June 16, 2024

Eleventh Sunday In Ordinary Time

Collection June 9, 2024

Regular Collection	\$514.00
Attendance	41

<u>June 23, 2024</u>

Lector: Rebecca Harriman Commentator: Guenter Schlottmann Ushers: Hathaway/Yates Eucharist Ministers: Stanley/McNair Lawn Care: D. Carper

Readings for June 23, 2024

Reading 1	Job 38:1, 8-11
Reading 2	2 Corinthians 5:14-17
Gospel	Mark 4:35-41

Prayer List -Tim Kimbleton, Carol Luttrell, John Balconi, Brenda Lessard, Jody Riffey, Rosanna Vallo, Larry Riffey, Mary Ann Phillips, Stephen Petrowski, Jerry Stanley, Bill Vest, Raegan Ray, Marianne McGriffin, Georgia Snell English, Margaret McLawhorn, Shannon Yates, Lynn Canty, Chuck Yates, Ron Morgan, Sue Dasse, Tod Young, Shelia Zellars, Jim Slusher, Adam Conner, Aaron Quain, Jim Hopkins, Bill McGuire, Suzanne Martin, Margaret Huff, Megan Talbert, John Willett, Erika Ash, and John Ash.

Let the Stanleys know if you have additions or deletions

Information about St. Edwards- Daily readings, the bulletin, homilies, and other information can be found on our webpage at: <u>https://stedwardpulaski.org</u>

HELP NEEDED-St. Edwards Parish wants to thank the Stanleys for the many years of service they have given to the parish – Stan as the Chair of the **Hospitality Committee** and Gaby for leadership of **Religious Education** – and expect their service will continue for many years to come! However, they are ready to step back a little and let someone else take on these committee positions.

The Hospitality Committee is one that you can make what you want of it. We need someone who can organize SAM Sundays and other events during the year like funeral luncheons and the one-and-only chili cookoff! But, you can put your own stamp of leadership on the committee; continue a tradition, or start your own, we can help to find others to lead each event, or you can do it all. Help us to think outside the box! Religious Education entails ensuring that everyone in our parish has the opportunity to learn about the Catholic faith and grow in our traditions, prepare for the sacraments, and enrich our lives. We need someone to take on the leadership of this committee to ensure our children, adults, teachers, and group leaders get the materials and information they need. Everything is prepared and ready for this next year to include CCD and RCIA. All materials have been ordered and folders are ready. Would be an easy transition. Are you interested in becoming more involved in our parish? Prayerfully consider these options and let a member of Parish Council know your thoughts. Sally Warburton, chairperson of Pastoral Council

June Birthdays		June Anniversaries	
		Ken & Norma Klima	June 2
Jocelyn Saldana	June 3	Bill & Amanda Kelly	June 8
Jennifer Grube	June 3	Mike & Rosanna Vallo	June 8
Carol Luttrell	June 4	Richard & Carol Luttrell	June 17
Miles Taylor	June 8	Joe & Stephanie Tedesco	June 19
Father Boat	June 13	Ty & Terri Hancock	June 25
Joeseph Tedesco	June 20	Jack & Linda McCann	June 27
		Jerry & Sharon Dalton	June 28

Happy Father's Day, to all our Dad's!!!

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Daily Prayer This Week

There is nothing like the Sermon on the Mount to help us hear the message of Jesus, and to let ourselves be addressed by those words. All of us can ask for these graces with real specificity, that is, with real people and real daily circumstances in mind. We know with whom we need to "turn the other cheek" and to love more. We know the circumstances in which we are tempted to "be religious" in the right circumstances only. Upon reflection, each of us can take the time to "locate" our hearts, by discovering what we tend to "treasure." We can do a simple check on ourselves: we make a list of the five most important things in my life. Then we can make a list of the five things I spend most of my time on. Comparing the lists will help us get concrete about asking the Lord for the grace we need to put our lives back in balance. All of us can name what we worry about. And so we can all ask for the graces to "seek first" the Kingdom of God

All of this reflection can happen throughout the week in the background of our daily life, if we get into the habit of focusing for a few moments each morning. If we take just 30 seconds, at the edge of our bed each morning, it will begin to establish a habit of living more reflectively.

Thank you for this day, Lord. Help me to be focused today on not getting so hooked by Ann's ways or Bob's harsh words. I need your grace to place my trust in you. Help me especially before I have to talk with Ann on the phone and let me stay focused before Bill comes home from work.

Our version of a brief moment with the Lord - friend to friend - can be repeated and made more specific, while we are going about our day. Some days, we might have 20 such moments of prayerful conversation with our Lord - guided by the Word, the desires that are surfacing, and the events of our daily lives. And, each night, we can give thanks for this deeper relationship with the Lord that is developing in my heart. **Fellow Parishioners**-Just a friendly reminder that the Diocese will be collecting the special donations for Peter's Pence on Sunday, June, 30. You are encouraged to use the envelope in our yearly offertory box which has been provided Also, to ensure that all of your donations are recorded for tax purposes and church records, we encourage you to utilize the envelopes which were given to you in January, reflection your St. Edward's number. If you need envelopes or have any further questions, please contact Dan Grubb, finance chair. Thanks for your on-going support.