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**Thirteenth Sunday in
Ordinary Time**
27-28 June 2015



LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER--for Vocations to the Priesthood and the Military Chaplaincy; for our deployed troops and their families; for our parishioners who are ill; and for our deceased:

Deployed: FC2 Joseph Reed, USN; Carol Yannarella, USAF; Ginny Ortiz, Peace Corps

Deceased: Angel Bracetty (uncle of Ham Ortiz), Sue Higgins

Healing: Buddy Craven, Bob Daknis, Joseph Toth, Jeanmarie Jonston, Jim Campbell, Betsy Hendrix, Alfred Prados, Jim Egan, Len Trahan, Bob Bowen, Kevin Tighe, Bob Schaaf, Alexis Coffey, Frank Bernardo, Bonnie Benne, Richard Wicks, Richard Brysacz (father of Margaret Asten), Morris McGregor, John Bikus, Suzie Kumashiro, Bill Hubbard, Hamlin Ortiz (father of Ham Ortiz), Randy Krug

~ Please contact Pam to remove names from the Deployed and Healing lists~

Dear Catholic Community,

I invite you to think about the Scripture for this weekend. Notice how often the word "faith" is said. Jesus has the power over the elements. Jesus has power over sickness and disease, but it is FAITH of the person that also makes a difference. It's a reminder to us that it's not just about what God does. It's also about how we respond. As we pray this weekend, may we too respond to the Lord with faith, especially in challenging times of personal difficulty and distress. Lord, we do believe. We do have faith. Help us, though, in those times when we are truly challenged with trusting in You.

Blessings in Christ,

Fr. Fred

Introduction to Today's Readings

First Reading: Wisdom 1:13-15, 2:23-24

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 8:7,9, 13-15

The book of Wisdom was addressed to a group of Jews living in Alexandria, Egypt. It begins with a sharp contrast between good and evil. In the pagan world of that time, most people believed that there were good gods and bad gods. The author emphasizes the Jewish belief that there is just one God who is the source only of goodness and life.

Today's excerpt from Second Corinthians paints a picture of Paul the pastor at work. The Jewish people in Jerusalem who had become Christian were a small minority and were being persecuted. This brought on financial hardships. Paul wants his Gentile converts in Greece to help them out and show that the bonds of Christianity cut across ethnic lines.

I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me. Psalm 30

Announcements

This Weekend: Designated Offering for Peter's Pence. **Sunday, 28 June:** Fr. Fred's Adult Ed class meets at 1030, Blessed Sacrament Chapel and Group Baptism Instruction Class, 1030, Conference Room

Congratulations to Maureen and John Dubia, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, as they celebrate their 20th anniversary of EMHC service to our community. Thank you!

Next Designated Offering: 11 -12 July for Operation Helping Hands.




Congregation Survey: Members from the Mission, Vision and Core Values Committee will speak briefly after each Mass this weekend about the congregation survey. Your participation in this survey is greatly appreciated as your opinions matter towards the development of the Mission, Vision, and Core Values statement. There are two ways to complete the survey: electronically via a link to Survey Monkey or you may submit a paper form. Please see an usher for a form. If you have any questions about the survey or the mission statement, please contact Ham Ortiz at hamortiz@netscape.net.

Vacation Bible School Reminder: Registration closes on 6 July. VBS runs 13 through 17 July, 0930 to noon, in the Fellowship Hall.

The next **Moral Leadership Luncheon** will be held on Tuesday, 7 July, from 1130 to 1300, Fellowship Hall. LTG James C. McConville, Deputy Chief of Staff, G1 at the Pentagon will be the guest speaker. All active duty military, DoD civilians, contractors, and retirees are welcome to attend. Lunch will be served at no cost. The Leadership Luncheon provides the opportunity for military and civilian personnel to learn from the experience of key leaders in the area of moral leadership. Following the presentation, questions are welcome concerning the topic presented. Please **RSVP** to Fr. Fred no later than noon, 2 July.

World Youth Day 2016 From 25 July to 31 July 2016, World Youth Day will take place in Krakow, Poland. Pope Francis will gather with youth from around the world. Father Fred would like to have some high school youth from our congregation attend along with chaperones. This would require both personal funds and fundraising. If interested, please let Fr. Fred know as soon as possible. Once Fr. Fred has an idea of whose interested, a special meeting will be set to discuss this event. You're welcome to go online and find out more about World Youth Day by visiting www.worldyouthday.com/krakow-2016

June 29 – July 17

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	29	30 Bible Study 1100	1	2 Moral Leadership Lunch RSVPs close	3 Chapel Closed	4 
5 Name Tag Sunday	6 VBS Registration closes No Daily Mass	7 NO Bible Study Leadership Lunch 1130	8	9	10	11 Anointing of the Sick  DO: Operation Helping Hands
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Mass: 5PM Saturday Vigil, 9AM Sunday, Noon M-F. **Daily Mass:** Noon in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Reconciliation: 11:30-11:45AM Tuesday-Friday in Room 112

Catholic Coordinator: Pam Ortiz info@jbmhhcatholicparish.com

Parish Registration: Forms may be obtained from an usher or from website. Notify Pam of any changes.

Sacraments and Sponsor Letters: Requires registration. Fr. Fred has pastoral jurisdiction only for active duty military and their family members

Bulletins: Available on website; advance copy e-mailed each Thursday

Offertory for 20-21 June 2015

Please make checks payable to C.T.O.F.

1700 Vigil: \$843.00

0900 Mass: \$3,016.50

TOTAL: \$3,859.50

Attendance: 378