

July 31, 2016

Ordinary Time
Eighteenth Sunday



Here Today, Gone Tomorrow

With the parable of the rich man Jesus invites those who would follow him to focus on enduring entities as the coming of God's Kingdom. Many of us are sometimes so preoccupied with the acquisition of material things that we tend to overlook and fail to enjoy the truly important and abiding blessings in our lives.

Today's Bulletin is sponsored
in memory of the **Rosie & Joe Fishbeck Family**
by **Lorene & Dennis Fishbeck.**

Flowers for the altar this weekend
are donated by **Dolores & Ben Scott** in thanksgiving to
God on the occasion of their 40th Wedding Anniversary.

MASS INTENTIONS

Friday, August 5
8:00 a.m. Rosie, Joe, Allen & Leroy Fishbeck
Saturday, August 6
6:30 p.m. Lillie & Henry Dornak
Sunday, August 7
6:30 a.m. Adolph C. Darilek
9:30 a.m. Donald Tamplen

PREPARING FOR SUNDAY LITURGY

Next weekend is *The Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*.
Prepare for the liturgy by reflecting on these passages from
your Bible.

First Reading: Wisdom 18:6-9

Responsorial Psalm: 33

Second Reading: Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19

Gospel: Luke 12:32-48

A.C.T.S. Community Annual Family Picnic, Aug. 7
at Splashway Water Park, Sheridan. Mass at 10:00 a.m.
followed by lunch furnished by A.C.T.S. Core. Fellowship
to follow. For more information and to RSVP contact Tina
Trejo (361) 772-1392.

The Sanctuary Light
will be lit this week
in memory of Lillie & Henry Dornak.

HAPPY JAMBOREE DAYS!

St. Joseph's welcomes everyone to Moulton this weekend.

ST. JOSEPH'S MEMORIAL FUND

In Memory of Gus Targac
Nancy & Leon Etzler

St. JOSEPH'S CEMETERY FUND DONATION

Karen & James Thomas

L.A.M.B. Representative Update

We thank Lisa Rothbauer for volunteering to represent
St. Joseph's at the quarterly L.A.M.B. meetings.

THANK YOU NOTE FOR CANCER SOCIETY

Dear St. Joseph's Catholic Church,

Thank you for your recent gift of \$2,000 to help save lives from
cancer.

More people are surviving cancer today than ever before, and
continued advances in prevention, early detection, and treatment
promise greater hope for the future. Your donation makes our
work possible.

Your generosity is helping us invest in groundbreaking cancer
research to better understand, prevent, find and treat the disease;
provide free, comprehensive information and support to those
facing cancer when and where they need it; and educate people
about steps they can take to reduce their cancer risk or find it
early, when it's most treatable.

Thanks to continuing support from caring donors like you, we are
working to eliminate cancer as a major health problem.
Contributions like yours have enabled us to help save more than
1.5 million lives in the United States in the past two decades.
Together, our continued efforts are working to prevent even more
cancer deaths, as well as continue to improve the lives of
individuals with cancer.

To learn more about our lifesaving mission, how you can get
involved, or how we can help you stay well and get well, call 1-
800-227-2345 or visit cancer.org anytime, day or night. Thank you
for supporting us in the fight against cancer.

*St. Joseph's donated \$2,000 to Team ReJoyce's Fundraiser
benefitting the American Cancer Society's Hope Lodge in
Houston. The funds will go toward sponsoring a "patient
care room which provides the comfort and care needed to
thousands of individuals travelling to Houston to receive
lifesaving cancer treatments." The donation also "assists
the American Cancer Society's efforts to fuel research in
continuing hope to find a cure for the disease.*

THE WEEK AHEAD

TUESDAY – Quilting Group Meets, Quilting Room
– Women's A.C.T.S. Team Meeting, 6:30-8:30 p.m.,
Parish Hall

THURSDAY– Quilting Group Meets, Quilting Room
– KC Bingo, KC Hall

FRIDAY – First Friday Eucharistic Adoration, 8:30 a.m. –
6:00 p.m., Family Room
– Parish Office closed on Fridays. For any Pastoral
emergency, call the Office at any time.

REFLECTION

Grow Rich In What Matters To God

Asked to arbitrate in a dispute between brothers over an inheritance, Jesus responded with a pronouncement regarding greed and the consequences of making one's wealth too great an issue of consequence.

Fortifying himself against material need, the rich man had neglected to look beyond this life to that eternal realm wherein his well-stocked grain bins would have no value or purpose. For this lack of foresight, he would earn the title "fool" in the sense that his values were skewed. By failing to take into account God and the concerns of God, the rich but foolish man had lost sight of the fact that his very life was but a loan that God could recall at any moment. Indeed, that very night, he learned the hard lesson he had not prepared for. Death would separate him from the security, prestige and power of his barns. Jesus' parable remains challenging particularly since ours is a culture of consumerism. We value people by what they possess rather than who they are. We may be in danger of being trapped in materialism. Jesus calls us to regain our perspective and readjust our priorities.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

- Jul. 31 – Barbara Anderle
- Aug. 1 – Annie Mae Berckenhoff, Anita Drabek,
Stephen Gold, Steven Nieto, Charles Tomek
- Aug. 4 – Nathan Gold
- Aug. 5 – Lois Nieto, Alisha Rothbauer
- Aug. 6 – Brooke Dolezal



Congratulations Annie Schmidt
on your 100th Birthday
August 5, 2016

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

- Jul. 31 – Congratulations Dolores & Ben Scott
on your 40th Wedding Anniversary
- Aug. 2 – Sherry & Kevin Fishbeck
– Frances & Charles Pilat
- Aug. 4 – Laura & Timothy Pustejovsky

PRAYER FOR RAIN



Lord, God, in you we live and move and have our being. Help us in our present time of trouble. Send us the rain we need and teach us to seek your helping hand on the way to eternal life. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

FIRST FRIDAY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION



- 8:30-9:30 am – Doris Foster, *open*
- 9:30-11:00 a.m. – Anna & Michael Fishbeck
- 11:00-11:30 a.m. – Barbara Hermes, James Wenske
- 11:30-12:00 p.m. – Nancy Sivyer, James Wenske
- 12:00-1:00 p.m. – Scott Wenske, *Open*
- 1:00-1:30 p.m. – Mary Ann Wenske, Cathy Wenske
- 1:30-2:00 p.m. – John Wenske, *open*
- 2:00-3:00 p.m. – Lisa Rothbauer, *open*
- 3:00-4:00 p.m. – Linda Pilat, *open*
- 4:00-4:30 p.m. – Rose Rothbauer, *open*
- 4:30-5:00 p.m. – Mike Janecek, Rose Rothbauer
- 5:00-5:30 p.m. – Angie Jalufka, Mike Janecek
- 5:30-6:00 p.m. – Angie Jalufka, Deacon Kenneth Fishbeck

Come spend some time in prayer before the Lord.

CHURCH PICNIC BULLETIN BOARD PICNIC – SEPTEMBER 18

Raffle Tickets Printed 750
Raffle Tickets Purchased So Far 144

Turn in your stub and donation as soon as possible.

We thank the following for picking up extra tickets to sell:

- Scott Filipp – 5 tickets
- Jean Bochat – 8 tickets
- Martha Gold – 6 tickets
- Donna Perez – 3 tickets
- Patsy Zamykal – 5 tickets
- Dolores Scott – 15 tickets
- Marcel Kleihege – 30 tickets

Could you also help sell some Raffle Tickets?

Picnic Workers Needed

All parishioners who have not been assigned a booth/work station in the past are encouraged to sign up to work at the Picnic. Call the Parish Office or drop you name in the collection basket for assignment.

Praha Picnic – August 15

Support your sister Parish. Raffle Tickets available for sale at the Parish Office. 46 prizes to be given away, 6 tickets for \$10. Grand prize \$1,000 HEB Gift Card.

We thank the Moulton Parishioners who have volunteered to work at the Picnic, made monetary contributions and/or donated auction items. Contact the Parish Office if you can help.

Dinner With Fr. Gabriel

Look out for your Invitation Card in the mail.