# MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

### TWENTY EIGHT SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sat., October 10th

4:00PM- (St. J.)

- For Mary Kowalik by Joe, CeCelia & Helen Garbarino

### Sun., October 11th

8AM - (St. P.)

- For Terry, Timmy, Betsy & Mike Lindsey by Wife and Mother Barbara

#### 9:30AM - (St. J.)

- For Mary Pruckno by Mike Pruckno

### 11:00AM- (St. M.)

- For Our Parishioners & Their Intentions (This will be the Last Mass of the Season)

## Mon., October 12th

8:30AM - (St. J.)

- Fr. Robert Dwyer by Fr. Matthew T. Lyons

#### Tues., October 13th

8:30AM- (St. J.)

- For Mary Pruckno by Ed & Liz Burger

# Wed., October 14th

8:30AM - (St. P.)

- For Gale Scouten by Larry & Gerry Ritter

### Thurs., October. 15th

8:30AM - (St. J.)

- For The Living & Deceased Members of The Edward Kraeger Family By Family

#### Fri., October 16th

8:30AM - (St. J.)

- For Ted Egnaczyk by Jerry & Mary Bourgeois

# TWENTY NINETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

#### Sat., October 17th

4:00PM- (St. J.)

- For Colleen Bedore by Stan, Kim & The Boys

# Sun., October 18th

8AM - (St. P.)

- For Craig Carr (B-Day) by Ann Marie & Family

#### 9:30AM - (St. J.)

- For Our Parishioners & Their Intentions

Maintenance Job Opening
Tom Podkowka will be retiring
October 31<sup>st</sup>. Please stop into the
Parish Office to pick up an
application if you would like to apply
for this position.

We remember in our prayers
Charles Mooney, Frances Miller,
Jamie Uhl-Goosman, Jeffrey Batt, Lorraine King,
Walt Belewich, Sr., Ann Lash, Paul Hartness,
Jim White, Roberta Wilson, John Bailey,
Cretia Carpenter, Candace Schaffer, David Hoffman,
Steven Stooks, Michael Stinebrickner, Paul Boliver,
& Joan Farmer

# Hope Appeal 2020

Together, when we pledge our gift to the Annual HOPE Appeal, we are giving thanks to Christ for the innumerable gifts we've been given and helping our friends and neighbors who benefit each year from the diocesan good works funded through our annual appeal.

Fr. Lyons is asking all parishioners to contribute to this year's HOPE Appeal. If we all give, we will easily meet Christ Our Hope's 2020 HOPE Appeal goal of \$19,295.13 which is our parish share of the support for HOPE Appeal-funded ministries, programs, and services. If we exceed our 2020 Hope Appeal Goal, 100 percent of the excess will be returned directly to our parish. Normally, we keep 50% of the excess but this year the Diocese wants each parish to keep any amount collected in excess of the 2020 Parish Hope Appeal Goal. In an effort to meet our goal, I am asking every family in the parish to consider a minimum gift of \$175.00 (averages out to \$0.48 a day or \$14.38 a month). If you are able to contribute more, I strongly encourage you to do so. If you are not able to make the minimum gift, please give something. Your gift, no matter the size, whether it is a pledge or a onetime gift, is important.

Thank you to everyone returning their HOPE Appeal pledge card this weekend! If you are still prayerfully considering your HOPE pledge, you may bring your completed pledge card to Mass next weekend or drop it by the parish office. You may also pledge your gift to our parish's campaign online at syrdio.org.

HOPE APPEAL PLEDGE ENVELOPES ARE AT THE CHURCH ENTRANCES.

The Teacher Training Session for the November 1<sup>st</sup> Family Formation Lesson will be on Wednesday, October 21<sup>st</sup> in Gill Hall at 6PM.

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Rev. Matthew T. Lyons

www.christourhoperc.org CONFESSION TIMES THIS WEEK AT ST. JOSEPH'S

> 5:00-6:30PM on Wednesday 3:15-3:45PM on Saturday

If you would like an appointment for confession please call the parish office. 315-942-4616

# FAMILY FORMATION REGISTRATION FORMS ARE DUE IN THE PARISH OFFICE.

WE BEGIN IN THE CLASSROOM ON NOVEMBER 1, 2020. PLEASE RETURN YOUR FORMS WHETHER YOU ARE RETURNING IN PERSON OR NOT. QUESTIONS: 315-942-4618.

TO ALL PARISHIONER'S,
IN ANTICIPATION OF OUR FAMILY FORMATION FAMILIES RETURNING,
ESPECIALLY ON THE 1ST SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH AT THE 9:30AM MASS, WE ASK ALL TO COOPERATE WITH THE PROTOCOLS OUTLINED IN FR. LYONS LETTER.

(Additional Copies are at the Church Entrance.)
We are working very diligently to provide a

### +JMJ

Healthy, Happy, and Holy Faith-filled Year!

Dear Friends in Christ.

This coming Tuesday, October 13<sup>th</sup> is the anniversary of the last apparition of Our Lady at Fatima, Portugal in 1917. It was on this date that the Miracle of the Sun occurred. Thousands witnessed the sun move around in the sky, change colors, and seemingly begin to fall towards the earth before going back to its normal state. This miracle was to confirm that Our Lady was there and that we should listen to her message.

Even anti-Catholic newspapers reported this. It is estimated that 70,000 people witnessed this event. Eyewitness accounts make clear what they saw:

"The sun turned everything to different colors--yellow, blue and white. Then it shook and trembled.
It looked like a wheel of fire that was going to fall on
the people." **Maria de Capelinha** (one of the
earliest believers)"

"I feel incapable of describing what I saw and felt. I looked fixedly at the sun, which seemed pale and did not hurt the eyes. Looking like a ball of snow revolving on itself, it suddenly seemed to come down in a zigzag, menacing the earth. Terrified, I ran and hid myself among the people, who were weeping and expecting the end of the world at any moment.

Near us was an unbeliever who had spent the morning mocking at the simpletons who had gone off to Fátima just to see an ordinary girl. He now seemed to be paralyzed, his eyes fixed on the sun. Afterwards he trembled from head to foot and lifting up his arms fell on his knees in the mud, crying out to our Lady. **Fr. Ignacio Lorenco** (Alburitel, 11 miles away)" [eyewitness accounts from EWTN's website]

While this was going on the three children who saw Our Lady saw something different: The Blessed Mother ascended into the sky appearing next to the sun in white with a blue mantel, St. Joseph holding the Child Jesus appeared blessing the world. Our Lady then appeared as Our Lady of Sorrows and Our Lady of Mount Carmel.

St. Joseph is often forgotten about in this apparition to the three children. He is a powerful saint who was entrusted as the guardian of the Holy Family. Let us trust him and his care for us in these times. The Lord wished to have an earthly father. Although Jesus did not have a physical father, only God the Father in heaven, He wished to be known as the son of St. Joseph.

Let us trust in the power of the Rosary, the Brown Scapular and not forget these great gifts given to us by the Blessed Mother. Let us also trust St. Joseph, the guardian of the Holy Family.

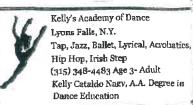
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# **Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

This weekend's readings begin on pg. 1009-- Year A Oct. 11, 2020

Isaiah 25:6-10a

The Lord will prepare a feast and wipe away the tears from every face.

Psalm 23:1b-3a, 3b-4, 5-6

I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.

Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20

I can do all things in him who strengthens me.

Gospel Acclamation

May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our hearts, so that we may know what is the hope that belongs to our call.

Matthew 22:1-14

Invite to the wedding feast whomever you find.