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Mission Statement:

Established in the Spirit of Jesus Christ with an
Afro-centric focus, Blessed Sacrament Chapel is com-
mitted to spreading the "Word" through
fellowship and good works.

Sunday Mass: 10:00AM
Reconciliation: 1st Sunday 9:30AM

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15th Sunday in Ordinary Time
July 15, 2018

Truth shall spring out of the earth, and
justice shall look down from heaven.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Amos said, "The LORD took me
from following the flock, and said to me, Go,
prophesy to my people" (Amos 7:12-15).

Psalms — Lord, let us see your kindness, and grant
us your salvation (Psalm 85).

Second Reading — The God and Father of our Lord
Jesus Christ has blessed us in Christ with every
spiritual blessing (Ephesians 1:3-14 [3-10]).

Gospel — Jesus summoned the Twelve and began
to send them out two by two (Mark 6:7-13).

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Coming Events

CALENDAR



Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

July 28-29 Sell raffle tickets at St. Stephen’s 5 PM, 7 AM, 9 AM, 11 AM

August 3 Set-up for picnic 6 PM

August 4 Picnic 10 AM– 4PM
5 PM Mass

August 5 no 10 AM Mass

Community Bar-B-Q’s

August 7 St. Martin Parish (Drive-through only)

Thank you for your contributions..

July 1—\$757—

July 8—\$367

Weekly Budget —\$875

Year-to-date \$1124

YTD Budget—.\$1750

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Candles \$7



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When Jesus sent his Apostles out, He sent them “two by two,” and He basically commanded them to take nothing on the journey: “no food, no sack, no money in their belts.” The point of the Lord is that all they needed was to trust in God. Jesus more or less says the same thing to us.

As long as we trust in God, our needs will be met. That is easily said, but it is a bit daunting to actually do it. Yet, people have been doing that since Jesus’ time. It is one of the reasons that the Church has thrived for such a long time.

One of the foundational elements of stewardship is trusting God. What enables us to be good stewards and to think of giving to God first, of ourselves and what we have, is that we truly believe that God will take care of us. God has a plan for each of us, and it is better than our own plan may be.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Is 1:10-17; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23; Mt 10:34 — 11:1

Tuesday: Is 7:1-9; Ps 48:2-8; Mt 11:20-24

Wednesday: Is 10:5-7, 13b-16; Ps 94:5-10, 14-15; Mt 11:25-27

Thursday: Is 26:7-9, 12, 16-19; Ps 102:13-14ab, 15-21; Mt 11:28-30

Friday: Is 38:1-6, 21-22, 7-8; Is 38:10-12abcd, 16; Mt 12:1-8

Saturday: Mi 2:1-5; Ps 10:1-4, 7-8, 14; Mt 12:14-21

Sunday: Jer 23:1-6; Ps 23:1-6; Eph 2:13-18; Mk 6:30-34

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: Our Lady of Mount Carmel

Wednesday: St. Camillus de Lellis

Friday: St. Apollinaris

Saturday: St. Lawrence of Brindisi;
Blessed Virgin Mary

A MAGICAL EFFECT

Patience and perseverance have a magical effect before which difficulties disappear and obstacles vanish.

—John Quincy Adams

CALLED BY GOD

Today’s scriptures invite us to listen to two calls. The first is the call issued by the LORD to the prophet Amos, the “shepherd and a dresser of sycamores” (Amos 7:14). The second is the call the Lord Jesus issued to the Twelve, whom he sent out “two by two” (Mark 6:7). These faithful people responded to the call, prophesying and preaching to the people to whom they had been sent. Each of us received a call when we were baptized. The second reading invites us to ponder that call as we are reminded that we are chosen in Christ and that, in love, God “destined us for adoption” (Ephesians 1:5). As adopted daughters and sons of God we are called to bring the presence of Christ into our marriages, families, schools, and places of work. Let us be inspired today to say yes to the call we hear once again through God’s living word.

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Do not be afraid to go and to bring Christ into every area of life, to the fringes of society, even to those who seem farthest away, most indifferent. The Lord seeks all; he wants everyone to feel the warmth of his mercy and his love. —Pope Francis

From the desk of Father Sinoj, HGN



Dear Friends in Christ,

I am very happy to reach you through this Bulletin. Wish you all peace and happiness of Christ! Let us continue to be God's dear children standing firm in His love and His Will. We see in today's society a lot of people living without principles or sometime people try to dilute the principles and traditions according to the convenience and comfort they want. The Gospel of this weekend presents Jesus commissioning His disciples for ministry. One of the advices he gives to them is that they were not expected to have two tunics.

Tunic is the outer cloth that the people of Jesus' time wore. Often we recognize people by their attire. Jesus' invitation to have only one tunic for His disciples is perhaps an invitation to be recognized as only 'one person.' That means His disciples are to show only one face to the world. His disciples shall not have multiples standards in their life and principles.

We are invited to show our Christian identity through the way of living our Faith. We are often tempted to pretend faithful or compromise the teachings of the Church according to our convenience and comfort and take different stands in different occasions. We shall be what we show have only once face. Let us also pray for the people and leaders who do not have principles, who compromise principles, who are partial, who are unjust, who are indifferent etc., that they may understand the meaning of having 'one tunic.'

>

> Love you all in Jesus Christ!

(^^^..^^) Always

^^^..^^(^^^..^^) Keep

(^^^..^^)^^^..^^ Smiling!

July Birthdays

3—Ray Higgs

8—Alexis Hatchett

10—Chelis Carmona

11—Diane Howard

12—Darlina Etienne

13—Francine Epison

15—Georgia Holland

18—Lori Carman

20—Tina Gough, Isaac Gough

22— Marcia Wilhite

26—Becky Coble

27—Robert Hagan



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Mass Intentions:

July 1—Barbara Horsley

July 8—Michael Carrico

July 15—Les Bumm

July 22—Bernice Williams

July 29—Blessings on BSC Picnic/Bar-B-Q

Prayer for Evangelization

Diocese of Owensboro

***Our good and gracious God
through your Son Jesus Christ,
pour forth your Holy Spirit upon
the Church of Western Kentucky,
the Diocese of Owensboro.
Open our hearts to hear the Word of God
and make fruitful the work of evangelization.***

***Through our encounter with Christ
deepen our relationship with your Son
so that we may accompany the pilgrims on
their faith journeys.***

***Transform our parishes,
make them places of joy and hope
that welcome the stranger
and search out the lost.***

***May the Word of God
be always in our thoughts, words and deeds
so that all we encounter may find in your Son,
Jesus; the Way, the Truth the Life Amen***

MINSTERS

Lectors

July 22: Greg Gough
Von Williams

July 29: Audrey Mezur
Kathi Skidd

Eucharistic Ministers

July 22: Charlene Meadows
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Cathy Kramer

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GOD IN ALL

In everything, be it a thing sensed,
or a thing known, God is hidden within.

***If you have letters for donors
for silent auction, please do
follow-up and turn in dona-
tions. I really appreciate all
your efforts.***

Blessed Sacrament Chapel Picnic

August 4, 2018

Pick up your **Raffle Tickets** to sell. Each family is asked to sell at least 25.

The **Silent Auction** is in need of baskets and gift cards. Can you donate items for a basket or ask some business to donate a basket? It is not too early to ask.

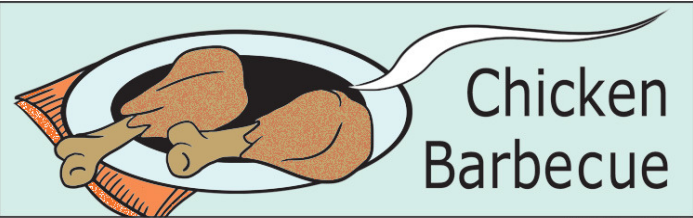
The **Cake Wheel** will need home-made cakes. Be thinking about what kind of cake you can bake and donate.

Picnic News

We are hoping to add a couple things for the picnic this year. We need everyone’s assistance to make it work.

- ◆ We would like to sell bar-b-q meat through a drive-through.
- ◆ A corn-hole contest is in the planning.
- ◆ We would like to sell raffle tickets at Friday after 5. Would you be willing to help?

Plan on how you can help and maybe even ask someone else to join us. Many people believe in Blessed Sacrament. Would they be willing to give us an hour?



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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

At the time of the Reformation, although England broke away from papal authority under Henry VIII, a silent majority clung to the Catholic faith. Henry’s eldest daughter, Mary, restored the “old religion” in a fierce persecution of Protestants (she is called “Bloody Mary” for good reason.) His youngest daughter, Elizabeth, rejected papal ties. Under her reign, beginning with legislation in 1593, Catholics were persecuted again, and only the very wealthy could afford the fines for not attending Anglican services on Sunday. They were called “recusants,” from a Latin word meaning “refuse,” since they refused to attend the liturgy of the Church of England. Many families maintained Catholic tradition in secret, and today their descendants claim “Recusancy” as a mark of family pride. For generations they sent their young people abroad to be educated in convents and monasteries. It is not surprising that the first monastery in colonial America springs from Holland with the daughters of patrician English recusant families. Port Tobacco, Maryland, proved fruitful soil for the Carmelite tradition.

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Our thoughts and prayers are with:

SICK Dorothy Fulton, Ruth Coble, Carol Hatchett, Loretta Wathen, Beverly Chilton, Shelby Webster, Frank Adams, Rose Chapman, Father Pat Ryan, Charlene Meadows, Larry Leachman, Blythe Nantz, Philip Moorman, Sr., Camilla Greer, Jim Moorman, Louise Johnson, Larry Allen, Phillip Moorman, Jr., Linda McDonald **If you know of anyone seriously ill who is in need of prayer or visitation, please notify the office.**

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