



St. Lawrence Catholic Church

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July 22, 2018

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

See, I have God for my help. The Lord sustains by soul. I will sacrifice to you with willing heart, and praise your name, O Lord, for it is good.

TODAYS READINGS:

First Reading – I will gather the remnant of my flock and appoint shepherds for them. (Jeremiah 23: 1-6)

Second Reading – Christ is our peace who made both one. (Ephesians 2: 13-18)

Gospel – They were like sheep without a shepherd. (Mark 6: 30-34)

ADORATION:

Friday mornings 6:30-7:30 AM

If you are in need of a priest please call:

Fr. Job Scaria at (318)547-6401

Fr. Paul Thunduparampil at (318)237-9195



PRAYER REQUEST:

Rose Chaplin, Becky Carswell, Cooper Fontenot, Mary Dollar, Jay Schroeder, Mamie Ezernack, Jayson Rogers, De'Neal Hotard, Vonnie Kinnison, Hubert Elee, Ron Landry, Lisa Keller, Ricky Keller, Tyler Robinson, Ginger McNeal, Mehmet Mufide.

Military:

C. Warlick, III

OUR DEARLY DEPARTED:

Joe Elee, Charlene Bryant,
Lisa McNeeses' Mother



Please continue to pray for those who have no one to pray for them.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Saturday July 21 Charlotte Jackson
Patsy Kirkham

Sunday July 22 Theresa Tran
Norma Hance
Jennifer Huey

Saturday July 28 Sharon Elias
Peggy Purcell

Sunday July 29 Kay Patterson
Janet Goss
Kenny Rogers

Saturday Aug. 4 Peggy Purcell
Charlotte Jackson

Sunday Aug. 5 Tiffany Rogers
Kenny Rogers
Michelle Conti

Collection:

General \$1,665
Building \$ 550

SECOND COLLECTIONS:

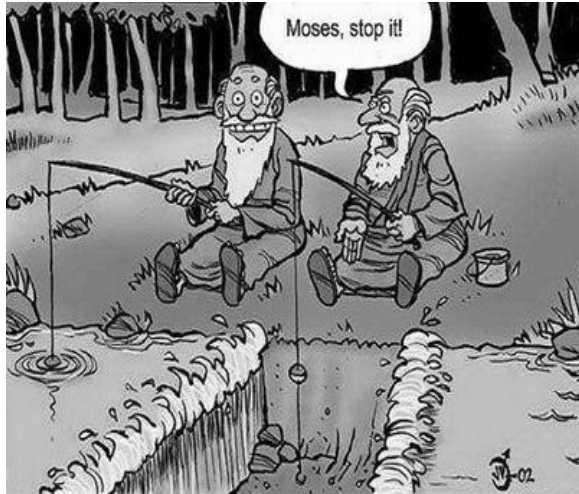
Church in
Africa:

July 21 & 22

SLCC WEBSITE:

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Contributed by Mike Russell

Why Are There Comics in The Bulletin Lately?

During the summer months, there are not very many announcements to insert in the bulletin. Consequently, "inserts" are used in order that the bulletin does not contain too much blank space. If you would like to contribute pictures, jokes, and/or articles for the bulletin, then please send them to Office.slcc.swartz@gmail.com and we will insert them when appropriate and if space permits.

COMING UP THIS WEEK:

Sat	8/21	5:00p	Singles Group Mtg.
Sun	8/22	11:00	SVdP Meeting
Mon	8/23	6:30p	Boy Scouts
Wed	8/25	9:00	Mass
Thu	8/26	6:00p	Healing Prayer Serv.
		6:00p	Youth Group Mtg.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

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 Knights of Columbus- Skip Martin:
 318-387-2109
 PSR -- Shanny Hart: 318-355-5772
 Youth/RCIA-- Jennifer Patterson:
 318-237-7069
 Extraordinary Ministers -- Peggy Purcell:
 318-343-6616
 Prayer Shawl Ministry—Nancy Christian:
 281-796-9601
 St. Vincent DePaul-- Carol Woods:
 393-3167

REGULAR EVENTS:

Community Council: 1st Thursdays 6:30
 Altar Society: 2nd Wednesdays 10 AM (Hall)
 Healing Service: Last Thursday 6 PM
 Knights of Columbus: 2nd Thursday 6:30
 St. Vincent DePaul: 4th Sunday, 11AM Chapel
 Veterans' Home Mass: 1st Friday 3 PM
 Singles Group: 3rd Saturday, after 4 PM Mass

The Preacher was making an announcement to the congregation one Sunday morning, "We're having a huge fundraiser. The first person to bring me a check for \$1,000 can pick out 3 hymns." One little old lady immediately jumps up and brings up her \$1,000 check. So, the Preacher tells her to go ahead and pick out 3 hymns. She then turns around and slowly looks over the congregation and says, "I'll take him, and him, and him!"