



## Readings September 3rd through September 9th:

Mon: 1 Cor 2:1-5; Ps 119:97-102; Lk 4:16-30  
 Tue: 1 Cor 2:10b-16; Ps 145:8-14; Lk 4:31-37  
 Wed: 1 Cor 3:1-9; Ps 33:12-15, 20-21; Lk 4:38-44  
 Thur: 1 Cor 3:18-23; Ps 24:1-6; Lk 5:1-11  
 Fri: 1 Cor 4:1-5; Ps 37:3-6, 27-28, 39-40; Lk 5:33-39  
 Sat: Mi 5:1-4a; Ps 13:6; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23  
 Sun: Is 35:4-7a; Ps 146:7-10; Jas 2:1-5; Mk 7:31-37

### Sunday Ministry Schedule-St. Stephen's 9/9/18

#### 9:00 Mass

Lector: Aurora Baldes

Extraordinary Ministers: Theresa Cunningham, Marilu Duncan & Carol Kellogg

#### 5:00 Mass

Lector: Volunteer Needed

Extraordinary Ministers: Volunteers needed

#### Parish Collection

8/26 \$1760.81

*"Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." Corinthians 9:7*

#### Happenings:

9/2: Rosary @ 8:20am  
 Coffee and donuts after the 9am Mass  
 9/5: PFC Meeting @ 5:45pm  
 9/7: No Adoration/Mass today  
 9/8: Music Practice 3pm

#### Vita Nova Coffee

The coffee shop is open Monday through Thursday from 2:30-5pm. Come enjoy a free cup of coffee!

**We will not be taking any donations for the thrift "store" and are planning a clothing giveaway in September.**

#### St. Stephen's Religious Ed/Baptism

Please plan to attend three classes if you wish your child to be baptized. Next classes will be in September on 9/10, 9/17 and 9/24 @ 5:30pm.

If you have questions regarding baptism or religious education classes for the fall, please call the religious education office (856-7806 ext. 16).

Having Mass offered for an anniversary, marriage, special occasion, gift or in memory of someone is a special gift. Cards are available at the office. Diocesan guideline is \$10.00 for a Mass.

#### Music Ministry

A reminder of the importance of participation during the liturgy: "Music does what words alone cannot do. It is capable of expressing a dimension of meaning and feeling that words alone cannot convey. While this dimension of an individual musical composition is often difficult to describe, its affective power should be carefully considered along with its textual component."

**Praised be Jesus Christ.**

**Praise Him now and always!**

## Mass Intentions/Communion Service & Schedule this week:

9/1: 4:30pm Blessed Sacrament Nee nii teenitooni' (For the people)  
 9/2: 9am St. Stephen's +Leslie Six Toes  
 11am St. Joseph's +Mike Bearing  
 5pm St. Stephen's +Mary Addison  
 9/4: 7:15am St. Stephen's SathTa Prue on her birthday  
 9/5: 5:00pm St. Stephen's +Sue Tamburino  
 5:15pm St. Joseph's Communion Service  
 9/6: 7:15am St. Stephen's Donna Marie Collom  
 9/7: 5:00pm St. Stephen's No Mass today  
 5:15pm St. Joseph's Communion Service  
 9/8: 4:30pm Blessed Sacrament Nee nii teenitooni' (For the people)  
 9/9: 9am St. Stephen's Sister Margaret Kasper\*  
 11am St. Joseph's +Mike Bearing  
 5pm St. Stephen's Sister Vivian Wilson\*  
 \*Congratulations on their 70th anniversary of vows of religious profession!

*"What is truth? The truth ... is a transcendent virtue which enters into all well-ordered human affairs and, according to the diversity of these, assumes different names. In the schools it is called science, in speech veracity, in conduct frankness, in conversation sincerity, in actions righteousness, in business dealings honesty, in giving advice freedom from prejudice, in the keeping of promises loyalty, and in the courts of law it has the noble title of justice." Pope John XXIII, Journal of a Soul*

Save the date! Oktoberfest, Sat. Sept. 22, 5-9 PM. Great Food and beverages!  
 St. Margaret's School gym, 609 E. Park St. entrance. Proceeds to benefit summer '19 Italy youth pilgrimage.



## Blessed Sacrament & St. Joseph's

#### Baptism Classes

The last Sunday of each month will be Baptism Sunday at St. Joseph's. Three classes are required. Please call Sister Teresa at 332-4415 to schedule classes.