

# SAINT PETER'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

## SEPTEMBER 24, 2017



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### Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 5:00 pm  
Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:30 am, 11:30 am  
Monday & Friday: 5:30 pm  
Tuesday - Thursday: 7:00 am

### Spanish Mass:

*Resurrection Parish, Lexington*

Sunday: 6:00 pm

### Parish Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 7:30 am - 7:30 pm  
Friday: 7:30 am - 6:00 pm  
Saturday: 10:00 am - 2:00 pm  
Sunday: 8:30 am - 12:30 pm

### Pastoral Care Contacts:

Ms. Kristi Reindl 419.524.2572  
*Hospital & Follow-up  
Nursing Homes/Assisted Living &  
Prayer Pipeline*

Deacon John Reef 419.529.3694  
*Shut-ins/Homebound*

### Sacrament of Baptism:

Please contact the Parish Center to begin plans for the baptism of your baby or child.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday: 3:00 - 4:30 pm  
Other times by appointment.

### Sacrament of Marriage:

Arrangements should be made at the Parish Center at least six months in advance of the ceremony. A wedding date is confirmed after the initial meeting with a priest.

### Sunday Nursery:

Sunday Nursery is temporarily unavailable until further notice.

### Bulletin Deadline:

Monday, 12:00 noon. All requests must be submitted in writing or email and must receive prior approval.

### Parish Administrative Assistant:

Ms. Kristi Reindl 419.524.2572 ext.2122

### Pastoral Staff:

Fr. Gregory R. Hite, *Pastor*  
Fr. Austin Ammanniti, *Parochial Vicar*  
Mr. Bill Johnson,  
*Director of Music & Liturgy*  
Ms. Lynne Lukach, *Pastoral Associate*  
Mrs. Elizabeth Wurm, *Director of  
Religious Ed. & Youth Minister*

### Deacons:

Mr. John Reef  
Mr. Dennis Striker

### St. Peter's School:

Ms. Tammy Haus  
*High School, Jr. High School*  
Mrs. Madalyn Bauer  
*Elementary School*  
Mrs. Ashley Rastorfer  
*Montessori*

### Parish Business Manager:

Mr. Evan Mumea

### Director of Development:

Mr. Jason Crundwell

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**MASS INTENTIONS****Monday, September 25, Weekday**

5:00 pm Rosary  
5:30 pm Paul Varga

**Tuesday, September 26, Weekday**

7:00 am John "Bud" Luers  
9:15 am Mary Anne Voytk

**Wednesday, September 27, Saint Vincent de Paul, Priest**

7:00 am Paula Renie

**Thursday, September 28, Weekday**

7:00 am Robert Sutter

**Friday, September 29, Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels**

5:00 pm Rosary  
5:30 pm John and Jeanette Leach

**Saturday, September 30, Vigil of the Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

5:00 pm Teresa Galluzzi

**Sunday, October 1, Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30 am Parish  
9:30 am Robert Fancher  
11:30 am Stanley Wala

**LECTOR/COMMUNION MINISTER****Saturday, September 30**

5:00 pm **L** J Riedl, A Pruet  
**D** B Linkenbach, D Miller, M Joyce, D & T Hipp,  
C Sgambellone, B Nihei

**Sunday, October 1**

7:30 am **L** L Lukach, T Mulherin  
**D** M Collet, A Holloway, K Randall, B Marshall,  
J Porch, D Givens, P Taylor  
9:30 am **L** M Meinzer, T Studer  
**D** T Baker, A Seiss, B Connolly, C Merle, R Sliney,  
M Riggleman, J Kastelic, S Weitzel  
11:30 am **L** C Mears, T Malec  
**D** F Leitenberger, J Laskey, H Deel, C Mears,  
K Schreck, K Speck, S Rizzo

**MASS SERVERS****Saturday, September 30**

5:00pm B Dix, G Dix, R Pruettmiller

**Sunday, October 1**

7:30am J Ramey, M Givens, A Lorenz  
9:30am Abi Baldasare, A Boyce, A Boyce  
11:30am D McGinty, L Stewart, O Deel



We get a schedule of when we are to write articles for this bulletin, and sometimes a certain date comes by that piques my interest. When I saw my name beside this particular date it stood out to me because it is my husband's birthday.

As far as birthdays go, we don't do much. For our children of course we celebrate, but for my husband and myself we are lucky if in the morning we croak out the words, "Happy Birthday" in a half awake state. There doesn't seem like there is much more that needs to be done, and in the big scheme of things, a birthday celebration takes last billing.

But when I saw this particular date that I am challenged to write on, it reminded me of so much more: our marriage.

Our marriage date was set and reset. It was originally set for his birthday on the premise that he would never forget our anniversary if it was on the date of his birth. We had to reset the date due to some unfortunate circumstances, and as it turns out it is I that cannot remember when we married. I am to the point that I make an anniversary card and give it to him somewhere in early June knowing that if I take the first ten days I am likely to have 1/10 of a chance of getting the day right.

I think back to the people we were then while making wedding plans. Both older folks. One with children one without. Both having established careers and I think it is fair to say, ideas of what our marriage was going to be like, and what we did not want it to become.

For us the most important thing about our wedding day was receiving the sacrament. We didn't delve too far into the pomp and circumstance of the whole thing, maybe because we were older or just didn't want it. The sacrament was what was important to us. We prayed together, went to Mass together, received Reconciliation together, and went to parish events and counseling in the hopes that what we were embarking on was something that could "make it".

I am a Facebook junkie, not posting necessarily but scrolling through seeing what others are doing. One thing that always stands out to me is how many articles there are that are posted are about wives or husbands leaving their spouse over this or that, or divorces and the good that came out of them. I am not so deft as to not understand that there are just some marriages that should not remain intact for a variety of reasons, but whenever I see one of those articles that almost glorifies the concept of marital breakups, it begs the question in my mind, "How did this sacrament become so disposable? How did the people involved in the sacrament become so easily replaced?"

In my line of work I have the happy occasion to see many potential brides and grooms come to the parish offices to set up their wedding plans, everything from venues to music, from programs to premarital counseling. Every time I see one of these couples, I want to say one thing to them: marriage is excruciatingly difficult.

It is. You get on each other's nerves. You disagree about courses of action to take with jobs or money or kids or weekend plans. You have dreams that may be unrequited because it is not just about you, it is about the two of you.

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**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH**



*Prayer Requests*

Rose Mary Lang-Martin, Gwen Yockey, Joan Phalor, Duane Moser, Bill Martin, John Zeigler, John & Rose Anne Henney, Debbie Ashley, Pat Colarosa, Ken Kayden, Julie Krous, Laura Demarest, Mike Payton, Hope Daugherty, Krista Marshall, Nick & Hilda Schemine, Corbin Adams, Beverly Strauser, Bill Ruhl, Carol Pittenger, Thomas Conrad, Jeannie Burkhalter, Eliana Nelson, Andy Scodova, Stacy Wiparina, Mary Ann Switzer, Richard Shrilla, Rose Mary Martin (Vaccaro), Theresa Merkli, Colleen Behr, Dan Henige, Dolores Fancher, James Gann, Theresa Schmidt, Aaron Blank, Don Blank, MaKaya Butler, Amy Foust, Sherry Studer, Cindy Lassen, Dina Riley, Alex Porter, Pete Dignan, James Pekare.

**IN GOD'S ARMS....** Ardeth "Ardie" Nadolsky  
 Florence Schacherer

**SUPPORT OUR RETIRED PRIESTS**

Please consider a donation to the **Perpetuate the Gift** appeal being held the weekend of October 7-8. Once a priest retires, he is responsible for his own person expenses such as housing, clothing, and food. Your gift benefits our retired diocesan priests and your parish. The Perpetuate the Gift appeal also helps retiring priests with the cost of healthcare by providing a Medicare supplement. All funds contributed between October 1, 2017, and December 31, 2017, help reduce the amount the parish contributes to the fund. A gift of cash or check can be sent to Perpetuate the Gift, PO Box 954, Toledo, OH, 43697 or placed in the parish collection. A gift may also be made online at [www.toledodiocese.org](http://www.toledodiocese.org). If you would like to give a gift of stock or designate a bequest to help our retired priests, please contact Christopher Holinski at 419.214.4951 or email at [cholinski@toledodiocese.org](mailto:cholinski@toledodiocese.org).

**RCIA**

Our RCIA class begins soon. Please encourage your loved ones to call this week if they have an interest in learning more about the process leading to reception into the Church. Please contact Lynne at the Parish Center .

**PRISON MINISTRY CORNER**

Fr. Eugene Carmichael of the American Catholic Correctional Association of Chaplains wrote these words: "Prison ministers just show up, let go of expectations, accompany the men, and give thanks to God for God's eternal love for all. " Those words capture the joy and blessings our prison ministry teams experience at RiCI and ManCI. There is still much work to be done accompanying men (and women) once they are released from prison. Perhaps the Spirit is nudging you to find out more. Contact Lynn at the parish center with any prison ministry questions that may be on your heart.



**ADULT FAITH ENRICHMENT**

All are welcome to the Thursday evenings series EPIC: Journey through Church history. We are on Session 3 this week with the topic "Persecution—Years 230-314." Even if you have not yet joined us, you are welcome to come and will find this course very interesting and informative. Time: 6:30-8:00pm. Enter thru Parish Center Entrance and the receptionist will direct you.

We are also offering a weekly series on What Catholics Believe—Wednesday evenings at 6:30pm (in HS library 2nd floor) and repeated Friday morning at 10:00am (in Assisi Hall 4th floor). Thank you to all our School of Religion parents who are taking advantage of this opportunity!

Bill Johnson will begin a book study on Church Art. Please contact Bill for details.

**CONFIRMATION ANNOUNCEMENT**

Our young people will be celebrating Confirmation with Monsignor Marvin Borger on **October 15 at our regular Sunday 11:30 am Mass**. The Church will be unusually full with family and friends of the Confirmandi. **Since it is a more solemn occasion, incense will be used!** Parishioners with allergies or other sensitivity to incense may want to choose to attend another of our Sunday Masses that weekend. If you have mobility problems, you may also want to choose another Mass that weekend. Our other weekend Masses are Saturday at 5:00 pm and Sunday at 7:30 am & 9:30 am. Please call the Parish Liturgy Office or the Parish Religious Education Office at 419.524.2572 if you have questions.

**WEDDING BANNERS**

I, II Amy Tittle & Zachary Zapponne

**SUNDAY OFFERING**

Week of  
 September 2 - 8, 2017



<i>Sunday Collection</i>	
Total Sunday Collection To Date:	\$151,811.35
Total Budgeted Sunday Collection To Date:	\$162,529.41
<b>Sunday Collection Surplus/(Deficit)</b>	<b>(\$10,718.06)</b>
<i>School Collection</i>	
Total School Collection To Date:	\$33,974.00
Total Budgeted School Collection To Date:	\$31,764.71
<b>School Collection Surplus/(Deficit)</b>	<b>\$2,209.00</b>

**CAPITAL CAMPAIGN FINANCIAL UPDATE**



<b>Total Pledged:</b>	<b>\$2,605,184</b>
Amount needed to reach challenge goal:	\$394,815
Payments to Date:	\$1,643,338

As of August 31, 2017



**SCHOOL NEWS**



**VISIT OUR SCHOOL ANY DAY WITH APPOINTMENT**

Parents, if you are considering St. Peter's School for your child's education, you are invited to spend part of a school day here at St. Peter's with your child to experience all the activities and classroom instruction that take place.

Please call the school administrators to arrange a visit that is convenient for you and your child.

- Mrs. Ashley Rastorfer – Montessori Director  
419.524.2572 ext. 4113
- Mrs. Madalyn Bauer – Elementary Principal  
419.524.2572 ext. 4101
- Ms. Tammy Haus – High School & Junior High Principal  
419.524.2572 ext. 3100

*St. Peter School admits students of any race, color, national and ethnic origin to all rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the school. It does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin in administration of its educational policies, admissions policies, scholarship and loan programs and athletic and other school-administered programs.*

**PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION**



Just a reminder the PSR classes have begin and it is not too late to register!

Our classes take place on Wednesday evenings from 6-7:30 pm and are open for all who are in preschool through twelfth grade.

To register your child please contact Elizabeth Wurm at [wurm.elizabeth@myspartans.org](mailto:wurm.elizabeth@myspartans.org) or call the parish office.



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**419.522.6616**

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK MASS**



St. Peter's annual Mass with the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be this afternoon at 2:00 pm in church. This beautiful Mass offers the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick to those with acute or chronic illnesses and those with other physical or emotional infirmities and the elderly.

We also offer a special blessing to all those who are caregivers, health service providers, doctors, nurses, and others who work in the fields of medicine or health care. We encourage you to attend with your family. If you are not in need of anointing but know of a parishioner or relative who is, please invite them to join you.



**ST. PETER'S FALL GALA & AUCTION**

Lots of beautiful one-of-a-kind items have been donated to this year's gala! Plus many chances to enjoy a local staycation! Get your tickets now before prices go up in early October!

Tickets are just \$50/person and \$40/seniors. Get a group of 10 and save on a table. Order tickets online at [www.stpetersgala.org](http://www.stpetersgala.org) or purchase at the Parish Center Office.

**THE FEAST OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL**

On September 27, the Church celebrates the feast of St. Vincent de Paul, who knew that "God sent him to bring good news to the poor." Together with your gifts, the members of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul continue his work and mission in our parish.

Since July, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to "bring good news to the poor", by assisting 17 families, providing help with rent, utility bills, lodging, and food. Thank You!

**CATHOLIC WOMEN'S CLUB**

The next Catholic Women's Club luncheon will be Wednesday October 11, 2017. All Catholic Women in the St. Juan Diego Deanery are invited. If you are new, we encourage you to join us and get to know the Catholic women in the area. Please call Carol Sgambellone at 419.529.2758 or 419.632.5839 or call Cathy Wuan at 419.961.2975. Reservations must be made by October 6, 2017 before 12 noon. Looking forward to meeting new members

**WORLD MISSION SUNDAY**

Mission Sunday on October 21/22, 2017 is "Mission at the Heart of the Christian Faith" and is truly a global effort for the entire Church. It is a central moment each year to provide for the building up of over one thousand local churches in Asia, Africa, the Pacific Islands, parts of Latin American & Europe, an area that covers more than half of the territory of the globe. Through the work of these churches and their witness to Christ, the poor receive practical help & experience God's love & mercy, His hope & peace.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FRIDAY COOK OUTS**



**Month of September—Friday Night Meals:  
(Last Friday Night Cook Out of the Season!)  
5:30 pm — 7:00 pm**

**Burgers, Italian Sausage, Hot Dogs & Side Dishes**

Adults \$7.00, Children under 12 - \$5.00

**PIZZA ON SATURDAYS after 5:00 pm Mass**

Cost \$5.00, Children under 8 are FREE -1114 Park Ave. West  
Phone 419.529.5532

**GRACE BEFORE MEALS**



This special evening is in celebration of 75 years of service in Richland County by Catholic Charities with a live cooking demonstration, talk and dinner featuring keynote speaker Fr. Leo Patalinghug, founder of *Grace Before Meals* and cooking show host.

Plan now for November 7, 2017 at 6:30 pm at the James W. Kehoe Center, Shelby, Ohio.

Bishop Daniel Thomas will also be in attendance. Tickets are \$50. per person. Contact Sue Warren at 419.524.0733 ext. 229 or contact her at [mwarren@toledodiocese.org](mailto:mwarren@toledodiocese.org) for more information. Seats will go fast! Don't miss this once in a lifetime experience!

**HOST FAMILIES NEEDED**



Host families are needed for Japanese Junior High students from the evening of October 4, 2017 through the morning of October 9, 2017. The students have scheduled activities, hosts are welcome. Assistance with bedding is available.

Call Ann Brown at 419.756.6983.

**SOUND VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!**



We are grateful for the generosity which allowed us to purchase and install our new sound system. We hope you will appreciate the improvements we have been able to make to the sound in Church.

Now we are in need of a select few volunteers who will be willing to serve as sound system helpers when we have special liturgies or require additional set-up or adjustments.

This will be an infrequent activity and no regular time commitment is required. We need individuals who are well experienced in sound, electronic amplification and related technology.

If you are interested in helping with this need, please

**BLUE BARRELS: October 14-15**

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You end up doing things that you never would have dreamed you would do nor have ever desired to do. It may seem like your spouse always gets what they want. There are days when you wake up in the morning and ponder who it is you are and who you have become and wonder why there seems to be a part of you missing that used to be there. You hear love music on the radio and while listening to the romantic lyrics the word, "suckers" might run through your head.

Marriages go through good times and bad times, ups and downs. Marriages have their "I could take this or leave it" moments. And marriage is a calling. Marriage is a vocation. Marriage is for life. Marriage is sanctified.

My husband and I have been together for close to a decade and married for just half of that. My husband drives me absolutely nuts and I know I push him past the point of sanity on many issues. We get in colossal fights (my favorite being our "silverware drawer wars"). We are both tired from working our jobs and working to turn our children into the men and women that God is calling them to be. We bicker, we fight, we pick at each other, and at the end of a horrific day, and we still love one another because God made us blessed... together.

So on this date I don't wish to wish my husband a happy birthday, but wish him a "half anniversary" and relish in the thought of all the horrors and bad times that loom out there in the future, and the love and perseverance that will get us through them. And, as my grandfather always signed his notes to my grandmother, I say "Isalys". Not the ice cream place but rather, "I shall always love you sweetheart."

Elizabeth Wurm  
Director of Religious Education & Youth Minister

**IS YOUR MARRIAGE GOING DOWN THE RIGHT ROAD.....**

Or is it a little off track? Life can be difficult, and so can the challenges you face in marriage.

Does the distance between you seem wide? Are you already separated? Looking for a better way? Retrouvaille can help and offers hope for a better relationship. Retrouvaille is a peer ministry of volunteer couples that can help you learn the tools of healthy communication, build intimacy and heal, just as they have done in their own marriages. Retrouvaille can help get your relationship back on track. For more information about our October 6-8th Retrouvaille Weekend program for couples, contact our registration team: Joe & Arlene @ 419.841.1116 or visit our website: [HelpOurMarriage.com](http://HelpOurMarriage.com)



**RECYCLING—NEXT DATE: OCTOBER 13, 2017**

**10:00 am—11:00 am & 2:00 pm— 4:00 pm**

(Every 2nd Friday of the month) in the Franciscan Activity Center parking lot.

**TDCCW CONFERENCE—Sept 29-30, 2017** The Toledo Diocese Council of Catholic Women invites all women of the diocese to their annual fall conference September 29-30, 2017 at St. Joan of Arc Parish, 5856 Heatherdowns, Toledo. Theme: "To Each Person the Manifestation of the Spirit is Given for the Common Good." 1 Cor 12:7. Renee Marazon, gifted teacher and motivational speaker, will guide us through her book "Charisms of the Holy Spirit." What are your gifts? Deacon John Nahrgang, Diocese of Phoenix, will speak on "Discerning Fatima and other Church Approved Revelations with the Guidance of the Holy Spirit." Pre-conference dinner and speaker is optional (\$20). Pre-registration required for the conference (\$25). Contact Pastoral Center (TDCCW) 419.244.6711 ext.4929 for a registration form or Judy Warntz at 419.867.1227 or jwarntz9877@att.net.

**2017 Diocesan Celebration of Wedding Anniversaries Our Lady Queen of the Most Holy Rosary Cathedral October 1, 2017, at 3:00 pm.** Join Bishop Daniel Thomas and the Office of Marriage and Family Life to commemorate 25, 40, 50, 60 and 60-plus years of marriage for couples in the Diocese of Toledo. Registered couples will receive a commemorative certificate. To register go to: [toledoanniversarymass.org](http://toledoanniversarymass.org), contact Marsha Rivas, 419.214.4938, or call your parish office. The registration deadline is September 15, 2017.

**Harvest Festival at Mother of Sorrows Chapel.** North Auburn, on Sunday October 1, 7212 N. Auburn Rd., Tiro OH 44887 (3mi.east of New Washington). Pork & chicken dinners with, sauerkraut, mashed potatoes, green beans, applesauce & dessert, served from 11:30am-5:30pm. Carryout's available . Outside concessions too: bratwurst, apple dumplings, ice cream. Arts & Crafts booth, Farmers Market Booth, Beer tent, bingo from 1-4:00 pm, instant bingo, 50/50 raffles, Reverse Raffle with \$1,000 grand prize, kids games, refreshments & music throughout the entire afternoon. Everyone is welcome!

**Saint Mary Altar Rosary Society** will hold a Fall Rummage and Bake Sale in the basement of St. Mary Church, 1630 Ashland Rd., Mansfield, on Thursday, October 5 from 9 :00—5:00 pm, Friday, October 6 from 9:00—5:00 pm and Saturday, October 7 from 9:00—noon.

**Our Lady of Consolation Shrine.** Carey, OH invites you to "Our Journey with Our Blessed Mother." The sixth and final "Journey" series will be on Sunday, October 1 at the noon Mass with the former Pastor of St. Michael's Parish, Findlay, OH Mgrs. Michael Hohenbrink. Plan to attend our "Journey." Any questions call 419-396-7107 or look us up at [olcshrine.com](http://olcshrine.com).

**Opening Prayer Vigil for 40 Days for Life Fall Campaign.** join us for an hour of peaceful prayer beginning at 6:00 pm on Wednesday, September 27, 2017 as the pro-life community of Northwest Ohio opens the 40 Days for Life Fall Campaign. We pray for the end of abortion on the sidewalk of Capital Care abortion facility, 1160 W. Sylvania Ave., Toledo, OH. May our prayer bring the light Christ Jesus to move the hearts & minds of all present to a deeper appreciation of the dignity of human life. For more information visit [www.40daysforlife.com/toledo](http://www.40daysforlife.com/toledo) or contact Office for life & Justice Director Peter Range at [prange@toledodiocese.org](mailto:prange@toledodiocese.org) or call 419.214.4933.



STATUS ANIMARUM STATISTICAL INFORMATION												
	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006
Parishioners	3724	3781	3798	3806	3861	3890	3856	3799				
Catholic Households	1316	1334	1350	1358	1371	1391	1381	1374				
Mixed Households	438	444	450	452	456	463	460	457				
Total Households	1754	1778	1800	1810	1827	1854	1841	1831				
Envelope Holders	824	879	891	929	991	1116	1092	1114				
Infant Baptisms		25	33	31	32	33	30	43	33	35	55	46
Child Baptisms		8	13	15	9	7	20	15				
Adult Baptisms		13	7	12	14	9	18	11				
Total Baptisms		46	53	58	55	49	68	69				
Become Catholic		20	23	18	12	8	9	15				
First Communion, Regular		32	45	37	37	58	58	57				
First Communion, RCIA		30	30	29	19	12	17	22				
Confirmation, Regular		53	42	40	35	41	53	1				
Confirmation, RCIA		29	30	26	19	13	13	19				
Marriages, Regular		6	5	9	11	8	9	12				
Marriages, Mixed		4	10	5	13	5	8	15				
Funerals, Mass (2014)		40	40	60	54	55	50	53	33	42	47	58
Funerals, Other		20	36	32	25	24	35	26	19	19	35	28
Religious Education												
Primary Grades	42	53	61	74	71	83	112	81				
Middle School	12	23	10	16	18	29	27	30				
High School	0	5	6	2	0	0	0	6				

**TODAY'S READINGS**

**First Reading** — Turn to the LORD, who is generous in forgiving (Isaiah 55:6-9).

**Psalm** — The Lord is near to all who call upon him (Psalm 145).


**Second Reading** — Live your lives in a way worthy of the gospel of Christ (Philippians 1:20c-24, 27a).

**Gospel** — The last will be first, and the first will be last (Matthew 20:1-16a).

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**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

- Monday: Ezr 1:1-6; Ps 126:1b-6; Lk 8:16-18
- Tuesday: Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 8:19-21
- Wednesday: Ezr 9:5-9; Tb:13:2, 3-4abefghn, 7-8; Lk 9:1-6
- Thursday: Hg 1:1-8; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 9:7-9
- Friday: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rv 12:7-12a; Ps 138:1-5; Jn 1:47-51
- Saturday: Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a; Jer 31:10-12ab, 13; Lk 9:43b-45
- Sunday: Ez 18:25-28; Ps 25:4-9; Phil 2:1-11 [1-5]; Mt 21:28-32



**A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE:** In today's Gospel Jesus asked, "What is your opinion?" Why do we think our opinion is dogma or fact? An opinion is only how we perceive a situation or how we feel comfortable doing something. Don't argue over or become divided by "your opinion." ~ by Bud Ozar

**This week's cover art:** *Parable of the Workers in the vineyard.* Artist: Salomon Koninck (1609-1656) Source: Wikimedia.



# 776400      **1200** bulletins  
please

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Attn: Joyce/Claudia