

July 24, 2016

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading 1: 18:20-32

Psalm: 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8

Reading 2: Col 2:12-14

Gospel: Luke 11:1-13



FROM THE DESK OF FR. LUDVIK

Welcome to Saint Aloysius and Our Lady of Lourdes!

Good Catholics on vacation always make time for Sunday Mass. For locations of churches and mass times in your vacation spot, visit www.masstimes.org or call 1-410-676-6000. It doesn't take much advance planning to include worship as part of one's time away from home. If you are visiting our church this weekend - Welcome! Please introduce yourself, we always like to know where our visitors have traveled from to spend time with our Lord.

God never takes a vacation from you, make an effort to worship every Sunday, even when you are away from home. Please remember your offertory gift while on vacation, we still pay bills during the summer. Thank you.

— Fr. John J. Ludvik, Pastor

SAINT QUOTE

"We must be present with and to the Lord, in silence as Mary practiced silence. We begin with silence of the will that is, willing nothing but the will of God. Begin here and the rest will come. The Holy Spirit will come upon you and you will experience silence. Guard and protect it with love and you will become a garden enclosed. Silence is the soil for the seed of the word."

— Bl. Mother Teresa of Calcutta



SPIRITUAL WORK OF MERCY INSTRUCT THE IGNORANT

"Let your speech always be gracious, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how you ought to answer every one."

—Colossians 4:6

Reflection

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If we think of instructing the ignorant as an overly cerebral enterprise in which we are worried about having a flawless argument or making sure we have the perfect answer to every accusation against our faith, then this work of mercy could sound smug or even condescending. But if we understand the deeper purpose of knowledge (namely wisdom, and ultimately faith), we then see that this work of mercy aims at nothing short of communicating the love of God to every person we meet. Each person has been willed into existence by God and each person has a unique part to play in the grand story of human life in light of the cross. Instructing the ignorant aims to help each person find his or her role in this great story of salvation, giving him or her meaning and purpose — and ultimately a mission to do the same for others.

Focus:

Take a look in the mirror. Examine your conscience. Do you practice what you preach? Pope Blessed Paul VI rightly proclaimed, "Modern man listens more willingly to witnesses than to teachers, and if he does listen to teachers, it is because they are witnesses."

Act:

Contemplate the blessings God has given you, and live out of gratitude for his love.

Pray:

Almighty Father, help me to be a witness of your love and mercy.

PRAYER REQUESTS

During this Jubilee Year of Mercy, please remember all those who have asked for prayer. A Spiritual Work of Mercy. *Prayer request must be made through Cindy Guillot 253-862-9100.*



POPE QUOTE

"What we especially need in these times are credible witnesses who make the Gospel visible by their lives as well as by their words and who reawaken the attraction for Jesus Christ, for the beauty of God."

—Pope Francis, "Walking with Jesus"

WELCOME BACK!! FATHER LUDVIK

Weekday masses will return July 26th at 8:30am. The daily Mass may be offered for an intention. This intention is most often to recommend the soul of a deceased person but may also be for the personal intentions of the living. Please contact the office for mass intentions.

SAINTS ANNE & JOACHIM Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary



Each year the Church venerates the memory of Saints Anne & Joachim on July 26th. An ancient story dating to the first centuries of the Church's life recalls how Saints Anne & Joachim, like Abraham and Sarah, were scorned by their neighbors because they had no children.

Years of longing did not weaken their trust in God, but grief eventually drove Saint Joachim into the wilderness to fast and pray. Saint Anne, remaining at home, dressed in mourning clothes and wept because she had no child of her own. Seeing her mistress distressed, a servant girl reminded Anne to put her trust in God.

Saint Anne washed her face, put on her bridal clothes and went to a garden to plead with God for a child. Angels appeared to Saint Anne in her garden and Saint Joachim in the desert, promising that, despite their old age, they would give birth to a child who would be known throughout the world.

The new parents ran to meet one another at Jerusalem's Golden Gate, and with a kiss rejoiced in the new life which God had promised would be theirs. Saints Anne and Joachim are powerful intercessors for all married couples, expectant mothers and married couples who are having difficulty conceiving, as well as all who have grown old. - Catholic Saints

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Monday – Jul 25 – St. James, Apostle Rosary	3:00pm
Tuesday - Jul 26 – Ss. Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary Mass - Ben Ernst by Patty Rumpza	8:30am
Wednesday - Jul 27 Mass +Araceli Aragon by Vera Wedde	8:30am
Thursday - Jul 28 Mass	8:30am
Friday - Jul 29 – St. Martha Mass - Dean Rumpza Family by Patty Rumpza	8:30am
Saturday – Jul 30 – St. Peter Chysologus, Bishop and Doctor of the Church Confession	3:30pm
Mass	5:00pm
Sunday - Jul 31 Mass at OLOL	8:30am
Mass for parishioners/intentions	10:30am
Ignite Your Torch Fund Raising Breakfast 10a	



IGNITE YOUR TORCH YOUTH GROUP FUND RAISING CAR WASH: This weekend!!! SUNDAY

Special parking during... 10:30am mass Sunday

Location: St. Aloysius Parish grounds
The COST is by donation only!
Let us wash your cars and trucks...
while you pray for us!

**Thank you for all who had their cars washed last weekend
to raise funds for our youth to attend the retreat!**

NEED YARD WORK DONE?

Our youth are exploring new ways to raise funds for their Ignite Your Torch Retreat. One of which is helping you with any yard work that you have fallen behind on or need help with pruning, mowing, moving items, etc. Please give James Deady a call, 360-802-0336, so arrangements can be made to help you out.



GARAGE SALE JULY 29 & 30

The 4th Degree Knights of Columbus will be running a garage sale at the parish hall. It will be advertised in the Courier Herald to coincide with the Buckley all city Garage Sale. Please bring your items to donate to the parish hall by Thursday July 28th. We cannot accept furniture or electronics. However knickknacks, kitchen and patio items, household goods, good condition toys for children and adults are welcome. **Someone will be available to take your donations in the hall Mon.- Wed.: 10am– noon & 230p -430p.** Thursday drop off noon – 3p, someone from the Knights will be in the hall setting up for the sale. Please DONATE!

IMPORTANT DATES

JUL 29& 30 — 4th Degree Knights of Columbus garage sale
JUL 31st — Ignite your torch fund raising breakfast 10:00am
AUG 14th — Knights of Columbus breakfast 10:00am
OCT 1st — Knights of Columbus spaghetti dinner 5:45pm

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PENNIES FOR HEAVEN

*Knights of Columbus in Washington proudly
bear the title of PENNY PINCHER!*



In 1959, the State Deputy and several Grand Knights, concerned about vocations, came up with the idea of “A Penny-A-Day and a Prayer-A-Day” for vocations. Thus the Pennies for Heaven fund was born.

Once a penny falls into the grasp of a conscientious member it goes out of circulation until he deposits it in his Council’s PENNIES FOR HEAVEN BARREL. Each year the Council Grand Knight and the Council Delegates take their pennies to the State Convention and participate in the Pennies Parade. From its beginning in 1959 through 2011 the money collected totaled almost 1 million dollars. This money was divided annually between the Bishops of Washington state for the education of their seminarians.

In 1976 with consultation with the Bishops of Washington State, it was decided that half of the money be deposited in long term investments. The other half would be given to the Bishops for use in their dioceses. In 2011, the trust fund exceeds 1.25 million dollars. Interest from the fund is annually distributed to the bishops for the education of seminarians.

In addition, most councils participate in the Refund Support Vocations Program (RSVP) sponsored by the Supreme Council. In this program, local councils give money directly to seminarians and are reimbursed \$100 by the Supreme Council for every \$500 given. In 2011 alone, nearly \$100,000 was donated to seminarians Washington State through the RSVP Program.

This is a striking example of the power of unity of our Order. And who knows? Our members may receive the last sacraments from a priest who was educated by his pennies--Who knows?

BREAKING NEWS: Knights of Columbus member and St. Aloysius parishioner Travis Neuman is the new seminarian your Pennies for Heaven is sponsoring!!

**For more information about the Knights of Columbus
contact Grand Knight Joe Schamer 253-298-1720.**

CROSS CATHOLIC THANK YOU!

Thank you for your generous support to Cross Catholic Outreach. You may contact Fr. Fischer at 513-680-2881 or email: cco.cinti@zoomtown.com for more information.

NEW FISCAL YEAR REPORTS FOR 07-17-16

<u>St. Aloysius</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>	<u>Variance</u>
Weekly Revenue	\$2,683.00	TBD	
Fiscal YTD	\$9,722.00		
<u>Our Lady of Lourdes</u>			
Weekly Revenue	\$235.00	TBD	
Fiscal YTD	\$2,052.00		



**IGNITE YOUR TORCH YOUTH
FUND RAISING BREAKFAST
JULY 31st 10:00AM**

See bulletin flyer for more details!

Once again our youth will be attending the Ignite Your Torch Retreat at St. Martins University August 4-7. Ignite Your Torch is Eucharistic-centered, devoted to Our Blessed Mother, catechetical in nature, and teaches youth practical ways to build up the culture of life. Please add this important breakfast to your calendar Sunday July 31st at 10:00am. Carol Miller - COOK!

WORLD YOUTH DAY

Krakow, July 25-31, 2016

Pray along with our WYD Young Adult Pilgrims!

On July 22nd young adults from across the Archdiocese of Seattle set out on pilgrimage to Krakow, Poland. While in Poland our young adult delegation will be attending World Youth Day with Pope Francis and two million other youth and young adults from around the world. The theme of World Youth Day is: "Blessed are the merciful." Please pray for the safe travels of our young adults, for a blessed and spiritually rich trip, and for the courage to share fully the graces of their experiences when they return.



For more information on this year's World Youth Day visit:
www.usccb.org/about/world-youth-day/upload/WYDUSA

Enjoy WORLD YOUTH DAY coverage on Sacred Heart Radio AM 1050! Listen to Catholic news from a Catholic source, all year long. We keep you connected in Christ.

OFFICIAL PRAYER FOR WORLD YOUTH DAY

"God, merciful Father,
in your Son, Jesus Christ, you have revealed your love and poured it out upon us in the Holy Spirit, the Comforter, We entrust to you today the destiny of the world and of every man and woman".

We entrust to you in a special way
young people of every language, people and nation:
guide and protect them as they walk the complex paths of the world today

and give them the grace to reap abundant fruits
from their experience of the Krakow World Youth Day.

Heavenly Father,
grant that we may bear witness to your mercy.
Teach us how to convey the faith to those in doubt,
hope to those who are discouraged,
love to those who feel indifferent,
forgiveness to those who have done wrong
and joy to those who are unhappy.

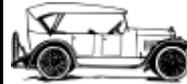
Allow the spark of merciful love
that you have enkindled within us
become a fire that can transform hearts
and renew the face of the earth.

Mary, Mother of Mercy, pray for us.
Saint John Paul II, pray for us.
Saint Faustina, pray for us.

JOIN THE CORPS!

The Catholic Relief Services (CRS) Parish Ambassador Corps is a great way for individual parishioners to grow in their leadership and live out their faith while educating fellow parishioners, helping staff, and ultimately making a difference in the lives of those dealing with poverty around the world. CRS Parish Ambassador Corps is a volunteer leadership opportunity for you in your parish. Applications are due by August 1, 2016. For more information, visit the CRS website. For an application, contact Jennifer Ibach: jennifer.ibach@seattlearch.org

ALL SAINTS PARISH MUSICAL



Come see the splendid family musical "Chitty Chitty Bang Bang." Everyone's most marvelous magical car will come to life in Puyallup, complete with adventure, romance, and amazing special effects. ASTRA (All Saints Theatrical Repertoire Association) is a ministry of All Saints Catholic Parish in Puyallup. There will be performances from July 23 - August 6. For details and to buy tickets, go to www.astramusical.com, or call the ASTRA message phone 253-579-6192.

The Many Names of CHRIST

- To the ARTIST He is the One Altogether Lovely.
- To the ARCHITECT He is the Chief Corner Stone.
- To the BAKER He is the Living Bread.
- To the BANKER He is the Hidden Treasure.
- To the BIOLOGIST He is the Life.
- To the BUILDER He is the Sure Foundation.
- To the CARPENTER He is the Door.
- To the DOCTOR He is the Great Physician.
- To the EDUCATOR He is the Great Teacher.
- To the ENGINEER He is the New and Living Way.
- To the FLORIST He is the Rose of Sharon and the Lily of the Valley.
- To the GEOLOGIST He is the Rock of Ages.
- To the HORTICULTURIST He is the True Vine.
- To the JUDGE He is the Righteous Judge, Judge of All Men.
- To the JEWELER He is the Pearl of Great Price.
- To the LAWYER He is Counselor, the Lawgiver, the Advocate.
- To the NEWSPAPER He is the Good Tidings of Great Joy.
- To the PHILANTHROPIST He is the Unspeakable Gift.
- To the PHILOSOPHER He is the Wisdom of God.
- To the PREACHER He is the Word of God.
- To the SCULPTOR He is the Living Stone.
- To the SERVANT He is the Good Master.
- To the STATESMAN He is the Desire of All Nations.
- To the STUDENT He is the Incarnate Truth.
- To the THEOLOGIAN He is Author and Finisher of our Faith.
- To the TOILER He is the Giver of Rest.
- To the SINNER He is the Lamb of God that takes away the sins of the World.
- To the CHRISTIAN He is the Son of the Living God, the Savior, the Redeemer and the Lord.

To me...HE is all of this and more, HE is my everything, my all in all. HE is more than LIFE to me,

~MY SOON COMING KING~

What is He to you?