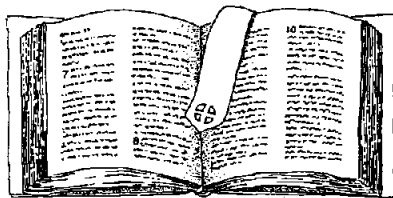


# 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## September 22, 2019



God . . . wills everyone to be saved and to come to knowledge of the truth. -- 1 Timothy 2:4

### TODAY'S READINGS:

**First Reading** – Amos 8:4-7

**Psalm** – Psalm 113

**Second Reading** – 1 Timothy 2:1-8

**Gospel** – Luke 16:1-13



Larry Graves, Glen Powers, Gabriel Rigby, Barbe Trudeau 9/22; Wendy Williams, Hillary and Annie, Tommy/Traci Avalon, Theresa Cannon, Frank/Linda Develle, Daniel Dillon, James Doddridge, Mike/Cathy/Jared/Michael Eaves, Janis Hamblin, Grace Jeadron, Steve Musil, Ursin Oubre Jr, Jon/Christin Quinn Family, Rita Reed, Kenny Skellie 9/15; Charity Long, Eva Jean Davis, Betsy Carraway, James Lee, Jr., Glynn Long, Joseph Perlick, Bill Rush, Lillian Stachura, Vince/Sissy Warren Family 9/08; Gayle Pettie, John/Teresa/Mark Bradshaw, James/Marva Brown, Lucrecia Gibson, Janie Keary, John Laughlin, Helen Machost,, Cody Proviance, Swyze Rigby, Doug Simmons, Pam Smith, Brenda Williams, Gary Cieply, Glenn/Geraldine Gary 9/2; **Homebound/Nursing Homes:** Adelaida Dethloff, Sandra Elliott, Abron Haymond, Peggy Huffman, Anna Starr, Tom/Brenda Steen, Sue Trebotich; **Priests/Religious:** Brian Carroll, Joe Dyer, Sam Messina, Robert Olivier, Lenin Vargas, Retired Bishop Joseph Latino. *Persons wanting to be added to the Prayer List need to contact the parish office – Names will appear for one month.*

**Prayers for Safety** for all service men and women at home and abroad, who give of their lives daily in order that we may enjoy our freedom: **THOSE IN THE MILITARY** Preston Blocker, David Brooks, William Aaron Burks, Michael P. Collins, Nathan Darnell, Lee Greco, Erling Gresham, Tanner Hutchins, Steven J. Jackson, Michael Jessie, Kimberly Johnson, Derek Lieding, Anna/Malcolm Lowe, Michael Machost Jr., Steven P. Meadows, Blake Nations, Nick Pendleton, Brooks Stevens, and Nathan Waltman, Austin White. You may place a picture of the individual on our military bulletin board located in the parish hall.

### Sacrificial Giving this past week:

<b>Budget Needed Weekly</b>	<b>\$6,000.00</b>
<b>Regular Tithe</b>	<b>\$5,507.87</b>
“New Life” Capital Campaign	\$1,073.57
Coffee and doughnuts(need \$25)	\$36.00 (2wks)
Youth	\$22.00
Food Pantry	\$20.00
Extension Society	\$45.00
PSR Registration	\$1,340.00

**Thank you for your generosity!**

# September Month of: Seven Sorrows of Mary



### WEEKLY SCHEDULE & MASS INTENTIONS:

\*\*\* Changes or Additions

- STT – St. Therese
- CTK – Christ the King
- OLOG – Our Lady of Guadalupe
- SVDP – St. Vincent de Paul
- MFCC – Christian Catholic Family Movement
- MSJLOG – MARIAN SERVANTS® of Jesus, the Lamb of God

Saturday, September 21 – Vigil 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

3:00pm Confession

4:00pm Mass – C. Medric and Dorothy Greco Warren

**Dinner and a Movie following 4pm Mass**

**Sponsored by CWA**

Sunday, September 22 – 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:45am RCIA – Parish Hall

9:30am Mass – Robert Gorrell; People of the Parish

10:45am PSR/Confirmation – New Life Classrooms

12:30pm Spanish Mass

**7:30am Mass Monday – Friday at the Carmelite Monastery**

Monday, September 23 – **NO Mass** – *St. Pius of Pietrelcina*

*(Padre Pio); Autumn begins*

Tuesday, September 24

5:00pm Cursillo Group – New Life Conference Room

5:30pm Mass – O’Neil Amedee

6:00pm Rosary and Prayer Meeting – chapel

Wednesday, September 25

8:30am Mass – Souls in Purgatory

9am-5pm Adoration – chapel

6:00pm Pastoral Council/Feast Day Planning – parish hall

6:30-8:00pm Spanish Choir Practice – church



Thursday, September 26 – *Ss. Cosmas and Damian*

5:30pm Mass – Richard Luckett (1yr. Anniversary)

Friday, September 27 - *St. Vincent de Paul*

8:45am School Mass at CTK

**St. Vincent de Paul Conference will be accepting donations before and after all Masses this weekend in the gathering space.**

Saturday, September 28 – Vigil 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

3:00pm Confession

4:00pm Mass – Teresa Kemp 20<sup>th</sup> Year Anniversary Intention of Service at St. Therese

Sunday, September 29 – 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:45am RCIA – Parish Hall

9:30am Mass – Billy Hutchins; People of the Parish

10:45am PSR/Confirmation – New Life Classrooms

12:30pm Spanish Mass

### Question of the Week:

What can I do to serve God over mammon?

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**Interested in learning more about the Catholic faith?**



RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is the formal process by which new members join the Catholic Church. *RCIA for the 2020 year Sunday mornings, at 8:45am in the parish hall.* Contact: Teresa Preuss at [tepreuss@yahoo.com](mailto:tepreuss@yahoo.com) or 601-372-4481.

**► First Communion -2year process -**

- Those preparing for First Communion (have completed their first year class) and will receive their First Communion in the Spring of 2020, need to pre-register and begin attending second year classes September 8, 2019.
- If your child is planning on receiving First Communion in Spring of 2021 they need to pre-register and begin attending first year classes September 8, 2019.

Registration has begun and forms are located in the gathering space - See a Representative at the registration table this weekend. **Copy of individuals Baptismal Certificates are required at registration!**

You may contact the parish office at 601-3722-4481 or email [sttherese@jacksondiocese.org](mailto:sttherese@jacksondiocese.org).

**► Confirmation - 2year process.**

- If your child is planning on receiving Confirmation in Spring of 2020 (they should have completed the 1<sup>st</sup> year class in 2019) and need to pre-register and begin attending 2<sup>nd</sup> year classes September 8, 2019.
- If your child is planning on receiving Confirmation in Spring of 2021 the need to attend 1<sup>st</sup> year classes beginning September 8, 2019.

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**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

- Monday:** Ezr 1:1-6; Ps 126:1b-6; Lk 8:16-18
- Tuesday:** Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 8:19-21
- Wednesday:** Ezr 9:5-9; Tb:13:2, 3-4abefghn; 7-8Lk 9:1-6
- Thursday:** Hg 1:1-8; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 9:7-9
- Friday:** Hg 2:1-9; Ps 43:1-4; Lk 9:18-22
- Saturday:** Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a; Jer 31:10-12ab, 13; Lk 9:43b-45
- Sunday:** Am 6:1a, 4-7; Ps 146:7-10; 1 Tm 6:11-16; Lk 16:19-31

**RE-DIRECTION**

Love does not consist in gazing at each other, but in looking outward in the same direction.

--Anonymous

\*\*Information for the bulletin should reach the parish office by email **no later than 12noon on MONDAY** for the following weekend. When sending an email, please put "Bulletin" in the subject line. Thank you for your cooperation.

**Members of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul St. Therese Conference will be accepting donations in the gathering space before and after all Masses THE WEEKEND of September 28 & 29!**

**VIRTUS® - Teaching Safety Empowering God's Children™ For Parents**

**Sunday, September 22, 2019 Teaching Safety - Empowering God's Children™** workshops will be held for parents. This is required by the Diocese. It is a help for parents how to be observers in the protection of their children against predators, and review the protection curriculum that will be administered to your children October 13th.

**September Prayer Intentions of Our Holy Father, Pope Francis**  
*Evangelization: The Protection of the Oceans*

That politicians, scientists and economists work together to protect the world's seas and oceans.  
**St. Therese Parishioners Rosary Intention:**  
*Our Environment and Peace in the World!*

**PROTECTION OF CHILDREN**

The Diocese of Jackson is committed to ensuring that no one being served by the church be (is) at risk of sexual abuse or exploitation by clergy, religious or lay church personnel. The spiritual well-being of all the victims, their families and others in the community is of particular concern to the church. In accordance with our policy, all victims are offered counseling and pastoral care.

Anyone who has been a victim of abuse or exploitation by clergy, religious or lay church personnel and has not yet reported it is encouraged to do so. Our victim assistance coordinator, Valerie McClellan, a licensed social worker, is available to assist in making a report. Please contact her at 601-326-3728.

For more information about diocesan policies and procedures and to learn what the diocese is doing to create a safe environment for everyone, please visit the diocesan website at [www.jacksondiocese.org](http://www.jacksondiocese.org) and click on "Protection of Children".

Bishop Joseph R. Kopacz, D.D., Ph.D.  
September 2019

