

# All Saints Roman Catholic Church

AUGUST 28, 2022

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Daily at 8:00 AM as scheduled  
(See schedule on next page)  
Saturday Vigil at 4:30 PM  
Sunday at 9:00 AM  
Holy Days at 8:00 AM and  
7:00 PM

Confessions:  
Saturday 3:30—4:00 PM  
or by appointment

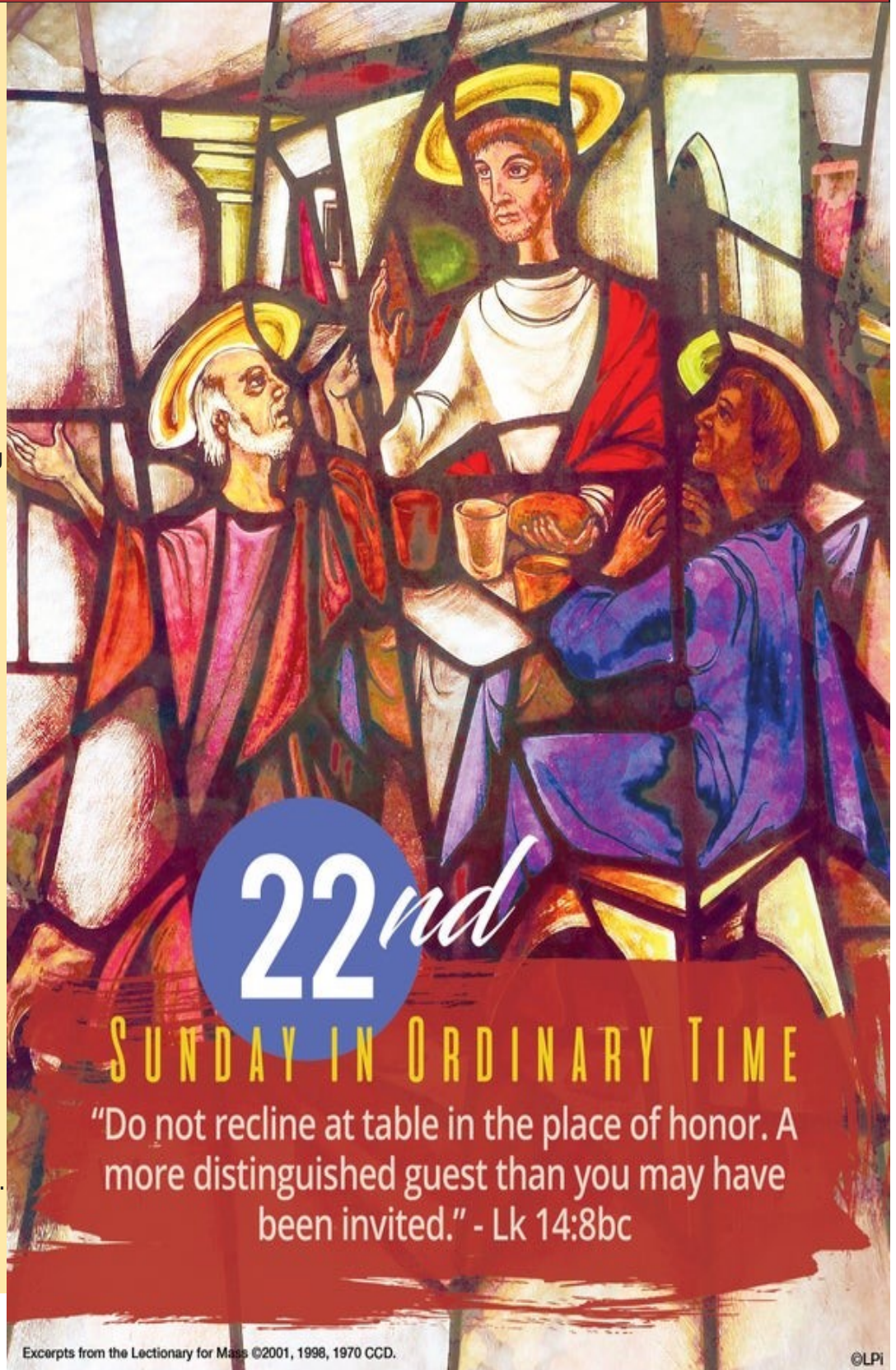
Office Hours:  
9:00 AM to 1:00 PM  
Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri.

Parish Registration Forms are  
available on the bulletin board in the  
gathering space or on the website.

Bulletin deadline:  
10:00 AM Mondays, in writing, please.



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SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Do not recline at table in the place of honor. A more distinguished guest than you may have been invited." - Lk 14:8bc

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August 27, 2022 – September 4, 2022

Sat. 8/27	4:30 PM	Norma Jean Dahlkemper (Jacklyn Gausman)
Sun. 8/28	9:00 AM	Rita Rose (Don Sonntag)
Mon. 8/29	8:00 AM	Daniel J. and Virginia Kuhn (Natalie Kuhn)
Tues. 8/30	8:00 AM	For the People of All Saints Parish
Wed. 8/31	NO Mass	
Thur. 9/01	8:00 AM	Pauline Welz (All Saints Ladies Society)
Fri. 9/02	8:00 AM	Norma Jean Dahlkemper (Marty and Marilyn Niebauer)
Sat. 9/03	4:30 PM	Ronnie Whitman (Audrey Suroviec)
Sun. 9/04	9:00 AM	Sam Gardner (Alene Gardner)



*The Sanctuary Candle is lit this week  
In Loving Memory of  
Virginia Kuhn  
(From Natalie Kuhn)*

## PRAYER REQUESTS

**For those who need our prayer:** Chuck Reinsel, Marlene Kuzma, Carol Gradler, Christine Walsh, Greysen Valerio, Dean Haupt, Sandy Williams, Fr. John Moineau, David S., Margaret, Albert B., Bob Fontanese, Jeannette Briggs, Pat, Ang K., Rick Krol, Barb Englert, Rita Bidwell, Megan Spinks, Dan McArAw, people of Ukraine, (Call Denise Weigert, 814-464-6148, or the parish office)  
**For all those who have died...Lord, hear our prayer...**

**For those serving our country:** Lt. Col. Sheila Day; Lt. Col. Matthew Day; Paul Scott, Army; Rebeckah Jackson, Airforce; AT2 (AW) Quentin Maynard; AE1 (AW) Lonnie Maynard; Cortlen Surrena, Army; Commander Michael T. McArAw; Violet Brashier, Coast Guard; Dell Krumpke, Coast Guard; Ben Krumpke, Air Force; Sam Riley, Army; Keith Riley, Army; Autumn Cornell; Nathan Cornell; Bryon Ripple; Brandon Ripple; Sarah Manross; Lucas Loggins, Army; Zane Loggins, Army (Call Pam McArAw, 814-397-1490, to add to the list)

If you as a young adult are wrestling with big questions about your future, don't worry — you are not alone! **The Samuel Group is for young adults ages 20-30 who seriously desire to discern God's will for their lives.** The Samuel Group is a seven-month journey that includes: monthly gatherings at Saint Mark Catholic Center, spiritual direction, prayer, talks, small group discussion, and accompaniment. The goal of the Samuel Group is for each participant to grow in self-knowledge and to hear and respond to God's call with an open heart. Applications are due September 1. Please visit our website for our informational video and application details: <https://www.eriercd.org/youth/samuelgroup.html> For more information contact Director of Vocations, Fr. Scott Jabo, at [SWJabo@eriercd.org](mailto:SWJabo@eriercd.org) or Jillian Zaczek, Young Adult & Youth Ministry, at [jzaczek@eriercd.org](mailto:jzaczek@eriercd.org)

### *"Humble yourself the more, the greater you are."*

These words from Sirach are packed with wisdom. Who we become, and the success we achieve, is due not only to our own merits but also to God's grace. Without God, we cease to be. This is a simple fact. If we ever feel entitled to honor, superior treatment, or privileges, then we are deluding ourselves. The person who truly understands and is responsible for their well-being and success will quickly become a servant of others. We tend to forget how important service is. Being generous and kind, especially to those who cannot repay us, is the hallmark of the Christian life. Are we willing to put ourselves last?



An easy way to seek an answer is to determine how much value you place on sitting in the seat you occupy today or the space you choose to park your car. Would you offer these to someone else?

### REFLECT ON TODAY'S READINGS

#### FIRST READING SIR 3:17-18, 20, 28-29

Sirach speaks of humility as a virtue to embrace. Why do you think Jewish wisdom tradition often saw humility as an admirable human trait?

#### SECOND READING HEB 12:18-19, 22-24

Hebrews speaks of the sacrificial blood of Jesus providing us with unprecedented direct access to God. How do you share this good news with others?

#### GOSPEL READING LK 14:1, 7-14

Jesus spoke to the "leading Pharisees" about the importance of humility and to freely give to those on the margins with no expectation of repayment. When have you done so in your life?

All men and women parishioners of the Diocese of Erie are welcome to **join the St. Mark Seminary Auxiliary**, an organization established in 1945 to provide spiritual support to young men who have chosen a life of sacred service. The first meeting of the auxiliary this year is Sept. 13 beginning with a Mass at 7 p.m. in the chapel of St. Mark Seminary, 429 E. Grandview Blvd., Erie, followed by a brief meeting. Meetings are generally held the second Tuesday of the month. Seminarians attend the meeting so that auxiliary members have a chance to meet and visit with them. Participation in the auxiliary is not demanding, but the mission is fulfilling. For information, contact Kathy Holland at 814-440-3406.

All are welcome for a time of **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** that is filled with Praise and Worship Music, Scripture, and Silence every Thursday (except for the First Thursday of the Month) **at St. Francis Xavier Parish** (8880 Main St. McKean Pa). This is a great way to grow in Eucharistic Revival! Please Join us!

# Religious Education



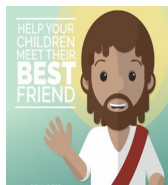
**Maria Burkley**—(814)969-2868 (call or text)  
**Email:** mariaburkley@allsaintsrcc.org

Children in Preschool through grade 4 are welcome to join “Miss Carol” and “Miss Lia” and others during the 9:00 AM Mass on Sundays for the **Children’s Liturgy of the Word** starting on Aug. 28.



## **BACKPACK BLESSING AT THE END OF MASS ON 8/28! BLESSINGS FOR THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR!**

### **RELIGIOUS ED will begin again in September!!**



Grades Kindergarten through 5 will meet on Sundays following Mass until 11:30 beginning on September 11th. Preschoolers are welcome to come to Children’s Liturgy during Mass and they will receive special “Gospel Weeklies” to share at home.

Grades 6 – 8 will meet every Wednesday evening beginning September 7th from 6-7:30 with a parent component the first Wednesday of every month.

Grades 9-11 will meet on the second and fourth Wednesday of every month (with a few exceptions) but there will also be some Saturday or Sunday events too. The full schedule has been emailed to families and is available by the Religious Ed office or on the website. We understand that this is a change, but it is a very positive, exciting change that we think you will find beneficial as it rolls out across the diocese!

### **A Family Perspective**

Family life well lived confirms the words of Jesus in today’s gospel, “Those who humble themselves will be exalted.” Commitment, intimacy, loyalty and love are the rewards of humble service and care for one another.



**DIVINE MERCY ENCOUNTER** is a three day retreat program. Each day has a different focus. The weekend includes talks, exposure to different types of prayer, Mass, community, and much more. The weekend runs from 10am on Friday to 5pm on Sunday, and retreat participants stay onsite for the weekend. Anyone can participate as long as they are a sophomore in high school and 15 years of age or older. The next DME weekend is November 11-13, 2022, at St. Joseph’s Bread of Life Community in Erie. For more information or to register for a retreat go to [divinemercyencounter.com](http://divinemercyencounter.com).

### **THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH:**

Sunday, 8/28	9:00 AM Mass—Children’s Liturgy during Mass Backpack Blessing
Wednesday, 8/31	NO Mass
Thursday, 9/01	1:00 PM Companions on the Journey
Thursday, 9/01	7:00 PM Parish Council Meeting
Saturday, 9/03	4:30 PM Mass

If you need to visit the parish during office hours, please call first, 814-796-3023, to make sure the office is open. If you do not see a car in the parking lot the office may still be open. You may also email the parish at [allsaint@allsaintsrcc.org](mailto:allsaint@allsaintsrcc.org) for anything you may need or leave a voicemail for Fr. Greg. Thank you for your patience and understanding.

### **The WEEKLY collection for August 21, 2022,**

was \$1,204.00 from envelopes and \$1,090.00 from online giving for a total of \$2,294.00. Thank you.

**THANK YOU** to the Knights of Columbus, the All Saints Ladies Society, and the volunteers who planned the annual Parish Picnic and to all of the volunteers who pitched in and made the day a good one for all!

### **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**

RCIA is the informative and comfortable way for adults seeking answers in their lives to discover more about the Catholic Church and our faith. The RCIA provides an educational and spiritual opportunity to learn and discuss various aspects of the Catholic faith and its practices.

This opportunity is for anyone:

- ✠ who is interested in learning more about the Catholic faith
- ✠ who is baptized in another faith or not baptized and desires to become Catholic
- ✠ who has been worshipping with us but never officially took the step to become Catholic
- ✠ who has been away from the Church, has now returned and wants to know more
- ✠ who was not confirmed as a child or a teen and desires the sacrament of Confirmation

Please leave your name with Fr. Greg or call the parish office if you are interested or need more information. RCIA will begin in the fall for those interested.

### **Sr. Gus’ Kids Café needs volunteers, part-time cook and supplies.**

Sr. Gus’ Kids Café after-school program is open daily from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m., and provides homework help, activities and a nourishing hot meal to children attending. Those interested may call Jane Wagner at 814-878-2922 to volunteer or learn more. Also, the Kids Café is restocking its supply of children’s clothing, school supplies and personal care items. Donations may be made by calling the above number. The wish list includes a water cooler and gently used game systems with desk top computers. The Kids Café is an outreach of Emmaus Ministries, which serves children and families in the surrounding lower eastside Erie neighborhood.

### **Readings for next Sunday, September 4, 2022**

**WIS 9:13-18; PS 90:3-6, 12-14, 17; PHIL 9-10, 12-17; LK 14:25-33**