

**WELCOME TO
ST. ANDREW THE APOSTLE CATHOLIC CHURCH
AUGUST 20 2023—20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME —YEAR A**



For more light in the day, we thank you,
For gentle mornings, we thank you,
For nighttime conversations, we thank you,
For friends and family, we thank you,
For gardens and all manner of creatures, we thank you.
Help us, Creator and lover of our souls.
Help us love this earth.
Help us dwell wholeheartedly in our lives this day.
Help us pray as we walk, work, play, rest, and create.
Amen.

August 20th

Sunday Offerings	\$ 2181.00
Sunday Loose	\$ 473.65
Building Fund	\$ 20.00
Funeral	\$ 388.62
Candles	\$ 72.35
Total:	\$ 3135.62



PADP—Weekly for the month of August 2023

Sunday Offerings	\$ 592.00
Building fund	\$ 115.00
Total	\$ 707.00



<p>Fr. Denis Vaiz—Parish Priest Sydney Hutchins—Office Administrator Deacon Emeritus John Noble Carol Noble – D.O.S Tania Amaya – Building and Grounds</p>	<p><u>WEEKDAY MASSES</u> NONE THIS WEEK <u>Weekend Masses:</u> Saturday at 4:30 pm Sunday at 10:00 am</p>	<p><i>Office Hours:</i> Tuesday & Wednesday 12:30pm -3:30 pm Thursday 9:00 am–12:00pm Mondays & Fridays—Closed Ph: 705-566-1876</p>
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Tuesday August 22nd

NO WEEKDAY MASS—PRIEST IS AWAY FOR RETREAT

Wednesday August 23rd

NO WEEKDAY MASS

Thursday August 24th

NO WEEKDAY MASS

Friday August 25th

NO WEEKDAY MASS

Saturday August 26th

Urgel Nault by Linda Nault

Martin Rupnik by Ivanka Rupnik

Sunday August 27th

MISSA PRO POPULO



Mass Readings for this week: August 21st to August 27th

Monday August 21 -Judges 2: 11-19; Matthew 19: 16-22.

Tuesday August 22 -Judges 6: 11-24a; Matthew 19: 23-30.

Wed August 23 -Judges 9: 6-15; Matthew 20: 1-16.

Thursday August 24 -Revelation 21: 9b-14; John 1:45-51.

Friday August 25 -Ruth 1: 1, 3-6; John 1: 45-51.

Saturday August 26 -Ruth 2: 1-3, 8-11; Matthew 23: 1-12.

Sunday August 27 -Isaiah 22: 19-23. Matthew 16: 13-20.



Save the Date!

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20th Sunday Reflection

Seek the Lord Jesus with expectant faith:

What did Jesus mean by the expression "throwing bread to the dogs"? The Jews often spoke of the Gentiles with arrogance and insolence as "unclean dogs" since the Gentiles did not follow God's law and were excluded from God's covenant and favor with the people of Israel. For the Greeks the "dog" was a symbol of dishonor and was used to describe a shameless and audacious woman.

There is another reference to "dogs" in Matthew's Gospel where Jesus says to his disciples, "Do not give to dogs what is holy" (Matthew 7:6). Jesus tests this woman's faith to see if she is earnest in receiving holy things from the hand of a holy God.

Jesus praises a Gentile woman for her faith and for her love. She made the misery of her child her own and she was willing to suffer rebuff to obtain healing for her loved one. She also had indomitable persistence. Her faith grew in contact with the person of Jesus. She began with a request, and she ended on her knees in worshipful prayer to the living God. No one who ever sought Jesus with earnest faith - whether Jew or Gentile - was refused his help. Do we seek the Lord Jesus with expectant faith?

Fr Denis Vaiz

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