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Mass Intentions

Aug 28th: James Blowers +
by Mark & Kay Bartel
Aug 29th: Parishioners of St Andrew and
St Regina
Sept 3rd: Health of Carol Madigan
by Sandro & Marcela Ferrarone
Sept 4th: **9:00 am:** Health of Parveen
Weaver by Sandro & Marcela Ferrarone
Sept 4th: **4:30 pm:** Parishioners of
St Andrew and St Regina
Sept 5th: In Memory of Louis & Julie
Gretemen on their 73rd Anniversary
by Aaron & Ann Ledet

Liturgical Ministers

Sept 5th::
Lector: Jerry Kirkpatrick
Server: Cristian Tobar
Sacristans—
Altar Linens — Sheri Parkinson, Susan
Booth
Ushers—Men of the Parish

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time August 29, 2021

Humbly welcome the word that has been planted in you and is
able to save your souls..
— James 1:21b

DOERS OF THE WORD

The second reading for today begins a five-week series of se-
lections from James, a letter that is classified among the so-called
“catholic” (or universal) epistles because they are addressed to a
general audience rather than to one particular community. Today’s
text offers important advice for Christians of every generation. God
is first cited as the author of all gifts, and in particular, reference is
made to the gift of baptism by which we have been made the “first
fruits” of the new creation.

What follows is advice based on a very Jewish understanding
of the “word” as an active force, operative in the world. We are re-
minded that unless we, too, become “doers” of the word, our claim
to faith is empty. Today and in subsequent weeks the author re-
minds us that it is equally important to do the “works” of love, for
example, by caring for the “orphans and widows in their affliction.”

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FEAST OF FAITH

What Jesus Did, What Jesus Said

The oldest account of what happened at the Last Supper comes
to us not from the Gospels but from the First Letter of Saint Paul to
the Corinthians: “I received from the Lord what I also handed on to
you, that the Lord Jesus, on the night he was handed over, took
bread, and, after he had given thanks, broke it and said, ‘This is my
body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me’ ” (11:23–24). In
our celebrations of the Eucharist, we are obedient to Christ’s com-
mand to “do this.” The priest, acting in the person of Christ, does
what Jesus did and says what Jesus said. He takes bread, gives
thanks, breaks it, and gives it to the Lord’s disciples. He takes wine,
gives thanks, shares it with us. We believe that the entire Eucharis-
tic Prayer is consecratory, but we continue to hold these words of
Jesus in special reverence. They are called the words of consecra-
tion, and the elevations of the host and chalice, the genuflections of
the priest, and the optional ringing of a bell and use of incense re-
mind us that we are in the presence of the Lord.

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WEEKLY OFFERING

August 22nd

Budget	\$1750
Actual	\$660
Bldg.	\$0
Short	\$1090

TODAY’S READINGS FOR YEAR B

First Reading — Moses directs the people to
observe the commandments of the Lord
(Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8).

Psalms — The one who does justice will live in the
presence of the Lord (Psalm 15).

Second Reading — Welcome the word that you
have received and become doers of the word, not
hearers only (James 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27).

Gospel — You disregard God’s commandment but
cling to human tradition (Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23).

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REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Parishioners

Grant Adams, Lucien Cravens, MaryAnn Maness,
Peggy Moss, Joey Wall,

Relatives

Kelli Blankenship, Thomas Blankenship, Austin
Ernst, Emily Ernst, Jackie Donnett, Andrew Grower,
Christine Hart and the twin boys Benjamin and
Theodore, Nicholas Kirkpatrick, Jenny Moore,
Andrew Morlan, Yu Youn Suk

Friends

Emma Cupples, Sunny Maness, Fr Robert Ponticello,
For all who have Covid 19

THE VALUE OF LABOR

Heaven is blessed with perfect rest but the
blessing of earth is toil.

—Henry Van Dyke

Special Collection

Catholic University of America
September 5th

Help Feed the Kids

The PRE students would like the whole
parish to join them in bringing non-
perishable food and placing it in the
basket in the Narthex. It will then be
distributed to our local schools to feed
those kids who need a meal on the
weekend. This is an ongoing project
during the school year.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Thes 4:13-18; Ps 96:1, 3-5, 11-13;
Lk 4:16-30
Tuesday: 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14;
Lk 4:31-37
Wednesday: Col 1:1-8; Ps 52:10-11; Lk 4:38-44
Thursday: Col 1:9-14; Ps 98:2-6; Lk 5:1-11
Friday: Col 1:15-20; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 5:33-39
Saturday: Col 1:21-23; Ps 54:3-4, 6, 8; Lk 6:1-5
Sunday: Is 35:4-7a; Ps 146:7-10; Jas 2:1-5;
Mk 7:31-37

Mass Schedule



Monday: 11:30 am
Wednesday: 11:30 am
Thursday: 9:00 am
First Friday: Adoration 9:00-
11:30 with Mass at 11:30 am
First Saturday: 9:00 am
Vigil on Saturday: 4:30 pm
Sunday: 9:00 am

Coming Events

**August 25th through September
7th,** Mary Alyce will be out of town
and the office will be closed.

Sunday, Sept 5th: Starting this Sun-
day, parishioners will again bring the
gifts to Father. Please consult the Li-
turgical Minister List that is in the
bulleting and on the bulletin board in
the Narthex. The Men of the Parish
will be passing the offering baskets if
our long handles baskets come in.

Next Sunday: There will be no PRE
due to Labor Day weekend.

Monday, September 6th, is Labor
Day and Mass will be at 9:00. The
office will be closed.