

Our Lady of the Assumption Church

Diocese of Corpus Christi

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Rev. Patrick Higgins, Pastor

Parish Secretary: Rosemary Morin

Baptismal: Please call Rosemary at the parish office. 776-2446

RCIC: Please call the office 776-2446 and leave a message for Fr. Patrick

RCIA: Eddie Polasek 361-537-3250 and Crystal Matern

Religious Education: Crystal Matern (RE Director) 361-332-1476

Youth Minister: Joey Polasek 361-557-0330

Parish Finance Council: Chairperson Pete Perkins

Marriage Preparation: Must contact Fr. Patrick six months prior to the proposed date of wedding.

Quinceañera Celebration: Must contact Fr Patrick six months prior to proposed date of celebration. Please call the parish office 776-2446.

CMSE Coordinator: Sylvia Earnst 361-557-2448

Adoration Chapel Coordinator: Crissy Freasier 832-707-4799

Altar Server Coordinator: Jonathan Davis 361-205-3237

Maintenance: Rogelio & Maria Adame; Abel Gutierrez

Altar & Rosary Society: Janie Gonzalez 361-774-1215. Meets every month on the 3rd Thursday 9:00 AM parish office building.

Guadalupanas: Erma Gonzales 361-790-3714, meets the last Monday of each month in the parish office building, 6:30pm.

Knights of Columbus: Meets every first Monday of the month, 7:00 PM, Parish Hall. Grand Knight Victor Lara 361-443-6374; Deputy GK Jim Steward

Eucharistic & Lector Minister Coordinator: Rene Majek 361-443-9869

Music Director: Victor Lara 361-443-6374 Please contact for choir schedule

Bulletin Announcements: The deadline is 11:00am on Friday (10 days prior), call 776-2446 or email announcements to morin@cableone.net

Mass Schedule:

Saturday (Vigil): 5:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 AM, 5:00 PM

Weekday Masses: Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri: 8:00 AM

Divine Mercy Chaplet:

Monday thru Friday after daily Mass in the Church

Confessions:

Saturday 4:00 to 5:00 PM or by appointment .

Holy Day of Obligation: 8:00 AM & 7:00 PM

New Parishioners: Please register at the office.

AUGUST 16, 2020

*O woman,
great is
your faith!*

MATTHEW 15:28



TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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SANCTUARY CANDLE:

This week the Sanctuary Candle will burn for the repose of the soul of Ramiro Morin (birthday)/by Morin Family

CHAPEL ADORATION CANDLE:

This week the Adoration Candle will burn for the repose the souls of all those who have passed away from COVID-19

SAT. August 15, 2020—**The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

5:00PM †Ramiro Morin/by Morin Family

SUN. August 16, 2020--**Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00AM Members of OLOA Parish

10:00AM Corwin Hayes/by Victor & Bertha Rodriguez

5:00PM †Johnnie Garza/by Natalie Garza

MON. August 17—**Weekday**
Special Mass Intention for the Perez Family
by Marty & Rosa Perez

TUES. August 18—**Weekday**
†Erlinda Martinez/by Gonzales Family

WED. August 19— **St. John Eudes, Priest**
No Mass

THUR. August 20—**St. Bernard, Abbot**
Christy Guilianelle (birthday)/by Marty and Rosa Perez

FRI. August 21—**St. Pius X, Pope**
†Ana Maria Gutierrez/by Gutierrez Family

Next Week's Schedule for Shut-Ins:
Suspended until further notice

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Observe what is right, do what is just; for my salvation is about to come, my justice, about to be revealed. — *Isaiah 56:1*



MASS INTENTIONS

Please call the parish office if you would like to schedule a Mass or a special Intention, the Sanctuary or Adoration candle for your loved ones, living or deceased.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are asking for volunteers to help us for a few minutes after weekend masses, to help sanitize down the pews. If you can help we certainly appreciate it!

Next Week's Minister's Schedule

Sat. August 22nd

5:00PM

Lectors: Lydia Jaramillo

Eucharist: Abel Gutierrez

Sun. August 23rd

8:00AM

Lectors: Kevin Middagh

Eucharist: Diane Thauburn

10:00AM

Lectors: Stella Chandler

Eucharist: Tommy Chandler

5:00PM

Lectors: Julie Nye

Eucharist: Sylvia Earnst

Offertory for August 9, 2020

Envelope Collection - \$2208.00

Loose Collection - \$2079.70

Online Giving Collection - \$1130.00

Total Contributions - \$5417.70

MISSALETTES

The current missalettes dated August 9th to November 28th are available as you enter the Church. Please take one and take it home with you and bring it with you each Sunday. Please do not leave them in the pews.

WEARING OF MASKS

Fr. Patrick highly encourages everyone to wear a mask during Mass, and to please sanitize hands upon entering the Church. Thank you.

WHY PRAY?

The “foreigners” as Isaiah calls them, the “Gentiles” as Paul calls them, or the “Canaanites” as Matthew calls them are called to worship the one true God in prayer. As we listen to today’s readings, perhaps we are tempted to ask: Why pray? The question is rhetorical; it is tantamount to asking why should friends talk to one another or people in love kiss one another. Prayer is a way of relating to God, a way of talking to God. The apostles had the opportunity to talk to Jesus in the flesh. We have the opportunity to talk to Jesus Christ in prayer. Our relationship with him must be enthusiastic; it cannot be faint-hearted.

It takes a dynamic faith on our part to come to God in prayer. As Jesus once said, “Knock and the door will be opened to you” (Matthew 7:7). It may take pounding the door down, but if we are as persistent as the woman in today’s Gospel, the results will follow. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

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GRATITUDE

O Thou who has given us so much, mercifully grant us one thing more—a grateful heart.

—George Herbert

GOOD EXAMPLE

A faithful Christian, illumined by the rays of grace like a crystal, ought to illumine his neighbor with the light of good example, through word and deed. —St. Anthony

TODAY'S READINGS

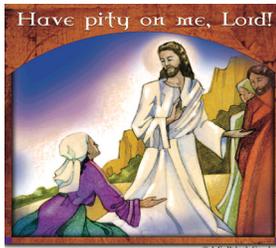
First Reading — Thus says the LORD: "Stand firm in justice; do what is right" (Isaiah 56:1, 6-7).

Psalm — O God, let all the nations praise you! (Psalm 67).

Second Reading — The gifts and the calling of God are unable to be revoked (Romans 11:13-15, 29-32).

Gospel — Recognizing the Canaanite woman's great faith, Jesus told her, "It shall be done as you wish" (Matthew 15:21-28).

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SANCTUARY & ADORATION CANDLE

The Church Sanctuary and Chapel Adoration Candle has weeks available. If you would like to have the candle burning for the intention of a loved one, a birthday, or anniversary, please call the parish office 776-2446; the cost for the candle is \$15. The candle will burn in their memory for a week.



Online Giving

ONLINE GIVING

Online giving has been set up for your convenience through Our Sunday Visitor. Getting started is easy. Just go to our website and click on the Online Giving image, create a new account, fill out the form and click to submit.

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time A Clever Woman of Faith

Why is Jesus being so difficult with the Canaanite woman? At first he seems to be putting her off. He does this not to discourage her, but to draw a response of faith. He wants to see how persistent she is in her request.



We can tell ourselves that we are people of faith, but how easily are we discouraged? Do we think God has forgotten us when we experience trouble? The woman's clever reply to Jesus reminds us that she trusted in Jesus' power and willingness to help. She refused to give up and stop asking.

Jesus was also teaching his disciples that faith is more important than nationality. Long after Jesus' resurrection, the church struggled with the question of non-Jewish believers. Today, we may be doing the same thing in reverse. Some people think that only Catholics can be saved and that there is no hope for Protestants, much less for Jews. But though some rejected Jesus, God never rejected the Jews.

Finally, Jesus responded to her persistence. He shows us that we can keep praying till we get an answer to our prayer. The more time we spend in prayer, the more likely we are to listen to God's answer. Prayer can help us come to the peaceful acceptance that God only does what is best for us. Tom Schmidt, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Wednesday: St. John Eudes
Thursday: St. Bernard
Friday: St. Pius X
Saturday: Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary



THE DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET
Will be prayed after all weekday masses in the Church. Jesus encourages us to pray this beautiful prayer daily. Jesus tells St. Faustina "It pleases me to grant everything souls ask of me by saying the chaplet." If your schedule permits it, we invite you to stay behind after mass for a few minutes and pray this beautiful prayer with us.