

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Do you think that I have come
to establish peace on earth?
No, I tell you, but rather division.”

Luke 12:51



St. Patrick

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REQUESTS FOR PRAYER

Prayer Requests Please remember the following people in your prayers this week: Reese Baird, Nancy Brown-Smith, Vida Freidlein, Mary Humer, Paula Ingram, Patty Kirby, Miss Barbara Kleiss, Henry Kocher, Frank Norton, Cathryn Pfeffer, Zoey Smith, Jay Warfel, Jeff Holt, Nancy Henry, Helen Birtcher, Katelyn Humer, Theresa O'Brien, Tammy Mayer, Ina Eckstein, Emily Colbert, Zachary Hufford, Jo Church, Becky Benson, Freida Woodcock, Gerald Fiscus, John Henry Baird and requested prayer intentions.

Financial Corner from August 10th, 2019**General Fund**

Regular Envelopes \$1367.00
Loose Collection \$71.00
Hall Rental \$250.00

Total \$1688.00

Separate Funds

Cemetery \$130.00
Building \$375.00

ADA Fund

Money Pledge \$17,090.00
2019 Goal \$26,268.00
Last Year's Balance \$6,941.00

**STEWARDSHIP**

Managing God's Gifts To Us

**Mass
Schedule****Saturday, August 17th**

4:00pm/Jeff Ping

Wednesday, August 21st

8:00am/Tom Spencer

Friday, August 23rd

8:00am/Rita Strafus

Saturday, August 24th

4:00pm/Darrell Millsap

Wednesday, August 28th

8:00am/Bruce Millsap

Friday, August 30th

8:00am/Don Spencer

Saturday, August 31st

4:00pm/Mary Rees

Wednesday, September 4th

8:00am/Betty Harden

Friday, September 6th

8:00am/Skip Hartman

Saturday, September 7th

4:00pm/Richard Breen

Confession Schedule

Saturdays 3:15-3:45 pm at Tolono

Wednesdays 7:15-7:45 am at Tolono

Fridays 7:15-7:45 am at Tolono

Any other time by appointment

**Father Fredi Office Hours**

Wednesdays 9:00 am to 10:30 am

Fridays 9:00 am to 10:30 am Or by Appointment

**LITURGICAL
MINISTRIES****Saturday, August 17th@ 4:00pm Mass**

Lector: Beth Hewing

Gifts: Volunteers

Ushers: Denny Morgan, Larry Meyer

EMHC: Sharon Morgan, Christine Schwenk, Rick Bates

Saturday, August 24th@4:00pm Mass

Lector: Jon Baker

Gifts: Volunteers

Ushers: Jim Hand, Tom Tempel

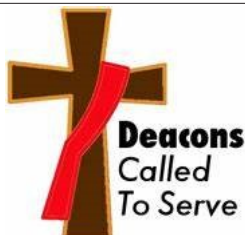
EMHC: Annette Wishall, Carol Miller, Mike Miller



The Lord came to the aid of Jeremiah whose preaching brought upon him rejection and ill treatment. For those who take the gospel seriously, misunderstanding and division must likewise be expected. Like Christ, we must never grow despondent or abandon the struggle to proclaim and live the truth.

Diaconate Candidate

On Sunday, August 18th, 2019, Jon Baker, with his wife Kim of our parish, was accepted by Bishop Daniel R. Jenky as a candidate for ordination to the Permanent Diaconate of the Diocese of Peoria. Beginning in 2017, Jon has been engaged in a five year period of formation which may lead him to ordination in May of 2022. Jon and Kim have been attending weekend inquiry classes. During this time, under direction of the Diaconate Formation Staff of our Diocese, Jon has been discerning his vocation of service to the Church, our Diocese and our Parish. Study and discernment of vocation will continue during the next three years. Please pray for Jon and Kim and all of the members of Class XI who seek to serve the church in ministries of Word and worship, Justice and Charity.



Local Volunteer Opportunities

We are looking for a volunteer to join the Catholic Charities Caring Companions Program to help us with grocery shopping for a homebound resident of Tolono. Another volunteering opportunity is the food pantry at St. Patrick's in Tolono which is open on Monday evenings and Friday mornings. If interested, please contact Kim McAvoy at 637-2395 or kmcavoy@ccdop.org

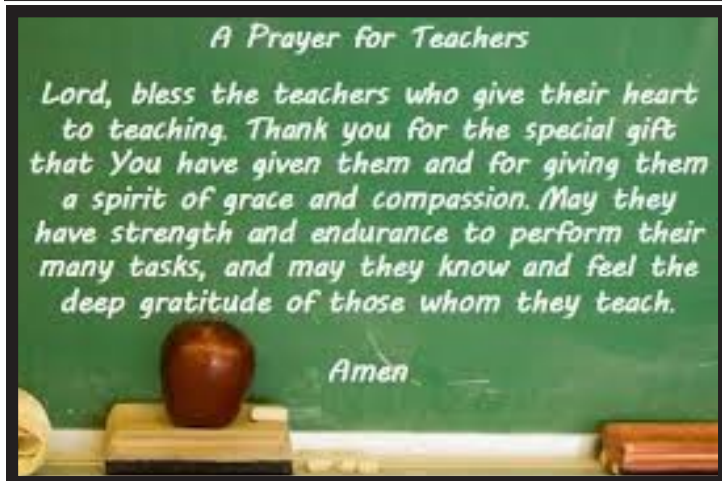
Portillo's Fundraiser

Our next fundraiser will be at Portillo's in Champaign on August 19th. All proceeds will go towards our tuition balance for the 2019/2020 for St. Thomas and St. Thomas Moore. The flyers are available in the back of church.



Office Hours Changed

Effective immediately the office hours have changed from 8:30 am to 11:00 am. Thank you for your understanding.



St. Thomas Moore News

Employment Opportunities

The High School of St. Thomas More is seeking applicants for a Spanish Teacher and a Head Wrestling Coach. If interested email Sr. M. Bridget at srmbridget@hs-stm.org

Saint Thomas More is also seeking bus drivers to aid in transportation to extra-curricular events. If you are interested in driving, please contact Thomas Welte at twelte@hs-stm.org. They are now accepting application for the 2019-2020 school year. For questions, call 819-5702. Visit www.hs-stm.org for the application and more details.



Sign Up Sheets for Altar & Rosary

A & R volunteer sign-up sheets are in the back of church. New members are very welcome! Our first meeting will be in September.

Pro-Life Events

Respect Life Conference:

The Diocese of Peoria invites you to the Inaugural Respect Life Conference: The Truth Will Set You Free! September 13th and September 14th, 2019. The event will be at Spalding Pastoral Center, 419 NE Madison Avenue, Peoria, IL. Keynote speakers include Ryan Bomberger, Rev. Alfred Cioffi, SThd, PHD, Sister Marysia Weber, RSM, Do, MA, Sister Mary Angela Alexander, RSM, Kevin Burke, MSS/LSW, MEV. We will have a closing Vigil Mass at 4 pm Saturday, September 14th, 2019 celebrated by Bishop Daniel Jenky, CSC. The cost for college students and young adults is \$10.00 it covers Friday evening event and Saturday all day conference. (Received by September 7, 2019). Saturday all day conference (includes lunch): Early Registration: \$25.00 (received by August 13). Late registration: \$40.00 (received by September 7). Priest and religious free: Must Register! To register online: <https://cdop.weshareonline.org/RespectLifeConference> For more information contact: Suzie Meisner at: 309-966-0385 or email: smeisner@ccdop.org or visit our webpage: <https://cdop.org/respect-life-conference/>

Help Build a Culture of Life in Illinois

Birtheright of Champaign-Piatt Counties is looking for pro-life volunteers to help pregnant women in need. Volunteers are needed as "listeners" who encourage women to choose life. Behind-the-scenes volunteers are also needed. With the recent extreme abortion law in Illinois your witness for life is more important than ever. If interested please call (217) 351-7744 or email birtherightchampaign@gmail.com. Birtheright is an all-volunteer, non-denominational crisis pregnancy center with chapters throughout the world. Our local chapter is located in the Huntington Tower at 201 W. Springfield Ave #206, Champaign, IL.

Pro-Life Discussion Open to Everyone

3rd Monday of the Month, 1:00 pm (next meeting is August 19th) Location: Holy Cross Parish Center, Mezzanine room, 405 W. Clark St. Champaign. Grab the beverage of your choice and join us for discussion.

Community Prayer at Adoration

Wednesdays at 9:00 am and 1:00 pm, St. Matthew Adoration Chapel, Saturdays at 1:00 pm with Catholic Daughters of Americas, St. Matthew Adoration Chapel Daily, after the 7 am St. Matthew Daily Mass, join in praying in reparation for adoration, St. Matthew Adoration Chapel. Please ask for Mercy for all souls, in all situations and for all to turn toward God.

