

July 29, 2018

## Ordinary Time

Seventeenth Sunday



### God Provides

**The miracle of the multiplication of loaves is a sign that is misunderstood by both the disciples who participate in it and the crowds who witness it. In the readings of the four Sundays that follow, Jesus will teach the people the significance of their experience; that he himself is the bread that has come from heaven; not the magic provider of everything they want, but the genuine source of all that fulfills human needs**

Today's Bulletin is sponsored in memory of  
the Anderle & Muehlstein Families  
by the Barbara & Eugene Anderle Family.

### MASS INTENTIONS



Wednesday, August 1  
8:00 a.m. Lillie & Henry Dornak  
Thursday, August 2  
10:30 a. m. Shady Oaks – Claudette Fojtik  
Friday, August 3  
8:00 a.m. Edith Beran, Antoinette Rothbauer,  
Frank Svetlik  
Saturday, August 4  
6:30 p.m. Victor A. Moeller, Sr.  
Sunday, August 5  
6:30 a.m. Bertha & Albert Schutz  
9:30 a.m. Frankie Janecek

### PREPARING FOR SUNDAY LITURGY

Next weekend is *The Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*. Prepare for the liturgy by reflecting on these passages from your Bible.

**First Reading: Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15**  
**Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 78**  
**Second Reading: Ephesians 4:17, 20-24**  
**Gospel: Mark 6:24-35**

Remember the sick in your prayers this week, especially Gloria Haas, Irene Portales and Annette Technik.

**The Sanctuary Light will be lit this week in memory of Grace Schoenvogel.**

## HAPPY JAMBOREE DAYS!

St. Joseph's welcomes everyone to Moulton this weekend.

### 2018 DIOCESAN SERVICES APPEAL

2018 Assessment ..... \$17,386.00  
Contributions So Far ..... \$ 8,460.00  
Amount Yet to be Contributed ..... \$ 8,926.00

We thank the following for their recent contributions:

*Lucy Schoenfeld                      Marilyn Strmiska*  
*Loretta & Tony Janak*

Do please consider making a donation.

### ST. JOSEPH'S SOCIAL CENTER UPDATE



The project is progressing steadily. The metal crew continued working on the pavilion area. The framers continued framing the inside, and the electricians and concrete crew were also here this past week and will continue working this week.

We are very grateful to the following for their recent donations to the St. Joseph's Social Center Fund:

*Anonymous Donor - \$10,000*

*In Memory of George Simecek - \$50*  
*Annette & Ronald Technik*

**Total amount donated towards the Social Center Fund so far - \$307,288.38. Thank you for your generosity and support.**

### ST. JOSEPH'S MEMORIAL FUND

*In Memory of Charlie Pilat*

*Attracta & Alvin Schraer*  
*Pat, Ken, David & Brenda Schraer*

*In Memory of George Simecek*  
*Mary Lou Dierschke                      Diana & Harvey Kloesel*

**K.J.T. State Family Day, today** at the K.J.T. Activity & Fraternal Center in La Grange. Registration at 11:00 a.m.

**Mass Bookings Available: August 8, 15 & 16**

**Bulletin Sponsorship Available: August 26**

**Altar Flower Bookings Available: August 5 & 12**

To book a Mass or Altar Flowers, or to sponsor the Bulletin contact the Parish Office.

### THE WEEK AHEAD

TUESDAY – Quilting Group Meets

THURSDAY – Quilting Group Meets

– KC Bingo, 7:30 p.m., Moulton Oaks Hall

FRIDAY – First Friday Eucharistic Adoration, 8:30 a.m.-  
6:00 p.m., Family Room

– Parish Office closed on Fridays. For any Pastoral emergency, call the Parish Office at any time.

## LOOKING AHEAD

### *The 17<sup>th</sup> to the 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*

This Sunday we temporarily set aside Mark's Gospel and turn to the Gospel of John for the next five weeks. The Gospel of Mark is the primary focus of this year, but because Mark is the shortest of the synoptic gospels we supplement it with Readings from John. Today, we read the account of the multiplication of the loaves and later for four Sundays, the discourse on the Bread of Life.

#### *The 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday:*

With five barley loaves and two fish, Jesus feeds a great crowd and there are even leftovers. Seeing the miracle, the crowd wants to carry him off forcefully to make him King so he withdrew to the mountain alone.

#### *The 18<sup>th</sup> Sunday:*

The crowd finds Jesus on the opposite shore in Capernaum. He tells them they are worried only about material food instead of working for that which endures for eternal life that he can give them. Then he tells them "I am the Bread of Life."

#### *The 19<sup>th</sup> Sunday:*

This statement arouses murmurs. How can this man, whose parents we know, say such a thing? Jesus answers them by saying, "I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever."

#### *The 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday:*

The crowd understood that Jesus' language is not symbolic: "How can this man give us his flesh to eat?" This is true, "for my flesh is true food, and blood is true drink." "Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise him on the last day."

#### *The 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday:*

There is a crisis among Jesus' disciples. Many go away and no longer accompany him. He turns to the Twelve. "Do you also want to leave?" Simon Peter answers him, "Master, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and are convinced that you are the Holy One of God."

The discourse on the Bread of Life develops as if in a spiral. We often have the impression of hearing it over and over again. It is however, worthwhile to disregard this false impression and strive to understand the Readings making them our own by personal meditation and keeping them in our hearts.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

July 29 – Ervin Patek

July 30 – Molly Jalufka

July 31 – Barbara Anderle

Aug. 1 – Annie Mae Berckenhoff, Anita Drabek,  
Stephen Gold, Steven Nieto, Charles Tomek

Aug. 4 – Nathan Gold

**C.C.D. Registration:** Many parents have not yet registered their children for the 2018-19 C.C.D. Year. Do please register this week so we can order books/plan for the year.

## FIRST FRIDAY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

8:30-9:30 am – Doris Foster, Sharon Etlinger

9:30-11:00 a.m. – Anna & Michael Fishbeck

11:00-11:30 a.m. – Barbara Hermes, *open*

11:30-12:00 p.m. – Nancy Sivyver, Gussie Machalec

12:00-12:30 p.m. – Eleanor Wagner, Nancy Sivyver,  
Gussie Machalec

12:30-1:00 p.m. – Eleanor Wagner, Mary Ann Wenske

1:00-2:00 p.m. – Maria Kloesel, *open*

2:00-3:00 p.m. – Lisa Rothbauer, *open*

3:00-4:00 p.m. – Linda Pilat, *open*

4:00-5:00 p.m. – Rose Rothbauer, Scott Wenske

5:00-6:00 p.m. – Angie Jalufka, *open*

*Come spend some time in prayer before the Lord.*

## CHURCH PICNIC BULLETIN BOARD PICNIC – SEPTEMBER 16

**Raffle Tickets Printed ..... 750**

**Raffle Tickets Purchased So Far ..... 168**

*Turn in your stub and donation as soon as possible.*

We thank the following for picking up extra tickets to sell:

Tony Janak – 2 tickets

Stephen Gold – 2 tickets

Daniel Beyer – 5 tickets

David Beyer – 5 tickets

Pat Lawrence – 2 tickets

Betty Maskey – 6 tickets

Nancy Wood – 10 tickets

Boyce Etlinger – 5 tickets

Lisa Rothbauer – 5 tickets

Ray Michalec – 10 tickets

Chuck Greive – 10 tickets

Bobby Simper – 10 tickets

Marilyn Strmiska – 6 tickets

Marcel Kleihege – 30 tickets

**Picnic Workers Needed:** All parishioners who have not been assigned a booth/work station in the past are encouraged to sign up to work at the Picnic. Call the Parish Office or drop your name in the collection basket for assignment.

**Praha Picnic – August 15:** Support your sister Parish. Raffle Tickets available for sale at the Parish Office. 52 prizes to be given away, 6 tickets for \$10. Grand prize \$2,200 HEB Gift Card.

*We thank the Moulton Parishioners who have volunteered to work at the Picnic, made monetary contributions and/or donated auction items. Contact the Parish Office if you can help.*

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

July 29 – Congratulations Debbie & Eugene Pilat  
on your 40<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary

July 31 – Dolores & Ben Scott

Aug. 2 – Congratulations Sherry & Kevin Fishbeck  
on your 15<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary

Aug. 4 – Laura & Tim Pustejovsky