

**SAINT JOHN VIANNEY**

08/18/2019: \$2,242.00 Twentieth Sunday Ordinary Time

**TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 08/25/2019**

59 Envelopes:	\$1,853.00
7 Loose Checks:	\$ 208.00
<u>Loose Cash:</u>	<u>\$ 293.00</u>
Total	\$1,897.00
9 Online Giving:	\$345.00
Last Year: \$2,737.00	Twenty First Sunday Ordinary Time
2nd Collection- Missionary Co-Op:	\$776.00

**SAINT THOMAS THE APOSTLE**

08/18/2019: \$6,118.50 Twentieth Sunday Ordinary Time

**TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 08/25/2019**

138 Envelopes:	\$3,375.00
18 Loose Checks:	\$1,625.00
<u>Loose Cash:</u>	<u>\$ 462.00</u>
Total	\$5,524.00
11 Online Giving:	\$525.00
Last Year: \$4,875.25	Twenty First Sunday Ordinary Time

**IMPORTANT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION DATES!**

**NEXT SATURDAY, September 7 - K-8 PREP Parent Meeting, 9:00 am at Saint Thomas the Apostle Church**

**Saturday, September 14 - K-8 PREP Classes begin, 8:30 am at White Rock Elementary School**

**Sunday, September 15— 10th Grade Confirmation Class and Parent Meeting beginning 9:00 am Mass (Attendance is Mandatory) Class and Parent Meeting at 10:00 am at Saint Thomas the Apostle**

**Sunday, September 22— 9th Grade Confirmation Class and Parent Meeting beginning 9:00 am Mass (Attendance is Mandatory) Class and Parent Meeting at 10:00 am at Saint Thomas the Apostle**

**Friday, October 18—TRICKY TRAY doors open at 6:30 PM , calling begins at 8:00 PM.**



Dear God,

As countless teachers begin to prepare for a new school year ahead, grant them an abundance of Your wisdom. Prepare their hearts to welcome and love our loved ones, and may we make sure to show them love and respect in return. Give them grace as they help students who aren't thriving, courage to say what needs to be said, tools and knowledge on how and when to speak love, and strength when they feel weak. When they feel unseen, remind them that no moment goes unnoticed. They are shaping the future in one million small - yet incredibly important - ways every day. We are overwhelmed with gratitude for the gift of learning they share with our children. Bless them, Lord, and may they see even just a glimpse of how their faithfulness will forever impact generations to come. Amen.

*If you are a teacher, hold onto 1 Corinthians 15:58 and James 1:5 as the new school year begins..*

*Therefore, my dear brothers and sisters, be steadfast, immovable, always excelling in the Lord's work, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain. 1 Corinthians 15:58 CSB*

*Now if any of you lacks wisdom, he should ask God—who gives to all generously and ungrudgingly—and it will be given to him. James 1:5*

**IMPORTANT MESSAGE FROM OUR SAFETY AND SECURITY MINISTRY:**

Creating a Culture of Security: Securing the Entrance Doors after Mass begins

Beginning the **NEXT weekend of September 7<sup>th</sup>- 8<sup>th</sup>**, the ushers will begin locking the main church entrance door between 5 to 10 minutes after Mass begins. Locking the doors will prevent someone from entering the church during Mass. Locking the doors does NOT stop you from leaving the church in an emergency. If you arrive after the doors are locked, knock on the door and ushers will open the door for you to enter.

Remember, if you are inside the church when Mass begins, you can go out the main exit doors at any time. If you are looking for an emergency, use any emergency exit door.

We are still looking for greeters to help welcome parishioners as they enter the church. A secondary task is to work with the ushers in case you see something out of the ordinary.

