

St. Mary Catholic Church

OCTOBER 17, 2021 TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

St. Mary Catholic Church

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Services:

Saturday: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 10:45 AM
Monday & Friday: 12:00 noon

Confession:

Saturday: 4:00 PM—4:30 PM

Director of Music:

Pam Warren

Director of Religious Education:

Tessa Walker

Maintenance:

Jim Simpson

Holy Family

Catholic Mission

265 Cotham Drive
Huntington, TN 38344
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Mailing Address:

220 W. Main Street
Camden, TN 38320

Services:

Sunday: 8:30 AM
Wed. & Thurs.: 12:00 Noon

Confession:

Sun.: 7:30 AM—8:00 AM

Director of Music:

Dorothy Wood

STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Herbert Ene
Deacon: Wayne Tedford
Secretary: Sandy Simpson
Accounting: Lois Mahoney

Office Hours:

M, W, Th, F
11:00 AM—3:00 PM



A TRUE LEADER

Jesus summoned the twelve and said to them, “You know that those who are recognized as rulers over the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones make their authority over them felt. But it shall not be so among you. Rather, whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant; whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all.” (Mark 10:42-44)

This is certainly easier said than done. This passage reveals one serious temptation that those “who are recognized as rulers” may fall into. This is the temptation of an abuse of power and a lack of humble leadership.

For example, tradition states that at the heart of the fall of Lucifer and the demons was a desire for power. “I will not serve” are the words attributed to Lucifer. In other words, the desire for power and to be served by others was real and very powerful for these fallen angels. So it is with each one of us.

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God is good! All the time! We are blessed by your presence with us today. Whether you are a long-term parishioner, relatively new to the parish, home from school, or visiting for the weekend....we are grateful you have chosen to worship here at St. Mary Catholic Church, Camden or our Holy Family Catholic Mission, Huntington.

As Roman Catholics, the Holy Eucharist is the center of our lives, and the source and summit of our mission. Under the guidance of the Bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Memphis, Tennessee, and through pastoral representatives, we strive to make the Gospels a part of our daily lives through generous stewardship of our time, talent, and treasure.

Nourished by the Word of God and the Eucharist, members take an active part in the Liturgy. Thus, in fellowship we are enabled to share the Good News of Jesus’ love for all through evangelization, Christian education, witness, and humble service to those in need, both spiritually and materially.

If you are new to the parish, we invite you to register as a member by calling the Parish Office at 731-584-6459 or email us at smchfhcatholic@gmail.com. Remain forever blessed.

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Though we may not be in a position of great power over others, we will most likely all struggle with the desire for power. This can happen in just about any context. Take, for example, a friendship. Very often when there is the slightest disagreement on something, we want our own way. We want to be in charge. Or take the example of home life. How many enter into family life with a desire to serve the others and to humbly submit to the others' wills? This is hard to do. It's much easier to want to be the boss and to dictate to others what is to happen in this or that situation.

In the passage above, Jesus makes it clear to His Apostles that when they exercise their "authority" over others they are not to make it "felt" by others. In other words, Jesus was not calling His Apostles to be leaders by brute force, intimidation, manipulation or by any other severe exercise of their authority. The authority that Jesus wanted was much different.

Christian authority is centered in love and humility. It's a "leadership" that is lived in true humility. This leadership wins over hearts, minds and wills of others and invites them to follow in charity and love. This must happen within the family, among friends, at church and within society.

Reflect, today, upon how you lead others. Do you expect to be the "boss" and expect others to follow you because of your authority? Or do you lead others by humility and love drawing them to Christ through your goodness? Commit yourself to Christian leadership as Jesus intended and you will be amazed at the effect it has within your family, among friends and within the larger community.

Lord, help me to be a humble leader. Help me to let Your heart of love and mercy shine forth and to lead by the goodness and kindness of your merciful heart. Help me to set aside all pride and egotism and to become a servant of all. Jesus, I trust in You.

(My CatholicLife)

KNIGHTS CORNER

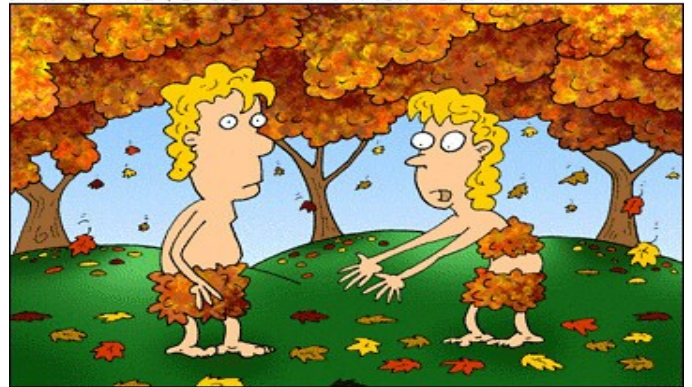


There will be a Knights of Columbus meeting on Wednesday , October 20, 2021 at Holy Family in Huntingdon.

The Knights will be sponsoring a Bunco Party on Saturday at 6 pm. All are invited from Holy Family and St. Mary. Bring a friend and enjoy the fun.

It's Membership Month. All Catholic gentlemen are invited to join Council 9754. Go on line at www.kofc.org.

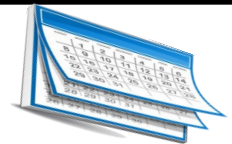
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WILL YOU PLEASE PICK UP ALL YOUR CLOTHES?

DATES TO REMEMBER :



October 15, Friday	Holy Family Crafters (9:30 A.M.)
October 20, Wednesday	KC Meeting (Holy Family - 6pm)
October 23, Saturday	KC Bunco Party (St. Mary—6 pm)
October 24 and 31	Commitment Weekends (United in Faith)
October 25, Monday	St. Mary Finance Council Meeting

"THANK YOU"

Dear Friends,

Thanks for all the love, prayers, and support for Steven's mom and Tina's family. Steven's mom is moving back into her home any day now! Tina's family has decided to sell what's left and move forward. They have a temporary home and are looking for a new forever home. Please continue to pray for them with this situation. God has blessed us all with lots of love and support. God is good!

Love,
Kathey Trull

In Deepest Sympathy

Our thoughts and prayers go out to Pam Warren and family on the death of her father Jim Burgett.

FYI

The Catholic Diocese of Memphis was established in 1971 and presently consists of 47 parishes and missions with 15 Catholic schools (diocesan, parochial and private) in four deaneries across 21 counties in West Tennessee. More than 70,000 Catholics make this diverse, vibrant and faith-filled diocese their home. Led by Bishop David P. Talley, the Diocese of Memphis is committed to helping the faithful encounter the living Christ through conversion, communion, service and unity. The Diocese of Memphis respectfully serves all God's children, regardless of their religious beliefs, socio-economic status or ethnic background. Please visit us at cdom.org.

Procedure for Reporting Sexual Abuse

Anyone who has knowledge of or who has cause to suspect an incident of sexual abuse should report the information to the appropriate civil authorities first at 1-877-237-0004, then to the Diocesan Director Child & Youth Protection at 901-359-2027 or the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator at 901-652-4066.



CATHOLIC DIOCESE of MEMPHIS

WEEKLY OFFERTORY

Week Ending

10/10/2021

St. Mary —Enrollment	76
Regular Offering	\$1366.00
Families Contributing	13
Holy Family — Enrollment	44
Regular Offering	\$1340.00
Families Contributing	21

TWO COLLECTIONS

10/24/2021- General Offering/World Mission
Sunday

Ministry Schedule

For October 24, 2021

St. Mary Catholic Church

Lectors

Saturday: Joyce Rushing

Sunday: Tricia Smothers

Eucharistic Minister

Joyce Rushing (Sat.)

Jim Simpson (Sun.)

Counters

Jim Simpson and Tricia Smothers

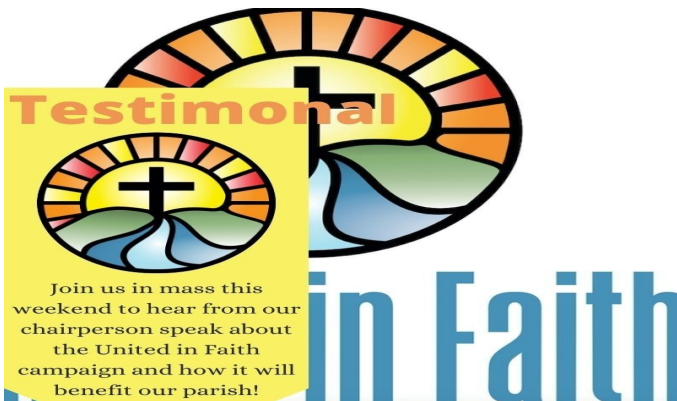
Holy Family Catholic Church

Lector

Sunday: Pat Allen

Counters

Dennis Blackwell and Wyatt Brooks



Mass Intentions					
	DATE	CHURCH	TIME	MASS FOR	REQUESTED BY
Sunday	10/17/2021	Holy Family	8:30 AM	Jan Reiter Hancock	Sharon Reiter
Sunday	10/17/2021	St. Mary	10:45 AM	Michael Lomax+	Jim and Sandy Simpson
Monday	10/18/2021	St. Mary	12:00 PM	Jose Conchas	Greg and Grace Garza
Tuesday	10/19/2021			NO MASS	
Wednesday	10/20/2021	Holy Family	12:00 PM	Dan and Jean Ebeling	Richard and Lois Mahoney
Thursday	10/21/2021	Holy Family	12:00 PM	Marilyn Prisby+	Jim and Sandy Simpson
Friday	10/22/2021	St. Mary	12:00 PM	Bart Swingler+	Craig and Kathy Coltharp
Saturday	10/23/2021	St. Mary	5:00 PM	Kendall Roudebush+	Barbara Taylor
Sunday	10/24/2021	Holy Family	8:30 AM	Ron Reiter+	Sharon Reiter
Sunday	10/24/2021	St. Mary	10:45 AM	Mr. Mrs. Bill Reichenbach+	St. Mary Parishioner

Prayer Intentions for the Health and Recovery of our Parish Family...

God is our refuge and our strength, an ever present help in distress.
The Lord of hosts is with us; our stronghold is the God of Jacob. (Ps. 46)



St. Mary's: Grace Garza, Lorna Houts, Jim Simpson, Pat Baloga, Betty Gagnon, Barbara Taylor, Jack Dashper, Greg Garza, Steve Ruhlman, David Johnson, Patrick Schasser, Sherrie Goldman, Fran Birkhead, Jim McMillon, Pam McMillon, Roger Gibbons, James Davenport, Vicky Story, Jane Adams, Richard Mahoney, Allen York, Janet Robbearts, Barbara Harrison, Barbara Krupa, Mary Brown, Raul Simoes, Joyce Parker, Dan Ebeling, Polly Mitchell.

Holy Family: Karen Pierce, Dwayne Pierce, Jackie Eason, Mary Jane Klinzing, Nacho Ramirez, Donna Reindl, Garry Korbel, Johanna Salma, Dick Stokes, Teddy Brou, Tommy Long, Deborah Thorne, Carl Reetz, Paul Multon, Bill Harder, Leon Thorne, Mary Boucher, Sissy Munoz.

For Our Extended Family: Samantha Moore, granddaughter of Barbara Taylor, Nancy Vargas, mother of Bob Vargas, Alex Reiter, grandson of Sharon Reiter, Paul Harrison, friend of David McCloskey; Mark King, nephew of Tricia Smothers; Barbara Gillespie, sister of Dan Ebeling; Carolyn Tedmore, sister of Pam McMillan; Susan, Kitty Shelton; Terry Pace; Jeff and Edna Henry; John Waters; Kaelynn Bressler, niece of Dan and Jean Ebeling; Ruel Carmicheal, son of Betty Gagnon; Patty Douglas, friend of Barbara Taylor; Arley McMillon, brother of Jim McMillon; Barbara and James Harrison, friends of Donna Melton; Richard Muenze, brother-in-law of Pam McMillon; Lucy Connolly, sister of Lila Korbel; Gerald Coltharp, family member of Craig & Kathy Coltharp; Gus Palmieri, friends of

Jessica Glendora; John H. Costello, brother of Pam McMillon; John Brinker, uncle of Carrie Etter; Extended family of Barbara Taylor; Carol Dilgard, friend of Fr. Charles Allen; Ruth Johnson, Aunt of Jean Ebeling; Dee Vohnoutka, sister of Garry Korbel; Anissa Jeanne Hendrix, Deacon Wayne Tedford's niece; Robert Vohnoutka, husband of Garry Korbel's sister; Debra Thibedau, sister of Betty Gagnon; Della Jungels, Carrie Etter's mother; Matthew Ebeling, son of Dan & Jean Ebeling; Charles Glover; Brenda Boodman.

For those on active duty in the military:

Kyle Moore, grandson of Barbara Taylor, Kyle Bissen, grandson of Kenneth and Alma Bissen, Garry Brown, son-in-law of Greg and Grace Garza; Jonathan Placido, son-in-law of Arlene Conrad; Zakkary Klinzing, grandson of Mary Jane Klinzing; Eric Huot, husband of Lorna Johnson Huot; Brendon Dugger, son of Sigi & Tom Dugger and grandmother Bella Stahl; Joshua Parker, grandson of Willis & Joyce Parker; Thomas O'Bryant III, son of Thomas & Debbie O'Bryant; Daniel Stanfill, grandson of Grady & Diana Stanfill.