



# Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 06, 2025

## MASS INTENTIONS

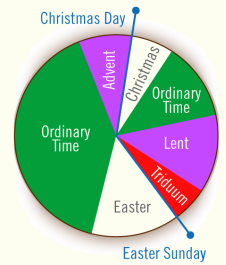
July 06....George and Martha Shaw

July 13....Doug & Carol Lane

## DO YOU HAVE MASS INTENTIONS?

We have envelopes at back of the church.

Ask an usher.



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## Mass times:

Sunday 10:30am—English

12pm—Spanish

**Please see calendar at  
stpatrickmtsterling.com  
for midweek masses.**

**Religious Ed (Fall thru Spring)**

Sundays 9-10:15am

## Anointing of the Sick & Visits:

Please call the office if you know of  
someone in need of a pastoral visit.

**Marriage Prep:** Notify priest 6+mo. in adv.

**Baptism:** by appointment

## A Word from Fr. Jim: Sunday, July 06, 2025

Today's liturgy dares us to be sheep among wolves, to be evangelizers in a world dying for lack of love. The wolves of our time are purveyors of fear and hatred that spawn every type of bigotry, division, violence and lies. Pope Leo XIV tells us that as disciples, we are sent into "many settings in which the Christian faith is considered absurd, meant for the weak and unintelligent. Settings where other securities are preferred, like technology, money, success, power or pleasure . . . where believers are mocked, opposed, despised or at best tolerated and pitied."

What do we have to offer? Like the inexperienced 72, we got nothing more than our experience of the joy of living Christ's message. As disciples, we can continue to share experiences of love, hope and possibility that are strong enough to seduce others into believing the unbelievable: that the reign of God is at hand.

If we want to succeed in taking up Jesus' mission, we will draw people through attraction rather than rational proof. We need to know our faith by heart and accept the fact that what we offer will only attract the hungry; the complacent know how to stay safe behind what old toothpaste ads called "an invisible protective shield." As Pope Leo points out, they prefer the kind of securities they can buy or demand. They are tragically out of touch with their deepest yearnings, invulnerable to knowing the vastness of God's love.

**New or Returning to Our  
Parish?**

**Need to update info?**

Ask an usher for the parish  
registration form. Complete  
and return to the church  
office or put in the collection  
plate.

**DO YOU GET THE  
FLOCKNOTES?**

Keep in touch with our parish  
through text

Text SJSPSA to  
84576

OR go to this  
QR code:



Saint Meinrad Summer Chant Workshop  
Anyone interested in learning to sing  
chant in a monastic setting is invited to  
register for the summer workshop at  
Saint Meinrad Archabbey  
from July 21-25, 2025.

The week will focus on how to read and  
interpret the earliest sources of chant no-  
tation and how it might apply to liturgy in  
the vernacular today.

Come immerse yourself in  
the ancient spiritual and  
artistic richness of our  
Catholic faith.  
Visit <https://>

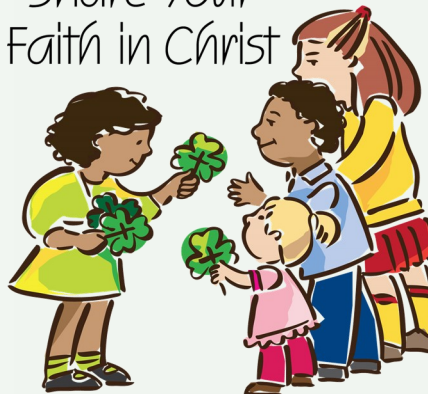


## Birthdays (July 6th-12th)

07/06...Itzel Duran  
07/07...Oscar Groff  
07/08...Karina Gonzales  
07/09...Jennyfer Enriquez  
07/10...Briggs Beckham



Share Your  
Faith in Christ



**The church is in  
need of a Director  
of Religious  
Education for the  
fall. Could that be  
YOU? Contact any  
admin or council  
member if  
interested.**

**Pray the Rosary  
Wednesdays @  
4pm**



## COMING SOON!

St Patrick's will be having our  
Summer Picnic @ the  
Montgomery County Pool on the  
bypass **July 13th,**  
**7 to 9 pm.**



**JULY requests:**  
**Cereal, canned fruit,**  
**ketchup, & canned**  
**soup.**

**A box has been placed  
in back of church for  
collection.**

Last week and the week before we had a very serious  
possible situation in the rear parking lot of church, on both  
occasions someone ( not the same car both weeks)  
parked their car in the drive lane of the parking lot and left  
it. This could be VERY serious if someone in the congre-  
gation needed to leave in the middle of mass and get  
home or to the Hospital. Please if you pull in parking lot  
and all marked spaces are full, pull out on street where  
there are normally a lot of spaces available. Thank You  
for helping us take care of what could be a very serious  
problem.

- Safety Committee

"Almighty God, give me wisdom to perceive You, intelli-  
gence to understand You, diligence to seek You, pa-  
tience to wait for You, eyes to behold You, a heart to  
meditate upon You and life  
to proclaim You, through the  
power of the Spirit of our  
Lord Jesus Christ. Amen."

- Benedict of Nursia (480-547),
- Monk, Patron of Europe,
- Feast Day July 11

