TWENTY-FIRST WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

St. Anthony of Padua Parish Church: Second & Ohio

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Mass Intentions For The Week

TUESDAY, AUGUST 27 12:05 +Margaret DeLucia

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28 12:05 VN Mass

THURSDAY, AUGUST 29
12:05 +William & Sandra Bugner

FRIDAY, AUGUST 30 12:05 +Jim Mies

SATURDAY, AUGUST 31

4:00 p.m. Intentions of the Claycomb Family 5:30 p.m. Vietnamese Mass

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

9:30 a.m. St. Anthony Parish Family 11:00 Vietnamese Mass

Liturgical Roles for Saturday, August 31, at 4:00 p.m.:

Lector: C. Claycomb E. Minister: R. Hartman

Ushers: J. & K. Cordell, B. Buhrman

Liturgical Roles for Sunday, September 1, at 9:30 a.m.:

Lector: D. Anton

E. Minister: D. Walterscheid

PARISH PRAYER LINE

+Jim Mies Jerry Warrell Rosa Reyneros Ukraine and its Citizens Kathy Hunter Johnny +Jim Garcia Julie Munoz Ares Reid Michelle Houchin Lisa Esbrook +Judy Freed +Laura Applegate Shauna McNally Lori Born

Good News!

August 25, 2024 Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time (B) Joshua 24:1–2a, 15–17, 18b /

Ephesians 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32 / John 6:60-69

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

One day I happened to be sitting and chatting with some teenagers. When the discussion turned to parents, expectations, and how they respond, I asked them, "What's really important to you? What do you value and try not to compromise on?" "Why do you want to know?" one asked. "Just wondering," I said. Silence. Then one said that being honest was really important to her, that she always tried to tell the truth. Another said "family." Another, respecting his body, said, "No drugs, no alcohol." More silence, and then one spoke of her faith and how it really mattered and made a difference in her life. Their conversation then moved on to other things, friends, movies, and what to do later that day.

In reality, I had another reason for asking my question, one beyond a simple inquiry. There is something good about saying aloud what is truly important to us, what we won't compromise on. Saying it out loud makes it more real, something we can stand for. Some of those teens didn't say anything, maybe because they had never thought about what their values were. Perhaps hearing others speak up inspired them to think about it, maybe for the first time in their lives. Saying aloud where we stand in life makes a difference.

Jesus reminds us that it is the spirit that gives life, that the flesh is of no avail. Some of those teens have already begun to realize this truth.

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OFFERING

August 18, 2024 English: \$ 11,665.30 Vietnamese \$ 9,587.00 Total: \$ 21,252.30

Happy September birthday to these parishioners: Jerry Cordell (September 22); Michelle Houchin (September 23); and Rosa Reyneros (September 29). Your birthday is a day to rest, relax, and enjoy the things that make you happiest. Above all it is a day to remind you of what a blessing you are to St. Anthony's. Many graces on your birthday and always.

> Respect Life and Social Justice Conference.

This conference serves to unite all who have a passion for protecting the Godgiven dignity of every person from the womb to the tomb. We invite all those who care about transforming our culture to recognize the God-given dignity of every person.

* When: September 14, 2024

9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

* Where: Cathedral of the Immaculate

Conception Pius X Room

(upstairs)

Cost:

\$25, includes lunch & materials

Please contact Sheri Sherfield to register. 316-269-3935 or, sherfields@catholic Dioceseofwichita.org.

We are in need of more Mass intentions. the stipend is \$10/Mass. You can drop your intentions in the collection basket. If a Mass is for someone deceased, please add a + by their name.c

Special Medjugorie Weekend

1. Friday, September 6, 2024 Medjugorje Eucharistic Healing Service at SEAS:

Confessions starting at 5:30 p.m. Mass at 6:30 p.m. followed by a healing encounter with our Lord

2. Saturday, September 7 at 5:30 p.m. Fourth Annual Mary Celebration and Funddraiser at SEAS. Catered Dinner. Amazing Speakers, and Live Auction.

Out of the Mouths of Babes

An exasperated mother, whose son was always getting into mischief, finally asked him, "How do you expect to get into Heaven?"

> The boy thought it over and said, "Well, I'll just run in and out and in and out and keep slamming the door until St. Peter says, "For Heaven's sake, Jimmy,

come in or stay out!"

unless one is able to live fully in the Present. uture hoax.

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