

THE BULLETIN



St. Therese
OF LISIEUX

September 27, 2026
26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



CONNECTING POINT

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"Actions speak louder than words!" "Talk is cheap!" "Put your money where your mouth is!" "Do as I say, not as I do!" "Say what you mean and mean what you say!" All of these sayings have to do with "paying lip service" rather than getting something done. Most, if

not all, of us are guilty of doing this at some point in our lives—talking about something but not doing anything. We must remember, however, that actions speak louder than words! This adage is also very true in our faith lives.

In this weekend's Gospel reading, we hear the story of the two brothers who respond differently to the Father's request. One brother says what the Father wants to hear, while the other eventually does what the Father wills—and is ultimately esteemed by Jesus.

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► How do I walk the talk of my faith?

These two practical examples in the Parable of the Two Sons emphasize the importance of actions over words in our faith lives. Thus, this teaching offers important insights for the life of discipleship.

First, note how easily one can say “yes” to God’s will without understanding what that commitment entails or without even intending to fulfill it in daily life. We enter into commitments of faith sometimes without even realizing it. Such commitments benefit us only if we are prepared to fulfill them. The Jewish leaders of Jesus’ time went to hear John the Baptist’s preaching (Matthew 3:5–7a), but they did not conform their lives to it. Therefore, they implicitly said “yes” by going to hear him but then failed to respond to his teaching and ended up saying “no.” For Christians, upon our baptisms, we enter into commitments of faith that oblige us to become members of Christ’s Body, temples of the Holy Spirit, children of God, active members of the Church, and so forth. We also enter into a profound commitment of faith when

we receive the Eucharist and are commissioned to become the Body of Christ in the world, allowing the Lord’s presence in the Eucharist to live in and through us.

The second thing to focus on is the importance that Jesus gives to actually *doing* the will of God. A great saying states, “People may not believe what you say, but they will believe what you do.” Matthew’s Gospel previously reiterated this point when Jesus said, “Not everyone who says to me, ‘Lord, Lord’, will enter the kingdom of heaven, but only the one who does the will of my Father in heaven” (Matthew 7:21–22). Actions always speak louder than words. In an ideal world, both our words and actions would conform to the will of God. The sad reality of human weakness is that it is easier to say the right thing than to *do* the right thing. So, in our relationships with God, our actions are usually what’s lacking. An authentic relationship of faith calls for a complete and consistent response to God’s will—both in what we profess and how we live.



The question for each of us this week is, “Do I walk the talk of my faith, or do I simply talk about my faith but not really live it out in my everyday life?” A wonderful role model for each of us is St. Francis of Assisi. St. Francis actually lived out his faith daily instead of simply preaching about it. The famous quote (misattributed to St. Francis), “Preach the Gospel at all times, and when necessary, use words,” is something we are all required to do as disciples of Jesus Christ.

CALENDAR

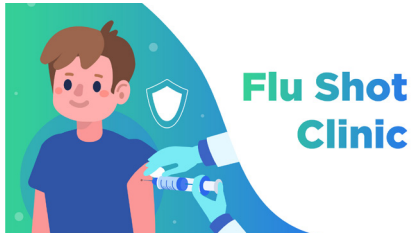
SEPTEMBER 27 - OCTOBER 4

SUN 27 9 AM OFFICE HOURS 7:30 AM VACCINE EVENT 8 AM MASS 9:45 AM MASS / LITTLE LAMBS / CHILDREN'S CHURCH 11:45 AM MASS / LITTLE LAMBS / CHILDREN'S CHURCH 1:30 PM CHALDEAN MASS 2 PM RETROUVAILLE MTG 6 PM YOUTH GROUP	MON 28 9:30 AM STRETCH & STRENGTH 2 PM ROSARY	TUE 29 7 AM AA MTG 8:30 AM MASS 9:30 AM BIBLE STUDY 1 PM GRIEF SUPPORT 7 PM PARISH FINANCE COUNCIL MTG	WED 30 8:30 AM MASS 9:30 AM STRETCH & STRENGTH 6:30 PM LIVING FAITH PARENT MTG 7 PM CHOIR REHEARSAL
THU 1 OFFICE CLOSED 2-3 PM FOR STAFF MTG 7 AM AA MTG 8:30 AM MASS 9 AM EUCHARISTIC ADORATION (W/ PRAISE, WORSHIP, & DINNER UNTIL 6:55 PM) 9:30 AM RAMBLING ROSES 3 PM CONFESSIONS 6:30 PM BIBLE STUDY 7 PM MASS	FRI 2 OFFICE CLOSED 8:30 AM MASS 9:30 AM STRETCH & STRENGTH 10 AM FUNERAL - GEORGE STERLING 6 PM PUMPKIN PATCH PARTY	SAT 3 3 PM OFFICE HOURS 8 AM SHE SHALL BE CALLED WOMAN 11 AM BAPTISM 4:30 PM MASS	SUN 4 9 AM OFFICE HOURS 7 AM K OF C BREAKFAST 8 AM MASS 9:45 AM MASS & CHILDREN'S CHURCH 11:45 AM MASS & CHILDREN'S CHURCH 1 PM RTL PRAYER CHAIN 1:30 PM CHALDEAN MASS 2 PM RETROUVAILLE MTG 3 PM CONCERT REHEARSAL

Monday - Thursday 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM • Friday Closed • Saturday 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM

Sunday 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM • Lunch 12 - 1 PM (Mon-Thurs)

EVENTS



SUN | SEPT 27 | 7:30 AM - 12:30 PM

FLU VACCINE CLINIC

We will host our annual flu vaccine event (administered by Kroger) before and after Masses in the Gathering Space. The shingles, pneumonia, hepatitis, and COVID vaccines will also be available. You can register by calling 586-254-4433

or emailing Marilync@stol.church. Walk-ins will also be accommodated. Many insurance plans cover the annual vaccination, and those covered by Medicare Part B can get it for free. Be sure to bring your insurance cards.



FRI | OCT 2 | 6 - 8 PM

PUMPKIN PATCH PARTY

Get ready to unleash your inner artist and embrace the fall spirit at our Pumpkin Patch Party! This event promises a fantastic time filled with creativity, laughter, and autumn joy. Whether you're a seasoned artist or a beginner, this event is perfect

for all ages and skill levels. We'll have hot cider and donuts, games, bonfires, s'mores, and more. Please register by scanning the QR code or visiting stol.church/pumpkin-patch-party/.



SUN | OCT 4 | BEGINS ~1 PM

RTL-LIFESPAN PRAYER CHAIN & ROSARY

After Mass, Right-to-Life Lifespan will have its annual Lifechain public prayer and rosary outside, in front

of the church. Please join us in respectful public witness and prayer to support life.

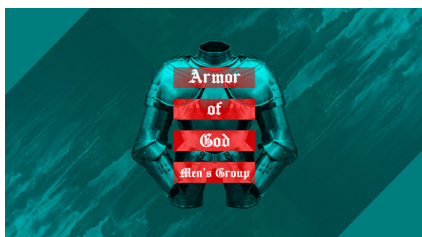


SUN | OCT 4 | BEGINS 4 PM

PET BLESSING

As we reflect on St. Francis of Assisi, gather in the south parking lot on his feast day to celebrate the bond between humans and our furry, feathered, and scaly friends. A special blessing will be offered,

and following, children ages six and under are invited to bring their favorite stuffed animal for another blessing, followed by fun, animal-themed games, activities, and a special snack.

**MON | OCT 5 | BEGINS 7 PM****ARMOR OF GOD MEN'S GROUP**

At this session, we will continue using the new video series sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. This series has a booklet

to help facilitate the discussions. If you didn't receive it at the first gathering, you can pick one up at this session.

**WED | OCT 7 | BEGINS 7 PM****YOUNG ADULTS: LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOR BIBLE STUDY**

Join us for an evening of Scripture, reflection, and meaningful conversation as we explore what it truly means to love our neighbor. We'll discuss how Christian love goes beyond feelings and how we can put

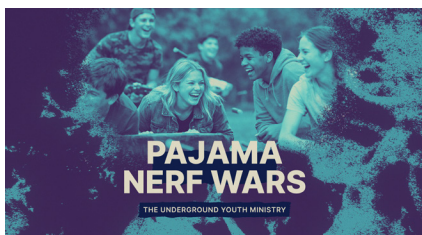
it into practice in our friendships, relationships, families, workplaces, and everyday lives. Come as you are, bring your thoughts and questions, and join us as we grow together in faith and community.

**FRI | OCT 9 | BEGINS 7 PM****LAUGH MORE, LOVE LONGER: KEEPING MARRIAGE PLAYFUL**

Come laugh, reconnect, and rediscover the joy of being married—no matter how many years it's been since you said, "I do." This relaxed evening is designed for couples of all ages who want to keep their relationship playful, strong, and full of grace. Enjoy a light-hearted

presentation, practical ideas, and gentle encouragement rooted in faith. Leave refreshed, smiling, and reminded that fun and love can grow deeper with time. All married couples are welcome! Register online or in the Parish Office.

REGISTER
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**SUN | OCT 11 | 6 - 7:30 PM****THE UNDERGROUND YOUTH MINISTRY: PAJAMA NERF WARS**

The night you've been waiting for is finally here—with a comfy twist: Pajama Nerf Wars! It's time to gear

up, throw on your favorite pajamas, and get ready for some friendly competition.

**FRI - SUN | OCT 16 - 18 | FARMINGTON HILLS****RETRouvaille WEEKEND**

Do you feel lost, alone, or bored in your marriage? Are you frustrated, hurt, or angry with your spouse? Retrouvaille can help! Retrouvaille is a marriage recovery program that consists of a weekend experience and follow-up sessions. The next

weekend experience is approaching! Come improve your marriage with a tried-and-true communications method that's still going strong after 49 years. For information and registration, call 800-470-2230 or visit HelpOurMarriage.org.

EVENTS (CONT'D)



SIGN UP
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SAT | OCT 17 | 9 AM - 1:30 PM | ST. ISIDORE

HARMONY & HOPE: A DEMENTIA SEMINAR

This inspiring seminar will explore the physical, mental, and spiritual dimensions of dementia through expert presentations, practical caregiving strategies, community resources, and faith-filled encouragement. Whether you are

living with dementia, caring for someone, or simply want to learn more, you are warmly invited.

Registration is required. Use the QR Code for more information or to register, or stop in at the St. Therese Parish Office.



INFO/
REGISTRATION



SUN | OCT 25 | 12 - 3 PM | 14600 COMMON ROAD, WARREN, MI

DE LA SALLE HS OPEN HOUSE

Get an inside look at how *Builders of Boys, Makers of Men* is more than just a motto at De La Salle Collegiate. Tour the Innovation Center and the new Business Center; explore our classrooms; learn about our rigorous academics; and meet

our faculty, staff, and students.

Whether you're looking for academic excellence, state-of-the-art facilities, championship athletics, or lifelong friendships, you'll find it here!

Register and learn more by scanning the QR code.



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SUN | NOV 1 | 9:45 AM (ASSEMBLE AT 9:15 AM)

JUBILARIAN MASS & RECEPTION

All married couples celebrating milestone anniversaries (1, 5, 10 years, etc.) are invited to be honored at Mass. Beforehand, each couple will have a souvenir picture taken, and a reception for the couples and their families will follow in the Social Hall. By October 26, please RSVP

online or with the Parish Office and upload or bring a wedding/current picture for us to publish. Your photo will be returned. Couples being honored are asked to meet in the Social Hall by 9:15 AM to assemble for the Mass.



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SAT | NOV 7 | 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM | ST. ISIDORE

KIDS COALITION AGAINST HUNGER

Answer Christ's call to feed the hungry by joining us as St. Isidore hosts Kids Coalition Against Hunger. Together, we'll work toward our goal of packing **125,000 meals** for families in need, both locally and around the world. This joyful, family-

friendly event welcomes volunteers of all ages. Meal costs have increased to \$0.42 each, so financial support is also needed to reach our goal of **\$52,500**. Use the QR Code to register and/or donate.

► Prayer for Archdiocesan Restructuring

Come, Holy Spirit.

Make your presence known

as we restructure the parishes and ministries of our Archdiocese.

Be our light on the path we walk together.

Help us hear your voice

in the quiet of our own hearts,

in the wisdom of others,

and in the world around us.

We know you are with us

in every step of the process.

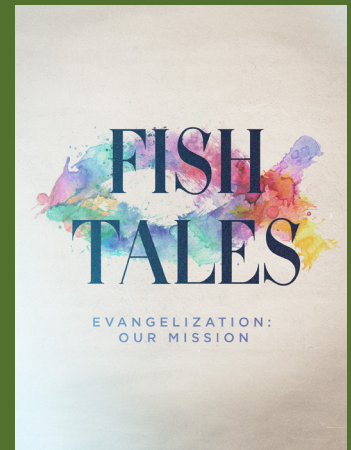
Give us clarity, understanding, and direction.

In all things, help us share the light of your love. Amen.

St. Anne, pray for us.

Blessed Solanus Casey, pray for us.

Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us.



What God Needs From Us

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God doesn't need your strength. He wants your surrender. He doesn't need your action. He wants your attention. He does not need your talent. He wants your trust. God doesn't need your ability. He wants your availability. He does not need your competence. He wants your communication.

Matthew Kelly

DISCIPLESHIP FORMATION

► Upcoming Children's Formation Dates

- **September 28, 29:** Regular class sessions
- **October 2 (6 PM):** Pumpkin Patch Party family event*
- **October 12, 13:** Regular class sessions
- **October 19 (6 PM):** Parent meeting for those who didn't attend on September 3
- **October 26, 27:** Regular class sessions

*Registration required for special events

Book Club at St. Therese

All are welcome to join us for our monthly book discussions on the third Thursday of the month (September to November and January through May). Consider joining us at 9:30 AM on October 15 to discuss *The Screwtape Letters* by C.S. Lewis. Contact Peggy Casing (peggyc@stol.church or 586-254-2944) for more information.

Still in Need of Help

Thank you to everyone who stepped forward! We have filled our volunteer positions for the grades 1-9 programs. However, we still need help with our Sunday morning programs. Preschool (Little Lambs) facilitators follow lesson plans to provide faith education for our youngest students, and Children's Church facilitators guide children in Grades 1-5 through the Sunday readings at either 9:45 or 11:45 AM Mass. You can determine your level of commitment! If you can only help once per month, we can make that work. We also work with "snowbirds." If you'll be in Florida in January and February, we could still use your help. For Children's Church (Liturgy of the Word) and Little Lambs (Sunday preschool), contact Susan at susand@stol.church or call 586-254-2944 Ext. 309.



► Understanding Dementia (Part 2):

👤 Marilyn Cito, Parish Nurse ✉ marilync@stol.church

If, after reading last week's article, you are concerned that a loved one may be showing warning signs, you might be wondering what to do next. Talking to a loved one about memory changes can be uncomfortable and emotional, and the senior may feel embarrassed, defensive, frightened, or frustrated. If the senior is your loved one, involving their children may help. If the person you are concerned about is a parent, talking with their spouse (if applicable) and your siblings might help with input and support.

Once you've determined who should be involved in the discussion, approach the conversation **gently** and **without judgment**. One starter might be, "You seem more stressed and forgetful lately. Have you noticed that, too?"

Although they may not be able to articulate their concerns, it helps to ask whether they feel there is a problem. Talk with them about communicating memory changes to their physician, as determining an early dementia diagnosis is important for participating in decisions about future care. An early diagnosis can help the senior and family understand what is happening, explore treatment options, discuss future wishes (legal and financial), improve safety in the home, build a support system, learn about financial and community resources, and plan long-term.

As dementia progresses, communication becomes more difficult. Seniors may struggle to process information, find words, or express their feelings. Conversations that were once enjoyable and free-flowing can become difficult, especially for those who are hard of

hearing. Often, they can't initiate the conversation and need prompts with questions. They may also repeat the same information numerous times.

Communicating therapeutically with your loved one can impact their stress levels and emotional well-being. Recommendations include speaking slowly and clearly, using short sentences, maintaining eye contact, avoiding arguments, asking one question at a time, using a calm tone of voice, reducing background noise, offering reassurance often, avoiding unnecessary corrections, and being patient. Instead of focusing on the facts, focus on their emotions. If the loved one says they want to go home and they *are* at home, they may be expressing fear, confusion, or a desire for comfort. Responding with reassurance, rather than correction, can help reduce their anxiety.

Dementia-related behaviors can be difficult for families. If your loved one forgets names, repeats stories, or doesn't recognize familiar places, stay calm, use simple explanations, avoid criticism, use photos and labels, and establish routines in their life. If your loved one experiences sundowning (increased confusion/agitation later in the day), keep rooms well lit, reduce evening stimulation, encourage daytime activities, limit caffeine late in the day, and maintain a consistent sleep schedule.

Seniors with dementia may wander due to confusion, boredom, anxiety, or restlessness. Suggestions for handling this behavior include installing door alarms, securing exits, using GPS tracking devices, informing neighbors, creating safe walking opportunities, and keeping a

recent photo available.

Aggression and agitation are difficult when caring for someone with dementia. Stay calm, avoid arguing, reduce noise and clutter, redirect their attention, assess whether they might be in pain, and observe for triggers. Hallucinations and delusions are also difficult behaviors for the caregiver. Offering reassurance, redirecting the senior's attention, avoiding arguing about what is real, improving the lighting, and talking to your loved one's doctor about concerns might help.

St. Isidore and St. Therese of Lisieux are partnering to offer a series of events designed to support those living with and treating dementia.

- **Saturday, October 17 (8 AM to 1:30 PM at St. Isidore):** *Harmony and Hope* seminar, featuring Dr. Benjamin Mast, a clinical psychologist and board-certified geropsychologist
- **Thursday, November 5 (12 to 1 PM at St. Therese of Lisieux):** educational discussion on dementia, presented by Waltonwood Senior Living and Robert Louis-Ferdinand, NP
- **After the holidays (TBD at St. Therese of Lisieux):** *Caring for the Caretaker* event, including strategies for caretakers coping with challenges and feelings of grief, guilt, and stress

After these educational events, we hope to determine whether a dementia support group within our Family of Parishes would be valuable.

Reference:

- The Family Guide to Alzheimer's and Dementia Care. Caring Senior Service.

► K of C Breakfast Buffet and Bake Sale

👤 Paul Bieber, K of C

Summer is over, and the Knights of Columbus are once again having the monthly Breakfast Buffet and Bake Sale. The next one will be on Sunday, October 4, after the 8 and 9:45 AM Masses. Please come for one of the best breakfasts around with a variety of pancakes, sausage, scrambled eggs, hash browns, Texas-fried toast, and biscuits with gravy. Even if you go to Saturday Mass, stop by on Sunday at 9 or 10:45 AM for a great breakfast to start your day. A free-will donation (\$10 suggested) would

be appreciated. Children 12 and younger will dine free.

On your way out the door, stop by our bake sale table in the Gathering Space to pick up some pastries to enjoy at home. We would appreciate donations of baked goods for the sale. You can drop them off in the kitchen after 4:30 PM Mass on Saturday, October 3, or on the tables in the Gathering Space on Sunday morning.



► Circle of Friends Update

👤 Gwen Ward, Ministry Coordinator

The Circle of Friends continues to stay busy! Members of the crafting ministry recently made 100 hygiene bags to donate to needy children cared for by Friends of Foster Kids.

Each handmade bag includes nine essential toiletries: shampoo, soap, a loofah, deodorant, toothbrushes, toothpaste, floss, lip balm, and lotion, plus extra items (materials permitting). The bags will be distributed to children who age out of (or "graduate from") the system and also given as Christmas presents.

Creating and providing these hygiene

bags will be an ongoing project for the Circle of Friends, who rely on donations of toiletries to complete them and make a positive impact in children's lives. Thank you to the parish *and* the many parishioners who have already donated items and made a life-changing difference. **If you have new or unused travel-size or sample toiletries you'd like to donate, please leave them in the Parish Office.** There is no deadline, as this is an ongoing effort. Thank you for supporting the Circle of Friends, Friends of Foster Kids, and the good work they're doing in our community.



► We pray for the sick...

Asterisk denotes newly added name.

Ahee, Paul	Everett, Karen	Matthews, Sue	Snodgrass, Doris
*Angelo, Mark	Fain, Rose Marie	Millincov, Rose	Soham
Baby Scarlett	Fuelling, Ethan	Minor, Sue	Soldan, Jane
Baby Selena	Gittens, Eliza	Mumma, Brad	*Sorel, Jason
Baby Whitley	Gorny, Theresa	Muscat, David	Stacy
Bacci, Brooke	Hadou, Julius	Music, Mary Ann	Stencel, Rose
Bacci, Larry	Hefferan, Karen	Nehra, Rebecca	Sterling, Carol
Bacheldor, Mary	Heinz, Hilda	Norman, Mary	Sterling, George
*Ball, Bill	*Henig, Adela	O'Donnell, Mike	Stewart, Jaclyn
Beaulieu, Michael	Henig, Louise	Okon, Ann Marie	Stover, Tara
Beaulieu, Don	Hill, Dan	Okon, Mary Anne	Sullivan, Heidi
Belz, Lizzetta	Hoch, Rosemarie	Oswald, Nancy	*Taormina, Darlene
Beninati, Patricia	Hoos, Nona	P. Kathleen	Taormina, Steven
Benoit, Terry	Huizdos, Christine	Parent, Julie	Tarpey, Nancy
Beschke, Nate	J.	Parker, Colleen	Thomas, John
Binkowski, Madeleine	Jachcik, Bradley	Pasque, Evelyn	Toffler, Jerri
Blaisdell, Anthony	Jachcik, Nancy	Patzer, Ed	Trombley, Virginia
Bliss, Jennifer	Jachcik, Shirley	Pavlica, Ruth	Trombly, Jerry
Bonnici, Jerry	Kanske, Frances	Pazin, Delphine	V. Lindsay
Brady, Jamie	*Karri	Pelc, Jeff	VanDerHagen, Rich
Brown, Joanne	Kelly, Richard	Peper, Sharon	VanDerHagen Rick
*Buczkowski, Bettylou	Keyser, Brody	Pletz, Fran	Venditti, Elvira
Buzynski, Betty	Kmiec, Eileen	Prince, Kathryn	Visconti, Diane
Carden, Slade	Knee, Colleen	Przepiora, Donna Marie	Vitale, Terry
Ciavattone, Bruno	Kort, Arnie	Putvin, Tom	Warner, Robert
*Cone, Coralie	Kraemer, Barbara	Quick, Mary	Warner, Rosemary
Conniff, Shirley	Kulik, LaFern	Quni, Nicholas	White, Brianna
Corsi, Dean	Kulik, Steven	*Randazzo, Nino	White, Marie
Corsi, Keith	Kuzera, Cheryl	Ricardo, Tan	White, Marilyn
Craig	Kwiecien, Margie	Rinehart, Nicholas	White, Patricia
*Crane, Nancy	L. Anna	Rinehart, Peter	Williams, Devon
DeBano, John	Lang, Carol	Robb, Ken	Wilson, Dakota
DeRemer, Colin	Larose, Mattie	St. Croix, Dan	Wilson-Kelley, Jennifer
Delebeke, Chris	Lieder, Lynn	Sackville, April	Wilson, Mickey
Denton, Eden	*MacGillivray, Mike	Samulski, Dolores	Zimmerman, Toni
*Diedo, Elvera	Maliskey, Barbara	Schnabel, Dennis	Zuzga, Janet
*Dimovski, Violet	Maliskey, Larry	*Selewonik, Sharon	Zuzga, Mike
Dombrowski, Toni	Malane, Sharon	Shock, Maureen	
E. Dave	Mantinan, Rachel	Shock, Payton Hope	

► And for those serving in the military

Seaman, Brendan Bagan, Navy	PVT Jacob Earehart, Army	Andrew Larsen, Marines
Staff Sgt. Thomas Barone, Air Force	*Kailey Fick, Air Force	Zoe Lowe, Army
CPT Michaela Biske, Army	Colonel Suzana Gjekaj, Air Force	MSGT Eric McCulley, Air Force
PVT Jonathan Bulter, Marine	Lt. Matthew Gordon, Navy	Captain James Miller, Space Force
HMC Christopher Burley, Navy	LT David Grzywacz, Navy	Nick Radwick, Air Force
SGT Andrew Chapoton, Army	Andrew Hall, Navy	Staff Sgt. Drew Reynolds, Air Force
Michael Chmielewski, Navy	SGT Kayla Hanner, Marines	Derek Skorupski, Army
Christopher Chryczyk, Navy	PFC Killian Hannon, Army	CPL. Nathan Taylor, Marine
Lt. Col. John Cisco, Marines	Major Megan K. Hardesty, Army	CPT Keith Trojniak, Marines
Major Anthony D. Corsi, Army	PVT Logan Hoskins, Marines	Dante Vanuck, Army
Leonard Cox, Army	John Humason, Army	SFC Cally Wood, Army
SGT Christian Jose Curtis, Army	Robert Kaljved, Army	Andrew Zalewski, Navy
Jerry Delia, Airforce	LT. COL. Chris Kean, Air Force	
PVT David Dimattia, Army	GSGT Griffin Kozak, Marines	

► Mass Intentions

SAT. SEPT. 26 4:30 PM

† Mitchell & Dorothy Dombrowski
 † Joe Basirico & Maria Basirico-Fiorello
 † James Blaisdell, Jr.
 † Mario, Delita, & David Baldinelli
 † Charles Bigham
 † Emilia & Bronislaw Slenczek
 † Howard Sowers
 † Jack Accurso
 † Dennis Cieslak
 † Patricia Swem, Maria & Julian Grabarz

SUN. SEPT. 27 8:00 AM

† Tom Westerlund
 † Robert Fanone
 Erich Harrison

SUN. SEPT. 27 9:45 AM

† Carmen & Rosa Russo
 † Walter Nitz (58th Anniv.)
 † Joseph J. & Joey Pinchero
 † Deanna Gravelle
 † Giuseppe Bonetti
 † Richard Mancini
 † Esther Gratti
 † Jane Breitenbeck
 Lanie DeMura (Healing)
 † Lou McGinnis

SUN. SEPT. 27 11:45 AM

For the People of St. Therese of Lisieux Parish
 † Mary Jo Marchione
 † Sergio Marchionne
 † Michelle Trosper (Anniv.)

† Edilberta Cagalawan (Anniv.)
 † Joseph Bolone (3rd Anniv.)
 † Deceased Members of the Bolone, Ouellette, Beaver, & Seaman Families
 Rita Molenda
 Gerri VanHoet
 † Carmelita Manayan (Bday)

TUE. SEPT. 29 8:30 AM

For Vocations to the Priesthood & Religious Life
 Eleanore Westerlund (Bday)

WED. SEPT. 30 8:30 AM

† Deacon Jerry Campernel
 † Dave Kuptz

THU. OCT. 1 8:30 AM

Carmelite Sisters of the Monastery St. Therese
 † Frederick J. Rice (Bday)
 † Hub Kraemer (7th Anniv.)
 † Jonathan Sokolnicki (Bday)

FRI. OCT. 2 8:30 AM

Charles & Katharina Szatkowski
 † Mary Starkey

SAT. OCT. 3 4:30 PM

For the People of St. Therese of Lisieux Parish
 For the Intentions in Our Prayer Box
 † Joseph & Nina Salomone
 † Joe Basirico & Maria Basirico-Fiorello
 † Mario, Delita, & David Baldinelli
 † Virginia Trombley
 † Christine Petz (1st Anniv.)
 † Charles Bigham
 † Tony Gulding

SUN. OCT. 4 8:00 AM

For the Intentions in Our Prayer Box
 † Mary Lambert (1st Anniv.)
 † Lilo & Louis Nardi
 † Ken Terns
 † Francesca Mannina

SUN. OCT. 4 9:45 AM

For the Intentions in Our Prayer Box
 † Jane Haefner
 † Marilyn Tavalire

SUN. OCT. 4 11:45 AM

For the Intentions in Our Prayer Box
 † Francesco Bologna
 † Leonardo Dedivanaj
 † Salvatore & Pietra Ventimiglia
 † Maria Hirmiz

Readings

SUNDAY

Ez 18:25-28;
 Ps 25:4-9;
 Phil 2:1-11;
 Mt 21:28-32

MONDAY

Job 1:6-22;
 Ps 17:1bcd, 2-3, 6-7;
 Lk 9:46-50

TUESDAY

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rev 12:7-12ab;
 Ps 138:1-5;
 Jn 1:47-51

WEDNESDAY

Job 9:1-12, 14-16;
 Ps 88:10bc-15;
 Lk 9:57-62

THURSDAY

Job 19:21-27;
 Ps 27:7-9abc, 13-14;
 Lk 10:1-12

FRIDAY

Job 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5;
 Ps 139:1-3, 7-10, 13-14ab;
 Mt 18:1-5, 10

SATURDAY

Job 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17;
 Ps 119:66, 71, 75, 91, 125, 130;
 Lk 10:17-24

SUNDAY

Is 5:1-7;
 Ps 80:9, 16, 19-20;
 Phil 4:6-9;
 Mt 21:33-43

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