center

September 1 from 6-7 pm in the parish center

Grades K-8 can register. If they are new and were not baptized at St. Henry, they will need a copy of Baptismal certificate.

#### *Minister Schedule*

#### *Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

*July 31-August 1, 2010*

#### Servers

8:30 am Samantha Bibee & Audra Range

10:30 am Daniel & Michael Kellemeier

#### Cantors

5:00 pm Bob Wojcik

8:30 am Linda Mehochko

10:30 am John Carty

#### Readers

Marie Shellenberg

Joan Prosser

Sue Bolen

#### Eucharistic Ministers

5:00 pm \*Judy Saeger, Kent & JoAnn Naumann, Amanda Tepen

8:30 am \*Cookie Giedeman, Michelle Taylor, John Carty, Gayle Bibee

10:30 am \*Jim & Cathy Edgar, Reta & Rick Schellenger

#### Gift Bearers

5:00 pm Amanda & Tanya Tepen

8:30 am Judy & Jim Wehrheim

10:30 am Rick & Reta Schellinger

#### Ushers

5:00 pm Adam Karr, Dennis Elbe, Stan Kramkowski, Larry Rutledge

8:30 am Terry Schwarztrauber, Don Forhan, Joe Orlet

10:30 am Joe Sandy, Kevin Effinger, Jim Schweiss, Jerry Ahrens

#### Greeters:

5:00 pm Marilyn Elam

8:30 am Lois & Jerry Hemmer

10:30 am Carole Hiatt & Jane Brown

## PRAYER INTENTION FOR THE WEEK

Pray for relief from the excessive heat.

### Calling all Fish Fry Workers

All workers from this year's fish fries are invited to an appreciation dinner to be held at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows on **Sunday, August 8 at 3:30 p.m.** Spouses and significant others are invited too. Please **RSVP to Marilyn Elam @ 236-2321** after 6 p.m. or by e-mail at [b.elam@charter.net](mailto:b.elam@charter.net). If you have any questions, please call **Jerry Ahrens @ 398-5638**.

### RUMMAGE SALE

St. Henry Creative Learning Center is having a rummage sale on Saturday, August 14 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the Msgr. Voss Parish Center. We will be accepting items for the sale from August 2-12 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

#### St. Vincent de Paul St. Henry Conference Treasurer's Report April through June, 2010

<i>Balance on Hand April 1, 2010</i>	<i>\$8,364.47</i>
<i>Income:</i>	
<i>Parishioner Donations</i>	<i>\$ 4,876.00</i>
<i>Matching Gifts</i>	<i>25.00</i>
<i>Parish Life Committee</i>	<i><u>142.38</u></i>
<i>Total Income:</i>	<i>\$5043.38</i>
<i>Expenses:</i>	
<i>Client Aid</i>	<i>\$11,993.97</i>
<i>Telephone</i>	<i>86.94</i>
<i>Stamps</i>	<i><u>44.00</u></i>
<i>Total Expenses:</i>	<i>\$12,124.91</i> <i>(7,081.53)</i>
<i>Balance on Hand June 30, 2010</i>	<i>\$1,282.94</i>

*Number of cases handled from April through June—90*  
*Number of persons helped: 126*  
*Number of referral cases—49; Number of persons helped 68*  
*Homeless cases: 3; 3 persons helped*  
*Hours of volunteer service for cases—79*  
*Three medical cases for \$315.88*  
*Nursing home visits: 138 (36 clients in 4 retirement homes);*  
*112 hours of volunteer service*

*Casseroles for Cosgrove's served 1,967 people for a total donated cost of \$610.00 (20 hours of volunteer service.)*

*Scripture Reflection*  
*Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*  
*July 25, 2010*

#### *Be Careful What You Ask For*

Jesus talks about praying for whatever we need with faith and confidence, but he ends with the words, "how much more with the Father . . . Give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him?" (Lk 1:13) Is he saying there are limits to what you can ask for?

There is a saying: "Be careful what you ask for." Just because you want something doesn't mean it will be good for you. But if you have enough faith to pray for something, you probably would not pray for anything evil. So what is Jesus really saying? He is giving us two lessons about prayer.

First, he assures us that God does hear our prayers and answers them. Many people take the idea of "ask and you shall receive" so literally, that they expect God to do their bidding no matter what they want. But God is free to do what is best for us, free to answer some prayers with a "No" when what we seek is against God's will. So maybe our first prayer would be to ask God to show us what we really need.

That leads us to the second lesson: Prayer changes us, not God. If we truly pray for something as Jesus prayed, we would say "not as I will, but as you will" (Mt 26:39) It's not easy to change our minds about what we want or need. To change our desires from selfish to holy takes a low of power, the Power of the Holy Spirit. Jesus was raised from the dead by that power and we will be too. (Rom 8:11) So when Jesus promises that the Father will give the Spirit to us for asking, the Spirit is both the source of and the answer to our prayers. Let us ask the Spirit to empower us to desire and pray for what we really need.

#### SURVIVING THE HEAT

1. When temperatures are 95 degrees and above, stay out of the sun and keep activity to a minimum.
2. Spend as many hours as possible in a cool place.
3. Drink plenty of fluids: quench your thirst and then some. AVOID ALCOHOL.
4. Eat regularly.
5. If you feel unusually weak, dizzy or confused, GET HELP—CALL 911.
6. If you know elderly, chronically ill or incapacitated persons, check on them as frequently as possible.