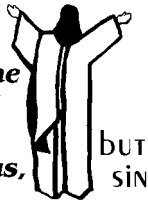


I did not come to call the righteous, BUT SINNERS.



The prosperous Matthew left his good life of plenty to follow the penniless Jesus when He called. Let us remember that the call to service is not always comfortable but always comes with great

reward. Lord, give us the courage to act as Your disciples!

MONDAY 1Kgs 17:1-7; Mt 5:1-12
TUESDAY Acts 11:21-26; 13:1-3; Mt 10:7-13
WEDNESDAY 1Kgs 18:20-39; Mt 5:17-19
THURSDAY 1Kgs 18:41-46; Mt 5:20-26
FRIDAY 1Kgs 19:9,11-16; Mt 5:27-32
SATURDAY 1Kgs 19:19-21; Mt 5:33-37
SUNDAY Ex 19:2-6a; Rom 5:6-11; Mt 9:36—10:8



APOSTLES FOR LIFE

Over 400 signatures were gathered for the petition to ban partial birth abortions. Thanks to all who took the time to sign the petitions after the Masses on Sunday, May 26th. A special thanks to Evelyn Nachtegaele for her inspiring testimony and her beautiful song.

Additional petitions have been placed in the Adoration Chapel for those who would like to voice their concern about this horrible procedure.

A Reminder

Every Saturday morning from 8:00-9:00 the Apostles for Life gather in the Adoration Chapel for intercessory prayer and Communion service.

Please join us in praying for the sanctity of life from conception until natural death.

Please call Art Vandaveer (297-4107) for additional information.



Are you planning a family vacation this summer? Why not give your marriage a vacation by attending a Marriage Encounter weekend and return from it refreshed and full of energy? The next weekends at the Christian Renewal Center are July 12-14 and August 23-25. For further

information please contact Mark & Janet Glaser at 713-665-4417 or Brian & Tina Little at 281-485-5648 or visit www.geocities.com/~mehouston

To the righteous
I will show
the saving power of God.



MASS INTENTIONS

JUNE 11 THROUGH JUNE 16

TUESDAY 5:30P.M. †Jesse Clark by Pete & Bessie Ermis
WEDNESDAY 8:30A.M. †Josie Wleczyk by M/M Dean Shaw
THURSDAY 5:30P.M. †Jim Moore by Jim Kreuz
FRIDAY 8:30A.M. †Virginia Gail Savaso by John & Adele Baxter
SATURDAY 5:30P.M. †Ed Carmody by Jack Bartlett
SUNDAY 8:00A.M. †James M. Vera by his wife and family
9:30A.M. †Leo Wleczyk, Sr. by his son
11:00A.M. †Richard Mach by Edith & Pete Kocurek

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Please pray for the repose of the soul of James Zea, husband of Sandy Zea; also for the soul of Geoff Engen, brother of Rob Engen; also for the soul of Barney Supak, husband of Sue Supak; also for the soul of Al Veitenheimer, brother of Betty Waters.



Please pray for those of our community who have requested our prayers.

Savana Allen, Hugo Arevalo, Billy Ray Barnett, Janet Barone, Robert Behr, Scott Blanchard, Josephine Bogo, **Bennie Paul Bono**, Maria Castillo, Larry Cavaness, Ruth Cleaver, James Conalty, Mary Coxle, Cecil Cromeans, Lorene Cromeans, Anita Cromis, Gene Curtis, Pete D'Augusta, Barbara Dillon, Terry Ditges, Cody Drapela, Lenora Duval, Clarence Ebey, Isabel Evans, Payton Ewald, Marcella Ezell, Marcia Flournoy, Jared Floyd, Norma Forey, Clarence Forse, Lucille Fourrier, Colette Easter Garcia, Paul Garcia, Craig Garrison, **Robert Goodpaster**, Barbara Grant, Edith Hall, Wanda Hanks, Venita Harang, Dorothy Harnden, Mary Harnden, Lorraine Hayes, **Wanda Henry**, Kristen Hinojosa, Pam Hocutt, Rae Holt, Brenda Kelley, Rebecca Kelly, Taylor Kibodeaux, Gloria Kissinger, Jerry Lacoume, Morris Landry, **Joe Langston**, Cindy Loftus, Tim & Larry Loftus, Robin Loftus, Michael Maddox, Dionisio Martinez, Mary Martinez, Mary McClintock, Irene McGaughey, Ed McGuckin, Vicky Melton, Royce Mullens, Ounida Muniza, Heloise Murray, Natalie Pena, Johnny Peres, III, Cecelia Peterson, Anna Mae Reixach, Christina Robinson, **Mary Rogers**, **John Rosser**, Doris Rutkowski, Sandy Sendejo. Bud Stover, Coletta Stover, Billie Stricklin, Joshua Teague, Linda Thompson, Evelyn Tumlinson, Jennifer Villarreal. Anna Mae Walters, Evelyn White, John Edward White, Shane Williams, Reese Williams, Ed Windler, Margaret Young and Jack Yonge.

YOUTH MINISTRY

SPIRIT: 6th: 6:30-8pm SLC
Janice Rodrigue 299-3509/292-0501
JR. TEAM: 7th-8th: 6:30-8pm SLC
Janice Rodrigue 299-3509/292-0501
TEAM: 6:30-8:30 FLC
Helen Fagg, 297-3043
CONFIRMATION: 6:30-8:30pm SLC
Alice & Sean Artman 299-0048



Ordinary time, the longest season of the church year, fills the weeks "which do not celebrate a specific aspect of the mystery of Christ." It's the "no particular reason" season. The Christmas cycle honors the birth of Christ. The Easter cycle rejoices in the resurrection.

Ordinary time is devoted to the mystery of Christ in all its aspects.

The number of the weeks of ordinary time replaces the old counting of weeks "after Epiphany" and "after Pentecost." The old calendar suggested that Pentecost ran for six months. The new calendar gives Pentecost a day. Then we return to ordinary time.

At first glance the principles of ordinary time seem basic enough. Start counting the weeks after the Christmas season. Break for Lent and Easter. Resume after Pentecost and keep counting till Advent. Basically, that's how it works. But we have a few quirks.

For example, there is no "First Sunday in ordinary time"; however, there is a first week. Usually the Christmas season ends on a Sunday with the Baptism of the Lord. (Some years the baptism falls on a Monday, but that's another story.) Ordinary time then begins on a weekday. When the next Sunday rolls around we start week two.

On the Tuesday before Ash Wednesday, we see the last of ordinary time until after Pentecost. Even then, it emerges only on weekdays. Trinity Sunday always follows Pentecost Sunday, and The Body and Blood of the Lord comes the next Sunday in the United States. (In countries where The Body and Blood of the Lord is a holy day, it falls on a Thursday.) So when the numbered Sundays in ordinary time return in summer, we start out a little higher than where we left off.

Sometimes we skip one or two entire weeks of ordinary time during the Easter break. We want to close the Sundays of the year with Christ the King, one week before Advent. Christ the King always falls on the 34th Sunday in ordinary time. So, we determine the week number after Pentecost not based on where we left off before Lent but counting backwards from Christ the King. One or two weeks may evaporate while ordinary time serves the mystery of Christ.

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Looking for a place to donate 2-3 hours per month or week? Check with Brazosport Pantry (239-1225) or the Lake Jackson Museum – local history (297-1570).



TIME for
VACATION
BIBLE SCHOOL



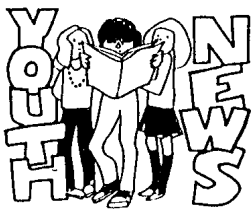
NEEDED FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: We need clean adult black socks, and clean girl's white nylons. Please drop by the Religious Education Office, Tuesday-Friday. Thanks!



The Beginning Experience

The Young People Beginning Experience Weekend (Y.P.B.E.) is for young people 12-18 years old, whose parents

are separated, divorced or widowed. The program helps young people sort out some of the confused, lonely and angry feelings that often accompany the changes that take place in their family lives. The next Y.P.B.E. weekend is scheduled for June 28-30. Please contact Rosanne Konarik at 281-820-2994, for registration or other information. Space is limited, confirmation required. E-mail: houstonteenbe@yahoo.com Details and registration: www.geocities.com/houstonteenbe



Hey! Whatcha doing on Wednesday's now that school's out for the summer? Well...come on over to the Family Life Center for "Digging Deeper,

Diggin' In"—this summer's Bible study. All Youth Ministry, high school and junior high, is invited to attend from 6:30 to 8:30pm starting June 5th through July 31st. Can't make them all, don't worry come when you can! Bring a great snack and drink to share, bring a friend too! Come ready to have some fun. Call the Youth Ministry Office if you have questions, 297-3043. See ya there!