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**Twenty-second Sunday
in Ordinary Time
29-30 August 2015**



Dear Catholic Community,

Sadly enough, too often we are disappointed by people who pretend to be something other than who they are. In all of our lives there is a certain amount of hypocrisy, but with some it's more than just a little. Today in the 2nd reading it challenges us to be "doers of the word and not hearers only". Scripture calls us to "live in the light". Are there any actions in our lives that we would be embarrassed about if others found out about them? I believe it's a wakeup call for us to continue to get our lives "straight with the Lord." God isn't asking us to beat ourselves up over this. The Lord is just challenging us to live in sincerity and truth. As I type these words, I'm challenged as much as any of you. So, praise God that we're at Mass today! The walls won't fall in when we walk into the chapel because we're not perfect people; BUT, the angels and saints rejoice when things are really coming together in our lives. Stay on the path no matter where you are on the journey!

In Christ,

Fr. Fred

August 31 – September 19

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	31 RCIA 1800 Conference Room	1 NO Bible Study	2	3 Fr. Capodanno Memorial Mass 1800 Crypt Church	4 NO Daily Mass	5 <i>DO: Fisher House</i>
6 Name Tag Sunday <i>D.O.: Fisher House</i> 0900 Mass guests: AMS Seminarians	7 Labor Day <i>Chapel Closed</i> NO RCIA	8 Bible Study 1100	9	10	11	12 <i>Anointing of the Sick</i> 🙏
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Reconciliation: 11:30-11:45AM Tuesday-Friday in Room 112

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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

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: Joseph Timothy Fleming (husband of Polly, son-in-law of Jackie & Jim Campbell)

Healing: Buddy Craven, Joseph Toth, Jeanmarie Jonston, Jim Campbell, 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, Justin Cimino, Jack Doyle

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

Introduction to Today's Readings

First Reading: Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8

Second Reading: James 1:17-18, 21-22, 27

The book of Deuteronomy contains a lengthy farewell speech of Moses as the people prepared to enter the Promised Land. Moses makes it clear that they are expected to remain faithful to the Lord after they have settled in their new land.

Today and for the next four Sundays, we will read passages from the letter of James. Two points will be helpful background to today's passage. First: In the Jewish Law, the first fruits of the harvest are given to God. This expresses the truth that the *whole* harvest ultimately belongs to God. Second: In the Old Testament, widows and orphans were classic examples of poor and defenseless people.

One who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord. ~ Psalm 15

Announcements

This Sunday: **Baptismal Instruction** class, 1030, Conference Room; **CRE Volunteer Meeting**, JBM-HH Education Center at 1030.

Fr Fred's Schedule: Fr is attending the AMS Convocation for Priests from **1 - 4 Sept** and will be on leave **10 - 18 Sept**.

Fr. Capodanno Memorial Mass: **3 September**, 1800, Crypt Church, Basilica of the National Shrine. AMS Archbishop Brogio will celebrate Mass for the repose of Fr. Vincent R Capodanno, MM, a Catholic Military Chaplain and US Navy Lieutenant who was killed in Vietnam on 4 Sept 1967 as he gave assistance to the dying Marines of the 1st Marine Division. More information can be found on the AMS website and on www.capodannoguild.org.

Labor Day schedule: no daily Masses Friday and Monday; RCIA will not meet Monday evening.

The next **Designated Offering** will be collected for Fisher House on the weekend of **5-6 September**.

"Epic: A Journey Through Church History" begins Sunday, **13 September**.

Registration for the **Children's Religious Education** program – **CRE** – is now open. Classes begin **20 Sept**. Please visit our website for program information, schedules, and forms. www.jbmhhcatholicparish.com/ministries/cre/index

Pilgrimage to Italy Extraordinary: Jubilee Year of Mercy September 19-29, 2016 with Fr. Fred Wendel

Join Fr. Fred and others from JBM-HH on an once-in-a-lifetime pilgrimage to Italy during an extraordinary Jubilee year dedicated to mercy. In Rome, see Pope Francis in a Papal Audience, visit the Vatican Museums, Catacombs, and all papal basilicas. Plus, visit Assisi and all places significant to the lives of Saints Francis and Clare; visit the Renaissance city of Florence; go to Cascia where St. Rita -- the saint of the impossible -- remains; go to Norcia, the birthplace of St. Benedict; visit out-of-the-way places in the Marches region where local nuns and friars will charm you with their cooking and prayer. For pricing and more information, contact Bret Thoman at 404-418-6683; bthoman@stfrancispilgrimages.com. Visit the website: www.stfrancispilgrimages.com

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Offertory for 22-23 August 2015

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1700 Vigil: \$1,332.43

0900 Mass: \$1,817.00

TOTAL: \$3,149.43

Attendance: 330