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### Mass Intentions

Aug 7th: Parishioners of St Andrew and St Regina  
 Aug 8th: Harold Segerson +  
 Aug 9th: Soul of Fr Gerard Van der Heydt by Thuy Hoang  
 Aug 11th: Faith for Children and Grandchildren by Thuy Hoang  
 Aug 12th: All Souls in Purgatory by Thuy Hoang  
 Aug 13th: Mark & Eileen Stevens + by Stan and Jean Stevens  
 Aug 14th: Parishioners of St Andrew and St Regina  
 Aug 15th: Ethel Huffman + by Stan and Jean Stevens

## Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 8, 2021

I am the living bread that came down from heaven.  
 — John 6: 51

### CIVIL DISCOURSE

“Do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God.” These words bring us up short! What could we be doing to grieve the Holy Spirit? Alas, the same things that the Ephesians were doing in the time of Paul, that is, fighting, shouting, reviling each other with fury, anger, and malice. Just tune in to talk radio some day or observe some “road rage” on the expressway. If we who are partakers of the Body of Christ can treat one another this way, what does that mean about our belief in Christ’s message of peace and reconciliation? The Eucharist is the sacrament of unity. It is communion with God and with each other. A good first step would be to speak civilly to each other, even in disagreement!

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### FEAST OF FAITH

#### Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus: Song of Heaven

The words of the Sanctus are rooted in the scriptures. They recall the song of the seraphim in the prophet Isaiah’s vision of God in majesty: “Seraphim were stationed above; each of them had six wings: with two they veiled their faces, with two they veiled their feet, and with two they hovered aloft. ‘Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts!’ ” (Isaiah 6:2-3). They recall the Gospel accounts of Jesus’ entry into Jerusalem: “Hosanna to the Son of David; blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord; hosanna in the highest” (Matthew 21:9). Yet the liturgy adds something new to these ancient texts. The seraphim sang, “the earth is filled with his glory.” But the liturgy proclaims, “heaven and earth are full of your glory.” In the Eucharist, earth and heaven meet. For a moment in time, we join in the song that the angels sing for all time. The Sanctus raises us to heaven, but does not remove us from the earth. It is the song of the King who took on our human flesh so that we might share in his divine life.

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## Liturgical Ministers

### Aug 15th:

**Lector:** Kathleen Kirkpatrick  
**Server:** Abigail Mize  
**Sacristans—**  
**Altar Linens —** Laurie Green, Mary Theresa Foster  
**Ushers—**Men of the Parish

### TODAY’S READINGS FOR YEAR B

**First Reading —** After resting and taking nourishment twice, Elijah is strengthened to walk to the mountain of God, Horeb (1 Kings 19:4-8).

**Psalm —** Taste and see the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 34).

**Second Reading —** Be sealed by the Holy Spirit of God so as to be imitators of God and live in love (Ephesians 4:30 — 5:2).

**Gospel —** Jesus professes that he is the living bread and whoever eats this bread will live forever (John 6:41-51).

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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

### Coming Events.

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

### MAKE DEPOSITS

Friendship is like a bank account. You can’t continue to draw on it without making deposits.

—Anonymous

### Volunteers Needed

We still need 2 volunteers to be sacristans on Sundays. Thank you to the parishioners that have stepped up to help.

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dt 10:12-22; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Mt 17:22-27  
 Tuesday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24-26  
 Wednesday: Dt 34:1-2; Ps 66:1-3a, 5, 8, 16-17; Mt 18:15-20  
 Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17; Ps 114:1-6; Mt 18:21 — 19:1  
 Friday: Jos 24:1-13; Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22, 24; Mt 19:3-12  
 Saturday: Jos 24:14-29; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-8, 11; Mt 19:13-15  
 Sunday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28  
Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56



### Mass Schedule

**Monday:** 11:30 am  
**Wednesday:** 11:30 am  
**Thursday:** 9:00 am  
**Friday:** 11:30 am  
**Vigil on Saturday:** 4:30 pm  
**Sunday:** 9:00 am

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

**PRE Classes for the 2021-22 school year will begin Sunday, August 15 after the 9 am Mass.**

PRE needs a teacher this school year for 6th grade. This class is the year preceding the Confirmation class. You will receive all of the necessary teaching manuals and any support you may need. A teaching degree is not a requirement, only your desire to help our youth in their faith journey.

### WEEKLY OFFERING

July 25th  
 Budget \$1750  
 Actual \$1301  
 Bldg. \$210  
 Short \$239