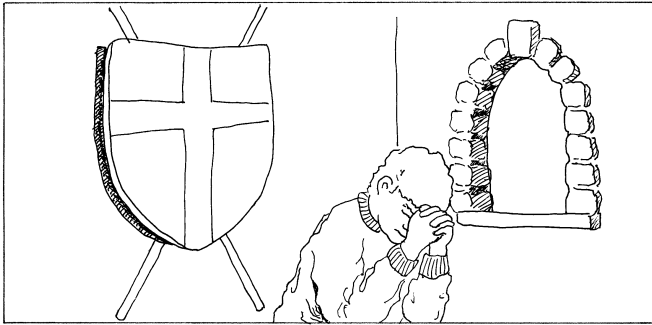


# Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## August 8, 2010



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*Our soul waits for the LORD,  
who is our help and our shield.  
— Psalm 33:20*

### GIVEN MUCH

“Much will be required of the person entrusted with much” (Luke 12:48). Whew! At least the Lord hasn’t entrusted me with much! Thank goodness that the work of the reign of God on earth has been entrusted to somebody else. This must be the “good news” of today’s Gospel, right? Wrong!

In the mentality that has come to be known as “keeping up with the Joneses” we can gear ourselves toward a comparison with those who have more or who have been given more, even by God. Unfortunately, nowhere does Jesus say: “Not much will be expected of those who have been given only a little bit.” Each of us, in our own way, has been given something, some gift or treasure that we can put toward the work of the reign of God. This is the vocation of Christian discipleship. Perhaps others seem to have been given more; evaluating this is not the disciple’s concern. The concern of each of us in the vocation for which we have been chosen is to take what we have been given, and consecrate it for the continued in-breaking of God’s kingdom of justice, joy, peace, and beauty. Then will we come to realize that we have indeed been given much.

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### TODAY’S READING

**First Reading** — Your ancestors waited in faith and courage for God’s promised summons (Wisdom 18:6-9).

**Psalm** — Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own (Psalm 33).

**Second Reading** — Because of his faithful obedience to God’s call, Abraham’s descendants number as the stars (Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19 [1-2, 8-12]).

**Gospel** — Keep watch and be prepared, for you do not know the day or the hour when the Son of Man will appear (Luke 12:32-48 [35-40]).

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday:	Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c; Mt 17:22-27
Tuesday:	2 Cor 9:6-10; Jn 12:24-26
Wednesday:	Ez 9:1-7; 10:18-22; Mt 18:15-20
Thursday:	Ez 12:1-12; Mt 18:21 — 19:1
Friday:	Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63 or 16:59-63; Mt 19:3-12
Saturday:	Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32; Mt 19:13-15
Sunday:	<u>Vigil</u> : 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28 <u>Day</u> : Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56

**Rosary Dedication August:**

For the children of the parish as they return to school..

**This Week at Our Lady of Sorrows**

**Sunday, August 8<sup>th</sup>**

Rosary, 7:35 am  
Mass - 8 am  
Mass - 10:30 am  
Spanish Mass- 5 pm

**Mon, August 9<sup>th</sup>**

Mass - 8:00 am  
In Service Day for Teachers

**Tuesday, August 10<sup>th</sup>**

Mass- 8:00 am  
In Service Day for Teachers  
School Registration 10-6 pm  
K of C Meeting 7:30 pm KH

**Wed. August 11<sup>th</sup>**

Legion of Mary, 4:30 pm LH  
Mass- 6:30 pm

**Thurs., August 12<sup>th</sup>**

Mass - 8:00 am,  
½ Day School  
Spanish Baptism Class, 7:30 KH

**Friday, August 13<sup>th</sup>**

Communion Service- 8:00 am

**Saturday, August 14<sup>th</sup>**

K of C Sauce cafeteria all day  
Confessions, 3:00 - 3:30  
Mass - 4:00 pm  
PRE Reg. after all Masses  
Hispanic Coro Practicing 7 pm Church

**Sunday, August 15<sup>th</sup>**

K of C Rosary, 7:35 am  
Mass - 8 am  
PRE Reg. after all Masses  
Mass - 10:30 am  
Spanish Mass- 5 pm



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**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sunday:	Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday:	St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein)
Tuesday:	St. Lawrence
Wednesday:	St. Clare
Thursday:	St. Jane Frances de Chantal
Friday:	Ss. Pontian and Hippolytus
Saturday:	St. Maximilian Mary Kolbe

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**Mother of the Divine Shepherd**

Mary is honored under this title by members of the Capuchin order, who have founded a number of churches under her patronage in their mission territories.

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***Ministers & Altar Server  
Schedule for Aug 7 & 8***

	<b><u>4:00 PM</u></b>	<b><u>8:00 AM</u></b>	<b><u>10:30 AM</u></b>	<b><u>5:00 PM</u></b>
Communion	Deacon Don Eileen Monroe	Theresa Acklen Sharon O'Brien	Deacon Henry Kay Pope	Estaban Roque Nick Vinturella
Reader:	G. Taulman	Jack Bish	Lyons Pope	C & R Roque
Altar Servers:	Manuel Najera Anaslia Bower	Dalton Bailey Cody Bailey	Katie Hissong Will Solomon	Jose Roque Javier Roque

***Ministers & Altar Server  
Schedule for Aug 14 & 15***

	<b><u>4:00 PM</u></b>	<b><u>8:00 AM</u></b>	<b><u>10:30 AM</u></b>	<b><u>5:00 PM</u></b>
Communion	Deacon Don Gordon Hooten	Don Gohman Pat Stavrum	Deacon Henry Barbara Allard	Estaban Roque Nick Vinturella
Reader:	Barbara Pettit	Bonnie Williams	Mary Standridge	C & R Roque
Altar Servers:	Lacey Carter	Bradley Hudson Kacee Hudson	Janet Romero Warren Durbin	Sarahi Roque Abigail Roque

**Please remember the following people in your prayers:** Fr. Jack Atkinson, Theresa Baker, Ann Balcom, June Bennis, Rebecca Bethune, Deanna Bolgeo, Reno Bolgeo, Johnny Boletta, Shawn Brown, Thomas Brown, Carole Brunner, Keith Carpenter, Trudi Collier, Monsignor Bill Davis, Abraham Delgado, Margaret Dries, Danny Dunn, Elena Everroad, Rena Frazier, Alice Fricks, Theresa Greco, Eileen Haklitch, Amanda Hall, Shelby Henricks, Joe Frank Hill, Rose Hill, Mike & Donna Jackson, Margaret Jones, Brad Kitts, Butsy Lanigan, Fr. Joe Lattus, Angelo Lobianco, Ericka Lopez, Robert Lutts, Jerry Lynn, Sadie Claire Lynn, Louise Macdonald, Joseph Mangold, Jessica Mann, Mike McCune, Alex Mosby, Bill Nutt, Tony Oliviera, Frances O'Toole, Jackie Perfetti, Waldyr Poilis, Nancy Pope, Dr. Cheryl Pearson, Bea Remmert, Jim Sawicki, Jamie Sawicki, Mary Dorothy Scola, James & Maureen Spain, Mona Stringfellow, Fr. Bryan Timby, Marie Torres, Keith Trenham, Vera Trudell, Mae Tulip, Henry VanNess, Maria Isabelle Vega, Helene Weiss, Lewis Wilkinson, Angie Wright and Randi Yound.

**Names will be taken off after being on for 4 weeks. If you want to keep name on after 4 weeks, please call the office at 353-1530.**

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**Stewardship of the Altar** – Flowers can be put on the Altar in memory of a loved one; a deceased couple of the departed of an entire family or in honor of someone's special anniversary, birthdays or other happy occasions or just to honor someone you think is special. Please contact Frances Bursi at 357-5874 or 634-1168.



**Duplex for Rent:** 1 room apt at 1246 & 1248 Carrolton Avenue. If interested, please call Nick Vinturella at 358-1547.

**Monthly Bus Trip:** The Monthly Bus Trip for this month is Sunday, August, 29, we will be going to Resorts, if you are interested in going, please call Martha at 357-2459 or 268-2849.

**R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)** – Do you know somebody that has an interest in learning about the Catholic Faith or in becoming Catholic. The classes for the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A) will begin mid-September. Please contact the Parish Office (353-1530) or Gerry Taulman (278-7517) for more information. The classes are on Wednesdays evenings after the 6:30 p.m. Mass and they are for those baptized in another Christian religion, those who have not been baptized, and those Catholics who have not been practicing their Faith for many years and want to return to the Family Table.

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Sat, August 7<sup>th</sup> 4:00 pm**

Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Trichel

**Sunday, August 8<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am**

People of Parish

**Sunday, August 8<sup>th</sup> 10:30 am**

Ed Roberts+

**Sunday, August 8<sup>th</sup> 5:00 pm**

Rose Colturi

**Monday August 9<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am**

Fr. Patrick Heenan+

**Tuesday, August 10<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am**

Carrie Barrasso+

**Wednesday, August 11<sup>th</sup> 6:30**

Int. of Ron & Betty Marshak 30<sup>th</sup> Wedding  
Anny.

**Thurs. August 12<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am**

Marie Schaller+

**Friday August 13<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am**

Communion Service

**Sat, August 14<sup>th</sup> 4:00 pm**

Angelo Bursi+

**Sunday, August 15<sup>th</sup> 8:00 am**

Margaret & Pete Bolgeo+

**Sunday, August 15<sup>th</sup> 10:30 am**

People of Parish

**Sunday, August 15<sup>th</sup> 5:00 pm**

Int. of Sharon O'Brien

**PARISHONERS IN NURSING HOME:**

**Jackie Perfetti**

**St. Francis Nursing Home**

**5959 Park Ave, room 328**

**Memphis, TN 38119**

**Helene Weiss**

**St. Francis Nursing Home**

**5959 Park Ave, room 328**

**Memphis, TN 38119**

**Ginger Shemwell**

**King's Daughters & Sons**

**3568 Appling Rd, room 144**

**Bartlett, TN 38133**

**Dolores Bair**

**Ava Maria Home**

**St. Lukes**

**2805 Charles Bryan Road, 38134**

**Henry Van Ness**

**Trezevant Manor Assisted Living**

**177 North Highland, room 124**

**Memphis, TN 38111**

**Amanda Hall**

**Highlands of Memphis**

**3549 Norris wood Avenue, room 236-1**

**Memphis, TN 38111**

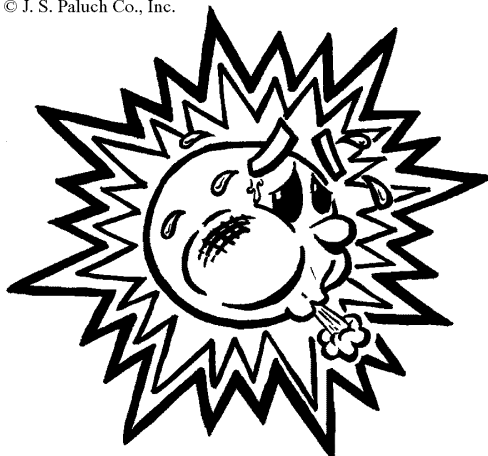
**Moira Kavanagh**

**Mid South Rehab Center**

**2380 James Rd, room 102**

**Memphis, TN 38127**

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**Financial Report**  
**Weekend of 08/01/2010**

Envelopes	\$3,106.50
Loose Checks	515.00
Loose Currency/Coin	224.40
Improvement	181.00
Debt Reduction	1,769.00
Assumption	15.00
<b>Total Collection</b>	<b>\$5,810.90</b>
Church Budget for the week	<u>- 4,458.38</u>
Collection Diff for the week	1,352.52
Collections Revenues Y-T-D	<b>\$ 21,344.13</b>
Church Budget Y-T-D	<u>22,291.90</u>
Collections Deficit Y-T-D	\$ (947.77)



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**Volunteers Needed!** – The Dorothy Day House of Hospitality is seeks volunteers to assist in its ministry to homeless families. Everyone has gifts to share. What can you bring to the table? Could you or a group you belong to provide and share a meal once a month with the occupants of the house? Could you set aside one day every quarter to do chores at the house? Getting involved raises the awareness of the plight of the poor and broadens our perspective of what it means to be homeless. Want to fill a void in your life? Call 725-2714 and volunteer.

**SAINT TERESA BENEDICTA OF THE CROSS (EDITH STEIN) (1891-1942)**

**August 9**

“Come,” Edith gently whispered, taking her sister Rosa’s hand, “let us go for our people!” These were Edith Stein’s last words as the Nazis, enraged at the Dutch bishops’ condemnation of their genocide, took into custody all Catholic converts from Judaism. Born Jewish, but non-practicing from her teens, Edith’s search for truth led to a doctorate in philosophy, a brilliant career as professor and author and, finally, to the *Autobiography of Saint Teresa of Ávila*, which she read in one sitting, then declared, “*That is the Truth!*” Baptized on January 1, 1922, observed then as the feast of Jesus’ initiation into the covenant of Abraham, confirmed on February 2, the feast of Jesus’ Presentation in the Temple, Edith entered the cloistered Carmelites in Cologne, transferring to a convent in Holland when she realized that, because of the Nazi persecution of the Jews, her presence could imperil the safety of the other nuns. She died in the gas chambers of Auschwitz as a daughter of Israel and of the Church.

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**Cursillo Ultreya:** Tuesday, August 17 @ 7pm, Holy Rosary Family Room (babysitting provided). Witness Talk by Angela McClusky. Plus, Deacon Mick Hovanec will be honored for his five years as Cursillo Spiritual Advisor. Call 901-756-4562 for more info.

**VIRTUS Training Church Volunteers** – In keeping with our pledge to keep our children safe from predators while participating in Church-sponsored activities, the Catholic Church in the United States requires that anyone wanting to work with children in any way go thru VIRTUS Training and to have a complete background check to make sure they are not convicted child sex offenders. VISUS Training is available in both English and Spanish. In order to have a background check, a volunteer must have a Social Security Number. If you want to assist in any way in our parish ministries next year please contact the parish office so that we can begin the process for soccer (futbol) coaches, PRE teachers, After-School Care, cafeteria workers and workers in our new Summer Camp Program that will be inaugurated in 2011.

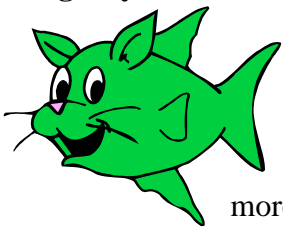
**PRE Registration:** The back-to-school sales are in the stores now. While children are preparing to return to school to learn the skills that will help them to be productive adults, please remember that it is also time for them to return to PRE to learn more about their faith. The faith formed in these early years will be the rock they will rely on through turbulent times as they mature into adults. All children not currently enrolled in a Catholic school are encouraged to attend PRE classes. Registration will be held in Krug Hall after all Masses the weekend of Aug 14 & 15. If you have any question, please contact Brenda Plessinger at 837-8014.

**PRE Teachers Needed:** Religious education is as vital as the ability to read and write. Without the grace received through the Eucharist and the knowledge of God's love for us and His world, who can withstand the trials of the world? Our program is growing and we are in need of an additional teacher. The teachers in our Parish Religious Education program are dedicated to sharing their faith with the children of our parish. Each one prepares lessons in advance and teaches classes weekly September through May. They are also Virtus certified and have undergone back ground checks to ensure the safety of the children. If you are 18 years or older and feel called to share your faith with these children, please contact Fr. Timby at 353-1530 or Brenda Plessinger at 837-8014.

**Altar Server Training** – All First Communicants are encouraged to become Altar Servers at OLS. Please watch for notifications in the bulletin and listen for announcements at Mass. Since we are called to serve where there is a need and not only when we want to serve, volunteers must be open to serving at any regularly schedule Sunday and Holy Day liturgies regardless of the Mass they and their families usually attend. Adults wanting to learn how to serve are also welcome to join us and join the ranks of John Witcher and Andy Meadows. Please contact the Parish Office to put your name on the class list.

**Change is Coming!** There have been revisions made to the English texts of the Mass that will be implemented in 2011. In preparation for the changes and so we all understand why the changes were made and how they will affect our roles in the liturgy, the Diocese of Memphis is offering a series of eight (8) small group sessions (four before Thanksgiving and four after the new year begins). We are looking for 6-10 people to open their homes for these small group experiences. We are also looking for 6-10 individuals to serve as group leaders. It is not important that you know anything about the liturgy or history of the Mass because this is a group learning experience. Leaders are asked to attend a training workshop on how to conduct the meetings. We need to have commitments by August 9<sup>th</sup> so we can get our leaders trained and advertise where our groups will meet. Sign-up sheets are in the vestibule of the church.

**Dog Day's of Summer Trivia** to be held at Our Lady of Sorrows Church on August 28th. Catfish dinner \$7.00 per plate beginning at 5pm with Trivia beginning at 6:30pm. Come have a mouth watering catfish dinner and/or play Trivia! Teams consist of six people \$10 per player. Prizes for first place and second place team, heads and tails, table decorations and best dog picture. Silent auction begins at 6:30 and closes after the ninth round of Trivia. Br. Ignatius Brown will be our Emcee. Call 901.353.1530 for more details and to reserve your table today!



**Our Lady of Sorrows School** is accepting registration for grades PK-4 through 8. OLS is a SACS accredited school and part of the Catholic school community of the Diocese of Memphis. The school offers unique learning communities that benefit students at all levels of comprehension. Tuition assistance is available. OLS is Spanish-friendly and does not discriminate on the basis of race, religion or national origin. Call Fr. Bryan Timby between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. at 358-7431 to schedule an appointment at a time convenient to you. Registration is scheduled on Tuesday, August 10, 10:00 a.m. to 6:00p.m. Spaces are limited so don't delay!

## YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU

Dear Eleanor,

Thanks for the birthday card. Now that I'm 83 I realize that life is filled with experiences to savor and I'm trying to recognize these moments and cherish them now. I'm reading more and dusting less. I sit in the yard and admire the view without fussing about weeds in the garden. I'm spending more time with my family and friends, and less time doing chores. I'm not "saving" anything: I use the good china and crystal to celebrate every possible event, such as losing a pound, getting the sink unstopped, or the first amaryllis blossom. I put on my favorite perfume every day and wear my good blazer to the market. "Someday" and "one of these days" are losing their grip on my vocabulary. If it's worth seeing or hearing or doing, I want to see and hear and do it now. It's fun to say "Keep the change" to someone, to give a large tip to a person with a dreary job. I've discovered that giving my time and attention to someone in trouble makes me forget my aches and pains, so I signed up as a Saint Vincent de Paul volunteer. I'm trying very hard not to put off, hold back, or save anything that would add laughter and luster to life. It's little things left undone that would make me angry if I knew how limited my hours are: angry that I hadn't written certain letters that I intended to write one of these days; sorry that I didn't tell the people closest to me often enough how much I truly loved them. Every day, every minute, every breath truly is a gift from God. And every morning when I open my eyes, I thank God because life is so wonderful.

Love,

Rose

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**Bible Study 2010** – OLS will offer a study of the Book of Genesis in 2010-2011. This is a 28-week course. The fee is \$50.00 and must be paid before materials are ordered. Study groups will meet on Thursday mornings (Fr. Timby), 9:30 -11:30, and on Sunday evenings (Deacon Henry), 6:30-8:30, beginning in late September or early October. Stop by the parish office to order your materials. (If you cannot afford the full cost of the study materials, see Fr. Timby privately.)

### Welcome New Members:

J.Isabel & Maria Najera  
4229 Cedar Meadow Drive  
Memphis, TN 38128  
386-4877

Arturo & Valeria Castro  
3302 Ashland  
Memphis, TN 38127  
552-3527

Ignasio & Maria Najera  
4876 Bilrae Circle  
Millington, TN, 38053  
872-2829

Constantiono & Maria Velazquez  
6360 Port Royal Drive  
Millington, TN 38053,  
872-7896

Jose & Rosalinda Alaniz  
647 Northaven Drive  
Memphis, TN 38127  
357-1337

Cesar & Angela Castro  
4137 Bridgers  
Memphis, TN 38128  
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Fermin & Rocio Castro  
3898 Vagabond Drive  
Memphis, TN 38127  
270-3516

Roman & Gudelia Barreto  
1215 Hollydale  
Memphis, TN 38127  
281-4573

Jose & Erika Aguirre  
7259 Alexander  
Olive Branch, MS 38654,  
662-812-8987

### BE NOT DECEIVED

Do not be disturbed by the clamor of this world, which passes like a shadow. Do not let the false delights of a deceptive world deceive you.

—St. Clare