

JULY 5  
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Jesus said,  
"Take my yoke upon you and learn from me,  
for I am meek and humble of heart;  
and you will find rest for yourselves."

Matthew 11:29

# FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

We live in an age and a society that has never been more educated or had a higher standard of living, yet never have we carried as much debt. Many are living beyond their means. We have so many resources and time-saving devices at our hands, yet our lives are more complex than ever. While many people may not engage in extreme manual labor we rarely escape our jobs. Many are connected through phones and constantly receive calls, texts, and emails. Others spend hours in traffic on their daily commutes or pack on the frequent flyer miles.

We spend hours binge-watching our favorite shows. Many children are accustomed to being in front of a screen all the time and no longer know how to play creatively. The statistics for those who continue to leave the Church and all forms of organized religion also continue to rise.

While there is no such thing as a "good old days" to return to, there was something to be said for sleeping soundly after putting in a good day's work, and for a family gathering around the table for a shared meal. For many, this model for eucharist rarely exists. Jesus knows and feels our pains, and

calls out, "Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest."

## IT'S NOT ROCKET SCIENCE

So how do we declutter? Downsize? Devote ourselves again to Christ and live out our gospel calling? Sign up for a liturgical ministry, or volunteer to help with a religion program. Join a small faith group. Volunteer at a food pantry or Habitat for Humanity. Become involved as an individual, or a family. Meanwhile, back at the house, make a commitment to go through one drawer a day, and take things to your local St. Vinnie's or secondhand store. Remember meal and bedtime prayers. Find a minute to read the daily scriptures. Take many baby steps. It's not rocket science. It is a continual commitment to bring ourselves as we are, and to respond to Jesus' call to "Come."

Today's Readings: Zec 9:9-10; Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13-14; Rom 8:9, 11-13; Mt 11:25-30

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**PASTOR:** Rev. Michael T. "Mike" Snider  
**PERMANENT DEACON:**  
Rev. Mr. Leonard "Len" Sanchez

Celebration of the Sacrament of the Eucharist  
Mass: Saturday, 8:00 AM  
Sunday, 8:00 AM

Temporary  
Mass Times: Sat., 5:00PM & Sun., 9:00AM  
Tues. - Fri. 8:00AM  
Confessions: Tues. & Wed., 9:00-10:00AM

**Reconciliation:**  
Monday & Sunday: 45 minutes  
before Mass

**Baptism:**  
at the parish office six  
weeks prior to the  
scheduled date 903-769-3235

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**Welcoming** *We hope that you have enjoyed celebrating Mass with us and felt welcomed in our church as your "home away from home." Whether you are new to the area or have lived here for years, you are invited to join our parish family. Please come again!*

# Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**We remember in our prayers all the sick, especially the following:**

Randy Epp. Shay Mikalonis. Dwight Nunley. Jason McCormick. Wendy Melton. Wanda & George Duke. John Ott. Kathy Fleming. Carolyn Shannon. Doris Hoffman. Jo Ann Crowell. Ann Richardson. Patricia Guy. Jacob Stephens. Randy Burris. Albert Hernandez. Karina Hawkins. Mike Fleming. Frankie Durst. Susie Strickland. Doug Lawson. Dana Moffatt. Emly Walker. Mike Brown. Mary Margaret Ellison. John Kominis. Ester Coronel. Diane Stanley. Chase Larsson. Elise Sugg. Joann Rayl. Rose Kennedy. Judy Fazzio. Marsha & Marty Blahitka. Carolyn Edwards. Joshua Larsson. Avery Boultinghouse. Wanda Stephens. Wanda Thompson. Kathryn Allen. Jim & Geri O'Neil. We list the names of our sick Parishioners. Friends and Relatives for one month.

**Please pray for the men and women active military service from our parish community:**

New active recruit, Reid Patrick Hope, US Marine (Nephew of Mike & Wanda Stephens). 2LT Joseph Chandler, U.S. Army (Nephew of Mike & Margaret Jernigan) Seaman Logan Adkinson (great grandson of Fr. Mike). Jay Guajardo, Navy Rescue School (Great Nephew of Lex & Liza Forster). Senior Airman, Natalie York (Daughter of Steve & Julie York). Pvt First Class Randall Scheaffer US Army (Grandson of Carlos & Pat Gallardo). Lt. Col. William P. Shea. (Nephew of Deacon Sam and Nancy Mullen). Colonel John Anthony Fontana. U.S. Army (Son of John & Mary Fontana). Ensign Gary Buchanan; 2ndLt. Blake Gaughan (Nephews of Jess & Eva Corrigan). E-3RJames Morgan (SonInLaw of Kathy & Dale Boman) Paul Moreno USCG (Grandson of Kathy & Dale Boman). Staff Sergeant Daniel Hodan. U.S. Army (Grandson of Ron & Barbara Eamma). Warrant Officer Michael Hauck (brother of Jeff & Cathy Ellis) & Seaman Rainer Hauck (nephew of Jeff & Cathy Ellis).

**SHARE THE BURDEN**

“Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest” (Matthew 11:28). These words of our Savior seem to be in stark contrast to the previous chapter from the same Gospel, when we were told that if we do not take up our crosses, we are not worthy of Christ. Connecting these two messages might help us on our faith journeys. Being a follower of Christ surely means that we must embrace the cross, in its mystery of both suffering and triumph. This is something that we need not do alone, for the burden is often too heavy for us to carry by ourselves. Who, then, do we turn to? We can turn to the Body of Christ—the community of disciples gathered for worship. When we find the burden too heavy, let us remember that we can share that burden with our Christian sisters and brothers, who can help bring us rest.

**POPE’S UNIVERSAL INTENTION FOR JULY**

**Our Families**

That today’s families may be accompanied with love, respect and guidance.



**Mass—Intentions**

- Sat 7/04** Lou & Nonie Gillespie & Louise Diegel+ (Bridget Rich & M & M Laudt)
- Sun 7/05** Parishioners
- Tue 7/07** Joyce Ball+ (Marie Hansen)
- Wed 7/08** Eddie Watson+ (Marie Hansen)
- Thurs 7/09** No Mass. Communion Service 8:00am
- Fri. 7/10** No Mass. Communion Service 8:00am
- Sat. 7/11** Poor Souls in Purgatory (M/M Kelly)

**PARISH SUPPORT**

	<b>Attendance</b>
Required Weekly Funds	\$ 3,962      Sat 38
Offerings June 27th & 28th	\$ 1,820      Sun 45

One can Give without Loving...  
But one cannot Love without Giving.

I am so grateful for the support that our parishioners has given during these bumpy days, weeks and months. You always come through in the time of need. Thank you for taking the time to send in your contributions plus more above and beyond. I truly appreciate each and every one of you.

*Rev. Fr. Mike Smider*

**TODAY’S READINGS**

**First Reading** — Rejoice heartily, O Jerusalem! For see, your savior comes (Zechariah 9:9-10).

**Psalm** — I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God (Psalm 145).

**Second Reading** — The one who raised Christ from death will give life to your mortal bodies also (Romans 8:9, 11-13).

**Gospel** — Come, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest (Matthew 11:25-30).

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday:** Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22; Ps 145:2-9; Mt 9:18-26

**Tuesday:** Hos 8:4-7, 11-13; Ps 115:3-10; Mt 9:32-38

**Wednesday:** Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Ps 105:2-7; Mt 10:1-7

**Thursday:** Hos 11:1-4, 8e-9; Ps 80:2ac, 3b, 15-16; Mt 10:7-15

**Friday:** Hos 14:2-10; Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-14, 17; Mt 10:16-23

**Saturday:** Is 6:1-8; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Mt 10:24-33

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

**THE RIGHT DIRECTION:** If we walk one step toward God, God will run ten steps toward us.—Anonymous

**FINDING PEACE:** If you want peace, work for justice. —Pope Paul VI

**GOING HOME:** Life is a voyage that’s homeward bound. —Herman Melville

**Happy Fourth of July**  
**Be Safe & Have Fun!**





**Temporary Weekend Mass held in parish hall: Saturday, July 4th at 5:00pm and Sunday, July 5th at 9:00am.**

**Extra Protocols for weekend Masses:**

1. **Limitations on Attendance:** Limited seating maximum 81 seats are available. In order for the households to maintain at least 6-foot separation.
2. **Strongly consider wearing a mask that covers mouth & nose.**
3. **No socializing** in the parish hall or outside glass doors before or after Mass. Avoid touching door handles, use restrooms before coming to Mass.
4. **Chairs** are set up with the 6-foot separation. Please **DO NOT MOVE CHAIRS**, they are to remain as they are.
5. **Enter & exist double glass doors into the parish hall to the left of the overhang.** Do not enter through glass doors into the Narthex to the church

**Temporary Weekday Mass Times held in church: Tuesday — Friday at 8:00am.**

**Communion Service only on Thurs., July 9th & Fri., July 10th @ 8:00am.**

**Extra Protocols for weekday Masses:**

1. **Call Fr. Mike on his cell phone 903-490-3883 (do not text). Limited to 20 people.**
2. **Strongly consider wearing a mask that covers mouth & nose.**
3. **No socializing** in the Narthex or outside glass doors before or after Mass. Avoid touching door handles, use restrooms before coming to Mass. Enter & exit same set of double glass doors into the church through the overhang.
4. **In church** we ask you to cooperate by **alternating every other pew.** Households must maintain at least 6-foot separation.
5. **Enter & exit** double glass doors into the church through the overhang.

**NEW MINISTRIES SCHEDULE JULY—OCT. 2020**

Is attached to this bulletin. If you are unable to serve on your assigned date, please switch with someone else.

**St. Gregory Cathedral School is currently looking for a full time Pre-K 4 teacher for the 2020—2021 school year.** College degree required. Experience is preferred. Please email resume to Mrs. Robin Perry at [rperry@stgregory.info](mailto:rperry@stgregory.info)



**St. Maria Goretti  
Feast Day July 6th**

**Patron Saint of Abused Children  
and Rape Victims**

**Dispensation:** The entire diocese remains dispensed from the Sunday and holy day Mass obligation until further notice. The faithful are under no moral obligation to attend Mass at this time. Before deciding to attend Mass, everyone is asked to consider their own health condition and living situation carefully. All vulnerable individuals should continue to stay at home. Members of households with vulnerable residents should be aware that they could carry the virus back home. People who feel sick or have symptoms of possible COVID-19 MUST remain at home.

**NO Confessions: Tues., July 7th—Thurs., July 9th.** Confessions rain or shine, cold or hot weather. I will be parked in front of the double glass doors that you enter into the Narthex, under the overhang, seated in my front seat of my car. Please drive up and park your vehicle 6 feet from my vehicle and stay in your vehicle. Roll your window down, turn motor off and start your confession. After, your confession, you may drive around to our meditation garden, to say your penance.

**Food donations:** Last week readings reflected being humble & charitable. At the end of the homily, Bob received a text, donating 100 lbs of rice & beans for our food pantry. We are currently doing fine with food. We are still in need of **sundries (i.e. shampoo, deodorant, soap bar & liquid, etc.). Blessings to all of our givers.** Plastic container is located in the **parish hall** for now. We have been feeding 70—90 people per week. Please call or email Bob Mailliard at 903-769-3963 or [theduckdude@att.net](mailto:theduckdude@att.net) if you know someone that needs help or if you have questions for Bob.

**Cenacle of Life:** Fr. Mike has given us his permission to resume the Cenacle of Life devotion each **Wed. from 3:30—4:30pm began June 24th.** Please join us in church as we pray two rosaries for an end to abortion, euthanasia and all sins against the sanctity of human life. Questions call Vicki 817-637-9382

**Second Collections for the month of July:**

**4th & 5th: Building & Maintenance Fund**

**18th & 19th: Church in Africa**

**FYI:** The church office will be **closed starting Mon., July 6th through Mon., July 13th.** If you have an emergency please call Fr. Mike cell # 903-490-3883.

**An Act of Spiritual Communion**

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You.  
**Amen.**

***Holy Spirit Ministries Schedule***  
***July 2020 ~ October 2020***

<b>Date</b>	<b>Day</b>	<b>Ems</b>	<b>LECTORS</b>	<b>USHERS</b>	<b>SERVERS</b>	<b>ACOLYTES</b>
07/18/20	Sat	Ruth Barber Marcie Scott	Bridget Rich Cathy Keefe	Jess Corrigan Michael Jernigan	Samantha Coronel Jason Coronel	Charlie Clymer
07/19/20	Sun	Ken Pregeant Patsy Pregeant	Jim Hayes Lindy Moseley	Lex Forster	Zachary Ellis	Jeff Ellis
07/25/20	Sat	Rebecca Niebrugge Jeanette Sterner	Mary Janiick Mike Janick	David Barber George Smith	Jason Coronel Jacob Scott	Charlie Clymer
07/26/20	Sun	Jane Bidlack Jean Kelly	Lou Masferrer Randy Munoz	Joe Fazzio Jeff Leingang	Marie Liske	Gerry Hauck
08/01/20	Sat	Diane Laudt Jean Kelly	Ruth Barber Melinda Hlavenka	Al Murfin Sven Sterner	Samantha Coronel Jason Coronel	Charlie Clymer
08/02/20	Sun	Randy Munoz Shirley Munoz	Vicki Hauck Eloise Sanchez	Pat Hanna Ken Pregeant	Zachary Ellis	Jeff Ellis
08/08/20	Sat	Marie Hanson Bridget Rich	Jeanette Sterner Rebecca Niebrugge	Jess Corrigan Michael Jernigan	Jason Coronel Jacob Scott	Charlie Clymer
08/09/20	Sun	Ruddie Anderson James Cormier	Steve York Jane Bidlack	Lex Forster Mary Kastl	Marie Liske	Gerry Hauck
08/15/20	Sat	Ruth Barber Marcie Scott	Marie Hanson Debi Nunley	David Barber George Smith	Samantha Coronel Jason Coronel	Charlie Clymer
08/16/20	Sun	Ken Pregeant Patsy Pregeant	Lillian Speights Pat Bonneville	Joe Fazzio Jeff Leingang	Zachary Ellis	Jeff Ellis
08/22/20	Sat	Rebecca Niebrugge Jeanette Sterner	Cathy Keefe Bridget Rich	Al Murfin Sven Sterner	Jason Coronel Jacob Scott	Charlie Clymer
08/23/20	Sun	Jane Bidlack Jean Kelly	Lindy Moseley Jim Hayes	Pat Hanna Ken Pregeant	Marie Liske	Gerry Hauck
08/29/20	Sat	Diane Laudt Jean Kelly	Mike Janick Mary Janiick	Jess Corrigan Michael Jernigan	Samantha Coronel Jason Coronel	Charlie Clymer
08/30/20	Sun	Randy Munoz Shirley Munoz	Randy Munoz Lou Masferrer	Lex Forster MaryKasrl	Zachary Ellis	Jeff Ellis
09/05/20	Sat	Marie Hanson Bridget Rich	Melinda Hlavenka Ruth Barber	David Barber George Smith	Jason Coronel Jacob Scott	Charlie Clymer
09/06/20	Sun	Ruddie Anderson James Cormier	Vicki Hauck Eloise Sanchez	Pat Hanna Ken Pregeant	Marie Liske	Gerry Hauck

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09/13/20	Sun	Ken Pregeant Patsy Pregeant	Jane Bidlack Steve York	Joe Fazzio Jeff Leingang	Zachary Ellis	Jeff Ellis
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09/27/20	Sun	Randy Munoz Shirley Munoz	Jim Hayes Lindy Moseley	Pat Hanna Ken Pregeant	Zachary Ellis	Jeff Ellis
10/03/20	Sat	Marie Hanson Bridget Rich	Mary Janiick Mike Janick	Al Murfin Sven Sterner	Jason Coronel Jacob Scott	Charlie Clymer
10/04/20	Sun	Ruddie Anderson James Cormier	Lou Masferrer Randy Munoz	Joe Fazzio Jeff Leingang	Marie Liske	Gerry Hauck
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10/18/20	Sun	Jane Bidlack Jean Kelly	Eloise Sanchez Vicki Hauck	Pat Hanna Ken Pregeant	Marie Liske	Gerry Hauck
10/24/20	Sat	Diane Laudt Jean Kelly	Jeanette Sterner Rebecca Niebrugge	Al Murfin Sven Sterner	Samantha Coronel Jason Coronel	Charlie Clymer
10/25/20	Sun	Randy Munoz Shirley Munoz	Lillian Speights Pat Bonneville	Joe Fazzio Jeff Leingang	Zachary Ellis	Jeff Ellis
10/31/20	Sat	Marie Hanson Bridget Rich	Mike Janick Mary Janiick	Jess Corrigan Michael Jernigan	Jason Coronel Jacob Scott	Charlie Clymer
11/01/20	Sun	Ruddie Anderson James Cormier	Lindy Moseley Jim Hayes	Lex Forster Mary Kastl	Marie Liske	Gerry Hauck

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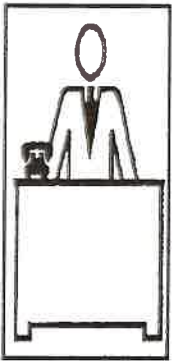
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