August 20, 2017 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASSES FOR THE WEEK Tuesday 22nd 9^{am} + Joe Ball – Frank & Becky Wednesday 23rd 9^{am} + David Fontana – Gertie Bujold Thursday 24th at Rainycrest **10**^{am} + Margaret Lambert – Steve & Shirley Buttner 7^{pm} at Bear's Pass Chapel Friday 25th 9^{am} + Valentina Donasco – Teresita Marsh 7^{pm} + Lawrence Allan – Don & Bea Galbraith Saturday 26th 5^{pm} Intentions of Isabella Keuler - Grandma Sunday 27th - (9^{am} at Our Lady of Lourdes) 9^{am} + Yves DeGagné – The Family **11**^{am} Intentions of all Parishioners

August 20, 2017 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time **1st reading: (Isaiah 56.1, 6-7)** 2nd reading: (Romans 11.13-15, 29-32) Gospel: (Matthew 15.21-29)

In your prayers, please remember those

who are sick: Eva Mattson, Arlene Steinke, Ewan MacKintosh. Rosalie Cousineau. Shirley Fraser, Nick Mutz, Kari Urquart, Ernie McColeman, Queenie Leschinski, Maurice DeGagné, Nicole LePine, Larry Mattson, Dianne Pattison, Noella & Rick Hamilton, Laurent Smits, Father Michael Mitchell, David Whalen, Isabella Keuler

What's going on?!

August 25 – Youth Garage Sale 6:00pm-8:00pm August 26 – Youth Garage Sale 8:00am-12:00pm August 29 – CWL Executive Meeting 1:30pm September 5 – Knights of Columbus Meeting 6:30pm September 6 – CWL General Meeting – 7:00pm

> Offertory Collection for Bear's Pass Weekend Of August 6th - \$161.00 August 13th - \$151.50

Tuesday Mass & Eucharistic Adoration Schedule

Starting the first week of September our mass schedule will be Mass on Tuesdays at 6:00pm and Adoration on Friday at 9:30am. The first Friday Adoration will be September 1st. The first Tuesday Mass at 6:00pm will be September 5th.

August 27, 2017 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASSES FOR THE WEEK Tuesday 29th 9^{am} Communion Service Wednesday 30th 9^{am} Communion Service Thursday 31st at Rainycrest **10**^{am} Communion Service Friday 1st 9^{am} Communion Service Saturday 2nd 5^{pm} + Grace Armstrong – Phyllis & Lynn Kellar Sunday 3rd - (9^{am} at Our Lady of Lourdes) **9**^{am} Intentions of all Parishioners 11^{am} + Deceased members of the Oster Family

August 27, 2017 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st reading: (Isaiah 22.15, 19-23) 2nd reading: (Romans 11.33-36) **Gospel:** (Matthew 16.13-20)



OUR LADY OF LOURDES PARISH NEWS In your prayers, please remember those who are sick:

Jan Adams, Linda Anderson, Greg Perreault, Doug Cross, George Supinski, Peyton Calder, Rosie Bird, Curtis Jourdain, Florence Lampi, Jan Glueheisen, Phyllis Johnson (Bruyere)

Offertory Collection for Our Lady of Lourdes Weekend of August 6th - \$752.72 August 13th - \$663.60

> Offertory Collection for St. Mary's Weekend Of August 6th – \$1911.90 August 13th – \$1766.54

> > **Counting Teams** August 21st – Linda September 5th – Marg September 11th – Evelyn September 18th - Linda



Congratulations to Jeff & Nicole Kropelin who had their daughter, Sophia Marie Kropelin baptized on August 6th.



The last mass at Bear's Pass Chapel will be on August 25th.



All Youth Group registrations will be September 9th & 10th after Mass. Cost is \$80 for

EDGE and \$160 for Lifeteen. EDGE is for youth in Grades 6-9 and Lifeteen is for youth in grades 9-12.





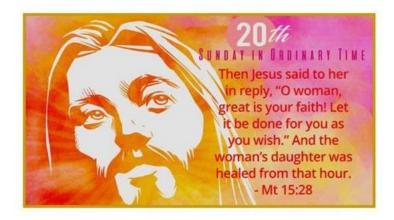
On September 12 & 13 all the Youth Groups will be making salsa. They need donations of apples and tomatoes. Clean 250ml and 500ml jars are also welcome.

DISCOVERY BIBLE CAMP - LOST & FOUND

The lost & found will be moved to the basement. The containers that belong to the wonderful people who donated baking to camp will be downstairs as well. Thank you!!

GARAGE SALE: We will be having a final Summer Garage Sale on August 25th, 6pm-8pm and August 26th, 8am-12pm with a drop off date of August 24th, 6pm-8pm at St. Mary's Parish. If you wish to donate items to the sale or arrange a drop off or pickup please call or text Kenny Desjardins at 807-276-4079

<u>FYI</u>: This will be the last double bulletin for the summer. The bulletin will be printed weekly starting in September.



<u>Food for Your Journey – Always Hitting</u> <u>the Bullseye</u>

There was once a Jewish rabbi who had the habit of answering every question by telling a story. One day, one of his students asked him how he was able to do that so successfully.

Smiling impishly, the old teacher replied: "That reminds me of a story. Once, a young soldier was traveling through the country when he stopped to rest his horse in a small village. As he walked around the small houses, he spotted a wooden fence. On the pickets were a dozen small chalk circles and right in the center of each was a bullet hole. 'What amazing accuracy,' the soldier thought as he examined the fence. 'There is not a single shot that has not hit the bullseye.'

"The soldier quickly set out to find the one who possessed such a great skill. He was told that the sharpshooter was a small boy. 'Who taught you how to shoot so well?' the soldier asked.

"I taught myself," the young lad replied.

"Not yet satisfied, the soldier kept asking, To what do you attribute your great skill?"

"Actually,' the young lad began, 'it is not very difficult at all. First I shoot at the wall, and then I take a piece of chalk and draw circles around the holes."

The rabbi chuckled for a moment. "Now you know my secret. I don't look for a story to answer a question. I collect every good story or parable I hear and store it in my memory. When the right occasion or question arises, I point the story in its direction. In effect, I simply draw a circle around a hole that is already there."

<u>A Smile for your Journey – A Matter of</u> <u>Perspective</u>

Three clergymen were deep in a discussion of the best positions for praying while a telephone repairman worked nearby.

"Kneeling is definitely best," claimed one.

"No," another contended. "I get the best results standing with my arms outstretched to heaven."

"You're both wrong," the third argued. "The most effective prayer position is lying on the floor facedown."

The telephone repairman could contain himself no longer. "Hey, guys," he interrupted, "the best prayin' I ever did was hanging upside down from a telephone pole."