

INTRODUCTION TO LITURGY OF THE DAY

As autumn progresses, we hear more harvest images at our Sunday celebrations. Today we hear two readings about tending vineyards and yielding grapes. Ours may no longer be an agrarian economy, but surely these images resonate in our lives all the same. What are we doing to cultivate the reign of God in the fields where we are living and working?.

INTRODUCTION TO THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Ish 5:1-7 *The Lord seeks a harvest of justice.*
Psalms 80 *"The vineyard of the Lord is the house of Israel."*
Phil 4:6-9 *Dwell in thoughts of purity and justice and you will know peace.*
Matt 21:33-43 *"The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone."*

Today we hear another parable, this time about the landowner who plants a vineyard. Note the last verse, in which Jesus declares that the kingdom of God "will be given to a people that will produce its fruit." The task of building up that kingdom was given to us at our baptism. Let us resolve to produce its fruit in lives that bring about peace, harmony, and justice, even in everyday situations. If not, the kingdom will be given to others who will.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday,	<i>October 7, Vigil: 27th Sunday</i>
4:00 PM	<i>Parishioners of Rosary</i>
Sunday,	<i>October 8, 27th Sunday</i>
8:30 AM	<i>Parishioners of Rosary</i>
10:30 AM	<i>Parishioners of Peace</i>
Monday,	<i>October 9, Columbus Day</i>
8:30 AM	No Intention
Tuesday,	<i>October 10, Weekday</i>
8:30 AM	No Intention
Wednesday	<i>October 11, St. John XXIII</i>
8:30 AM	No Intention
Thursday,	<i>October 12, Weekday</i>
8:30 AM	No Intention
Friday,	<i>October 13, Weekday</i>
9:00 AM	<i>Parishioners of Peace</i>
Saturday,	<i>October 14, Vigil</i>
4:00 PM	<i>Vincent Micele (RIP)</i>

NOTE: Please see Fr. Brown for Mass Intention requests. The Celebrant is not obligated to publicly announce the Mass intentions; this is a courtesy. If the Celebrant omits announcing the intention, the Mass is still offered for the donor's intention. If you would like to make a donation for the Sanctuary Lamp for a special intention, please see Father Brown. The Sanctuary Lamp intention for the month of September is for Paul Gorman.

(Please also give any announcements for the Bulletin to Fr. Brown on Monday.)

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Does the "peace of God that surpasses all understanding" (Philippians 4:7) describe the life that pulses through my heart these days?

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND SHUT-INS

Marianne Foreman, Peggy Ostertag, Richard Lawrence, Sig Mueller, Roberta Micele, Linda Warburton, Barbara Roben, Mona Fike, Jody Correro, John Nicholson, Curtis Jackson, Danny Somers, Greg Warner, Kelly Lightsey, Margi Bockweg, Cathy Banks, John Loria, Nathan Collins, Barbara Northrop, Susan Tanney and Peyton Meyers. Please see Father Brown to update the list or to arrange for a visit to a homebound or hospitalized.

ADULT EDUCATION A SURE PATH TO HOLINESS FALL OF 2017

BOOKS HAVE NOW ARRIVED!!!

Michael Gaitley, MIC< has given us a very special gift in his thoughtful and prayerful

"Do-It-Yourself Retreat."

He brings together several spiritual traditions and blends them in the pattern of the

Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius.

We will find inspiration in the quotations from the saints that he gathers carefully and in his deep, but humble, understanding of the principles of holiness that they proclaim. This is a good way for a soul to begin the journey in responding to the call to embrace the Divine Mercy of the Lord.

The books have now arrived, and are on sale now.

Our facilitators for this event will be Gloria Tipton, Donald Lourcey, Janet Gladis and Don Edgerton!

Session #4 will be this Tuesday

at 6pm

on

October 10th.

Rain or shine, hurricane or no
hurricane!

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

OFFERTORY	\$3,567.00
BUILDING FUND*	\$2.00
Queen of Peace	<u>\$900.00</u>
TOTAL	\$4,469.00

Note: Our building fund donations went up 100% from the previous week!

BUILDING FUND TO DATE **\$2.00**

*Note: "Building Fund" refers to anything with interest that we are paying on. In this instance, we are paying off a 3 year mortgage on the parking lot.

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE

OFFERTORY	\$740.00
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PREGNANCY RESOURCE CENTER

Pick up your empty baby bottle and fill it with loose change, This project has been extremely successful over the years and with your help it will be extremely successful this year. Thank you again!

- Rev. W.P. Brown
Our Lady of the Rosary
and
Our Lady Queen of Peace

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST

The Knights of Columbus will be fixing breakfast on Sunday, October 29th, after mass. Breakfast will consist of pancakes, scrambled eggs, link sausage, milk, juice and coffee. The cost will be \$5 per breakfast and the proceeds will go towards the Knights of Columbus Council 3599 Seminarian Fund. Tickets will be on sale at each Sunday mass.

MEETINGS

Wednesday, October 18th

Finance Council	6:00PM
Parish Council	7:00PM

ALL INVITED!!!

2017 PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY CRUSADE

Our nation is in great need of public prayer, repentance and conversion. In the historic year of the Fatima Centennial (1917-2017), we ask God to save America through the Rosary of His Most Holy Mother. Please join us in prayer for our nation on October 14, 2017, at 12:00 noon. The local Public Square Rosary Rally will take place at The Grotto, St. Dominic's Catholic Church. Please contact Janet at (850) 914-9887 for more information.

PRIESTS CONVOCATION

There will be **NO** Masses on:

Tuesday, October 24th at Rosary
Wednesday, October 25th at Rosary
Thursday, October 26th at Rosary
Friday, October 27th at Peace

PRAYER FOR STUDENTS

2 Peter 3:18

*May they grow in grace
and in the knowledge
of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.
Glory be to Him now
and to the day of eternity! Amen.*

