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SUNDAY, JULY 27, 2025

17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"Suppose one of you has a friend to whom he goes at midnight and says, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread,' and he says in reply from within, 'Do not bother me.' I tell you, if he does not get up to give the visitor the loaves because of their friendship, he will get up to give him whatever he needs because of his persistence." - Lk 11:5b, 7a, 8

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

SUNDAY, JULY 27

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

11am: +Susan Hudlow
1pm: +Alberta Castro de Aguilar

WEDNESDAY, JULY 30

6pm: +Alberta Castro de Aguilar

SATURDAY, AUGUST 2

8:30am: +Alberta Castro de Aguilar

SUNDAY, AUGUST 3

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

11am: +Frances Harp
1pm: +Alberta Castro de Aguilar



Sunday, July 27

Lector: Tim Dennis

Extraord. Ministers: Sommer Paine, Clarelyse Krajeski, Linda Roe, Ron Eby

Sunday, Aug 3

Lector: Connie Doss

Extraord. Ministers: Summer Paine, Linda Roe, Kathy Clark, Ron Eby



Our Parishioners: Regina Booth, Margaret Beltran, Isabel Rangel, Fred Becker, Adam Charles, Claudia Kerens, Ting Tuazon, Aurora Tuazon, Antonio Nino, Terry & Pat Dean, Del Waller, Andrew Tovar, Mary Lou Fuller, Toni Meyers, Myrtle Tharp, Tiffany, Jesse, Bill & Faye McKee, Mataya and Rayland Winburn, Maya Tamayo, Maria Sandoval, Maria Welch, Cindy Mitchell, David, Jane & Monica Reuter, Denise Reuter, Rodriguez Family, Baldwin Family, Elver Morales, Sebastian Camarillo, Chris Jablonski, June Sawyer, David Ingram, Barbara Strain, Larry Miller, Kathy Owen, and Norma Miller.

Nursing home patients and homebound:

Betty Blach, Kevin Harris, Paul Chapel, Shirley Johnson, Flo Fitzsimmons, Bill Jenkins and Grace Doss.

Our Military & Law Enforcement: Robbie Bartos—US Army, Marissa Richter—Army Nat'l Guard, Jonathon Waller—Army, Michael A. Wilhelm—Army in Korea, Dr. Kate Williams—Army Reserve, Daniel Clifford—Chief Navy Officer, Thomas Dean—Corrections Officer, Robert Dean—EMT, Michael Alcala—Airforce. Robert Bartos, Eric Richter, Mary Clifford, Josue Rangel, and all others in the Armed Forces & Law Enforcement.



**marriage
encounter**

Worldwide Marriage Encounter will be held Sept. 12-14 at Coury House Retreat Center on the grounds of Subiaco Abbey. WWME is to help married couples spend time together, away from the distractions and tensions of everyday life, where they can focus on each other and their relationship

and reconnect privately. There is no group discussion. The application fee is \$200 per couple with an additional donation requested during the weekend to cover costs. Apply online, or email Ben or Leah Brewer at apply@arkansaswwme.org or call them at (501) 733-1235.



Save THE Date

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The Parish Festival will be Saturday, October 11th from 2-8pm. If you would like to help, please contact the parish office!



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*Our Seminarians
for the month of
July, 2025*

Widows of Divine Mercy: AR

**COMING SOON: August 30, 2025
12-1:30**

Location:

Classrooms at St. Anne's

**Contact your Parish office for more
information**



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Taste of Faith

Benefitting Seminarian Education

Please join us! All are invited to attend the **2025 Taste of Faith dinner at the Statehouse Convention Center in Little Rock on Saturday, Aug. 2 at 6:30 p.m.** to support seminarian education in the Diocese of Little Rock. There is no charge to attend but in addition to the inspiring program, there will be an opportunity to make a donation. **Reservations are required.** If you are not able to come to the dinner, please consider donating anytime at tasteoffaith.org. For more information, contact Kelly Wewers, Director of Stewardship and Development, at kwewers@dolr.org or call (501) 664-0340, ext. 391.

Por favor, acompáñenos! Todos están invitados a asistir a la cena **Prueba de Fe 2025 el sábado 2 de agosto a las 6:30 p.m. en el Centro de Convenciones Statehouse en Little Rock** para apoyar la educación de los seminaristas en la Diócesis de Little Rock. La asistencia es gratuita, pero además del inspirador programa, habrá la oportunidad de hacer una donación. **Reservaciones son requeridas.** Si no puede asistir a la cena, considere donar en cualquier momento en tasteoffaith.org. Para obtener más información, comuníquese con Kelly Wewers, Directora de Administración y Desarrollo, al kwewers@dolr.org o llámela al (501) 664-0340, ext. 391.



On Sunday, August 17 we will take up the Catholic Home Missions Appeal. Today, nearly 40% of dioceses in the United States and its current and former territories are unable to fund the essential pastoral work their communities need. Your support for this appeal helps them meet these faith formation and sacramental needs. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this appeal. Find more information at www.usccb.org/home-missions.

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SUPPORT GO?



Totals by Program Area

• Diocesan and Parish Assistance	\$2,399,000
• Faith Formation	\$2,030,000
• Priestly and Religious Vocations	\$1,840,000
• Special Grants*	\$995,825
• Cultural Ministries**	\$955,000
• Strengthening Marriage and Family Life	\$125,000
• Life and Dignity of the Human Person***	\$125,000

Total: \$8,469,825

Weekly Prayer

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

Far be it from you to do such a thing,
to make the innocent die with the guilty
so that the innocent and the guilty would be treated alike!
Should not the judge of all the world act with justice?" (Gn 18:25)

Psalm:

Lord, on the day I called for help, you answered me. (Ps 138)

Second Reading:

You were buried with him in baptism,
in which you were also raised with him
through faith in the power of God. (Col 2:12)

Gospel:

"And I tell you, ask and you will receive;
seek and you will find;
knock and the door will be opened to you." (Lk 11:9)

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Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

"Lord, teach us to pray." The disciples are asking how to approach God, how to communicate with Him. Jesus' answer? Have no fear, and have no embarrassment. God waits at the door. Knock. The conversation is yours to start.

Observances for the week of July 27, 2025

- Sunday:** 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Tuesday: Sts. Martha, Mary and Lazarus
Wednesday: St. Peter Chrysologus,
Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Thursday: St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest
Friday: St. Alphonsus Liguori,
Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Saturday: St. Eusebius of Vercelli, Bishop;
St. Peter Julian Eymard, Priest
Next Sunday: 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Devotions, *Explained!*

The daily examen is a spiritual practice whereby one places himself in the presence of God, prayerfully reflecting on the blessings of the day, the actions he took, and the invitation God has for his future decisions.

Prayer for Hope

Lord,
Restore my hope!
Where I fear the future, write a
new script in my heart.
Where I doubt Your goodness, fill
me anew.
Give me steadfast hope for a
beautiful tomorrow.
Amen.

Worship & Meditation

Readings for the week of July 27, 2025

Sunday:

Gn 18:20-32/Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8 (3a)/
Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13

Monday:

Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Ps 106:19-20, 21-22,
23/Mt 13:31-35

Tuesday:

Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Ps 103:6-7, 8-9,
10-11, 12-13/Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday:

Ex 34:29-35/Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9/Mt 13:44-46

Thursday:

Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and
8a, 11/Mt 13:47-53

Friday:

Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Ps 81:3-4,
5-6, 10-11ab/Mt 13:54-58

Saturday:

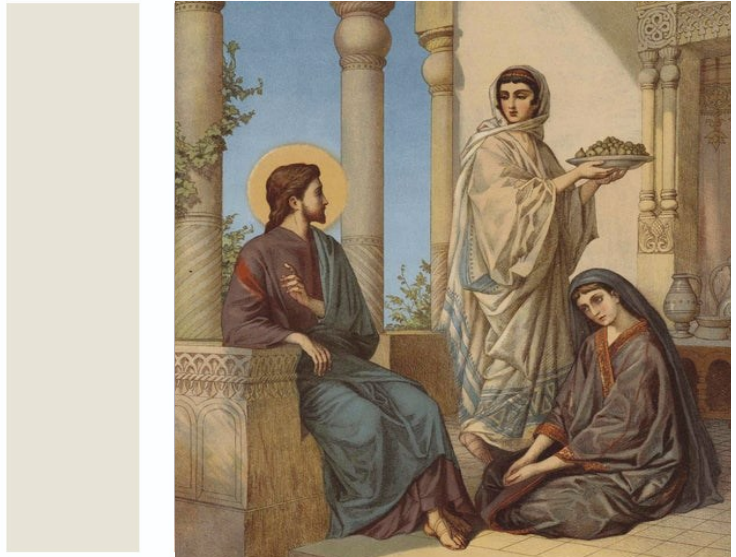
Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8/Mt 14:1-12

Next Sunday:

Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14,
17 (1)/Col 3:1-5, 9-11/Lk 12:13-21



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Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

Once I went to a hospice facility to celebrate Last Rites for an elderly dying man. His family had told me that he had been uncommunicative for days. At the conclusion of the ritual, we began to recite the Our Father prayer. To everyone's surprise, his lips moved, clearly mouthing the words to the Lord's prayer. Stripped of most of his faculties, the man could still pray those precious God-given petitions. A lifetime of prayer had planted the words even deeper than his failing consciousness.

Do we want the Lord's prayer to be as deeply embedded in us? If we want to be people of hope, we should. Recall that our Lord immediately follows the prayer by saying: **"Ask, and it will be given to you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened to you" (Luke 11:9).** We only ask, search and knock because we hope that the request is not in vain. Everything we could possibly hope for is contained in the prayer. Praying the Our Father deepens our hope.

We should consciously pour all our hopes into the Lord's prayer; we should allow it to be an expression of hope, not simply rote words. Then, over time, it builds up our hope in God. It sinks deep into our souls and bodies. How blessed we are when these words of hope are on our lips, even when everything else seems to fail.

— *Father John Muir*

“And I tell you, ask and you will receive; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks, receives; and the one who seeks, finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened.” - Lk 11:9-10

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Questions of the Week

Invite Parishioners to Reflect and Respond to Scripture

First Reading:

Abraham questions God about how He passes judgment on people. What questions do you have for the Lord?

Second Reading:

Paul teaches the believers in Colossae that through his cross and resurrection from the dead, Jesus united Jews and Gentiles by their shared faith in him. How does your faith in Jesus bring you closer to others?

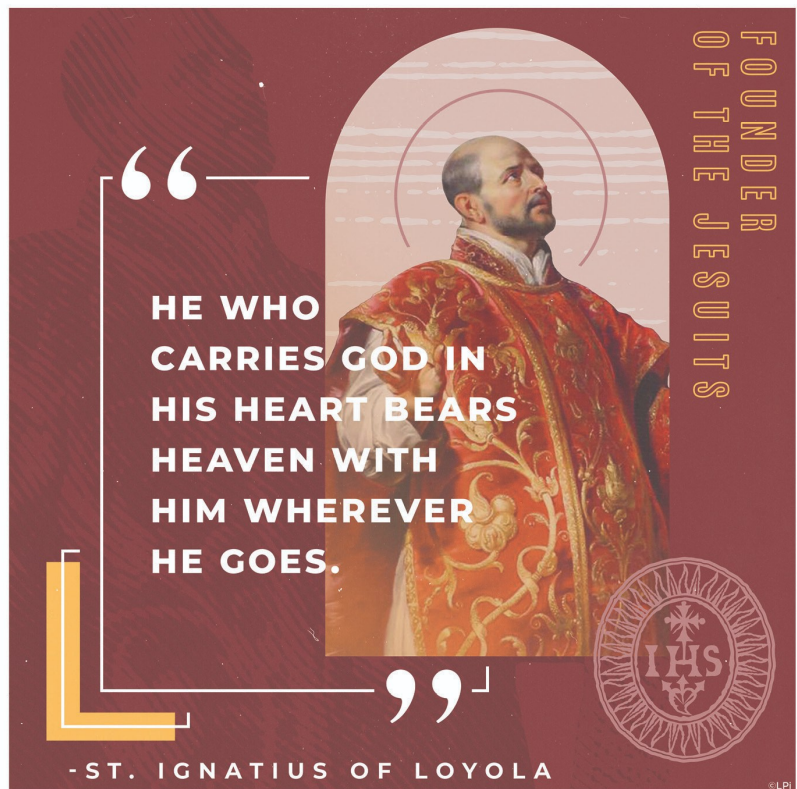
Gospel:

Jesus encourages his disciples to be persistent and bold in praying to God. Can you think of a time when God answered a bold prayer from you?



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(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC

Mini Reflection: Whatever is interrupting communication between your heart and the One who crafted it, it can be overcome. There is no door thick enough, no night dark enough, no sleep strong enough.

Ask and You Shall Receive

It's easy to look at today's Gospel reading and come away with a view of God as disinterested and irritated, reluctant to give us what we need unless we bang down his door, hound him to the furthest reaches of heaven, wrench him from his reverie and force him to answer just so we'll finally go away.

Well, that's not what Jesus means by the parable of the friend at midnight — but it's also not surprising that we would think that it is. The whole point of this Gospel is that communication between God and man has been broken. It's not as easy as it once was, as it should be, as it could be.

In this parable, there exists many barriers between the supplicant and his friend. The time of day is not ideal. The door is locked. Their dispositions are opposite — one is in the middle of a REM cycle and the other is deeply agitated. They appear to be two people who are not primed to communicate well. Everything is working against them.

The same could well be said of God and the human race. Here we are in a fallen world, surrounded by sin and pain and sickness and death to the extent that it infiltrates not just our bodies but our souls, our minds, our attitudes.

We are the friend caught unprepared in the dead of night. We don't always know how to talk to God (*That door is thick! Will he hear us if we knock?*). We don't always know if we should (*It's all my fault that I ran out of loaves, after all*). We don't even know if we want to (*It's nighttime! He might be angry!*).

Everything is working against us.

It doesn't matter, Jesus tells us. Whatever is interrupting communication between your heart and the One who crafted it, the One who desires its full and irrevocable attention, it can be overcome. There is no door thick enough, no night dark enough, no sleep strong enough.

So knock.

— Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

Why do we do that? Catholic Life Explained

Question:

This time of year, I attend a lot of weddings. Why do Catholic weddings need to take place in a church?

Answer:

Technically, there is a clause in Church law that could allow for weddings to take place outside of a church, in a suitable space under special circumstances, but it requires the rare permission of the bishop. But the meaning of marriage goes very, very deep, and the Church has a vested interest in protecting that meaning. As Catholics, we don't see a wedding as an event that needs a pleasing backdrop.

Marriage is a sacrament, both an occasion of joyful promise and symbolic solemnity. It is a spiritual event. The loving bond of marriage symbolizes the mystical union between Christ and his Church. The man and woman profess lifelong vows of fidelity, and they receive supernatural grace from God to keep their promises. Receiving the sacrament of Marriage in a church has broader symbolic meaning for the couple as well. Marriage isn't simply two people in isolation from the world around them. Marriage is the joining of families and the beginning of a new, holy mission in the life of the couple. Weddings are sacred occasions, and it's fitting that they occur in sacred spaces.



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This is a confidential, non-judgmental small group meeting for anyone who has been affected by the trauma of abortion.

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***September's meeting will be held the 2nd Monday of the month**

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PRAYERS IN THE PEW™ MONTHLY

FAITH IN ACTION CALENDAR / HIGHLIGHTS

WED JUL 9	The Holy Martyrs of China
WED JUL 16	Our Lady of Mount Carmel
SAT JUL 26	Joachim & Anne, Parents of the Virgin Mary

Faith Formation Companion to Prayers in the Pew™

→ MONTHLY SYNOPSIS ←

July 2025 – July is the month where we celebrate our independence as a nation. Our nation has a strongly Christian founding, and we know that “where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom” (2 Cor 3:17). Our reflections this month are intended to remind us that the Holy Spirit is the source of all good things in our lives and in our families.

PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Jesus told His disciples that whoever prays for *the gift of the Holy Spirit* will always receive what he asks for: “If you then, who are wicked, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the Father in heaven give the holy Spirit to those who ask him?” (Luke 11:13).

Since the Day of Pentecost, the Church has been devoted to praying for the coming of the Holy Spirit, not only into our hearts and minds, but also into the Church and the world. We call to Him with fervor – “Come, Holy Spirit!” – as if we cannot wait for God to rescue us from the problems of this world. The marvelous Prayer to the Holy Spirit is one of the most heartfelt prayers of the faithful because it is a prayer for God to transform us and the world.

This prayer may already be familiar to you. Here it is in all its simplicity and beauty:

THE PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Come, O Holy Spirit! Fill the hearts of your faithful and enkindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit, and they shall be created. And you shall renew the face of the earth.

O God, who has taught the hearts of the faithful by the light of the Holy Spirit, grant that by the gift of the same Spirit, we may be truly wise and ever rejoice in His consolation, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

We believe that the Holy Spirit is the Church’s guiding and protecting force until the end of time. The Holy Spirit Prayer recognizes the roles that the Holy Spirit plays in the life of believers: He “fills [our] hearts”, he “enkindles” our love, he “enlightens” our minds, He “instructs,” “creates,” and “renews” us, and He is the source of all spiritual gifts.

There is no better prayer to pray on a daily basis than the Prayer to the Holy Spirit. This marvelous prayer is easy to memorize, and when you do, make a habit of saying it every day so that the Holy Spirit will be your constant companion in all the trials and joys of life.

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SPIRITUAL CHALLENGE

Let us challenge ourselves this month to call on the Holy Spirit to help us and our families in all our needs. When we invoke the Holy Spirit, particularly in times of trouble, the Spirit helps and renews us in many tangible ways. God the Holy Spirit always comes to those who ask.



The 7 Gifts of the Holy Spirit

Our Lady and the Apostles prayed for nine days before Pentecost that the "promise of the Father" (Acts 1:4) would come upon them and fill them with divine life. We too await for the Holy Spirit prior to Pentecost and ask for His seven-fold gift from on high.

Our belief in the Gifts of the Holy Spirit is based primarily upon one passage of the Old Testament, Isaiah 11:2, which lists six spiritual gifts. To this list the Church adds "piety", which is the virtue of devotion. God's gift of the Holy Spirit is, therefore, seven gifts in one: the Church usually calls Him the "seven-fold gift" or enumerates them as the Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit.

1. Wisdom 2. Understanding 3. Knowledge
4. Counsel 5. Piety 6. Fear of the Lord 7. Fortitude

Let us resolve to pray for these gifts from on high every day!

— THE SCHOOL OF SAINTS —



"Keep to the ancient way and custom of the Church, established and confirmed by so many Saints under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit. And live a new life. Pray, and get others to pray, that God not abandon His Church, but reform it as He pleases, and as He sees best for us, and more to His honor and glory." ~ **St. Angela Merici**

— CATECHISM CONNECTION —



852 – The Holy Spirit is the principal agent of the whole of the Church's mission... This mission continues and, in the course of history, unfolds the mission of Christ, who was sent to evangelize the poor; so the Church, urged on by the Spirit of Christ, must walk the road Christ himself walked, a way of poverty and obedience, of service and self-sacrifice even to death, a death from which he emerged victorious by his resurrection.

1831 – The moral life of Christians is sustained by the gifts of the Holy Spirit. These are permanent dispositions which make man docile in following the promptings of the Holy Spirit.

— BIBLE BASICS —



Psalms 139:7 Where can I go from your spirit? From your presence, where can I flee?

Romans 8:11 If the Spirit of the one who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, the one who raised Christ from the dead will give life to your mortal bodies also, through his Spirit that dwells in you.

CALENDAR OF FAITH | JULY

JUL 1	St. Junipero Serra, Priest
JUL 3	St. Thomas, Apostle
JUL 6	St. Maria Goretti, Virgin and Martyr
JUL 9	St. Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions, Martyrs of China
JUL 11	St. Benedict, Abbot
JUL 13	St. Henry, Confessor
JUL 14	St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin
JUL 15	St. Bonaventure, Bishop and Doctor
JUL 16	Our Lady of Mount Carmel
JUL 18	St. Camillus de Lellis, Priest
JUL 21	St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest and Doctor
JUL 22	St. Mary Magdalene
JUL 23	St. Bridget, Religious
JUL 24	St. Sharbel Makhluf, Hermit
JUL 25	St. James, Apostle
JUL 26	Sts. Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Virgin Mary
JUL 29	St. Martha
JUL 30	St. Peter Chrysologus, Bishop and Doctor
JUL 31	St. Ignatius of Loyola, Priest

Featured Prayer for July

Prayer for Our Nation

God our Father, Giver of life, we entrust the United States of America to Your loving care. You are the rock on which this nation was founded. You alone are the true source of our cherished rights to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. Reclaim this land for Your glory and dwell among Your people.

Send Your Spirit to touch the hearts of our nation's leaders. Open their minds to the great worth of human life and the responsibilities that accompany human freedom. Remind Your people that true happiness is rooted in seeking and doing Your will.

Through the intercession of Mary Immaculate, Patroness of our land, grant us the courage to reject the "culture of death." Lead us into a new millennium of life. We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

(This prayer is taken from the Prayers in the Pew Family Edition Prayer Card. Please refer to our website SitStandKneel.com for the online version of this newsletter and all our prayer cards.)

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JULY 2025 SUPPLEMENT

Saint of the Month



St. Kateri Tekakwitha (Feastday, May 26)

Even though St. Kateri (1656-1680) was just 19 when she converted to the Catholic faith, she had heard about Jesus from the Jesuit missionaries to New France (Canada) and decided to dedicate her life to Him alone. She was baptized on Easter Sunday of 1676 and took the name Catherine in honor of St. Catherine of Siena.

Her short life of only 26 years was full of suffering. She contracted smallpox when she was 4, which left marks all over her face. Her whole family died of it, and she had to live with her uncle's family who were hostile to Christianity. After her conversion she was persecuted by her people and forced to move to a community where she could be safe from threats of violence. The saint's last words before she died were, "Jesus, Mary, I love you."

Back to Basics



TWO TYPES OF CONVERSION – It is common to refer to a person's "conversion" as a singular act of repentance, but it is much more than that. Our Church believes that conversion is a lifelong process that has both a personal and a communal dimension:

Conversion to faith: When a person changes from another religion to Catholicism or changes from no religion at all to a life of Christian faith, we call that a conversion to faith, which for Catholics includes incorporation into a community of believers. We are obliged to share our faith with others so that souls may embrace the fullness of the Christian faith that we have in the Church that Christ founded.

Conversion within the faith: But faith is also a journey into the life of grace (holiness), so in another sense it is a life of constant conversion *within* the faith we profess. Our ongoing conversion starts with a rejection of sin and then leads

us along the path of deeper conversion from sin as we "grow to full maturity in Christ" (Col 1:28) as St. Paul describes it. This type of conversion may have many enlightenments or even a "reversion" (a return) to the practice of the faith after a period of time away from the Church.

Either way Catholics are either helping others to come to faith or opening our hearts to the deeper workings of grace in Christ.

"One single soul...is worth more than the entire universe. But in order to be aware of this, we need inner conversion." ~ Pope Benedict XVI



Catechism Connection

PURITY OF HEART – The saints are distinguished by their heroic virtues, above all by their purity in body, soul, and spirit. Being pure in heart is one of the beatitudes in the Gospel of Matthew, which the *Catechism* calls a necessary condition for seeing God:

Purity of heart is the precondition of the vision of God. Even now it enables us to see according to God, to accept others as "neighbors"; it lets us perceive the human body - ours and our neighbor's - as a temple of the Holy Spirit, a manifestation of divine beauty. (CCC, 2519)

Those who are pure in heart enjoy the fullest expression of love of self, love of neighbor, and love of God.

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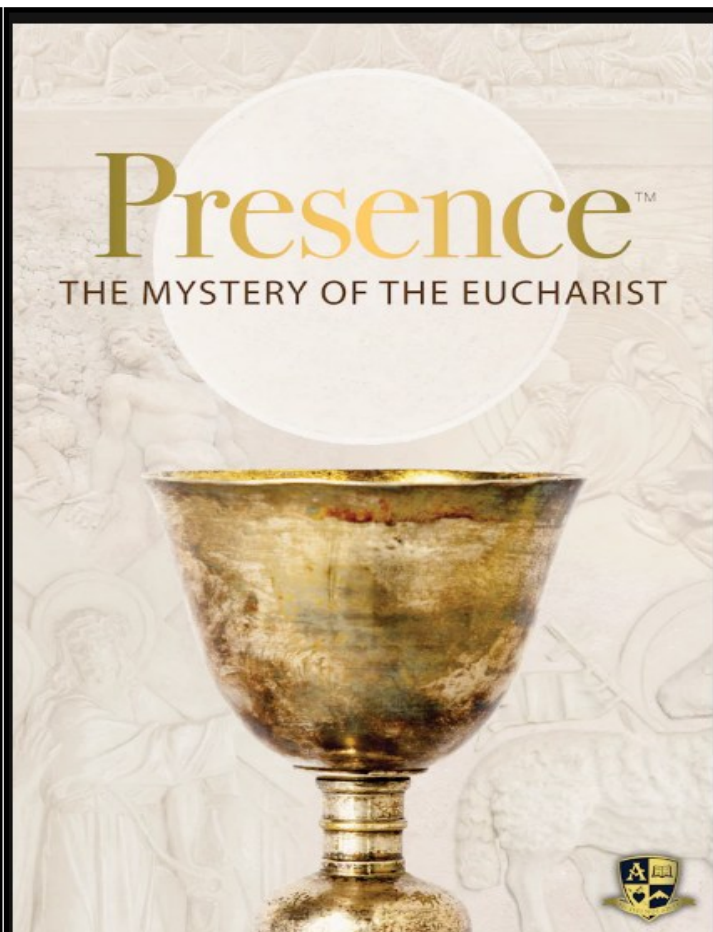
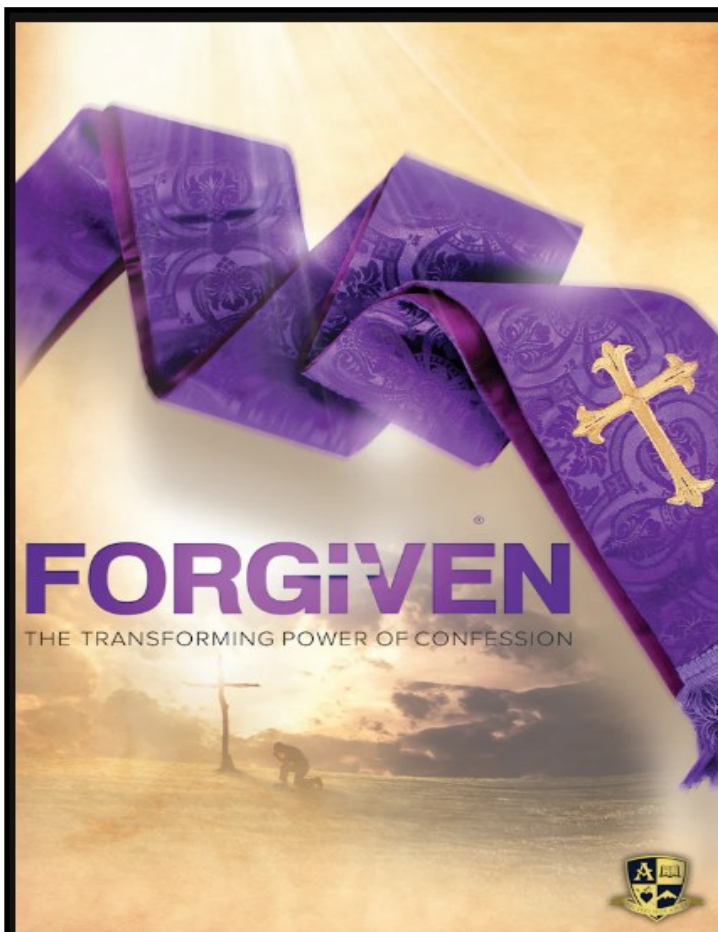
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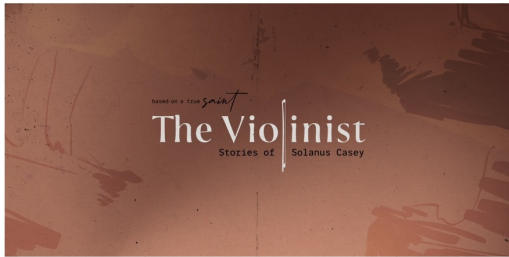
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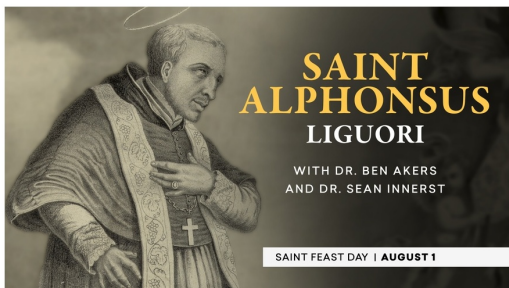
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The Violinist is a must-watch documentary that chronicles the inspiring life of a humble Capuchin friar known for his deep faith, simplicity, and profound impact on those he served. Featuring personal stories from the people who knew Bl. Solanus, the film showcases his remarkable ability to inspire others, sharing heartwarming anecdotes about his modest lifestyle and passion for playing the violin.



Ignatius of Loyola

This film brings to life the story of St. Ignatius of Loyola, the founder of the Jesuits. Often called "The Saint of Second Chances," St. Ignatius was transformed from a self-obsessed sinner to a loyal and passionate soldier-saint.



St. Alphonsus Liguori | Catholic Saints

Born to a noble Italian family and known as the "Prince of Moral Theologians", St. Alphonsus Liguori was a great preacher, lawyer, bishop, theologian, and Doctor of the Church. In this episode of Catholic Saints, Augustine Institute professors Dr. Sean Innerst and Dr. Ben Akers discuss this holy man, drawing wisdom from his life and works to aid Catholics today.

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Horario de misas

Wednesday/Miercoles 6pm

Saturday/Sabado 8:30am

Sunday/Domingo

Mass in English 11:00am

Misa en español 1:00pm

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THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION/

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is offered at 9:00 am after the Saturday morning Mass and during the Holy Hour on Wednesday evenings from 5:00-5:45 pm /se ofrece a las 9:00 am después de la misa del sábado por la mañana y durante la Hora Santa los miércoles por la tarde de 5:00 a 5:45pm

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is on every Wednesday at 5:00pm and every First Friday from 7pm to 8am the following morning. / es todos los miércoles a las 5:00 pm y el primer viernes de 7:00 pm a 8:00 am la mañana siguiente.



**PARISH
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Saturday, October 11, 2025

More information to come!!

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Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



17th Sunday in Ordinary Time • Luke 11:1-13



GOSPEL

When you search for something, God will help you find it. When you look for a birthday present for your cousin, God may help you pick a good one. If you lose your lunch money, God may help you find it. When you need a new friend, God may send one. Whatever you ask for, he will listen to you. God does this for you because he loves you very much.



PRAYER

Lord, remind me to ask you for what I need.



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