

Twenty-Eighth Sunday
In Ordinary Time
October 15, 2017

MASSES THIS WEEK:

Monday	October 16th
8:05 a.m. -- +Guise Pham Cong Kheo	
Tuesday	October 17th
5:15 p.m. -- +Maria Riu	
Wednesday	October 18th
8:05 a.m. -- +Robert Sanchez	
Thursday	October 19th
5:15 p.m. -- +Elizabeth Miller	
Friday	October 20th
8:05 a.m. -- Thank You Maria	
Saturday	October 21st
5:00 p.m. -- Living & Deceased members of the Nieman & Loader families	
6:30 p.m. -- +Frederick Gamer	
Sunday	October 22nd
8:00 a.m. -- George & Pauline Kristek	
9:30 a.m. -- +Rev. Jeremiah Callahan	
11:00 a.m. -- People of St. Mary's Parish	

CONFESSIONS

Monday, October 9th at 8:30 am
Thursday, October 12th at 5:45 pm
Saturday, October 14th at 4:00 pm

LAST WEEK'S OFFERINGS

Sunday, October 8 th :	\$15,131.00
October to date:	\$34,125.00
Needed weekly:	\$17,500.00
Needed for month:	\$78,833.00

MINISTRY OF PRAYER

PLEASE PRAY for Cindy Curran, Gerri Greene, Michael Metro, all those who are disabled, in rest homes and hospitals, and service personnel serving overseas. (Names will be on this list for 1 month and then removed unless notified otherwise.)

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Sunday	October 15th
C.Y.O./6:00-7:30 pm/Youth Center	
Monday	October 16th
Faithful Families/9 am/Meeting Room #1	
Spir. Read. Group/12 noon/371 Thomas Dr., Sylvan Grove	
Adult Education/7 pm/Meeting Room #1	
Liturgy Choir Commission/7 pm/Meeting Room #2	
Wednesday	October 18th
P.R.E./6:45-8 pm	
Helping Hands Committee/7 pm/Meeting Room #2	
White Mass/7 pm/Sacred Heart Cathedral	
SHHS Musical/7:30 pm/Salina Community Theatre	
Parish Choir Practice/7:45 pm/Church	
Thursday	October 19th
Bible Study/9 am/Meeting Room #1	
One Stitch at a Time/6:30 pm/Meeting Room #2	
SHHS Musical/7:30 pm/Salina Community Theatre	
Sunday	October 22nd
C.Y.O./6:00-7:30 pm/Youth Center	
SHHS Musical/2 pm/Salina Community Theatre	

Notes from the Pastor

October is one of those months when we emphasize our continued need to pray for the Respect of all Human Life from conception to natural death. Individually I would encourage everyone to pray more for this intention. Pray also for those who may have procured an abortion, been involved with an execution or a euthanization and are now regretting that decision, pray that they will avail themselves of the means to find healing and reconciliation be that through a Rachel's Vineyard weekend, professional counseling through Catholic Charities, or through some form of spiritual direction with a priest. Finally, let us pray for the repose of the souls of all those who have been aborted, executed or euthanized.

Peace and Prayers, Fr. Kevin

PARISH NEWS

LITURGICAL MINISTERS: The schedule for the months of November and December will be made up soon. If you have any dates during these two months that you are not available to be scheduled, please email Kathy at kathy@stmsalina.org by October 16th.

SPECIAL COLLECTION for World Mission Sunday. Each year, the entire Church is invited to support the young mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin American and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leader serve the poorest of the poor. Envelopes for this collection can be found in your mailed packets.



PARISH DIRECTORIES: We still have many copies of the parish directories that have not been picked up. If you had your picture taken for the directory, or if you submitted your own picture for publication, and haven't picked up your copy, please stop by the parish office and visit with Kathy to get yours.

SCHOOL NEWS

FAST CASH CALENDAR WINNERS:

Sunday, October 8 – Peggy Piper
Tuesday, October 10 – Robert Grothoff
Thursday, October 12 – Derrick & JoVonna Rutherford

SACRED HEART CHEERLEADERS will hold **SPRIT MANIA** for children in grades K-6 on Wednesday, Oct. 18th from 5:30-7:30 pm. The \$25 participation fee includes a t-shirt, practice time, admittance to the 7 pm Oct. 20th football game, performance at half-time and refreshments. Registration can be done online at sacredheartknights.org or pick up a form for the SHJSHS Administration or Business offices. Deadline for registration is Monday, Oct. 16th.

BIEROCK FUNDRAISER: The Sacred Heart High School Music Boosters will be selling bierocks to raise funds for their upcoming trip to Chicago. Prices are \$20 for ½ dozen (cash/check) or \$21 (credit card). These will be prepared fresh on the weekend of October 21st. To purchase, stop by SHHS cafeteria on Sunday, Oct. 22 from 9 am until 1 pm.

GIVE BACK TO ST. MARY'S SCHOOL NIGHT: Little Caesar's Night on Tuesday, Oct. 24th from 4-8 pm. Little Caesar's scrip cards are available at the grade school office (after Wed., Oct. 18) and can be used on October 24th. Please mention St. Mary's School and 10% will go back to the school. If you use scrip cards to pay, an additional 8% of the gift card is given back to the school.

A MESSAGE FROM BISHOP WEISENBURGER

Dear Friends: The images of Puerto Rico coming to us in the news media are deeply disturbing. The power grid has collapsed from the hurricane and the humanitarian situation may be the worst yet of the multiple crises we have faced in recent weeks. I understand fully the financial strain I am asking many to undertake once again by contributing to help our brothers and sisters so greatly I need. However, not to provide you with an opportunity to e of help would be a grave lack of charity on my part. We will take up a special collection on the weekend of **October 28-29**, which will be disbursed by Catholic Charities USA. Checks should be made out to your local parish.

DIOCESAN "WHITE MASS": Bishop Weisenburger will celebrate a "White Mass" at Sacred Heart Cathedral on Wednesday, October 18th at 7:00 pm. A white Mass traditionally is celebrated for members of the healthcare profession which includes, but is not limited to, the following: doctors, nurses, healthcare chaplains, medical technicians, employees of hospitals and long-term care facilities, hospice workers, and home healthcare workers. Just as the Church reaches out to the sick with the Sacrament of Anointing, so too does the Church reach out with prayer for those involved in the healthcare ministries. Equally welcome are those who do not minister in the healthcare profession, but who wish to gather with us to pray for healthcare workers. There is perhaps no better way to express our gratitude for their dedication and devotion to our beloved sick. All are warmly invited to attend this special Mass, with a reception following in the Hall of Bishops.

The CREIGHTON MODEL SYSTEM is a natural, safe, effective and Church-approved method of achieving or avoiding pregnancy, overcoming infertility, and monitoring reproductive health. Intro sessions will be offered monthly by Dr. Maria Rapp, FCPI. The next class will be held at Chiropractic Wellness Center on Monday, October 16th, at 7:00 pm. The session is free and lasts approximately one hour. For more info please call 827-7779 or email back2000@aol.com.