



- Weekly Calendar -

7/20	Saturday – 5:00pm Mass Intentions: People of the Parish
7/21	Sunday – 1100am Mass Intentions: John James Lewis
7/26	Friday – 8:00am Mass Intentions:
7/27	Saturday – 5:00pm Mass Intentions: People of the Parish
7/28	Sunday – 11:00am Intentions: Jim Warrell



. SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Jeremiah 23:1-6

In this passage, God denounces false leaders who have scattered his people. He promises that they will be reunited and led by one who is just and wise.

Second Reading: Ephesians 2:13-18

Paul explains that through Jesus Christ, there is no longer hostility between Gentile and Jew. Instead, through the Spirit of Christ, both groups become one body and are equal in the eyes of God.

Gospel: Mark 6:30-34

The apostles returned after their first mission and told Jesus what they had done and taught. He told them to rest, but the people kept coming to them. So they went to find a private place, but the people learned where they were going and arrived first. Jesus felt sorry for them and decided to teach them instead of resting.

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Offertory Collection – July 6/7, 2024

General Offertory	1907.00
2nd Collection	448.00
Mass Stipends	.00
St. Vincent De Paul	.00
Annual Catholic Appeal	1050.00
Total	3405.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!
Please remember to write your name on your envelopes!



Monday

Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Tuesday

Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday

Jer 1:1, 4-10; Mt 13:1-9

Thursday

2 Cor 4:7-15; Mt 20:20-28

Friday

Jer 3:14-17; Mt 13:18-23

Saturday

Jer 7:1-11; Mt 13:24-30



"I didn't know you, my Lord, because I still desired to know and relish things."

St. John of the Cross

PARISH NEWS

The Office will be closed the week of July 22nd.

Bakeless Bake Sale – Letters for our Bakeless Bake Sale will be mailed this week! Since this is the Major fundraiser for the parish, please be as generous as possible. If you do not get a letter, please contact the parish office as we may not have your correct contact information. Thank you in advance for your generosity!

The next meeting for the Carmelite Discussion Group will be Wednesday, July 31st at 7:00pm.



Over the next four weeks, we are running a series of articles from the St. Vincent De Paul Society. The purpose of these articles is to inform you of the good works that are provided each week during Food Pantry hours. This is article 1 of 4.

St Vincent de Paul Society Financial Assistance

A young single mother with children, who can't get a job because she lacks childcare, and now faces the threat of a cutoff of her electricity because of an unpaid electric bill. An elderly man with medical problems, living on a fixed income from Social Security, who doesn't have the money to prepay for 100 gallons of propane to keep his heater going in early January. A woman employed as a caregiver for the elderly who has lost half her job hours for several weeks because she has a seriously sick child, leaving her unable to keep up with her rent and now faces the threat of eviction.

These are typical of the faces that Jesus has presented to the St. Mary Refuge of Sinners conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society during the last six months. Mostly, we listen with empathy to the stories that they tell us about how they came to their particular emergency and we try to help them to understand how to find the resources to surmount it. We always talk to their creditor, usually the representatives of a utility company or a landlord, in order to better understand their situation. If we can, we make an emergency payment to the creditor of some part of the bill owed.

During this past six months we have been able to assist 197 families with a total of \$44,095.46. 156 of those emergency payments involved energy companies, of one sort or another, who threatened a cutoff of services. 36 payments were made to landlords threatening to evict tenants from their property.