

**Mass Intentions This Week**

**Saturday, August 31, 2019**

4:00 PM † Patty Forman & Katie Turner-Ron Forman

**Sunday, September 1, 2019**

10:00 AM Saint Patrick Parishioners' (Pro populo)

*(Last Sunday for the 10:00 AM Mass at SMOW)*

**Tuesday, September 3, 2019**

8:00 AM † Barbara Daly-Theresa Ruttehouse

**Thursday, September 5, 2019**

6:15 PM Father Landenwitch-Krieger Family

6:45 PM Adoration and Confession

**Saturday, September 7, 2019**

4:00 PM † Patty Forman & Katie Turner-Ron Forman

**Sunday, September 8, 2019**

10:00 AM Saint Patrick Parishioners (Pro populo)

*LABOR DAY (USA), marks the end of summer vacation and the beginning of regular parish and school activities. All might be encouraged to participate in the spiritual and temporal works of the local faith community.*

*Additional Masses at St Mary of Woods: Saturday, 6:00 pm and Sunday, 8:00 am; Wed. 8:00 am, Thurs, 6:15 pm, second and fourth Thursday of the month, Fri., 8:00 am, beginning Sunday: 26 May 10:00 am Mass, ending 1 September 2019.*

**Weekend Mass Attendance: September 24 & 25, 2019-401**

**Parish Offering: August 24, 25, 2019**

**Sunday Offering** \$6,020.50

**Improvement Fund** \$ 35.00

**Assessment** \$ 31.00

**TOTAL COLLECTIONS** \$ 6,086.50

*Thank you for your generosity*

**Ministry Schedule for this September, 2019 enclosed**

**Sep 7, 4:00 pm**

**Serv: Montana & Utah Coleman, Mason Marcinko**

**Readers: Deb Baker, Sue Brewer**

**Ministers: Brant & Theresa Dunn, John Vicario**

**Sep 8, 10:00 am**

**Serv: Liam & Fiona Sweeney, Jay Tuttle**

**Readers: Linda Tromblay, Bonnie Versele**

**Ministers: Mark Jones, Bill O'Connor, Kelly Steggeman**

**Parish Faith Formation** PFF begins Sunday, September 15. Please turn in registration forms by **SUNDAY, AUGUST 25**. If you did not receive forms in the mail, please contact the office.

**Sep 3, 2019, 6:30 pm (RCIA Rm) RCIA Classes Begins— ALL ARE WELCOME!!!**

**OVERVIEW OF RCIA**

**Rite of Acceptance/ Rite of Welcoming, continued**

The Rite of Election takes place at the beginning of Lent and is celebrated by the Archbishop (or his delegate) at the cathedral or other designated location. During the Rite, catechumens are presented to the bishop and publicly request to enter fully into the life of the Church through the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. The names of those seeking baptism are offered for enrollment and the archbishop declares them "elect."

During this Rite, those who are already baptized and intend to enter into full communion with the Catholic Church at Easter are also recognized by the Archbishop and encouraged to continue to respond to their baptismal calls and conversion to Christ.

Normally, parishes celebrate the Rite of Sending prior to the Rite of Election and Call to Continuing Conversion. Sponsors and godparents attest to the readiness of the candidates and catechumens for reception of the Sacraments of Initiation.

**Purification and Enlightenment**

This stage, which coincides with the season of Lent, is a time of final preparation for initiation. The catechumens, now called "Elect," engage in prayer and reflection about their growing relationship with Christ and the Church. They discern how they will live out that relationship in their everyday lives. Through these practices of prayer and reflection, the hearts and minds of the elect are enlightened with a personal knowledge of Christ. Some additional rituals called "Scrutinies" also help them in this process.

**Scrutinies**

The series of three scrutinies help the elect to examine their lives in order to uncover that which needs the healing and to strengthen that which is good.

**Mystagogia**

Mystagogia means "leading into the mysteries". Those who have been fully initiated are now called "neophytes". This last period is a time when the neophytes are helped to adapt to their new status in the Catholic community. They begin their lifelong pilgrimage of growth as the mysteries of their faith unfold. Through full participation with the community at the Sunday Eucharist, reflecting on Scripture and actively living the Christian life, the understanding of faith matures, so they can participate more fully in the life of the Church. Formally, this period lasts until the end of the Easter season, Pentecost; however, mystagogia is really a lifelong process, as we seek to understand more fully what it means to live a Christian life.

**YOUR PARISH NEEDS YOU!**

**Our Parish Faith Formation program is in need of a few more people who would be willing to be catechists. If you have interest in serving the parish in this way, please contact Ashley Roberts ASAP, at the church office or [ashleyroberts.dre@gmail.com](mailto:ashleyroberts.dre@gmail.com). A curriculum is provided, and support in structuring lessons is available!**

**MASS INTENTIONS:** Please, fill out the form below and drop in the collection basket or mail to the office. There is a \$5 stipend for each Mass requested. **PLEASE, PRINT!**

**Intention:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Offered by:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date requested:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mass requested:** \_\_\_\_\_

**We will make every attempt to get them on the date you request, however, funerals, prior requests and other events may prevent this, a specified date needs a 3 week notice to meet publication deadlines.**

**THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE READING:**

Mon., Sep 2: 1 Thes 4:13-18 Ps 96:1,3-5,11-13 Lk 4:16-30

Tues., Sep 3: 1 Thes 5:1-6,9-11 Ps 27:1,4,13-14 Lk 4:31-37

Wed., Sep 4: Col 1:1-8 Ps 52:10-11 Lk 4:38-44

Thurs., Sep 5: Col 1:9-14 Ps 98:2-6 Lk 5:1-11

Fri., Sep 6: Col 1:15-20 Ps 100: 1-5 Lk 5:33-39

Sat., Sep 7: Col 1:21-23 Ps 54:3-4,6,8 Lk 6:1-5



Wis 9:13-18b  
Ps 90:3-6,12-17  
Phlm 9-10,12-17  
Lk 14:25-33

**SAVE THE DATE**

**Sep 3, 2019, 6:30 pm (RCIA Rm) RCIA Classes Begins**

**Sep 7, 2019, 7:00 am Men's Gp continues**

**Sep 15, 2019, 8:45 am PFF begins**

**Rosary will be recited: Sat at 3:30 pm & Sun 9:15 am before the Mass.**

**Parish Prayer Line: Tammy Bauer, 937.441.0645**

**Benefits of Eucharistic Adoration:**

Jesus Himself is calling you to spend one special specific hour with Him each Week. (Blessed John Paul II)

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (592.9455)**

*Hours: 10:00 am-12:00 pm, Tuesday & Thursday;  
5:00-7:00 pm, Wednesday. Dates: Aug 20,21,22, 2019*

*Money Spent: \$1060.00 Clients: 76*

***NEEDS: detergent, chicken noodle soup, pasta  
THANK YOU!***

***Rest in the Peace of Christ: Dr. Josip Terebuh,  
Walter Matthews, Gil Misplon***

***ANGEL OF GOD, my guardian dear, to whom God's love commits me  
here, ever this day be at my side, to light and guard, to rule and guide,  
Amen.***

**Pilgrimage to Lourdes and Fatima**

**Register by Monday, September 9**

If you missed the informational meeting, you can pick up a brochure with more information from the parish office. Contact Jim and Charity Thiel or Fr. Landenwirth with questions. Join fellow parishioners for an amazing pilgrimage through Fatima, Lourdes, and Spain May 25-June 6, 2020! We will see the site of the Fatima apparitions, visit the burial place of the apostle James, and have the opportunity to bathe in the waters of Lourdes! We will pray in processions and at Masses with Catholics from throughout the world; come and experience a beautiful dimension of the ancient and beautiful devotional life of our Catholic Church! We are now accepting reservations/deposits. Please register by **Monday, September 9**. The trip will be opened up at that time to people outside of the parish if additional seats need to be reserved.

**Prayer for Students by Liam Lawton**

**Lord**

**Why is it that at the most confusing time of our lives**

**We have to learn the most?**

**We have to carry so much within**

**We must learn to listen**

**We must listen to learn**

**All is decision**

**All is choice**

**All is question**

**Help me to find friends**

**Who will accept me**

**Help me to be strong**

**When difficult choices come**

**Help me to live with values that You value**

**Bless my family and friends**

**All who know me**

**May all that I have learned**

**Be not in vain**

**For if I have never lost**

**I will not search again**