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## **Mass Schedule**

**Saturday** 

St. Mary - 4:30pm

### Sunday

St. Mary – 9:00am (Rosary 8:30am) St. Joan of Arc - 5:00pm (Rosary 4:30pm)

#### Weekdays (at St. Mary only)

Tuesday – 6:00pm Wednesday – Friday – 7:00am

Tuesday - 5:00pm - Adoration

#### **CCD**

St. Mary - Sunday at 10:00am (on summer break)

#### **RCIA**

St. Mary - TBD

#### **Confessions**

Saturday – 4:00pm – St. Mary Sunday – 8:30am – St. Mary Sunday – 4:30pm – St. Joan Tuesday – 5:15pm

Or by appointment

St. Joan of Arc 327 W. McKinley St. Jasonville, IN

St. Mary Church 105 E. Jackson Street Sullivan, IN

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16<sup>th</sup> Sunday of July 17, Ordinary Time 2022



Blessed are they who have kept the word with a generous heart and yield a harvest through perseverance.

Luke 8:15

#### Church Support – July 10

**St. Joan of Arc:** Regular \$755 / Building Fund \$50

Jasonville Food Pantry \$20

St. Mary: Regular \$1,393 / Bldg Fund \$25

Community Kitchen \$35

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK (July 17-24)

Saturday, Jul. 16 –16<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time STM – Dick Eckstein

Sunday, Jul. 17 – 16<sup>h</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time STM – Marty Pierson → STJ – Stephen Vitosky →

#### 16th Week of Ordinary Time

Monday, Jul. 18 – St. Camillus de Lellis, Priest NO MASS

Tuesday, Jul. 19 – Weekday in Ordinary Time STM – Cade Frey →

Wednesday, Jul. 20 – St. Apollinaris, Bishop & Martyr

STM − Billy Paul <del>↑</del>

Thursday, Jul. 21- St. Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest & Doctor of the Church

STM - Matthew Foster

Friday, Jul. 22 – St. Mary Magdalene STM – Lenny Barish →

Saturday, Jul. 23 –17<sup>h</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time STM – Members of St. Mary & St. Joan of Arc

Sunday, Jul. 24 – 17<sup>h</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time STM – Members of St. Mary & St. Joan of Arc STJ – Members of St. Joan of Arc & St. Mary

## **PRAYER LIST**

**St. Mary:** Brenda Bedwell, William Bouchie, Fran Carrico, Bob Cooper, Verne Davis, Teresa Eder, Shaun Freeman, Jr., Brooks Howard, Payton Main, Dave Meadows, Cathy Nedemeyer, Raymond Pirtle, Christopher Styga

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#### **ITEMS OF NOTE:**

Community Kitchen volunteers needed to help deliver meals Monday evenings starting at 4:30pm or 5:00pm. It takes about 1½ hours to deliver. The Comm. Kitchen and Pantry are open every Monday serving on site from 5:00pm-6:00pm. Help with meal preparation, meal distribution and cleanup is always appreciated.



## DAILY MASS READINGS

#### Jul. 19 (Tuesday)

Reading I – Micah 7:14-15, 18-20 Psalm 85:2-4, 5-6, 7-8 Gospel – Matthew 1112:46-50

#### Jul. 22 (Friday)

Reading I –Song of Songs 3:1-4b or 2 Corinthians 5:14-17 Psalm 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9 Gospel – John 20:1-2, 11-18

#### Jul. 17 (Sunday)

Reading I – Genesis 18:1-10a Psalm 15:2-3, 3-4, 5 Reading II – Colossians 1:24-28 Gospel – Luke 10:38-42

#### Jul. 20 (Wednesday)

Reading I – Jeremiah 1:1, 4-10 Psalm 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15 & 17 Gospel – Matthew 13:1-9

#### Jul. 23 (Saturday)

Reading I – Jeremiah 7:1-11 Psalm 84:3, 4, 5-6a & 8a, 11 Gospel – Matthew 13:24-30

#### Jul. 18 (Monday)

Reading I – Micah 6:1-4, 6-8 Psalm 50:5-6, 8-9, 16bc-17, 21 & 23 Gospel – Matthew 12:38-42

#### Jul. 21 (Thursday)

Reading I – Jeremiah 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13 Psalm 36:6-7ab, 8-9, 10-11 Gospel – Matthew 13:10-17

#### Jul. 24 (Sunday)

Reading I – Genesis 18:20-32 Psalm 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8 Reading II – Colossians 2:12-14 Gospel – Luke 11:1-13

# A REFLECTION

## FROM FR. SURESH

The lesson today is that offering hospitality always brings a gift from God. Perhaps even more important than physical hospitality is simply listening to one another.

The reading from the Book of Genesis is one of the wonderful readings from the Jewish Scriptures that reaches back into pre-history and speaks of the relationship of Abraham and Sarah with God.

Abraham and Sarah are completely giving of themselves to these three who show up unexpectedly. They are clearly sent from God. They represent God's faithfulness to His promise to Abraham that he and Sarah will have a son. Abraham has never doubted that God will keep His promise but has thought that perhaps that promise was not what he thought it was. Sarah can only laugh when told that she will bear a son. She had hopes when she was young but knows that humanly it is too late.

Both Abraham and Sarah are hosts of God in this drama. They listen politely, even if Sarah laughs. They offer hospitality without conditions.

Contrast this biblical narrative with the Gospel of Luke today. Here Martha is really upset. She is the host and wants her sister, Mary, to do her part. Jesus never says that what Martha is doing has no value. Instead, Jesus simply states that there is a greater value than the physical hospitality: listening to the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

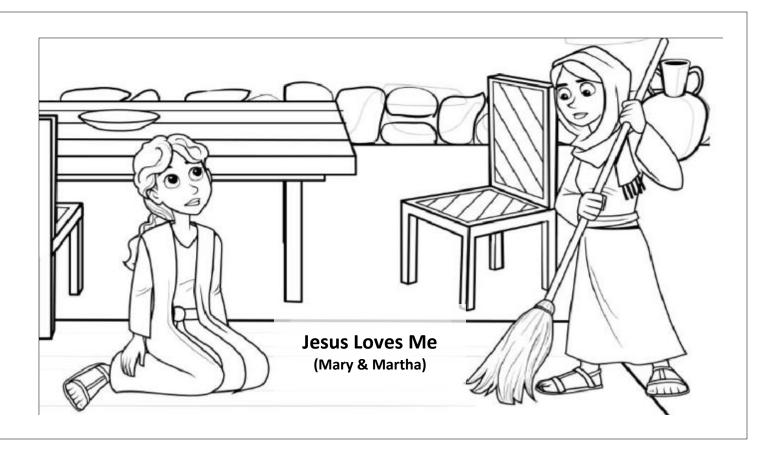
Only when we are able to receive others as those who come in the name of the Lord can we live the mystery spoken of by Saint Paul in the second reading today: Christ in you, the hope for glory. Saint Paul in the Letter to the Colossians puts this mystery at the heart of our Christian life.

True hospitality is first of all receiving one another as God's creation, as the presence of Jesus Christ Himself. If we recognize Christ in the other, all the other details of hospitality will take care of themselves. It is when we see only another human being with defects and sins and brokenness that we can treat others poorly and even worse.

Let us pray today for this grace to see Christ in the other every day and at all times. Once we see Christ present, we will listen and we will do the works of hospitality.

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Suresh, HGN





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