

Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 8, 2008

"I did not come to call the righteous but sinners."

— *Matthew 9:13*



June Rosary: For an increase in devotion to the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — It is love, not sacrifice, that I desire; knowledge of God, not holocausts (Hosea 6:3-6).

Psalms — To the upright I will show the saving power of God (Psalm 50).

Second Reading — Those who believe will have it credited to them as righteousness (Romans 4:18-25).

Gospel — Tax collectors and sinners came and joined Jesus at table (Matthew 9:9-13).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Kgs 17:1-6; Mt 5:1-12
Tuesday: 1 Kgs 17:7-16; Mt 5:13-16
Wednesday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Mt 5:17-19
Thursday: 1 Kgs 18:41-46; Mt 5:20-26
Friday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16; Mt 5:27-32
Saturday: 1 Kgs 19:19-21; Mt 5:33-37
Sunday: Ex 19:2-6a; Ps 100; Rom 5:6-11; Mt 9:36 — 10:8

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Shavuot ("Weeks"), the Jewish festival of the giving of the law, begins at sunset
Monday: St. Ephrem
Wednesday: St. Barnabas
Friday: St. Anthony of Padua
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary; Flag Day



Music for this weekend:

537 – Sing A New Song
777 - Look Beyond
28 – Holy, Holy
29 Memorial Acclamations
30 – Amen
31 – Lamb Of God
815 – Lord, I Am Not Worthy
602 Blest Be the Lord

Parish Census – Some long-time OLS parishioners still have not completed new census forms and may not be receiving parish mailings. If you have not or are not sure that you have completed a new census form, please call Carolyn Roberts at the Parish Office.

Fr. Timby's Silver Jubilee – All OLS households should have received an invitation this week to Fr. Timby's 25th Anniversary Celebration. Fr. Timby apologizes if you did not receive an invitation, but he used the new census when having invitations addressed. Please contact the parish office to update your census information. Also, you will notice that the celebration for Fr. Timby's Silver Jubilee are at Holy Rosary because he has been the pastor of three parishes and has held many diocesan positions which suggests that a larger facility is needed for the celebrations than OLS can provide. Honestly, he wanted to have the celebration here so as not to offend OLS parishioners, but Fr. Martell offered Holy Rosary to accommodate the number of guests expected, especially those from out-of-town who need nearby hotel rooms and restaurants.

Ministry to the Sick Workshop – All ministers to the sick (those who take Holy Communion to the sick) are invited for a worship featuring Deacon Jack Conrad. You are welcome to bring anyone interested in this minister. When: Saturday, June 14. Where: Church of the Holy Spirit, 2300 Hickory Crest Drive. We begin with 8:00 a.m. Mass followed by a continental breakfast. We will adjourn at 11:30 a.m... There is NO COST for this workshop. Call 757-9140 to register.

ADMITTING OUR NEED FOR GOD

As often as we hear the message of today's scriptures, we seem to be able to resist it. The readings invite us, once again, to rely completely and utterly on God's love and mercy in our lives. And, once again, we continue to find ways around that invitation. It's for other people, not us. It's for tomorrow, not today. We can make it on our own talents, goodness, money, hard work, or wisdom. Yet, today's scriptures call our bluff. They invite us to admit our need for God and put our lives in God's hands. We who sit comfortably and smugly at the Lord's Table are beckoned, once again, to follow Jesus in faith and gratitude and love.

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This Week at Our Lady of Sorrows

Saturday June 7th

Mass 8:15 am
Altar Guild Meeting after Mass
Confession 3:00 – 3:45 pm
Mass 4:00 pm

Sunday, June 8th

Mass 8:00 am & 10:30 am
K of C Egg Breakfast after 8:00 am Mass
Spanish Mass 5:00 pm,

Monday, June 9th

Mass– 8:15 am

Tuesday, June 10th

Mass– 8:15 am
K of C Meeting 6:30 pm Krug Hall

Wednesday, June 11th

Mass- 6:30 pm
Legion of Mary Meeting 5:15 pm Lucius Hall

Thursday, June 12th

Mass - 8:15
Spanish Baptismal Classes 7:30 pm Krug Hall

Friday, June 13th

Communion Service/Mass 8:15 am

Saturday, June 14th

Mass 8:15 am
Confession 3:00 – 3:30 pm
Mass 4:00 pm

Baby Shower - Nine months ago, we adopted yet-to-be born babies in our Spiritual Adoption Program. We have prayed for these babies with their presence on the altar at every celebration of Mass. It is time to welcome them into the world. We will have our Baby Shower on the Weekend of July 12 & 13. Every household is asked to bring baby items to Mass that can be presented to Birthright of Memphis to assist young mothers who have made the decision, often difficult in our times, to carry their babies to term rather than terminate their pregnancies. A large basket will be placed in front of Mary's altar in which you can place your gifts (no need to wrap them). There will also be a small basket to receive monetary donations

COMPARATIVE LOSSES

When wealth is lost, nothing is lost;
when health is lost, something is lost.
When character is lost, all is lost.

—Anonymous

In your prayers please remember: Barbara Allard, Bill & Grace Aspinall, Dewey Aureli, Theresa Baker, June Bennis, Rebecca Bethune, Julius (Sonny) Black, Crissy Brigrance, Kathy Scola Burrows, Robert Butler, Carolyn Fracchia, Trudi Collier, DePriest Family, James Essary, Elena Everroad, Tony Drewitz, Margaret Dries, Rena Frazier, John Paul Fields, Alice Fricks, Sue Guinn, Linda Gonzales, Theresa Greco, Eileen Haklitch, Amanda Hall, Bootsie Hammett, Peggy Hooten, Lynn Hupp, Michael Jackson, Margaret Jones, Earline Johnson, Paul Kennedy, Robert Kuehner, Mildred Lewis, Robert Lutts, Jerry Lynn, Louise Macdonald, Thomas Miller, Bill Nutt, Eudora Mays, Jackie Perfetti, Waldyr Poilis, Dr. Cheryl Pearson, Kenneth Rainey, Louisa Reilly, James & Maureen Spain, Brooklyn Swann, Fr. Bryan Timby, Keith Trenham, Carolyn Walsh, Lewis Wilkinson, Mary Wilson, and Angie Wright.

School News We have begun registration for the 2008-2009 school year. Any student PreK- (age 3 years by Oct 1st) through Grade 8 may be eligible to attend with financial assistance from the St. William's Initiative. Parents who are interested should call the school office (358-7431).

Summer Hours for School Office:

Monday, Tues, Thur, 7:30 to 12:30
Wednesday, 12:30 pm to 6:30 pm
Closed Fridays

Eucharistic Pilgrimage – Fr. Timby is planning to take a two night pilgrimage to the Eucharistic Shrine in Hanceville, Al, in July or August. Space is limited to six participants for the two-night journey. We will leave on a Wednesday morning and return on Friday evening. The dates are yet to be determined. A second pilgrimage will be scheduled if necessary. Price will be determined by the number of participants. Call Carolyn Roberts at the Parish Office to place you name on the list if you are interested.

Diocesan Preparation for Quinceañeras – The



next class for Quinceañera preparation will be at the Sacred Heart Church on Thursday evenings, 6:30pm-8:30pm, Sept. 4, 11,18, 25 and October 25. You must pre-register by calling Lupe Balderas at 722-4759. **REMEMBER**, to

schedule a Quinceañera for your daughter you must contact the parish office **ONE YEAR** before her 15th birthday.

Ministers Schedule – for June 7 & 8th

Mass Intentions

Please note the dates

for the Minister and Altar Server Schedule

4:00 pm	8:00	10:30	5:00
N.Vintruella	M.Kissell	D.Bennis	
E.Monroe	P.Stavrum	S.O'Brien	
G.Hooten	D.Hall	K.Pope	
	B.Plessinger		
Lectors			
B.Roth		B.Bustos	
Altar Server			
L.Carter	D.Owen	S.Hupp	A.Flores
	K.Owen	C.Hupp	A.Zemero

Ministers Schedule – for June 14th & 15th

Please note the dates

for the Minister and Altar Server Schedule

4:00 pm	8:00	10:30	5:00
L.Macdonald	M.Hensley	D.Bennis	
G.Pannell	T.Acklen	B.Comans	
R.Pannell	C.Vasquez	L.O'Donnell	
Lectors			
E.Monroe	J.Bish	M.Standridge	
Altar Server			
A.Younger	G.Williams	R.Martini	J.Rivera
	H.Williams	H.Martini	S.Roque

HOME FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, 1 ½ bath, LR, DR, Den, eat in kitchen, huge wash room, covered & screened in patio with gas grill, adjacent study with heat & air. Carpenter's workshop with electricity. Floored attic with cedar closet. New roof, furnace and kitchen/washroom flooring, all hardwood floors fenced back yard and very nice neighbors. One owner very well loved. If interested buying, please call Nancy Crocker (Fran Schmitt's daughter) at 647-3671

For Rent: One bedroom duplex at 1246 Carrolton Ave. If interested call Nick at 358-1547

Monthly Bus Trip will be Sunday, June 29th after 10:30 am Mass. If you are interested in going, please call Bonita Comans at 412-6700.

Saturday June 7th 4:00 pm

Angelo & Olga Cacciola +

Sunday June 8th 8:00 am

Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Trichel+

Sunday June 8th 10:30 am

People of the Parish

Sunday June 8th 5:00 pm

Margie Howard+

Monday June 9th 8:15 am

Int. of Dr. Abbulah Baig

Tues. June 10th 8:15 am

Int. of Charlena LoBianco

Wed. June 11th 6:30 pm

Chris Mosby+

Thur. June 12th 8:15 am

Louise & Paul Belisomo+

Friday June 13th 8:15 am

Arthurene Fowler+

Saturday June 14th 8:15 am

Denise Sharp+

Saturday, June 14th 4:00 pm

Langston/Bray Families & Rachel Renee Hooten+

**Financial Report for Weekend of
June 1st
2008**

Envelopes	\$3,903.00
Loose Checks	570.00
Loose Currency/Coin	196.31
Improvements	31.00
Debt	1,745.57

Total Collection	\$ 6,445.88
Church Budget for the Week	<u>-5,324.00</u>
Collection Diff for the Week	\$(1,121.88)

Collections Revenues Y-t-D	236,590.88
Church Budget Y-t-D	<u>260,876.00</u>
Collections Deficit Y-t-D	\$(24,285.12)

Seeking Photos – We are seeking *high quality photographs* of school activities, Youth Group activities, sports activities, First Communion, Confirmation, and OLS School graduation (2008) that can be scanned and included in the new parish pictorial directory. Be sure your name and telephone number are on the back of any photos you submit so they can be returned to you.

PARISHONERS IN NURSING HOME:

**Carolyn Fracchia
St. Peter Villa, 331-A
141 North McLean
Memphis, TN 38104**

**Paul Kennedy
Ave Maria Nursing Home
2805 Charles Bryan Road
Room 111-B
Bartlett, Tn 38134**

**Jackie Perfetti
St. Francis Nursing Home
5959 Park Ave, room 319
Memphis, Tn 38119**

Visit the sick and/or send them a card to let them know they are not forgotten

Quinceañera Classes – The following are the dates for the next Diocesan Quinceañera Preparation Class: Sundays, June 1 and 8 at 9:00 am at St. Joseph Church located at 3825 Neely Road, Memphis, TN 38109. Candidates must have received the Sacrament of Confirmation. Pre-registration is necessary, please contact the St. Joseph Church Office at (901) 396-9996 or (901) 722-4759.

Fathers Day Masses – Fathers are often called “the forgotten parent” because so much emphasis is placed on motherhood and a mother’s relationship with her children. This Fathers Day remember the many blessings you received from your father’s hard work and example through life by having Mass offered to him. As on Mothers Day, the names of all fathers being remembered on our Masses on Sunday, June 15, will be read during the Prayers of the Faithful (Petitions). Offering envelopes are available at the end of the pews for your convenience. If you would like a card sent to your “living” father simply call the Parish Office after submitting your offering and give your father’s address to Carolyn Roberts.

Please be advised of the change in our spring schedule. The dates for the upcoming Lector training level I to be held @ IC Cathedral in June have been changed. Instead of Saturdays June 7, 14, 21 it will be held on June 14, 21, 28 from 9 to 11:15AM. Please have registrations in by May 23rd.

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RETREAT FOR HEALTHCARE WORKERS
– The Sister Servants of the Eternal Word are offering a retreat for healthcare workers (doctors, dentists, nurses, hygienists, etc.) at their Retreat House near Birmingham, AL, June 13-15. The retreat will be given by Fr. John Horgan of the Diocese of Vancouver in British Columbia, Canada. Please contact Sr. Catherine Mary through the community’s website at www.sisterservants.com for cost and additional information.

Pro-Life Issues – “ Recognizing the inviolability of human embryos really does not depend on religion at all, but rather on an accurate understanding of where each of us originated and of the shared rights we all possess regardless of age, size, or state of dependency.” *The Ethics of Stem Cell* research, Rev. Tadeusz Pacholczyk, Ph.D.

Parish Pictorial Directory UPDATE – Fr. Timby will be taking group photos to be included in the new Parish Pictorial Directory. The schedule is as follows:

- Lectors – June 8 at 9:30 a.m.
- Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion – June 8 at 9:30 a.m.
- Ministry to the Sick – June 8 at 9:30 a.m.
- Ushers – June 8 at 9:30 a.m.
- Altar Servers – June 8 at 9:30 a.m.
- Choir – June 8 at 9:30 a.m.
- Knights of Columbus – June 10 at 6:30 p.m.
- Legion of Mary – June 11 at 5:15 p.m.
- Spanish Baptism Class – June 12 at 7:30 p.m.
- Vacation Bible School – during sessions, June 16-20
- Weddings – June 28 at 7:00 p.m., July 19 at 11:30 a.m., July 19 at 6:00 p.m.
- St. Vincent DePaul Society – June 19, 6:30 p.m.
- Baptisms – June 7 at 4:00 p.m., June 14 at 4:00 p.m., and July 20 at 5:00 p.m.
- Quinceañera – June 28 at 1:30 p.m.

If a parish group in which you participate has been omitted, please contact the Parish Office.

Congratulations to Adyline Rodriguez, who was baptized this weekend. Adyline is the daughter of Catarino y Patricia Rodriguez of OLS. Congratulations also to **Jonathon Rodriguez**, son of Catarino y Patricia Rodriguez, and **Angel Alredo Martinez**, son of Susano Martinez y Ana Isabel Hernandez, who were presented by their parents for their Three Year Blessing on Saturday.

We've got the solution to summertime boredom
Come to **Power Lab** where kids will discover Jesus' miraculous power!

Each evening is filled with fun scripture-themed activities where they see, hear, touch, and even taste! Bible-point crafts, team-building games, lively songs, and tasty treats are just a few of the **Power Lab** activities that help kids connect their faith to real life.

Mark Your Calendar

Monday thru Thursday

June 16 thru 19

6:30 – 9:00

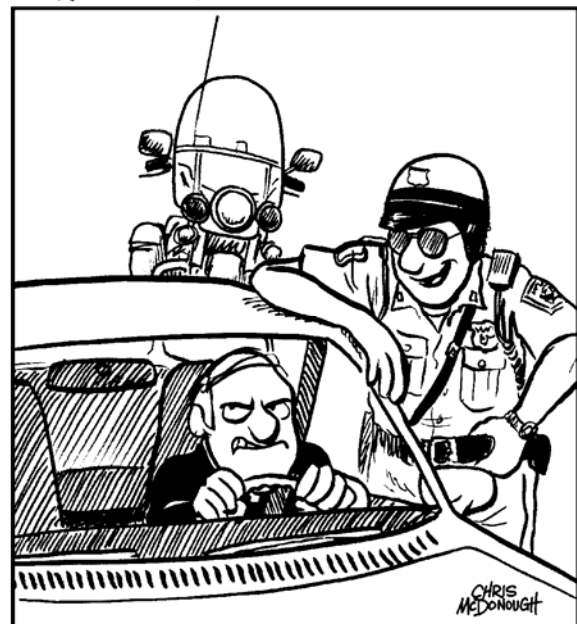
\$10.00/child

Ages 3 years thru 11 years

Older children are encouraged to come and serve as crew leaders to help with the program. You can help support our program with the purchase of a "Beaker" for \$1, \$5, or \$10. Please see a VBS representative in the vestibule after Mass. Registration will be the weekend of May 31 and June 1 after all Masses.

For more information, Please contact Brenda Plessinger at 837-8014.

Pastor Al™



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"Hey, Pastor Al. Ironic, ain't it? I mean, both of us with the power to hold men bound or forgive them."

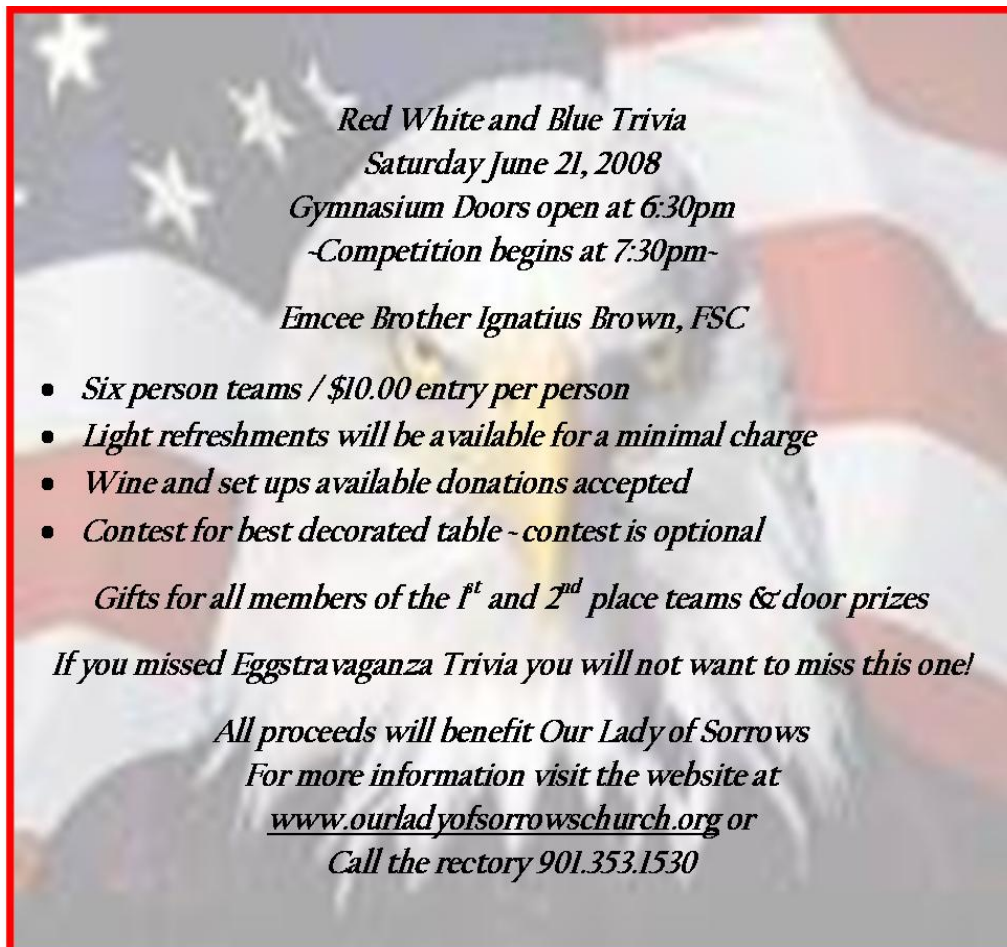
This weekend we will be available after all masses to collect your registration forms and answer any question you might have. Pass the word around, get your team together and join the fun! Registration forms are available on the church website. Please feel free to forward this email to all your family and friends.

*I can do great things, you can do great things
and together we can do great things!*

*Come join the fun, help spread the word and
let's raise the money for 100 new folding chairs.*

The Memphis Bar Association's Access to Justice
Committee
Sponsors Pro-Bono Legal Clinic
June 21, 2008: 9:00a.m-12:00p.m.
St. Peter Catholic Church
190 Adams
Downtown, Memphis
The Clinic is open to all and issues are
confidential

ATTENTION RISING SENIORS! – After discussion with Mrs. Sharon O'Brien, our Youth Group Director, OLS has established a scholarship to be awarded to a single graduating senior who exhibits good scholarship, leadership abilities, public service and involvement in parish activities. Applications listing requirements will be available in November and the application deadline will be March 15, 2009. Just giving you a "heads up."



*Red White and Blue Trivia
Saturday June 21, 2008
Gymnasium Doors open at 6:30pm
-Competition begins at 7:30pm-
Emcee Brother Ignatius Brown, FSC*

- *Six person teams / \$10.00 entry per person*
- *Light refreshments will be available for a minimal charge*
- *Wine and set ups available donations accepted*
- *Contest for best decorated table - contest is optional*

Gifts for all members of the 1st and 2nd place teams & door prizes

If you missed Eggstravaganza Trivia you will not want to miss this one!

*All proceeds will benefit Our Lady of Sorrows
For more information visit the website at
www.ourladyofsorrowchurch.org or
Call the rectory 901.353.1530*

