

September 25, 2022 Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Tithing is God's Plan for Giving:

Tithing income for the week of
September 18, 2022:

Regular:	\$2,444.00
Hispanic Mass Offering:	\$131.00
Peter's Pence Offering:	\$20.00

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY
READINGS

HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly
Most Holy Name Catholic Church, Garfield, NJ
Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 25, 2022

"But you, man of God, pursue righteousness, devotion, faith, love, patience and gentleness. Compete well for the faith. Lay hold of eternal life, to which you were called when you made the noble confession in the presence of many witnesses."

Can you see yourself, like Timothy, opening and reading Paul's letter to you today? Typical of Paul we find a litany of virtues which describe one who desires and strives to live a truly Christian life. Consider for a moment someone who reflects for you each of the virtues mentioned. Then consider whether they are mirrored, as Paul refers to you as a 'person of God.'

The parable of the rich man and Lazarus reminds us that the poor person at our door is asking that we might reflect the goodness to which Paul refers. Each virtue offers healing for the wounds of the poor man Lazarus.

Timothy, Lazarus and I have much in common.

First Reading: Amos 6:1a, 4-7

Amos denounces the selfish attitude of those who surround themselves with luxuries with no concern for others. He goes on to warn that because these people lacked interest in the state of their society, they would be the first to be exiled.

Second Reading: 1 Timothy 6:11-16

Paul tells Timothy to seek integrity, faith and love. Paul urges him to attain everlasting life by maintaining strong faith in Jesus and in God until Jesus returns.

Gospel: Luke 16:19-31

Jesus tells of a rich man who feasted daily, while a beggar named Lazarus went hungry outside his gates. When both men died, Lazarus was taken to Abraham, but the rich man was in torment. When he begged for mercy, Abraham reminded him that Lazarus had lived in torment, while the rich man lived in selfish luxury. The man then asked if

Lazarus could be sent to his brothers to warn them. But Abraham said if they had not heeded Moses or the prophets, they would ignore even the warning of one risen from the dead.

MAKE FRIENDS
THROUGH YOUR USE OF THIS WORLD'S GOODS.

LITURGICAL NOTES

Mass  for the
Intentions  Week



Saturday, September 24: Weekday

Ecclesiastes 11:9 – 12:8; Psalm 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 & 17; Luke 9:43b-45

5:30 PM Mary and Forest Poth from
Bob and Joyce Auker

Sunday, September 25: 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Amos 6:1a, 4-7; Psalm 146:7, 8-9, 9-10;

1 Timothy 6:11-16; Luke 16:19-31

9:15 AM Curtis Gutshall from Shane Armstrong

4:00 PM People of the Parish

Monday, September 26: Weekday

Job 1:6-22; Psalm 17:1bcd, 2-3, 6-7;

Luke 9:46-50

9:00 AM People of the Parish

Tuesday, September 27: Saint Vincent dePaul, Priest (Memorial)

Job 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23; Psalm 88:2-3, 4-5, 6, 7-8;

Luke 9:51-56

Wednesday, September 28: Weekday

Job 9:1-12, 14-16; Psalm 88:10bc-11, 12-13,

14-15; Luke 9:57-62

Thursday, September 29: Saints Michael, Gabriel & Raphael, Archangels (Feast)

Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14; Psalm 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 4-5; John 1:47-51

Friday, September 30: Saint Jerome, Priest & Doctor of the Church (Memorial)

Job 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5; Psalm 139:1-3, 7-8, 9-10, 13-14ab; Luke 10:13-16

Saturday, October 1: Saint Therese of the Child Jesus, Virgin & Doctor of the Church (Memorial)

Job 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17; Psalm 119:66, 71, 75, 91, 125 & 130; Luke 10:17-24

5:30 PM People of the Parish

Sunday, October 2: 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4; Psalm 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9;

2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14; Luke 17:5-10

9:15 AM Confirmation Class

1:30 PM People of the Parish

SAINT JUDE'S FEAST DAY BRUNCH

Saint Jude's Feast Day is October 28th. The Women's Guild will host a Feast Day celebration brunch on **Sunday, October 30th following the 9:15 a.m. mass**. There is a sign up sheet in the church vestibule, and families are requested to bring their favorite breakfast food to a potluck breakfast/brunch. Hope to see you there!

All women of the parish are invited to the Guild's annual LADIES' NIGHT OUT, Tuesday, October 4 at St. Jude. The evening begins with the Rosary at 6:00 P.M. in the church followed by wine and cheese in the social hall. Dinner is at 7 P.M. If you did not receive a flyer last weekend after Mass, please pick one up from the table in the Narthex or call Cathy Fitzgerald 717-734-2226.

Please **RSVP BY SEPTEMBER 25:**
momfitz@hotmail.com or call 717-734-2226

Advent by Candlelight

The Women's Guild of St. Jude Parish would like to cordially invite the ladies of St. Jude Parish, Sacred Heart Parish, and Sacred Heart School to attend our Advent by Candlelight to prepare for the Season of Advent. The evening will include a speaker, Maria Mullin. (See brief bio below) She will speak on the topic of "Rebirth in the Womb of Mary of Guadalupe." There will be music, socializing, and confession.

Proceeds from the event will go in support of Sacred Heart School so we ask for a \$10 donation from participants. There will also be gift basket raffles. For more information, or to RSVP, please contact Megan Miller at mfitzy6@hotmail.com or 717-363-7319. If you are interested in hosting a table, please contact Megan.

Maria was born in the land of the antique Lake of Texcoco In Mexico, where the Aztecs build the city of Tenochtitlan, and The Virgin Mary of Guadalupe appeared in 1531. Maria and her family witnessed the Apparition of Our Lady of Guadalupe in 1978 and subsequently were consecrated to the Virgin Mary in 1980. After a private audience with Pope John Paul II, in which he invited them to work in favor of a Culture of Life, Maria opened a Crisis Pregnancy Center.

Maria holds a postgraduate degree in Bioethics and Human Sexuality, and undergraduate degrees in Mariology and Moral

Theology. She currently works full time in her vocation as wife and mother. She and her American husband have three children and three grandchildren. She is dedicated to help people discover the powerful and loving intercession of Our Blessed Mother, and to lead souls to Jesus through Mary.

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ROSARY

Please join us as we pray the Rosary each Sunday at 8:45 a.m. before the 9:15 a.m. Mass. "The Rosary is the most excellent form of prayer and the most efficacious means of attaining eternal life. It is the remedy for all our evils, the root of our blessings. There is no more excellent way of praying." - Pope Leo XIII

EMERGENCY EXITS

Designated emergency exits are found in the front of the church to the left and right of the altar, and in the back of the church through the main entrance and the hallway by the restrooms.

We request in case of emergency you select the closest exit to your seat.

Those sitting in the front half of the church should exit using exits found on their respective side. Those sitting back half of the church should exit through the center doors and the doors to the right of the main entry door of the church.

Those in the cry room or the restrooms should exit through the hallway and to the exit door at the end of the hallway.



In Service to One, In Service to All.

Join us in answering the call to help others—give blood!

Blood Drive
St. Jude's Council, Knights of Columbus
St. Jude Thaddeus Catholic Church

Multi-Purpose
3918 William Penn Highway
Mifflintown

Thursday, September 29
1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2787) or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: stjude to schedule an appointment.



Saturday, September 24, 2022

Lector: C. Hazard
Cantor: M. Kerchusky
Altar Servers: J. Zarnowski
Usher:

Sunday, September 25, 2022

Lector: T. Ober
Cantor: M. Miller
Altar Servers: D. Miller, E. Miller,
C. Schall
Usher: S. Arnold, J. Boyd

Saturday, October 1, 2022

Lector: C. Fitzgerald
Cantor: M. Kerchusky
Altar Servers: J. Zarnowski
Usher:

Sunday, October 2, 2022

Lector: G. Hazard
Cantor: R. Perez
Altar Servers: St. Michael's Guard
Usher: D. Ames, P. Ames

Please continue to pray for the souls of:
Thomas Cargill Robert Burda

WOMEN'S GUILD – OCTOBER 15TH

The Women's Guild invites everyone to help them say the rosary on **Saturday, October 15th at 12:00 (noon)** outside on the church yard. We will be praying for our country and bringing attention to Fatima. Please help us by attending this wonderful and spiritual event. Thank you for all of your help.

COFFEE SOCIAL HOSTS:

September 25, 2022 MEGAN
October 2, 2022 ARMSTRONGS
October 9, 2022 KAREN
October 16, 2022 LADIES

RCIA Classes



Sharing is the basis for our religion—sharing God's love with those around us, but most of all, sharing the Body & Blood of Jesus Christ and becoming One with Him. Paul tells us that we don't get into heaven alone. What could be more rewarding than to know that you took the initiative to ask and **someone accepted** the invitation to share our faith? Your mission is to love and serve the Lord. That "**someone**" is waiting to be asked! **If you know anyone who would be interested in Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) classes, please contact Dan Swigart at 717-446-5099 or the Parish Office at 717-242-2781.** RCIA is a program of 1 time per week classes, usually for about 9 months, for those interested in entering the Catholic faith. Also, Catholics who have been "away", for whatever reason, are invited to attend and find answers in these sessions to re-establish their receiving of the Sacraments. **A new class is set to begin on Thursday, September 22nd at 7 PM.**

Diocesan Women's Conference

Save the date for the 2022 Diocesan Women's Conference, *The Eucharist: Jesus in our Midst*, on **Saturday, October 15** at the Diocesan Center in Harrisburg. Awaken your faith and love for the Real Presence of Christ during this day-long event. In person and virtual registration options will be offered. Registration and full conference schedule will be available in July. Make plans now to join your sisters in Christ as we rediscover the Real Presence of the Eucharist during the 2022 Women's Conference. **If you are interested in attending, please contact Nancy Sanges at 717 994-6149.**

Register NOW for the 2022-23 Academic Year!



Registrations are being taken for any student interested in attending Sacred Heart School next academic year. Kindergarten students need to be age 5 by Sept. 1, 2022. We also have openings in grades 1 – 5. **Scholarships and Financial Aid are available, and applications are currently being accepted.** Call the school to schedule a tour. We hope to see you there! Please share the good news of SHS with your friends and family. **All faiths are welcome!**

Save the Date! The 25th Annual SHS Benefit

Auction weekend: October 15-16 at the Mifflin County Youth Park!

The auction committee is looking for handmade, new, or like new donated items to be auctioned off. In the past

these creative items have proven to be the most sought after and cherished by our generous bidders! Like to think outside the box? How about teaming up with some of your friends to auction off a dessert a month, a progressive dinner, soup a month, the opportunities are endless.

For questions,

contact development@sacredheartschool.com

Please bring all items to the Parish Office by September 23, 2022. We thank you in advance for your support of our largest fundraiser of the year!

Saturday October 15

What: Spaghetti Dinner & Preview Night

Time: 5:00 – 7:30 PM

Price: \$6.00 Meal includes: Tossed Salad, Bread, Spaghetti, & Meatballs. Pre-Sale tickets can be purchased at the Parish Office starting Monday, September 19th

Sunday, October 16

What: Oral & Silent Auction, Delicious Food & Bake Sale, Basket Raffle, Children's Activities, & More!

Time: 11:00 AM – 4:00 PM



Sacred Heart School All Cash Raffle

It's time for Sacred Heart's All Cash Raffle! Be on the lookout for your tickets in the back of the church this weekend! Proceeds from the raffle are the single most profitable segment of the SHS Benefit Auction, and we need everyone's help and support! We are asking each family to sell at least two booklets of five tickets. If you can sell more, please contact the Parish Office at 717-242-2781. **Return sold/unsold tickets and money to the Parish Office or collection box no later than Thursday, October 13th.** For sold tickets, please make one check payable to "Sacred Heart". Thank you in advance for your help with this important fundraiser. Winners will be drawn at the SHS Benefit Auction on Sunday, October 16th. A special "Thank You" goes out to Jim & Steve Dalton for sponsoring the printing of the tickets.



Our Amazing Teachers have created wish lists on Amazon to help prepare their classrooms for the upcoming school year. If you would like to purchase something, please scan the QR code or visit

<https://www.sacredheartschool.com/academics/teacher-wishlists>.

Thank you for your support of our teachers!

Fabulous Food in the 50's Mood!



Help support the SHS Home and School Association by eating at either Harshbarger's Sub 'N Malt's locations (McVeytown or Port

Royal) on **Tuesday, September 27th!** **Show the coupon attached to the bulletin and the HSA will receive 25% of your check!** Offer is good on dine in, take out, and gift certificate purchases.