

**June 20, 2010: 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**



*"Who do the crowds say that I am?" They said in reply, "John the Baptist, others, Elijah; still others, 'One of the ancient prophets has arisen.'" Then he said to them, "But who do you say that I am?" Peter said in reply, "The Christ of God." — Lk 9:18-20*  
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**LITURGY**

**MASS INTENTIONS & READINGS**

**Sunday, June 20 (Zec 12:10-11; 13:1/Gal 3:26-29/ Lk 9:18-24) Father's Day**

8:00 am- Henry Jones & Lucille McCord Jones  
10:30 am- Father's Day Novena

**Monday, June 21 (2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18/Mt 7:1-5)**  
7:00 am- Joe & Agnes Leopold, Gus & Rosa Werner  
10:00 am- Father's Day Novena (H'ville Rehab)

**Tuesday, June 22 (2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36/Mt 7:6, 12-14)**  
7:00 am- Father's Day Novena

**Wednesday, June 23 (2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3/Mt 7:15-20)**  
7:00 am- Living & deceased members of Theo & Mary Golsch Family  
8:05 am- Father's Day Novena

**Thursday, June 24 (Is 49:1-6/Acts 13:22-26/Lk 1:57-66, 80)**  
7:00 am- Frances & Charlie Novak  
10:00 am- Father's Day Novena (Stevens)

**Friday, June 25 (2 Kgs 25:1-12/Mt 8:1-4)**  
7:00 am- Father's Day Novena  
8:05 am- Eugene Novak

**Saturday, June 26 (Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19/Mt 8:5-17)**  
5:30 pm- Father's Day Novena

**Sunday, June 27 (1 Kgs 19:16b, 19-21/Gal 5:1, 13-18/Lk 9:51-62)**  
8:00 am- Elroy Koerth  
10:30 am- Father's Day Novena  
5:00 pm- For our Parish Family (Spanish Mass)



Bulletin Sponsor: In memory of Gus Werner, Jr.

Radio Broadcast Sponsor: Judy & Henry Jalufka in honor of their 25<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.

Vigil Light: Special Intention.

Our Gift to God: Envelopes-\$5,046; Church Endowment-\$140; Catholic Education-\$70; Loose-\$840; Children-\$47.

**Anniversaries:**

Alfred & Mary Jonietz	56 years	June 20
Paul & Leona Najvar	59 years	June 20
Arnold & Mary Rother	30 years	June 20
Leonard & Fannie Lamza	62 years	June 21
Gilbert & Chibana Alfaro	35 years	June 21
Dwayne & Marilyn Drozd	25 years	June 22
Henry & Judy Jalufka	25 years	June 22
Lupe & Lena Partida	61 years	June 23

Please pray for the repose of the soul of *Annie Leopold* of our parish family. *May she & all the faithful departed rest in the peace of Christ.*

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**MONDAY, JUNE 21**

- Rosary & evening prayer, 5:30 p.m. in church.
- Catholic Daughters meeting, 7:00 p.m., Family Center.

**TUESDAY, JUNE 22**

- Quilting Circle, 9:00 a.m., KC Hall of Fame Room.

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23**

- Scripture study, 6:30 p.m., Mary's House.

**SUNDAY, JUNE 27**

- Baptism Preparation Class, 9:00 a.m. in the Rectory. Call the Rectory in advance to register.
- Sts. Peter & Paul Parish Picnic, Plum. Fried Chicken & Sausage Dinner 11 am. Auction, bingo, cake walk, kiddy games. Music by Ken Brothers & Branding Iron.
- Covered dish supper after Spanish Mass, Family Center.

**AMONG OUR SICK:** Hubert Grahmann, Alvin Rosenauer, Odessa & Doug Blumberg, Josie Ohnheiser, Mason Leibham, Riley Mika, Mary Bonorden, Annette Krupala, Anthony Corte, Amanda Conniff, Margaret Timm, Helen M. Appelt, Michael Kutac, Paige Haas, Anita Kallus, Jeff Zavesky, Renae Ross, Alma Jurena, Kate Kopecky, Michael L. Drozd, Bill Biehunko, Frank Fishar, Pam Dornak, Clayton Patek, Suzanne Romano, Alice Kocian, Mary Agnes Grahmann, Anita Bohuslav, Betty Toman, MacKenzie Fogle, Henri Mae Patek, Doyleen Drozd, Bryce Saldi, Travis Klimitchek, Judith Koerth, Louise Tesch, Thelma Mikulenska, Sandra Henneke, Mary Ann Koenig, Helen Mitchon, Marcella Henke, Tillie Schott, Georgia Schaefer, Joseph Ilardo, Dolores Ludwig, Denise Lewis, Evelyn Kutac, Emil Grahmann, Lillie Demny, Henry Morris, Bruce Fritz, Paula Nemeck, Ernest Schulte, Guntram Janak, Ray Palmer, Candice Chandler, Dorothy Dworsky, Antonia Jahn, Alvin Steffek, Sr., Josh Mann, Faith Del Castillo, Theresa Steffek, Edna Key, Oretha McCord, Josephine Matejek, Judy Johnson, Donna Avant, Kirk Remmers, Danielle Grady, Royce Chudej, Olga Haas, Sandra Mozisek, nursing home residents, & the homebound.

**Fund Drive for purchase of house at 318 S. Texana**

Previous Balance	\$ 4,000.00
Dennis & Gerardette Haas	<u>1,000.00</u>
Current Balance	\$ <u>5,000.00</u>
<b>Goal - \$40,000</b>	

- Pastoral Institute Classes offered by Diocese of Victoria:
- June 21: The Scriptures, 6-9 pm, St. Mary, Victoria.
  - June 23: Understanding the Revised Roman Missal, 6:30-8:30 p.m., St. Patrick, Bloomington.
  - June 30: I Believe/We Believe, 6-9 pm, St. John.
  - June 22: Catholic Morality, 9:30 am-3:30 pm, St. Anthony, Palacios.
  - June 22&24: Sacraments, 6-9 pm, OL of Victory, Vict.
  - June 23&30: Prayer & Spirituality, 5:30-8:30 pm, Sacred Heart, Hallettsville.
  - June 26: The Scriptures, 9 am-3 pm, OL of Lourdes, Vict.
  - June 29: Prayer & Spirituality, 9:30 am- 3:30 pm, St. Anthony, Palacios.
  - June 29: Getting Started as a Catechist, 6-9 pm, Chancery.
  - June 30: Roles of the Catechist, 6-9 pm, Chancery.

## From the Desk of Father John

We thank everyone who helped in any way to make our Vacation Bible School such a wonderful experience for our younger parishioners. We especially thank the adults who volunteered: Angela McConnell, our Religious Education Coordinator, Kelly Ross, Libby Bludau, Mary Jo Bludau, Bobbie Janak, Cheryl Leopold, Karen Kahaneck, Pam Bohuslav, Mary Ann Etzler, Janice Bludau, Nicole Dworsky, Joan Stock, Gail Kubenka & Janet Foster. We also thank the 25 young people who were invaluable in helping with the younger ones.

The 89 youngsters attending VBS did several service projects including collecting food and clothes for LAMB and making 17 blankets for children at M.D. Anderson Cancer Hospital in Houston.

A farewell to Fr. Michael will take place after the Masses at Sacred Heart next weekend. Refreshments will be served in front of church. A Seminary Burse is being set up in honor of Fr. Michael to help with the education of seminarians. If you wish to honor Fr. Michael and thank him for all that he has done here the past three years, you may make a donation to this burse which is ongoing. Envelopes are available in the foyer of the church and at the rectory. (Fr. Michael approves of this message!)



### The Youth ConneXion



**June 27:** BBQ Social & Summer Bash, 3:00 p.m. at the Youth House (8<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> Grades).

**July 11:** Youth meet in church at 5:00 pm. Firefall at 6:00 pm followed by youth gathering at the Youth House.

**Music Practice:** Mondays, 6:00 p.m., Youth House.

### Religious Education (CCD) ~ Office 798-3124 Angela McConnell, Coordinator

**June 23 & 30:** Echoes of Faith Classes, *Prayer & Spirituality*, 5:30 – 8:30 p.m., CCD Office.

**July 14 & 21:** Echoes of Faith Classes, *Scriptures*, 5:30 – 8:30 p.m., CCD Office.

*Call the CCD Office to register for the classes.*

**Attention Young Adults:** a Young Adult ACTS Retreat for ages 20-30 is being considered. Email your thoughts to Kris at [khermes@blahutaadvertising.com](mailto:khermes@blahutaadvertising.com).

Correction to Auction Report: Cookies & Pecan Brittle on page 23 were donated by Robert & Sharon Reagan.

Retrouvaille Weekend for troubled marriages, September 10-12. For confidential information or to register, call 979-543-3493, email [lbconner@sbcglobal.net](mailto:lbconner@sbcglobal.net) or visit the website at [www.retrouvaille.org](http://www.retrouvaille.org).

El Campo Deanery Young Adult (19-28 yrs old) ACTS Retreat, July 15-18. For application or more information, call Brandon Janak 979-541-9952.

Please join Fr. Michael at a reception held in his honor after all Masses next weekend, June 26 & 27. Refreshments will be served in front of church. Please take this opportunity to wish him well on his new assignment to Our Lady of Victory Cathedral.

Best wishes, Fr. Michael! We will miss you!

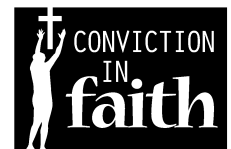
### 12th Sunday in Ordinary Time

A pendant in the shape of a cross is one of the most popular forms of jewelry. Women and men alike often wear one hanging from a gold or silver chain around their necks. Children often receive one when they make their first Communion. For some people, putting on the cross each day is an intensely religious experience. For others, the gold or silver emblem that they wear possesses nothing more than some sentimental value. For some, it serves only to make a fashion statement. Diamonds are popular, but it is probably fair to say that a cross is far more prevalent.

Writing in the second half of the first century, it is unlikely that the Gospel writers would foresee the boon that Christianity gave to modern-day goldsmiths. For Luke, taking up the cross daily did not mean fastening a piece of jewelry around his neck. He lived in a time when it was clear that being a Christian meant living a very different way of life. It meant getting up before dawn on the first day of the week to hasten to the early morning gathering for the breaking of the bread. Sunday was a day of work like any other. It meant contributing to the welfare of others instead of looking out only for oneself. And it meant being prepared to face persecution because one's faith was not consistent with the commonly held opinions of the day.

The Christian values of Sunday prayer, charity toward others, and a strong faith in God have not changed. They are still things that the followers of Jesus cling to as important aspects of the faith. As any disciple would admit, taking up the cross is not about wearing a piece of metal dangling from a chain.

Amulets like that can be a reminder of the interior life one hopes to espouse, but they do not guarantee salvation. Only losing our life in Christ will lead to that. 2010 Liturgical Publications Inc



Father, it is Your Commandment that we should honor our fathers; hear the prayers we offer You for them. Grant them many years on earth and keep them in health of mind and body. Bless their word and all they do. Give them back a hundred-fold whatever they have done for us. Inspire them with Your love and help them to fulfill Your holy law. One day, may we be their comfort and support, so that having enjoyed their affection on earth we may have the joy of being with them forever in Your home in heaven. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Happy Father's Day!!!!

Next week our diocese will take up the Peter's Pence Collection, which provides the Holy Father with the assistance he needs to carry out his most important charitable works. The proceeds benefit the most disadvantaged: victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Through your generosity, with Pope Benedict we can cast the love of Christ upon the world.

Fr. Phi Nguyen, Chaplain at IWBS Convent, will celebrate Mass & healing prayer at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 3 at Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Victoria. For more information, please call 575-3813.

**SACRED HEART CHURCH ENDOWMENT FUND**

In memory of Georgia Lux:

Lawrence & Laura Henke 10.00

In memory of Linda Fishbeck & James Naiser:

Peoples State Bank 20.00

In memory of Helen Etzler:

Peoples State Bank 50.00

Liz & Jimmy Kouba 20.00

John & Laverne Trojcek 10.00

George & Bernadette Kramer 15.00

Leroy & Anita Etzler 100.00

Mr. & Mrs. A. R. Wearden 25.00

Leo & Evelyn Hoffer 20.00

Sarah Jansky 10.00

John & Virginia Greer 10.00

Perry & Roxanne Deem 15.00

Frankie & Lucille Klekar 10.00

Evelyn Barcak 20.00

Ursula & Everett Govner 20.00

William & Pat Barcak 20.00

Dorothy & Annie Svetlik 20.00

Robert & Marie Tobola 10.00

Joseph & Diane Kallus 15.00

Clinton & Mildred Ulbig 20.00

Macklin & Dolly Johnson Family 25.00

Charles & Henrietta Janak 20.00

Henry & Ann Kostelnik 15.00

Alvin Paul & Barbara Grahmann 10.00

Bohumir & Mary Ann Pustejovsky 10.00

Mike & Helen Technik 20.00

Sharon Fuller 10.00

Marty & Karen Steffek 10.00

Jerry & Margaret Kallus 20.00

Allan & Juliet Monk & family 20.00

Don & Barbara Rainosek 20.00

Glenn & Mary Ann Janca 20.00

Harold Dean & Mary Bonorden 25.00

Allen & Anita Steffek 20.00

Henry & Elrose Muenster 20.00

John & Sherry Henke 20.00

Bubba & Peggy Valis 20.00

Harvey & Vivian Janak 10.00

Dorothy Kouba 15.00

Herbert & Georgie Etzler 20.00

Arthur & Rose Mary Etzler 10.00

Becky & Steve Roessler & family 20.00

Richard & Dorothy Henneke 10.00

Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Siegel 10.00

Richard & Joyce Klimitchek 20.00

Mitchel, Irene & Mitch Harbus 30.00

**SACRED HEART CHURCH ENDOWMENT FUND**

In memory of Helen Etzler:

Roman & Ann Wenske 10.00

Agnes Roznovsky 20.00

David & Kathy Bujnoch 20.00

Andrew & Laurie Janak 20.00

Mid-Coast Electric Supply, Victoria 100.00

Paul & Theresa Voelkel 10.00

In memory of Jerome Kocian & Pat Hrncir:

Knights of Columbus Council 2433 50.00

**SACRED HEART CHURCH MUSIC FUND**

In memory of Helen Etzler:

Kubena Funeral Home 20.00

Bob & Lou Kubena 20.00

Barbara & Elroy Holik 10.00

**SACRED HEART CHURCH CCD PROGRAM**

In memory of Helen Etzler:

Alton & Bernice Michalcik 10.00

Leonard & Mary Sklar 10.00

Stephen & Cheryl Leopold 10.00

**SACRED HEART SCHOOL ENDOWMENT FUND**

In memory of Helen Etzler:

Sherry Hale 10.00

Mildred & Allan Timm 15.00

Matthew, Martha & John Bludau 10.00

Mary Ann Pavliska 10.00

Daniel Kuhn 10.00

Alton J. Grahmann 20.00

Patrick & Dolores Janak 20.00

John & Charlene Pillow 20.00

Ronnie & Libby Bludau 25.00

William & Charlene Bradbury 10.00

Phillip & Evelyn Bujnoch 25.00

Sharon Janak & Grace Rother 20.00

Dorothy Bujnoch 25.00

Charles & Doloris Leopold 25.00

Victor & Vicky Svetlik 20.00

Clarence & Carol Hartensteiner 10.00

Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Etzler Family 20.00

Kelly & Joel Mathews 10.00

Melvin & Joyce Janak 10.00

Joseph & Brenda Hurt 10.00

Joe & Ana Henke 20.00

Daniel & Vickie Wagner 20.00

In memory of Lester Ziegler:

Joseph & Ramona Bludau Family 25.00

**SACRED HEART SCHOOL ALUMNI FUND**

In memory of Helen Etzler:

Bob & Carol Franks 10.00

Ronnie & Shirley Hollas & family 10.00

**SACRED HEART EARLY CHILDHOOD & DAYCARE**

In memory of Helen Etzler:

Vickie Klmitchek 10.00

Mary & Andy Chapman 25.00

Daniel & Carolyn Etzler 20.00

Daniel & Shirley Steffek 15.00

Dennis & Darlene Shimek 10.00

Chris & Jeanette Shimek 10.00

Bill & Fran Byrd 25.00

In honor of Anton Honish's 96<sup>th</sup> Birthday:

James & Mary Lee Honish Family 100.00

**SACRED HEART QUILTING CIRCLE**

In memory of Helen Etzler: Dan & Mathilda Melnar 25.00

## SPRING 2010 PICNIC REPORT

<u>PICNIC COMMITTEE</u>	<u>INCOME</u>	<u>EXPENSE</u>	<u>PROFIT</u>
Auction	\$ 86,176.00	(4,025.48)	\$ 82,150.52
Bar & Biergarten Sales	9,432.35	(6,131.03)	3,301.32
Bingo / Pull Tabs	3,029.41	(115.00)	2,914.41
Cake Walk	2,062.91	0.00	2,062.91
Cash Donations	6,610.00	0.00	6,610.00
Country Store	1,934.60	0.00	1,934.60
Dinner Sales	25,497.75	(11,861.70)	13,636.05
French Fries / Funnel Cakes	470.50	(197.29)	273.21
Hamburgers	4,851.00	(2,026.17)	2,824.83
Ice Cream	531.50	0.00	531.50
Kiddy Rides	2,847.50	(3,471.36)	(623.86)
Raffle	13,913.00	(4,975.31)	8,937.69
Religious Articles	130.00	0.00	130.00
Snow Cones / Popcorn	241.90	(97.71)	144.19
Sodawater Stand	1,047.90	(681.13)	366.77
Washer Pitch Tournament	340.00	(120.00)	220.00
General Expenses	876.00	(5,304.88)	(4,428.88)
Total	<u>\$ 159,992.32</u>	<u>\$ (39,007.06)</u>	<u>\$ 120,985.26</u>

Truck Raffle (not included in picnic report) \$ 57,460.00   \$ (35,208.54)   \$ 22,251.46

Included in the Auction is \$21,960 for Fr. John's Cake & \$3,720 for the BBQ Calf Group.

General Expenses includes advertising, bands, hall rent & miscellaneous operating expenses.

**Thank you to everyone who worked so hard and put in such long hours to make this picnic a success, and to those who came out and supported our picnic. *Thank you, everyone!!!***

<u>YOUTH PICNIC REPORT:</u>	<u>INCOME</u>	<u>EXPENSE</u>	<u>PROFIT</u>
<u>RECEIPTS:</u> Pig Plop Grids	3,000.00		
Sale of Pig	275.00		
Aromies	275.00		
Booth Sales	517.00		
<u>EXPENSES:</u> Pig Plop Winners		(1,500.00)	
Ben E. Keith - supplies		(209.49)	
Aromies		(137.50)	
Total	<u>\$ 4,067.00</u>	<u>\$ (1,846.99)</u>	<u>\$ 2,220.01</u>