# THIRTEENTH SUNDAY

Und whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink because he is a disciple—amen, I say to you, he will surely not lose his reward. Matthew 10:42



All Saints

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July 2, 2023



## **PARISH STAFF**

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Mass Schedule Saturday Vigil Mass: 4:00 p.m. Sunday Masses: 8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Tuesday Communion Service 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, Thursday & Friday Mass: 9:30 a.m.

**Reconciliation/Confession Times Saturdays:** 3:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. or by appointment

**Church Office Hours** 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Monday - Friday

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# SACRAMENTS

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**Baptism**: The celebration of Baptism is a moment of Grace for those to be baptized, for their families, and for the entire Parish Community. Preparation class is held the last Wednesday of each month at 7pm. Please call the office to RSVP. A Parish is a certain community of the Christian faithful stably constituted in a particular church, whose pastoral care is entrusted to a pastor (Code of Canon Law #515). Therefore, it is important for parishioners to register for contact and pastoral reasons. You must have a sponsor letter from the parish in which each of the godparents reside. A godparent must have received the sacraments of Baptism, Penance, Holy Communion and, if married, have been married in the Catholic Church. Marriage: Couples planning to be married must see a priest at least six months prior to the planned marriage. Couples seeking to be married at All Saints need to fulfill the All Saints pre-marriage process. The Wedding Coordinator and/or the Pastor will provide the couple with the guidelines and secure the date and time of the wedding. Do not set a date in advance until

time of the wedding. Do not set a date in advance until you have spoken to the pastor. Anointing of the Sick: Please call the Parish Office if

you or a member of your family need the Sacrament of Anointing.

After Hours Sick Calls: In case of serious illness after hours, please call 803-493-1714 and leave a message.

# MISSION STATEMENT

We are a Catholic Community dedicated to proclaiming Christ's message of love and salvation through worship, sacraments, and ministries.

## July 2, 2023

# MASS INTENTIONS

	July 1	
4:00 pm	Michael Spurlock	+
	July 2	
8:00 am	Judy DeFay	+
11:00 am	Miriam and Dick Gibson	+
	July 5	
9:30 am	Kenny Atkinson	+
	July 6	
9:30 am	Lloyd Kurtz	+
	July 7	
9:30 am	Holy Souls	+

# THE WEEK AHEAD

## Saturday 7/1, Weekday

2:00 pm Miller Baptism 2:45 pm Choir Practice 3:00 pm Confessions 3:30 pm Rosary 4:00 pm Mass + Michael Spurlock **Building Fund Distribution of Flags** Sunday 7/2, Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 7:30 am Rosary 8:00 am Mass + Judy DeFay 9:00 am Patriotic Rosary 10:30 am Choir Practice 10:30 am Rosary 11:00 am Mass + Miriam and Dick Gibson 12:15 pm Ulmer Baptism **Building Fund Distribution of Flags** Monday 7/3, ST. THOMAS, APOSTLE 7:00 pm Beta Group - St. Michael 7:30 pm Boy Scouts - St. Peter Tuesday 7/4, Weekday **OFFICE IS CLOSED** 9:30 am Communion Service

# THE WEEK AHEAD continued

#### Wednesday 7/5, Weekday

9:30 am Mass + Kenny Atkinson Meet and Greet 11:00 am Divine Mercy Cenacle - McGivney Thursday 7/6, Weekday 9:30 am Mass + Lloyd Kurtz Adoration after Mass until 11:30 am 10:00 am Faith Sharing - Lending Library 10:00 am Women's Bible Study - McGivney 11:00 am Assisted Living Mass 6:00 pm Legion of Mary - McGivney Friday 7/7, Weekday 9:30 am Mass + Holy Souls Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotion Adoration after Mass until 12:00 pm Saturday 10:30 am You Can Do It (Surviving Spouses) Saturday 7/8, Weekday 11:00 am Mahony Baptism 2:45 pm Choir Practice 3:00 pm Confessions 3:30 pm Rosary 4:00 pm Mass + Deceased members of the Kennedy and Imrich families Peter's Pence FOOD DRIVE Sunday 7/9, Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 7:30 am Rosary 8:00 am Mass + Lorrie Plessinger 10:30 am Choir Practice 10:30 am Rosary 11:00 am Mass + Anne Watts Peter's Pence FOOD DRIVE



There will be coffee and light refreshments after the 8:00 a.m. Mass Sunday!!



The flowers on the altar this weekend were donated by Kathy Rapp in thanksgiving for the second anniversary of her stem cell transplant.

## July 2, 2023

# **TODAY'S READINGS**

First Reading - Genuine hospitality is highly praised. (2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a) Psalm 89 - "For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord." Second Reading - We must consider ourselves dead to sin. (Romans 6:3-4, 8-11) Gospel - Whoever does not take up the cross is not worthy of Christ. (Matthew 10: 37-42)

The Holy Spirit draws us to this holy place each week to join together as a faith community to celebrate the Eucharist. Eucharistia literally means "thanksgiving" and we are forever thankful to God for sending the Son, who gives us his Body and Blood to nourish us, to redeem us, and to give us eternal life. May the Lord's acceptance of his cross give us the courage to carry our own crosses, and inspire us to help those whose crosses are too heavy to carry themselves.

For your convenience Online Giving is available on our website at allsaintslakewylie.com.



## ADORATION SIGN UPS

#### For July 7th and 8th

Adoration will be after 9:30 am Mass on Friday through 12:00 pm on Saturday Legion of Mary will be taking sign ups Contact: Janie Davis 803-412-2708 janie.davis@me.com You Affect The Lives Of Every Person In The World During Your Holy Hour "...Could you not keep watch with me for one hour?" Matthew 26:4 Join the Legion of Mary in praying an Hour of Reparation to the Sacred Heart of Jesus on Friday @ 8:00 PM Join the Knights of Columbus in praying a Rosary Saturday @ 8:00 AM



### **FOOD DRIVE**



The All Saints Council of the Knights of Columbus is sponsoring a food drive as part of their Food for Families Program. This month the Clover Area Assistance Center (CAAC) is in need of: canned meats (tuna, chicken, salmon, spam, ham), instant potatoes (boxed or bagged), flavored boxed potatoes (scalloped, Au gratin), canned greens (i.e., collards, turnip, spinach), canned vegetables (beets, asparagus, cabbage, mixed veggies), canned beans (cannellini, navy, black eyed peas, kidney and pinto), canned tomato products (stewed, crushed, whole, Manwich sauce), boxed stuffing, canned pork and beans, beanie weenies, instant brown rice, pasta, ramen noodles, macaroni and cheese, condiments (ketchup, mustard, mayo), soft breakfast bars, soft granola bars, jelly, toilet paper, and dish soap. PLEASE NO CANNED CORN or GREEN BEANS. These will be distributed to needy families in our community. Please take all food items for FOOD FOR FAMILIES to the main kitchen. Collection will take place the weekend of July 8th and 9th. We collected 421# of food last month. The next food drive will be the weekend of August 5th and 6th.



Many thanks for your presence, support, and prayers for the dedication of our convent. Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul

## **COLUMBARIUM UPDATE**

Work has commenced on the new columbarium. To reserve a niche the cost is: \$2,500 for a single \$4,000 for a double.

The niches can be paid in increments of \$250 in a timely manner.

# Stewardship Reflection July 2, 2023 — Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today's readings take us back to some basics of stewardship living. The First Reading shows us the necessity and power of hospitality. The Second Reading reminds us what it is that makes us disciples and Christian stewards in the first place (hint: it's our Baptism). Finally, in today's Gospel, Christ teaches us how to live daily life as His stewards.

Our First Reading, from 2 Kings, tells the story of a woman who showed loving hospitality to a visitor, inviting him to dinner with her family and arranging a room for him in their home so that he would have a comfortable place to stay during his travels through her town. She reached out to the man in a simple and practical manner to make him feel welcome. That is the essence of Christian hospitality. As it turns out, this man was none other than the prophet Elisha. He rewarded her kindness by interceding with God to obtain for her the miracle of a baby boy after long years of infertility.

In our Second Reading, from the Letter to the Romans, St. Paul reminds us of the power of our Baptism and how it is that this sacrament makes us disciples and therefore stewards. He says that through Baptism "into Christ Jesus" we were both buried with Christ and now are alive in Christ. We are literally new creations, marked for all eternity as one of His own. What does that mean for us here and now? St. Paul tells us very clearly: "You too must think of yourselves as dead to sin and living for God in Christ Jesus." We must live for Christ! Nothing less will do.

Our Lord Himself proclaims this same instruction in a rather shocking way in our Gospel passage from Matthew: "Whoever loves father or mother... son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me." And, "Whoever finds his life [by living for oneself] will lose it, and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it." How can all all-loving Lord say such things? Precisely because He is the source of all love — He is love incarnate. We can only love others, and even ourselves truly, if we allow ourselves to be emptied of self-love and filled with God's love.

This is why our Lord tells us we must "lose our lives." Putting ourselves or others — even those dearest to us — above God simply cannot give us the ultimate fulfillment and peace of soul that we all want. Only God can do that. Only loving God first and living for Christ — "losing our life" — can do that.

But how do we know if we love God more than "father or mother or son or daughter"? Jesus tells us in the next verses. And the fascinating genius of it all is that it is precisely through loving actions towards others, loving them as if they were Christ, that we demonstrate our love for Christ! "Whoever gives only a cup of cold water to one of these little ones to drink because the little one is a disciple... he will surely not lose his reward."

So, we have come full circle to the importance of hospitality, and to putting God first in our lives because we have become disciples of Christ through our Baptism. We put God first by serving others as if we were serving Christ Himself, thus losing a self-centered life and finding our true ful-fillment.

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#### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

Faith Formation, Joanne Kazista
Confirmation
Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW)
Vacation Bible School
Baptism Class, Deacon Andy Fatovic and
Deacon John Hall
R.C.I.A., Joanne Kazista
Adult Faith Study,
Jon & Pat Varvel831-8247
Faith Sharing,
Joanne Kazista
Women's Bible Study
Johne Dobbs 217-254-5261

#### SUPPORT OF THE PARISH

Bulletin, Wendy Mason	
Flowers & Plants, Linda Schifferle	704-678-5385
Kitchen Keepers, Rich Kruger	847-878-9725
Joe Quercia	516-635-6415
Parish Liaison, Mary Cussen	708-785-6112
Restore Mobility	704-906-6021
Safe Environment, Joanne Kazista	
Safety Team, Joe DePalma	704-301-8149
Saint Vincent de Paul, Lou Foery	
Sound, Jim Bryant	704-371-9469
Wedding Coordinator, Ricki Alley	

#### **PARISH ORGANIZATIONS**

#### REGISTRATION

If you are new to our parish, you are encouraged to register as soon as possible. Registration in a parish is the norm. It is helpful information for enrollment in Religious Education programs, sacramental preparation, and sponsorship certificates. Registration forms are in the Vestibule.

#### **CLOSED WEEKENDS FOR 2023**

(Closed weekends mean there will be no selling or collecting of items.) July 22-23 August 26-27 September 23-24 October 14-15

MINISTRIES				
Adult Senior Fellowship, Carla Cullon831-8549				
Altar Servers, Deacon Andy609-439-6134				
Annulments, Janie Davis				
Bereavement Ministry, Joan Epping704-301-4745				
Catechists, Joanne Kazista				
Dining Out Group, Mary Long746-5881				
Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist,				
Deacon Andy				
Faith and Family Fellowship, Kristen Dineen				
Friends of the Oratory, Jon Varvel				
Feed the Flock, Charlotte Worobec941-234-5060				
Greeters, Stephanie Cates				
GriefShare, Deacon John Hall628-8956				
Historian, Russ Bumba				
Homebound Ministry, Deacon Andy609-439-6134				
Lectors, Deacon Andy609-439-6134				
Marthas & Marys, Dana Hogue704-451-5707				
Grace Caldwell479-650-7708				
Middle and High School Youth Ministry,				
Joe and Angela Salamone423-421-5012				
Music Coordinator, Kaye Lewis				
Organist 5:00 p.m., Kaye Lewis				
Organist 11:00 a.m., Cecilia Carlson				
Contact 8:00 a.m., AJ Rohaly704-941-7455				
Children's Choir, Mary Beth Hall				
Newcomers Ministry, Mary Long746-5881				
Parish Pastoral Council, Fr. John Giuliani 831-9095				
Prayer Angels, Carla Cullon				
Prayer Shawl Ministry, Kathy Rapp684-7852				
Ranger Rosary, Julie Byrne704-578-2800				
Respect for Life, Connor Leahy746-5545				
Sacristans, Stephanie Cates				
Ushers, Connor Leahy746-5545				
Wholistic Ministry, Pam Cullen443-223-1326				
You Can Do It, (Surviving Spouses),				
Linda Compton				

#### PARISH ALLOWED ORGANIZATIONS

Boy Scouts, Chad Beaulieu	860-869-7622			
Girl Scouts, Kristy Strong	810-241-3631			
Girl Scouts, Lucinda Woodard	803-465-3183			
Knights of Columbus Council, Scottie Tilley				
	704-519-5006			
K of C Membership Director, Joe Salamone				
	423-421-5012			
K of C Assembly, Lou Foery	803-627-4743			
Legion of Mary, Kate Eastaway	918-671-0970			

#### July 2, 2023

# **BLESSINGS OF FINANCIAL** STEWARDSHIP

The collection for the weekend of June 25th will appear in next week's bulletin.

Dear parishioners of all Saints Parish, Thank you for the generous gift of \$3,349.50 for the Friends of The Oratory. It is wonderful to be able to count on your continued support. May the Lord continue to bless you all.

In Jesus and St. Philip Neri, Father Agustin Guzman, C. O. **Director-Friends of the Oratory** 





Join us in praying the rosary before all Masses. We pray in St. Peter's Room at 3:30 pm on Saturdays, 7:30 am and 10:30 am on Sundays.

The tithe for the weekend of June 25th is for the Pastor's Discretion.

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## **UPCOMING COLLECTIONS—2023**

- July 8-9 July 15-16 August 5-6 August 15 August 19-20
- Peter's Pence Infirm Priests **Building Fund** Assumption **Disaster Relief**

## **Peter's Pence**

Next week we will take up the Peter's Pence Collection to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including helping Pope Francis to carry out his charitable works. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous. For more information, visit www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html.



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