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The Week of July 22, 2018

The 16th Sunday of Ordinary Time

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS: Saturday, July 21, 5:00PM: Bob Grundhoefer (SI), Sunday, Jul 22: 8:00AM, Sam Sicara (RIP), 10:30AM, for the people of the parish, Tuesday, July 24, 11:15AM: Fr. Howell (SI), Wednesday, July 25, 11:15AM: Fr. Matthew Bartow, MFVA (SI), Thursday, July 26, 11:15AM: Bob & Marti Ross (SI), Friday, July 27, 11:15AM: Robert Bessette (RIP)

Please note: the prayer schedule **will be different** this week due to Totus Tuus. The weekday Mass will be at 11:15AM (Monday-Friday). Wednesday evening adoration will be at 8:00PM.

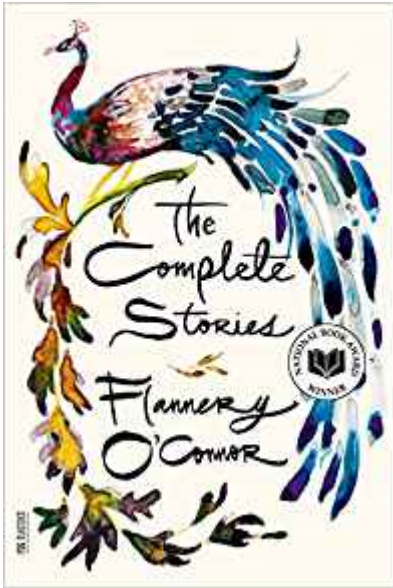
THIS WEEK!!!! TOTUS TUUS...A CATHOLIC VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: Grades 7-12, starts on Sunday, July 22, 7:00PM & Grades 1-6 starts on Monday, July 23, 9:00AM. Register online at fn2.co/8vvgil using your phone or pc or just show up! Hope to see you there!

PICNIC SPONSORED BY OUR PARISH HISPANIC MINISTRY: Saturday, August 11, 11:00AM-3:00PM at the Leeds Memorial Park. The day will include games, a water slide, and a potluck meal. Everyone is invited!

BACK TO JESUS RALLY: Come join the fun as we rally together for a Hot Dog/Ice Cream social while registering for PSR, Adult ED and signing up for your favorite ministry. August 19, 2018 @ 12:00 PM. We plan to have booths for PSR (faith formation classes) and other ministries of our parish. If you are leadership for a ministry, Carla Eason will be in touch soon or you can contact her @ 205-914-9136. If you would like to help with Hot Dogs/Ice Cream please contact Samantha Wadsworth @ 205-863-9920.

IT'S TIME FOR A PILGRIMAGE: Fr. Bean will be leading a pilgrimage to our National Shrine in Washington D.C. in October. Please pick up **THE NEW COMPLETE BROCHURE WITH COST AND ITINERARY in the Foyer if you are interested. We will need 24 people for the trip to take place. Register online at Tekton Ministries. Fr. Bean will hold a meeting for those interested in this trip on Sunday, August 5 at 11:45AM in the Parish Life Center.**

Calling all crafters and artists to participate in a Christmas Bazaar on November 3 & 4 in the Parish Life Center Hall. Other vendors are welcome (ie. Mary Kay or Tupperware). The cost is \$30.00 for an 8x8 booth space or \$15.00 if you would like to share a space with another vendor. All booth fees go to the Building Fund which is paying our debt for the new PLC. Vendor application forms will be in the foyers. For more information please email lucythevaliant1@gmail.com.



Fr. Bean's Book Club: We will be taking a break until August! The club will start up again on Wednesday, August 1 at 10:00AM in the Parish Life Center Library. Our book will be The Complete Stories of Flannery O'Connor published by Farrar, Straus and Giroux. Copies may be purchased online at several booksellers (Fr. Bean checked!). In the Fall we will take a field trip to Milledgeville, GA to visit Andalusia Farm where Flannery O'Connor lived. We will also visit her parish church where she attended daily Mass and her gravesite.

Flanner O'Connor was a Catholic fiction writer who lived in Georgia. She was fiercely Catholic even though she lived in a very anti-Catholic culture. Her fiction has been described as "Southern Gothic Literature" She died on August 3, 1964.

A BIG THANK YOU FROM THE LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR!!! We received a gracious letter from Sister Marie Cecilia last week. Our parish donated \$3,909.11 to the work of the Sisters. She asked that we all pray for vocations to their community.

The family of Vincent Oliver would like to thank all of you for your kind expression of sympathy shown to our family on the passing of Vincent. The arrangements, food, prayers and love were the best. Vincent loved all of you. -Betty Oliver

RECURRING EVENTS IN THE PARISH

- **LEGION OF MARY:** Every Tuesday following the 9:00AM Mass, Parish Life Center Library, prayer, service, spiritual formation, fellowship
- **Knights of Columbus and Ladies Auxiliary:** Every 2nd Thursday, Martin Hall (next to the church), Meal at 6:00PM, meeting at 7:00PM
- **Prayer and Share Women's Group:** Every 2nd and 4th Thursday, 10:00AM, Parish Life Center Library
- **BINGO:** Every 1st and 3rd Friday, 5:30PM (food) and 6:30PM (games), Parish Life Center Hall
- **Evening Ladies Prayer Group (in Spanish):** Every Monday, 7:00PM, Parish Life Center Library

Quote of the week: "From silly devotions and sour-faced saints, good Lord, deliver us!"
-St. Teresa of Avila