

August 24, 2025 — Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time



ST. MARY STUDENT PARISH

CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN



21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Some are last who will be first,
and some are first who will be last.” - Lk 13:30

21ER DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

“Pues los que ahora son los últimos, serán los primeros;
y los que ahora son los primeros, serán los últimos”.

- Lc 13, 30

Parish Insight



NEW BEGINNINGS

By Fr. Kyle Shinseki, SJ, Pastor

As we come to the end of August, Ann Arbor is once again filled with new life, the Michigan campus is a hubbub of activity, and yes, the streets downtown are overflowing with traffic. These are all signs of the start of a new academic year, new beginnings for incoming students who start their college journeys or embark upon a new graduate program, new beginnings for recently hired faculty and staff, and new beginnings for parents and family who send their children off to school, hoping and praying that all will be well.

All of these new beginnings bring much excitement and anticipation for what lies ahead, but also some uncertainty and even a bit of fear. So, this excerpt from the prayer, "Patient Trust," by Jesuit Father Pierre Teilhard de Chardin, may provide us with some comfort in these times of transition: "Above all, trust in the slow work of God. We are quite naturally impatient in everything to reach the end without delay. We should like to skip the intermediate stages. We are impatient of being on the way to something unknown, something new."

For those of you who are parents and family of our incoming Michigan students, welcome! Please know that your children have a spiritual home here at St. Mary, where they will find a vibrant and diverse community, nourished by the Lord in the Eucharist, and sent forth to share God's mercy and love. We are blessed to be an intercultural and intergenerational community, where all are invited to engage more deeply with our shared Catholic faith and to put that faith into action by our words and our deeds as the body of Christ in the world.

We are also excited to announce that we will be kicking off a virtual parents' prayer group, which will offer you the opportunity to connect with other parents of Michigan students. I encourage you to consider joining this new group. In this time of new beginnings, I hope this group will provide you the support that you need, so that you may, in the concluding words of Father Teilhard de Chardin's prayer, "Give Our Lord the benefit of believing that his hand is leading you, and accept the anxiety of feeling yourself in suspense and incomplete."

Of course, it is never easy to allow ourselves to feel in suspense and incomplete, yet it is in these times of transition that we are called to be grounded in God's love. Pope Leo XIV reminded us in his inaugural address that, "God loves us, God loves you all, and evil will not prevail! We are all in God's hands. Therefore, without fear, united hand in hand with God and each other – let us go forward." Inspired by our Holy Father's words, we enter into these new beginnings with hope as we bring the light and the love of Christ into our world.

Are you the parent of a current UM student? If so, scan this QR Code to join the virtual parents' group .



PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

St. Mary Student Parish is a welcoming, inclusive, caring, and diverse Catholic community, uniting residents and students.

We are Christ-centered with the Eucharist as the source of holiness in our vibrant liturgical life.

Inspired by Ignatian spirituality, we live a faith that does justice, reaching out to the marginalized.

As an apostolic parish, we are committed to ongoing formation of Christian witness, discipleship, and leadership.

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St Mary Student Parish

WELCOMING FR. JOEL MEDINA, SJ

We are delighted to welcome Fr. Joel Medina, SJ, to St. Mary this October. He will be joining us this weekend. Below, he shares a few words about his life and ministry.

" Hello. I've been a Jesuit for 23 years and have been ordained 14 years. I was ordained in 2011 and for two years, I worked in Chicago. The first year I was at John H. Stroger Hospital as a hospital chaplain and at St. Procopius Jesuit parish. And the second year I worked at Loyola University Hospital in Maywood, IL as a chaplain. I arrived in Detroit in 2013, and I was on the faculty of the University of Detroit Mercy's McAuley School of Nursing. I taught a foundation course and served as a clinical instructor in community health in downtown Detroit.

Since 2017, I have served as a hospital chaplain in the Detroit metro area at Trinity Health Oakland and several former Ascension hospitals. And as of fall 2022, I have been chaplain at Henry Ford Health Detroit. And on weekends, I served at Our Lady of Guadalupe parish in southwest Detroit with primarily a Hispanic community.

Prior to entering the Jesuits, I worked as an R.N. at the University of MI Health, and my specialty was vascular access nursing; I practiced nursing for 25 years.

I look forward to joining your parish community!"



CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORLD : VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Saint Mary's has been blessed by the commitment of many Children's Liturgy of the Word volunteers. In the past year of offering Children's Liturgy of the Word at our 10:00 mass we have seen many fruits of this program. We are building a strong community to support the faith of our youngest members!

Children's Liturgy of the Word presents the weekly readings, creed, and prayers of the faithful for children ages 2-6. Providing a program that adapts the Liturgy of the Word for our youngest parishioners is crucial to helping children develop their relationship with God and learn to participate in the Mass. We need your help to continue to make this vital ministry possible.

We have two classes, one for 2-4 year olds (with their parents) and another for 5-6 year olds. We are asking for volunteers to help co-facilitate approximately one session per month during the academic year (September to May). Session materials will be provided, we just ask that you review them ahead of time. Middle school and high school students are also welcome to volunteer as a second catechist for the classes!

All adult volunteers must complete online safe environment training, a background check, and a code of conduct form prior to volunteering with Children's Liturgy of the Word.

If you are interested in volunteering or have questions, please scan the QR code or contact Audrey Gyolai (agyolai@smspnewman.org) and Kayla Marcotte (kayla.marie.marcotte@gmail.com)



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St. Mary Student Parish

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SCREENING &
DISCUSSION**

SEPTEMBER 4
7-9:30pm @ St Mary Student Parish

All are welcome !

Scan the QR Code to RSVP

SEASON OF CREATION

St. Mary will be celebrating the Season of Creation September 1 - October 4. During this Season, we join our sisters and brothers in the ecumenical family in prayer and action for our common home.

Special Season of Creation Events:

- Film screening and discussion of The Letter: A Message for our Earth, Thursday, September 4, 7-9:30pm Donnelly Hall
- Liturgy for the Season of Creation, September 14 at 5pm
- Eco-Workday at Matthaei Botanical Gardens, September 20 from 9am-12pm

Centennial Corner



ALL-PARISH OUTDOOR CENTENNIAL MASS SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 21 • 11:00 AM •

IN THE ALUMNI FIELD AT HUTCHINS STADIUM
1255 S STATE ST, ANN ARBOR, MI 48104

Join us as we celebrate 100 years of faith together as one community of St. Mary Student Parish!

On Sunday, September 21 at 11:00 AM, our parish will gather at Hutchins Stadium for a special outdoor All-Parish Mass. Mark your calendars, invite friends and family, and join us as we give thanks for a century of faith, community, and belonging at St. Mary Student Parish. More details to follow regarding parking, arrival times, etc.

Please note: Only the Sunday 8:00 PM Mass will be offered that weekend. All other Masses are replaced by this Centennial celebration—we hope everyone can come together for this historic moment.

MASS, STAY FOR FREE PIZZA, ICE CREAM, AND FELLOWSHIP. A PHOTOGRAPHER WILL ALSO BE PRESENT TO CAPTURE THE JOY OF OUR PARISH FAMILY GATHERED AS ONE.

Undergrads—Grad/YP



WELCOME WEEK 2025

MICHIGAN CATHOLICS

- AUGUST 23** 11AM: ARB PRAYER WALK
Meet at the Washington Heights entrance to the Arb
- AUGUST 24** 8PM: STUDENT MASS
9PM: POST-MASS PIZZA & YARD GAMES AT ST MARY
- AUGUST 25** 7PM: CRAFT NIGHT AT ST MARY
- AUGUST 26** 7-8:30PM: MEN'S & WOMEN'S GROUPS AT ST MARY
- AUGUST 27** 2:30-5PM: FESTIFALL
5:45-9PM: ADORATION
9PM: CANDLELIGHT MASS
- AUGUST 28** 5:10PM: IG.NITE MASS
6PM: IG.NITE DINNER
7:30PM: ROOT BEER PONG
- AUGUST 29** 8PM: GLOW-IN-THE-DARK FRISBEE IN THE ARB (LEAVE FROM ST MARY)
10PM: BONFIRE AT ST MARY



WELCOME WEEK PT 2

MICHIGAN CATHOLICS

- AUGUST 31** 8PM: STUDENT MASS
9PM: ICE CREAM SUNDAY BAR
- SEPT 1** 5:10PM: MASS AT ST MARY
6PM: LABOR DAY BBQ
8PM: SPORTS AT ST MARY
- SEPT 2** 7-8:30PM: MEN'S & WOMEN'S GROUPS
8:30PM: PAINT THE ROCK
- SEPT 3** 5:45-9PM: ADORATION AT ST MARY
- SEPT 4** 5:10PM: IG.NITE MASS
6PM: IG.NITE DINNER
7:30PM: POKER NIGHT
- SEPT 5** 7-10PM: LŪ'AU AND EAT-ALONG MOANA 2
- SEPT 7** 6-8PM: FRESH GATHERING
8PM: STUDENT MASS
9PM: SNACKS & MINISTRY FAIR



VOLUNTEER CATECHISTS NEEDED



MORE INFO



SIGN UP

FOR SMSP FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

St. Mary's Student Parish is seeking student catechists for their Family Faith, Teen Confirmation, and Hispanic / Latino Sacramental Preparation classes. No prior experience is required, and all materials will be provided for you.

Questions? Contact Audrey at agyolai@smspnewman.org



Join us for a

welcome



BBQ



Grad/YP Group
Sunday, August 24 @ 6:00 pm

Undergrad Students
Monday, September 1 @ 6:00 pm

@ St.Mary Student Parish

Meetings & Events

MEETINGS & EVENTS: AUGUST 24 — AUGUST 31

SUNDAY, August 24

- 10:00 AM **Children's Liturgy of the Word** — Loyola Room, Lounge
- 12:45 PM **ESL** — Loyola Room
- 1:00 PM **Spanish Reconciliation** — Spiritual Direction Room
- 1:15 PM **Bilingual Rosary** — Church
- 3:00 PM **H/L Sacramental Prep Informative Session** — Newmann Hall
- 4:00 PM **Reconciliation** — Spiritual Direction Room
- 6:00 PM **Grad/YP Welcome BBQ** — Courtyard, Newman Hall
- 7:00 PM **Reconciliation** — Spiritual Direction Room
- 9:00 PM **Sunday Snack** — Newman Lounge
- 9:00 PM **Yard/Board games** — Courtyard

MONDAY, August 25

- 5:00 PM **FESTIFALL north** — Off Site
- 7:00 PM **Born for Joy** — Whitman Room
- 7:00 PM **Craft Night** — Courtyard, Rectory Dining Room and Lounge
- 7:30 PM **CSE (Catholic Student Evangelization)** — Loyola Room
- 8:00 PM **Middle Eastern Bible Study** — Donnelly Hall

TUESDAY, August 26

- 7:00 PM **Men/Women Connect Groups** — Newman Hall, Rectory Lounge

WEDNESDAY, August 27

- 2:30 PM **FESTIFALL** — Off Site
- 5:45 PM **Adoration** — Church
- 5:45 PM **Reconciliation** — Donnelly Hall, Monteith Room
- 7:00 PM **Cristeros** — Rectory Lounge
- 8:00 PM **Praise/Worship** — Church
- 9:00 PM **Candlelight Mass** — Church

THURSDAY, August 28

- 6:00 PM **Ignite** — Courtyard, Newman Hall
- 7:30 PM **Root Beer Pong** — Newman Hall

FRIDAY, August 29

- 8:15 AM **Rosary in Spanish** — Zoom
- 5:00 PM **Crochet Club** — Loyola Room
- 8:00 PM **Glow in the Dark Frisbee and Bonfire** — Courtyard, off-site

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- 1:15 PM **Bilingual Rosary** — Church
- 3:00 PM **H/L Registration** — Newman Lounge
- 4:00 PM **Reconciliation** — Spiritual Direction Room
- 9:00 PM **Sunday Snacks** — Newman Lounge

MASS INTENTIONS: AUGUST 23 — AUGUST 31

SATURDAY, AUGUST 23

- 5:00 PM Mass for Celestino y Dolores Ilano (50th Wedding Anniversary)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 24

- 8:30 AM Mass for People of the Parish
- 10:00 AM Mass for + Michael Scott
- 12:00 PM Mass for + Edward Vuylsteke
- 2:00 PM Mass for + Roberta Duran Navarro and +Jose Apolinar Munguia
- 5:00 PM Mass for Joan Alexander & family

8:00 PM Mass for

MONDAY, AUGUST 25

- 5:10 PM Mass for

TUESDAY, AUGUST 26

- 5:10 PM Mass for

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 27

- 5:10 PM Mass for

THURSDAY, AUGUST 28

- 5:10 PM Mass for Jorida

FRIDAY, AUGUST 29

- 12:10 PM Mass for

SATURDAY, AUGUST 30

- 5:00 PM Mass for

SUNDAY, AUGUST 31

- 8:30 AM Mass for Anna Nims
- 10:00 AM Mass for People of the Parish
- 12:00 PM Mass for +Dean Henning
- 2:00 PM Mass for + Jose Rosas-Gomez
- 5:00 PM Mass for
- 8:00 PM Mass for



September 6, 2025

Abigail Hirsch-McDonough & Bharath Krishnan

September 26, 2025

Amanda Sheets & Devin Drews

St Mary Student Parish

FALL SCHEDULE

OFFICE HOURS

Sunday 8:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Monday 10:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Tuesday 10:00 AM—10:00 PM

Wednesday 10:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Thursday 10:00 AM - 10:00 PM

Friday 10:00 AM - 7:00 PM

Saturday 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

MASS TIMES

SATURDAY VIGIL

5:00 PM

SUNDAY MASSES

8:30 AM

10:00 AM

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Noon

2:00 PM (Spanish)

Watch live or anytime after the mass

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5:00 PM

DAILY MASSES

Monday-Thursday 5:10 PM

Friday 12:10 PM

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Sunday 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM

Wednesday 5:45 PM - 6:30 PM

or by appointment

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Monday & Tuesday 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Wednesday 5:45 PM - 9:00 PM

WARM GREETINGS FROM UGANDA

Rwibaale Health Center extends heartfelt thanks to St. Mary Student Parish. Thanks to your generous Advent Tree donations, the Health Center was able to acquire new hospital beds and gowns for its female patients. Your support has made a meaningful difference in the lives of many.



Some news from Fr Richard D'Souza

Fr. Richard D'Souza, S.J. was named as head of the Vatican Observatory. Fr. Richard served at SMSP for one year under Fr. Ben Hawley while he did some work at the U of M.

Read more about it here www.vaticannews.va/en/vatican-city/news/2025-07/pope-leo-xiv-appointment-new-director-observatory-d-souza.html

And some news from Noah Smith...

Noah Smith, SJ, who served as a Jesuit novice at St Mary from January to May 2025, professed his First Vows with the Midwest Province Jesuits on Saturday, August 9th.

In the group photo, Noah Smith, SJ, is pictured in the back left, while Mark Trombley, SJ, a University of Michigan alumnus, is in the front right. Please pray for Noah and all our young Jesuits.



Around the Deanery and Beyond

Diocesan Service Appeal (DSA)

Thank you to everyone who has made a gift or pledge commitment to our Diocesan Services Appeal!

As of August 18, we reached 68.03% of our goal. If you have not yet made a gift or a pledge, we invite you to do so today. Your donation will help to fill food pantries, provide mental health and substance abuse treatment, and support restorative justice and prison ministry for our sisters and brothers throughout the Diocese. Gift envelopes are available in church or the parish office. Or you may submit your gift online at dioceseoflansing.org/appeal. Your DSA gift will support the vital services and ministries that help bring the love of Christ to all we encounter.

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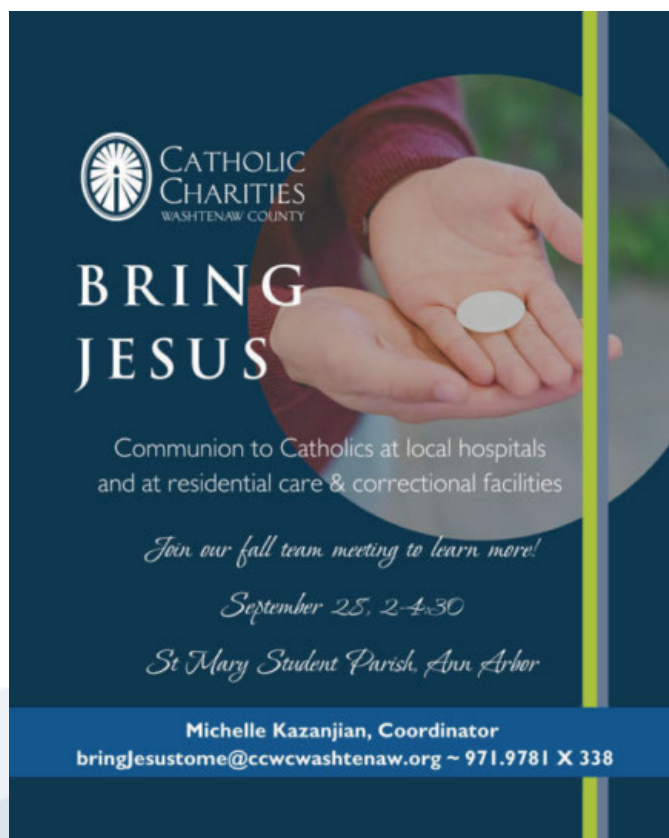
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Tues, Sep 2, 8-9pm



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The Diocese of Lansing Annual Red Mass will be held at St. Mary Cathedral, **Tuesday, October 7 at 6 p.m.** A dinner reception will immediately follow. All Judges, Lawyers, Law Students and interested persons are invited.

Job Openings at St. John the Baptist, Ypsilanti

St. John the Baptist Parish in Ypsilanti is urgently seeking new team members. They are currently hiring for the following positions:

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If you have misplaced items while at church, we may have them waiting for you in the parish office! Please stop by the office to check the Lost & Found box.

Fiscal Year 2025/2026	
Year-to-Date Sunday Offering Report as of 08/17/2025	
Sunday Offerings Budget Goal	\$1,193,400
Year-to-Date (YTD) Goal	\$137,000
Amount Collected YTD	\$137,226
Above (Below) YTD Goal	\$226
Sunday Offering Report as of 08/17/2025	
AUGUST Sunday Offerings Weekly Budget Goal	\$19,000
Sunday 08/17/2025 (Week 7)	\$20,944
Above (Below) Weekly Goal	\$1,944

St. Mary Student Parish

PRAYER REQUESTS

Orlando Averion, Zenaida Averion, Ric Chapman, Therese Sheffield, Brianna Liker, Elpido Adrian, Marcelo Alvarez, Eddie Smith, Joan Lesneski, Daniel Leung, Francyn Chomic, Benjamin Besa, Brian Weard, Joan Brown Alexander, Alicia Patterson, Laura Brown, Shawn Brown, Patrick Geary, Ron Lesneski, Christopher Brown, Scott Alexander, Wilmer Zhinin, Juan Ibarra-Gonzalez, Adam Lesneski, Joanna Vuylsteke, Julia Zhinin, Maria Ayauaca, Manuel Zhinin, Michael Patterson, Filiberto Zamorano, Nikolas Block, Rosemary Rodriguez, Cristina Magsino, Kate Hanson, Maria Delores Monicibas Aleman, Luis Mario Riano, Joseph Puttrich, Senir Rivas, Hilda Willis, Brent Horvath, Marianna Hann, John Burns, Pablo Angiano Flores, Christine Geoghegan, Cindy McPherson, Gloria Grisales, Aurora Kobalz, Amaris Bolanos Luna, John Lanzatta, Fred Metry, Tom Forner, Brian Cronin, Phil Simmons, Charlotte Jenkins, Matthew Casey, Clifton Chippewa, Nic Steadman, Bonnie Dean, Arthur O'Neil, Augusto Silvino Garduno Esquivel, Cynthia Lear, Barb Garren-Stratman, Guillermo Foncerrada, Dianna Nati, Pedro Osorio Soriano, Maria Enriqueta Ramirez Flores, Donna Osborne, Tina Jones, Bernie Lamey, Jo Lamey, Nancy Harknett, Salvador Cuevas, Fr. Walter Moll, Jr, Helen Lucille Ceasar, Keshia Banks, Martha Leticia Garcia Guerra, Steiner Supphellen, Norma Gonzalez, Marianne Roche, Teresita Shah, Mercy Philomena Mascarenhas, Jose Luis Hernandez, Kathleen Moore, Susan Meyer, Ricardo Berrocal, Ed Zyniewicz, Katie Veilleux, Aimee Manning, Ellie Lewandowski, Arthur and Esther Michalec, Courtney Seitz, Oscar Perales, Luis Campuzano, Charlie Onesian, Marti Rozmys, Fr Terry Dumas, Joe Dewey, Mary Comber, Amaechi Udoji, Tom Wenthe, Marian Ryan, John Boyd, David Guevara, Senovia Guevara, Mary Guevara, Lindsey Lienert, Tom Lienert, Andrea Emilia Bernabey, Gregory Zaborny, Rob Hunter, Ray Strasse, Jeff Nigh, Marianne McGrath, Ivan Iliev, Genev, Stephanie Kulhanek and Family, John Hoogland, Robin Berry, Magdalena Eggleston, Nancy Vachon, Harris Holland, Joetta Bohn, Warren Bonham, Waleria Terlecki and family, Angela Sperry, Karen Peck, Emilio Rodriguez Sr, Jane Rae, Flora de Aparicio, Michael Savageau, Robert Roll, Elizabeth Vuylsteke, Kurt Holand, Peggy Garikes, Marvin Johnson, John McPartlin, Aidan McPartlin, John Burkhart., Elizabeth Stessel, Ashley Powell, Jane Yamasaki, Jim Gawne, Imelda Yap, Brian McEnery, Quinn Carney, Emilio Rodriguez Sr., Lawrence Cooke, Lorraine Leone, Rene Quintero, Maria Vargas Aguirre, Sherly Nava, Genevis Nava, Sarah Sorenson, Lindy Campbell, Diane Huhn, Toni Kramer, Jennifer Ballew, Ben Brelje, Nicholas Kator, Brendan Jackson, Raghunath Ananthapur, Charlie Crone, Gail Cowen, Mike Palmer, Ann Rose Lawrence Joseph, Nancy Van Goethem, Liam St John, Yvonne Fuller, Paul Szymanski, Jay Scott, Wendy Tashian, Yvonne Mongue, Barbara Bean-Slagle, Juliette Harrison, Steve Robbins, Steve Burns, Angela Morowski, Dakota Joshua, Danny Berry, Hossain Koleyni, Noe Longoria, Hugh Dufek Holland, Bill Galligan, Bill Messer, Bonnie Irvin, Patricia Hughes, Betty Robbins, Tom DeAgostino, Seth Gottman, Greg Hyde, Larry Fitzpatrick, John Sahakian, Terry Rodriguez, Rob Ernst, Betty Franklin, Leslie Kelly, Felix Schultz, S. Guevara, Sophia Guevara, Noah Anderson, Pat Spears, Taylor Dzierwa, Pat McIntee, Trish Heusel, Emma Grabarczyk, Sharon Hillis, the Quarle Family, Mary Gibson, Jessica Jones, Alicia Patterson, Michael Patterson, Christopher Brown, Shawn Brown, Scott Alexander, Joan Alexander, Teresa Raymond, Anna Nims, Celina Tamez and Giles Guggemos.

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Sunday Readings

August 24 – Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading I Is 66:18-21
 Psalm Ps 117:1b-2
 Reading II Heb 12:5-7, 11-13
 Gospel Lk 13:22-30

No one is to be excluded from the kingdom for all peoples are called to proclaim the praises of the Lord and confess his holy name. No ethnic or religious group possesses exclusive rights to the kingdom. Suffering and pain are part of the human condition.

August 31 – Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading I Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29
 Psalm Ps 68:4-7, 10-11
 Reading II Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a
 Gospel Lk 14:1, 7-14

Humility and self-knowledge go hand in hand. Those who conduct their affairs with humility (1) shall be exalted, while those who exalt themselves shall be humbled (3). The humble shall rejoice and exalt before God (Ps) in he assembly of the heavenly Jerusalem (2).

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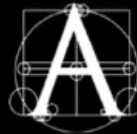
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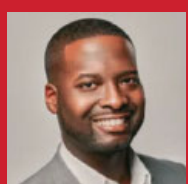


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