

Saint Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church



15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus summoned the Twelve and began to send them out two by two and gave them authority over unclean spirits. The Twelve drove out many demons, and they anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them. - Mk 6:7, 13

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Mass Schedule

Monday, July 12th
No Mass

Tuesday, July 13th **St. Henry**
Mass 8:15 am
† Ruth Williams

Wednesday, July 14th **St. Kateri Tekakwitha,**
Mass 8:15 am
† Connie Cosgrove

Thursday, July 15th **St. Bonaventure,**
Mass 8:15 am **Adoration following Mass**
† Larry Machovec

Friday, July 16th **Our Lady of Mount Carmel**
Mass 8:15 am
Paul & Julie Peckham SP.I.

Saturday, July 17th
Confessions 4:20-4:50 pm
Mass 5:15 pm
† Janice M Bauer

Sunday, July 18th **16th Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Confessions 7:30 -7:50 am
Mass 8:00 am
Our Parish Family

Confessions 9:50 -10:20 am
Mass 10:30 am
† Dorothy Keating

Saturday, July 17th @ 5:15 pm

Lector: Donna Urbach

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion: Jolene Frawley

Servers: Mason Jelinek, Fynn Lemke

Ushers: Knights of Columbus **Gifts:** Kevin Jelinek Family

Music: **Scrip:** Jolene Frawley

Sunday, July 18th @ 8:00 am

Lector: Paul Peckham

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion: Craig Schmitt

Servers: Abe & Wes Bosworth, Grayson Schmitt, Jacob Wright

Ushers: Knights of Columbus **Gifts:** Andrew Wright Family

Music: Choir **Scrip:** Fran Wilkinson

Sunday, July 18th @ 10:30 am

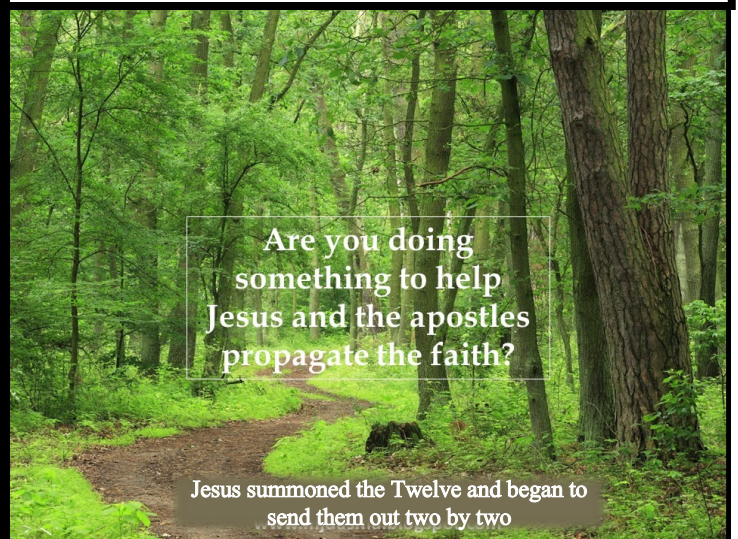
Lector: Gloria Joseph

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion: Sara Schultz

Servers: Isaac Gald, Alex Garcia, Mara Puls, Connor Stoltz

Ushers: Knights of Columbus **Gifts:** Jeffrey Joseph Family

Music: **Scrip:** Shelly Schmidt



Are you doing
something to help
Jesus and the apostles
propagate the faith?

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send them out two by two

From your pastor . . .

In this column, I will continue with the teaching that has been ongoing over the past weeks concerning the Church's response to the issue of racism. The document that I am reproducing in italic type is from the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, entitled, "Open Wider Our Hearts: The Enduring Call to Love – A Pastoral Letter Against Racism."

Love Goodness

Most people would not consider themselves to be racist. A person might admit to being prejudiced but certainly not racist. As Christians, we know it is our duty to love others. St. Paul reminds us that we live by the Spirit, and the "fruits of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control" (Gal 5:22-23). We must be honest with ourselves. Each of us should examine our conscience and ask if these fruits are really present in our attitudes about race. Or, rather, do our attitudes reflect mistrust, impatience, anger, distress, discomfort, or rancor?

When we begin to separate people in our thoughts for unjust reasons, when we start to see some people as "them" and others as "us," we fail to love. Yet love is at the heart of the Christian life. When approached and asked what is the greatest commandment, Jesus answered: "You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the greatest and the first commandment. The second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself" (Mt 22:37-39). This command of love can never be simply "live and let others be." The command of love requires us to make room for others in our hearts. It means that we are indeed our brother's keeper (see Gn 4:9).

The sin of Cain finds its remedy in Christ, in his command to love and in the gift of his Holy Spirit that enables us to respond to his call. When Cain struck and killed his brother, the human family was further divided. But Christ heals all divisions, including those that are at the core of racism. It is through his Cross that we learn the greatest lesson about love. On the Cross, Jesus died for the human race (see 2 Cor 5:15. "He is expiation for our sins, and not for our sins only but for those of the whole world" (1 Jn 2:2). Here is our hope! Here is the grace given to us to be healed of this sin of division. Here is the lesson of love.

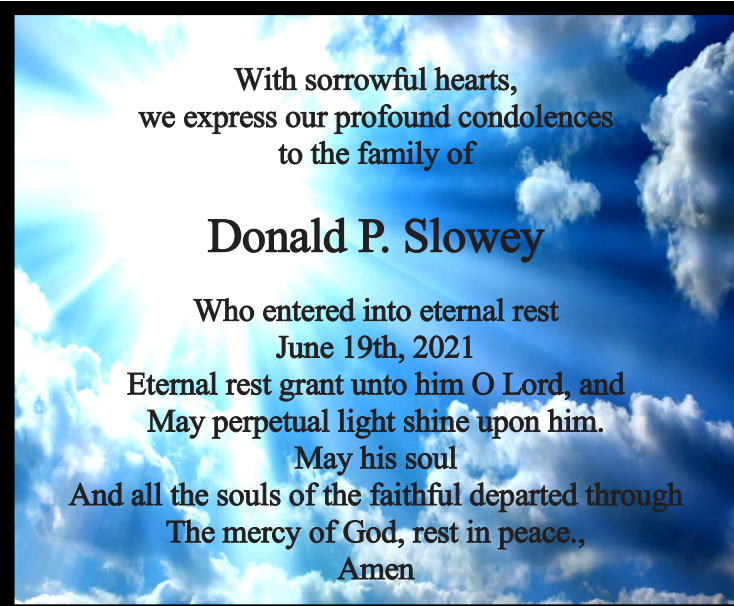
Once "we have come to the conviction that one died for all" – and not just for ourselves- then "the love of Christ impels us" to see others as our brothers and sisters (2 Cor 5:14). For, "if [one] part suffers, all the parts suffer with it; if one part is honored, all the parts share its joy" (1 Cor 12:26). It is the love of Christ that binds together the Church, and this love reaches out beyond the Church to all peoples. This love also requires justice, "If we love others with charity," as Pope Benedict XVI reminds us, "then first of all we are just toward them." (26) In this way, love "in an extraordinary force which leads people to opt for courageous and generous engagement in the field of justice and peace.(27) In doing so, we are also loving goodness.

26 Pope Benedict XVI, *Caritas in Veritate*, no.6.

27 *Caritas in Veritate*, no. 1.

Until I write again, may God bless you and all the parishioners of Saint Mary's Parish.

Monsignor Roger J. Scheckel



With sorrowful hearts,
we express our profound condolences
to the family of

Donald P. Slowey

Who entered into eternal rest
June 19th, 2021

Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord, and
May perpetual light shine upon him.

May his soul

And all the souls of the faithful departed through
The mercy of God, rest in peace.,
Amen

June 26/27 2021 Stewardship

Adult Tithe.....	\$3,320.00
Offertory.....	299.06
Pastoral Care	295.00
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Holy Days	5.00
Festival	170.00
Total.....	\$4,159.06

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Readings for the week of July 11, 2021

- Sunday: Am 7:12-15/Ps 85:9-10, 11-12, 13-14 [8]/ Eph 1:3-14 or 1:3-10/Mk 6:7-13
- Monday: Ex 1:8-14, 22/Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8 [8a]/ Mt 10:34—11:1
- Tuesday: Ex 2:1-15a/Ps 69:3, 14, 30-31, 33-34 [cf. 33]/ Mt 11:20-24
- Wednesday: Ex 3:1-6, 9-12/Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 6-7 [8a]/ Mt 11:25-27
- Thursday: Ex 3:13-20/Ps 105:1 and 5, 8-9, 24-25, 26-27 [8a]/ Mt 11:28-30
- Friday: Ex 11:10—12:14/Ps 116:12-13, 15 and 16bc, 17-18 [13]/Mt 12:1-8
- Saturday: Ex 12:37-42/Ps 136:1 and 23-24, 10-12, 13-15/ Mt 12:14-21
- Next Sunday: Jer 23:1-6/Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6 [1]/Eph 2:13-18/ Mk 6:30-34

**St. Mary School
is looking for the following:**



Part Time Classroom Aide

Please contact Principal Stacia Kohlstedt (stacia.kohlstedt@stmarysrc.com or 647-2422) if interested.

PCCW Meeting

**Monday, July 12th
6:30 pm in the undercroft**

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Wedding Planning Information

For those seeking the Sacrament of Marriage in our Church
please notify the pastor as soon as you are engaged,
but not less than six months
prior to the proposed wedding date.

Everyone Welcome! Daily Mass
Tuesday through Friday at 8:15 am



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baby arrives.

May God Bless you for choosing Life for your baby!

The PCCW Needs Women Who Want to Make a Difference

We are looking for you! If you are a lady of this Parish and you want to be more involved with the day to day activities of the church, then we want you to let us know. We are looking for someone to fill the position of Vice President for our monthly meetings, you would also learn the duties of the President. It's fun and very little work. We're also looking for two Circle Leaders for St. Catherine's Circle, who would help organize funeral luncheons and call other ladies for assistance and/or food. For more information, call President Judy Barnicle at 608-604-4985 or email pccwstmarys@gmail.com. Thank-you for your consideration.

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