

OCTOBER



**October 1, 2017**  
**26<sup>th</sup> Sunday of**  
**Ordinary Time**

Having spent a fairly good amount of time covering the proposed declarations for our Diocesan Synod, I'd like to return to a point that I made a few weeks ago. I wrote that our homes are meant to be a domestic church in which the life of discipleship is lived out among those with whom we spend a majority of our time, our families. I promised that I would come back to this topic to explore a little more in depth how our homes can become those places where discipleship is nurtured and sustained.

As a guide for our reflections for the next few weeks, I would like to return to the Four Pillars of Discipleship and Stewardship which will serve as the lens through which we will be looking at all of our efforts as we strive to embrace this way of life more fully. As a reminder, the four pillars are as follows:

- a. **Hospitality**
- b. **Prayer**
- c. **Formation**
- d. **Service**

Before offering some suggestions on ways to make our homes those places where a life of discipleship and stewardship are lived more fully, I'd like invite each family to consider praying the following prayer from the book, *Catholic Household Blessings and Prayers*, as a way of opening your hearts to the blessings that the Lord wants to shower upon you from your making a commitment to be more intentional about fostering discipleship in your homes:

We bless your name, O Lord, for sending your own incarnate Son, to become part of a family, so that, as he lived its life, he would experience its worries and its joys.

We ask you, Lord, to protect and watch over this family, so that in the strength of your grace its members may enjoy prosperity, possess the priceless gift of your peace, and, as the Church alive in the home, bear witness in this world to your glory.

We ask this thought Christ our Lord.  
Amen.

*Father Alford*

**Anointing of the Sick:**

If you are going into the hospital for surgery or have a serious illness, receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick. Please call the parish office to receive the Sacrament, administered privately or during daily Mass. Call Barb Scoggins at 217-498-9197 to have a family member placed on the prayer list.

**Prayer List:**

**Kathy Smith**, parishioner  
**Evelyn Goin**, mother of Vicki Walker  
**Randy Bruso**, parishioner  
**Rene Runions**, parishioner  
**Joyce Hogan**, parishioner  
**Evelyn Conboy**, parishioner  
**Andrew Lacy**, son of David & Kelly Lacy  
**Rachel Copp**, parishioner  
**Tracy Medler**, sister of Chuck Kuntzman  
**Tony Magro, Sr**, father of Tony Magro Jr.  
**Jim & Mary Kates**, parishioners  
**Harold Sheppard**, parishioner  
**David Laub**, parishioner  
**JoAnn Camille**, parishioner  
**Betty & Ray Rowden**, parishioners  
**Diane Bartlett**, sister of Jeannette Waters  
**Coletta Volk**, aunt of Evelyn Deimel  
**Adam Garrett**, brother of Carrie Zucco  
**Evelyn James**, cousin of Barbara Hattes  
**Margie Lammert**, mother of Sarah Clare  
**Nick Riordan**, cousin of Amy Zack  
**Steven Butts**, brother of Michelle Bullock  
**Mary Ann Midden**, mother of Kathleen Quinn  
**Reba Cloyd**, mother of Anita Schwab  
**Ray Roth Sr.**, father of Deacon Ray Roth  
**Jim Reiser**, father of Kevin Reiser  
**Joanne O'Connor**, sister of Ginger Rentschler  
**F. Ray Camille**, brother-in-law of JoAnn Camille  
**Jennifer Harbeck**, cousin of Brad Zack  
**Fr. Dan Bergbower**, Diocesan Priest  
**Joanna Laabs**, wife of Deacon Al Laabs  
**Madeline Conant**, friend of Laurie White  
**Zach Reichen**, friend of Allen Family  
**Dennis Tarr**, friend of Mary Bruno

**Upcoming Parish Meeting/Events:**

Mon., Oct. 2 – 2:00 p.m. Fishes & Loaves  
Mon., Oct. 2 – 7:00 p.m. Pastoral Council Meeting  
Mon., Oct. 9 – 7:00 p.m. – Finance Council Mtg.  
Tues., Oct. 10 – 6:30 p.m. PreJordan  
Wed., Oct. 11 – 1:00 p.m. Ladies Tea/Bunco  
Thurs., Oct. 12 – 6:30 p.m. RCIA  
Sat., Oct. 14 – 9 a.m.-3 p.m. SewNSews retreat  
Tues., Oct. 17 – 7:00 p.m. K of C meeting

## HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK!!!

The † symbolizes the Mass is for someone who is deceased.

## Parish Sacrificial Giving Fiscal Year 7/1/17-6/30/18

**Saturday, September 30<sup>th</sup>**  
**3:30 p Confessions**  
**4:30 p Mass** (Int: David Kincaid†)  
**Sunday, October 1<sup>st</sup>**  
**7:30 a Confessions**  
**8:00 a Mass** (Int: David Leach†)  
**9:10 a PSR**  
**9:30 a Wyndcrest:** J & N Calvert  
**9:45 a Confessions**  
**9:45 a Choir rehearsal**  
**10:00 a Rosary**  
**10:30 a Mass** (Int: Raymond Sendejast†)  
**Monday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>**  
**9:00 a Counting Team #1**  
**2:00 p Fishes & Loaves**  
**5:00 p Confessions**  
**5:30 p Mass** (Int: Barbara Reid†)  
**7:00 p Pastoral Council Meeting**  
**Tuesday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>**  
**7:00 a Morning Prayer**  
**7:30 a Mass** (Int: For the Parish)  
**8:00 a Scriptural Rosary**  
**Wednesday, October 4<sup>th</sup>**  
**7:00 a Morning Prayer**  
**7:30 a Mass** (Int: Limper/Engeling Families)  
**8:00 a Scriptural Rosary**  
**6:30 p PSR**  
**7:00 p Choir rehearsal**  
**Thursday, October 5<sup>th</sup>**  
**7:00 a Morning Prayer**  
**7:30 a Mass** (Int: John Blasko†)  
**8:00 a Scriptural Rosary**  
**Friday, October 6<sup>th</sup>**  
**7:00 a Morning Prayer**  
**7:30 a Mass** (Int: Lorraine Blasko†)  
**8:00 a Scriptural Rosary**  
**Saturday, October 7<sup>th</sup>**  
**3:30 p Confessions**  
**4:30 p Mass** (Int: Robert L. Green†)  
**Sunday, October 8<sup>th</sup>**  
**7:30 a Confessions**  
**8:00 a Mass** (Int: For the Parish)  
**9:10 a NO PSR**  
**9:30 a Wyndcrest:** Nelson  
**9:45 a Confessions**  
**9:45 a Choir rehearsal**  
**10:00 a Rosary**  
**10:30 a Mass** (Int: Bob Gatschenberger†)

	Last Week	Year to Date
Collection (100)	\$ 5,344.50	\$ 64,267.54
Electronic funds (0)	\$ 0.00	\$ 13,049.30
Bldg. Dev. Fund (4)	\$ 100.00	\$ 3,334.00
EFT – Dev. Fund (0)	\$ 0.00	\$ 1,684.00
Poor Fund	\$ 41.00	\$ 761.62
Children’s Stewardship(0)	0.00	\$ 10.00
Hurricane Irma Relief	\$ 3,500.25	\$ 3,600.25

Number of collection envelopes used: 100  
 Number of electronic contributions: 0

### LITURGICAL MINISTERS:

#### Saturday, October 7<sup>th</sup> – 4:30 p.m.

**Euch. Min.:** Fr. Adam, Biesiada, Maynerich  
**Lectors:** Auxier, Krug  
**Servers:** Heiple, Sommer, Torres  
**Hospitality:** J & D Kratz, J & S Thull

#### Sunday, October 8<sup>th</sup> – 8:00 a.m.

**Euch. Min.:** Fr. Adam, R & L Eifert, Deacon Ray  
**Lectors:** Deimel, Newman  
**Servers:** Delgado, Newman, Zeidler  
**Hospitality:** McClintock Family

#### Sunday, October 8<sup>th</sup> – 10:30 a.m.

**Euch. Min.:** Fr. Alford, Fjelstul, Kohlrus,  
 Deacon Tom  
**Lectors:** Petty  
**Servers:** Garcia, Ryan, Livengood  
**Minister of Care:** Nelson  
**Hospitality:** Decker Family  
**CLOW:** Kohlrus, B Toliver

### SCRIPTURE READINGS: Oct. 1 – Oct. 8

<b>Sunday:</b>	<b>EZ 18:25-28</b>	<b>PHIL 2:1-11</b>
		<b>MT 21:28-32</b>
<b>Monday:</b>	<b>ZEC 8:1-8</b>	<b>MT 18:1-5, 10</b>
<b>Tuesday:</b>	<b>ZEC 8:20-23</b>	<b>LK 9:51-56</b>
<b>Wednesday:</b>	<b>NEH 2:1-8</b>	<b>LK 9:57-62</b>
<b>Thursday:</b>	<b>NEH 8:1-4A, 5-6, 7B-12</b>	<b>LK 10:1-12</b>
<b>Friday:</b>	<b>BAR 1:15-22</b>	<b>LK 10:13-16</b>
<b>Saturday:</b>	<b>BAR 4:5-12, 27-29</b>	<b>LK 10:17-24</b>
<b>Sunday:</b>	<b>IS 5:1-7</b>	<b>PHIL 4:6-9</b>
		<b>MT 21:33-43</b>

### Volunteer for this week: Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup> - Oct. 8<sup>th</sup>:

**Church Dusters:** Michelle Bertrand  
**Recycling Vol. Sept.:** Del Reeves  
**Sept. Food Volunteer:** Lenna DeGroot  
**Coffee & Donuts: Sun, Oct. 8<sup>th</sup>:**  
 Don & Roberta Vanover

Join us for **The Bible Timeline**, beginning Mon, Oct. 16th at 6:00 pm, facilitated by Ken Livengood. **The Bible Timeline** is a Catholic Bible study that can help *anyone* to make sense of the Bible and experience the life-changing power of God's Word. The study takes you on a journey through the entire Bible and brings you deep into each period of salvation history, so that you can discover the amazing story woven throughout all of Scripture. The study will include a series of twenty-four videos presented by Jeff Cavins. The cost for the study set is \$34.95; The study set is not required for the sessions, but they are certainly helpful. After the sign-up, the parish will order the study sets requested. We would encourage, that if a participant is able, they make a donation to help offset the cost of the materials to the extent that they are able to do so. For more information or to register for the study visit the registration table after Mass or contact Fr. Adam at the Parish Office, by phone (498—9197) or email ([aprichard@dio.org](mailto:aprichard@dio.org))

### Springfield Right to Life News

**Life Chain:** On Sunday, October 1<sup>st</sup>, the Springfield Right to Life Office at 536 N. Bruns Lane, Suite 2, will be open at 1:30 p.m. for all who'd like to participate. Signs and cold drinks will be provided. For more information, please visit: <http://www.lifechain.net/> or call 217-523-2700.

Knights of Columbus Council #364 is hosting a Fundraiser Breakfast on Sunday, October 8th, 8 a.m. at the KC Hall located at 2200 S. Meadowbrook Road. All proceeds will benefit Springfield Right to Life.

Springfield Right to Life's Annual Fundraising Dinner will be Monday, October 30th, 6 p.m. at the Bank of Springfield Center. Please call Angela at 217-523-2700, e-mail: [info@springfieldrtl.org](mailto:info@springfieldrtl.org), or visit our website: [www.springfieldrtl.org](http://www.springfieldrtl.org). R.S.V.P. is required by October 16th at 4 p.m.

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**217-303-1711**  
**WWW.JUDYFG.COM**

**The National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC)** is coming up, soon! This year, NCYC is November 16<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup>, in Indianapolis. NCYC is an event where thousands of high school students, and their chaperones come together with hundreds of priests and bishops, come together for an amazing experience of talks, fun, and prayer. The cost is \$390.00. Fr. Adam is going this year, and he would love to have some company from the parish, both high schoolers and chaperones. For more information and the forms go to <http://www.dio.org/youthministry/ncyc>. Registration is due September 15<sup>th</sup> to our diocesan offices, with Late Registration open till October 31<sup>st</sup> (with a \$40 late fee).

**We have received an offer from a St. Jude family to sponsor up to 10 participants. Please contact Fr. Adam as soon as possible if you are interested.**

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**Theology on Tap**  
**Abe's Hideout of Springfield**  
**Social Hour: 6-7:00 p.m.**  
**Presentation: 7:00 p.m.**

All young adults are invited to join us for a Theology on Tap (Five Damning Flaws in Contemporary Gender Theory) Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup>, sponsored by the Forge and the Diocese of Springfield Office for Youth & Young Adult Ministry. The director of Family Formation Studies at Focus on the Family, Glenn Stanton, will discuss the issues with modern day gender theory arguments. Food and drinks will be available for purchase. You won't want to miss it! For questions, email [graynicholasjohn@gmail.com](mailto:graynicholasjohn@gmail.com).

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### *8<sup>th</sup> Annual Rochester Olde Towne Fall Festival*

Saturday, Oct. 7<sup>th</sup> – 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
Sunday, Oct. 8<sup>th</sup> – 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.  
located on South John Street

Local Artisans, crafters, live music, silent auction and food vendors will be featured. This year Sound Bites will join us and will be hosting a beer tent and 80's music along with a variety of food trucks, on Saturday night from 5:00-10:00 p.m.

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**Venture Crew**- Shane Vollintine would like to start a Venture Crew for Rochester Community. It is a Boy Scout program that is designed for all youth 14-20 and is a Co-ed program. He is in the need of volunteers and youth that would want to participate in the program. They would meet once a week at RCC and plan camp outs, trips, activities, work on rank and advancement, and plan high adventure outings. He would welcome both men and women that would want to volunteer. If you or your child is interested please contact Shane at [217-416-8576](tel:217-416-8576).

An informational Meeting will be held at RCC Oct 3rd Room 232 at 7PM.

## October 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>1</b> Bob Davis Tom Doherty Linda Feraris Sherry Frachey John Reagan <i>Jim &amp; Nancy Hagerman</i>	<b>2</b> Andrew Comett Randi Fawley Darren Scheufele Madeline Schurman <i>Bridget Bedore &amp; Jordan Polansky</i> Daniel & Amanda Eichholz Brad & Amy Haridek Roger & Mary Beth McClintock Randy & Jennifer Western Christopher & Heather Winkler	<b>3</b> Jack Zucco <i>R. Michael &amp; Ilana Grenda Dan &amp; Lynette Thompson</i>	<b>4</b> Megan Ferrill Bobbi Hickey Danielle Lacy Deidre Lacy Dan Marx Hannah Rollins Rachel Rose Abbey Wacaser <i>Michael &amp; Rachel Copp</i>	<b>5</b> Eric Crouch Jessica Kulek Kaitlyn Kulek Mary Matheny Bob Nelson Gabrielle Oldani <i>Tom &amp; Cherie Doherty James &amp; Sonja McGrath</i>	<b>6</b> Brittany Hendricks Noah Uptmor Josh Veach <i>Michael &amp; Bobbi Hickey Mitch &amp; Jessica Ingold Steve &amp; Patricia Jones Jason &amp; Ashley Loyd</i>	<b>7</b> Nicholas Fjelstul Katie Reidle <i>Ronald &amp; Kim Matrisch John &amp; Angie Powell</i>
<b>8</b> Sheila Boarman Ed Dwyer Michelle Kearney Molly Maynerich Tony Paulek Matt Wacaser Molly Zucco <i>Diego &amp; Sara Garcia Jim &amp; Cathy Joyce Jim &amp; Lauren Stead</i>	<b>9</b> Kay Foster Amanda Hanson Jordan Lauwerens Audrey Quinn <i>Ryan &amp; Megan Amerson Marc &amp; Kathleen Staley</i>	<b>10</b> Theresa Oldani Marcey Werthwein <i>John Bradley &amp; Lynn Alewelt</i>	<b>11</b> Kathy Hodge John Petty Katherine Petty Randy Reynolds <i>Alan &amp; Lindsay Howard</i>	<b>12</b> J. Clayton Alewelt Zana Dahlkamp Deb Hill Andy McClintock <i>Gary &amp; Patty Oldani Kevin &amp; Danielle Marinelli Jim &amp; Emily Woosley</i>	<b>13</b> Erica Bertrand Deona Kuntzman Brenda Magro Mark Palazzolo Linsay Stefano <i>Jeff &amp; Brittany Hendricks</i>	<b>14</b> Kyle Blumhorst Eleanor Gegen Ben Haridek Ehren Woehrmann <i>James &amp; Julie Peacock</i>
<b>15</b> Matthew Anderson Dorothy Beeman Melvin Dambacher Delaney Farris Rochelle Gillespie Scott Settles Katherine Woosley <i>Raymond &amp; Elizabeth Rowden</i>	<b>16</b> Michael Mark Malory Nickel Scott Ostrowski Sofia Torricelli	<b>17</b> Laura Dorman Adam Krech Betty Limper Bailey Nicole Martin Angie Powell Nathaniel Will	<b>18</b> Griffin Neuweg Dougls Sommer Kelvin Stock Taylor Uptmor Vicki Walker <i>Leo &amp; Shirley Crawford Joe &amp; Sarah Petty Paul &amp; Rebecca Phillips Daniel &amp; Shannon Ryan</i>	<b>19</b> W. Emmitt Chastain Gabrielle Neuweg Talon Williams	<b>20</b> Will O'Brien Julie Peacock	<b>21</b> Thomas Bertrand Gail Dees
<b>22</b> Kelsey Amerson Nicholas Capriotti Kelly Lacy Mark Stephens	<b>23</b> Patricia Leach	<b>24</b> Joe Petty Gregory Trame <i>Ed &amp; Paula Gibson</i>	<b>25</b> Alex Bruno Anne Judy <i>Jack &amp; Cathy Carlson</i>	<b>26</b> Rachel Anderson Jillian Conlon Vito Saputo <i>Roger &amp; Maria Batten</i>	<b>27</b> Rachel Copp Ashley Loyd Andrew Messmore Falon Wilson <i>Gregory &amp; Natasha Trame</i>	<b>28</b> James Garceau Daniel Otten
<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> Hannah Blackorby Abigail Jerszynski Madison Jerszynski Kathleen Klee Jean McDonald Brian Will <i>Eric &amp; Krista Culbertson</i>	<b>31</b> Beth Auxier Jim Cordery Seth McMinn Ellen Woehrmann				