

## July, 18, 2010 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### **Stewardship is a way of life.** **Tithing is God's Plan for Giving:**

<b>Tithing Income:</b> July 11, 2010	\$6,659.00
<b>Tithing Income :</b> July 12, 2009	\$5,901.00
Children's offering:	\$3.00

**Next week's tithe is for: Human Life International**

#### **Why is tithing for today?**

**Some Christians say tithing falls under the Old Testament Mosaic Law. Therefore, because Christians are living under the grace of the New Testament, tithing doesn't apply to them today.** But tithing is an eternal principle of God's Word. According to the Bible, the practice of tithing came over four hundred years before the Mosaic Law was given.

Then Melchizedek king of Salem brought out bread and wine, he was the priest of God Most High, And he blessed him and said: Blessed be Abram of God Most High, possessor of heaven and earth; and blessed be God Most High who has delivered your enemies in your hand. And Abram gave him a tithe of everything. Gen 14:18-20.

Then Jacob, Abrams grandson tithed to the Lord. He did this 270 years before the Mosaic law. In Genesis 28:22 Jacob said: This stone that I have set up as a memorial stone shall be God's abode. Of everything you give me, I will faithfully return a tenth part to you.

**In the New Testament Jesus himself** confirmed the practice of tithing. Woe to you scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! For you pay tithe of mint and anise and cumin, and have neglected the weightier matters of the law: justice and mercy and faith. These you ought to have done, without leaving the others undone. In the book of Hebrews, tithing is connected with the eternal and unchanging priesthood of Melchizedek (Hebrews 7:1-8), proving again that it is a New Testament principle. Here mortal men receive tithes but there He (Jesus) receives them of whom it is witnessed that He lives.

**My Good Deed for the Week:** Here's what several young people offered as their tithe, in addition to their financial gift. A 7<sup>th</sup> grader said: I helped my Gramma do her laundry.

### ***Pastor's Column***

#### **MISSIONARY COOPERATIVE**

"Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them..." (Matt. 28:19.)

That's said to everyone. Not just to clergy but to everyone. Christ said it right before ascending into Heaven, spoken to the 11 disciples who stood in for you

and me. Those were his last marching orders. Our chance of complying is July 31-August 1 (not this coming weekend, but the following).

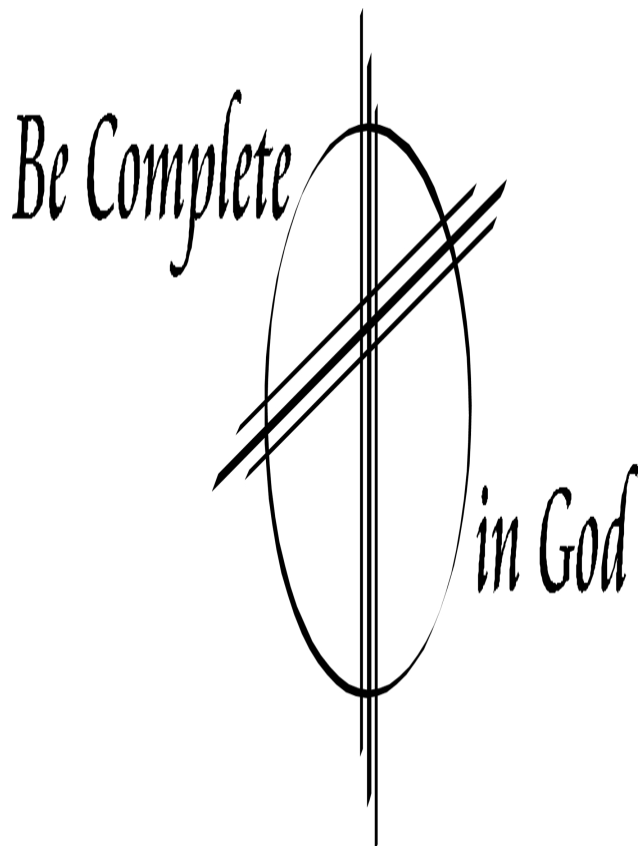
Every parish in the diocese is assigned a guest speaker once a year from the mission field to promote the spread of the Gospel. That weekend Fr. Frederick Clement from The Missionaries of the Sacred Heart will be here speaking of his order's work in India, Slovakia, Indonesia, Argentina and Nigeria (Fr. Fidelis' home country). How wonderful that his order is named after our patron.

His order was founded by St. Gaetano Errico (d. 1862) a parish priest who received a vision of the Blessed Virgin Mary and St. Alphonsus Liguori, asking him to found a missionary order. He was canonized in 2008.

The order's motherhouse is now in Scondigiano, Italy, near Naples. The U.S. headquarters is in Linwood, N.J., near Ocean City, where I plan to vacation in August. I told Fr. Peter, the superior residing there, that I would stop in to see him.

There is a missionary appeal envelope in your envelope packet. Please use it. That can be part of your tithe to God, giving back to God by supporting the propagation of the faith around the world. May we all be part of the Great Commission, as it is called, as we support the effort to go out and teach all nations.

Fr. Bill





### Scripture Readings for the week:

**Monday: July 19** – Micah 6:1-4, 6-8; Psalm 50:5-6, 8-9, 16-17, 21, 23; Matthew 12:38-42  
**Tuesday, July 20** – Micah 7:14-15, 18-20; Psalm 85:2-8; Matthew 12:46-50  
**Wednesday, July 21** – Jeremiah 1:1, 4-10; Psalm 71:1-6, 15, 17; Matthew 13:1-9  
**Thursday, July 22** – Jeremiah 2:1-3, 7-8, 12-13; Psalm 36:6-11; John 20:1-2, 11-18  
**Friday, July 23** – Jeremiah 3:14-17; Jeremiah 31:10-13; Matthew 13:18-23  
**Saturday, July 24** – Jeremiah 7:1-11; Psalm 84:3-6, 8, 11; Matthew 13:24-30  
**Sunday, July 25** – Genesis 18:20-32; Psalm 138:1-3, 6-8; Colossians 2:12-14; Luke 11:1-13

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### July

18 – St. Monica Rosary Prayer Group / 7pm / Church  
 25 – St. Monica Rosary Prayer Group / 7pm / Church  
 25 – St. Jude Forty Hours  
 27 – Feasibility Meeting / 7pm / Parish office  
 31 – Missionary Co-op Priest visiting at all Masses

### August

1 – Missionary Co-Priest visiting at all Masses  
 1 – St. Monica Rosary Prayer Group / 7pm / Church  
 6 – All Day Eucharistic Adoration / Holy Hour / 7pm  
 8 – St. Monica Rosary Prayer Group / 7pm / Church  
 15 – St. Monica Rosary Prayer Group / 7 pm  
 16 – SVDP / 7pm / Parish office  
 28 – Summers-End Carnival / Rec Park / 10am

**Van Transportation to Mass:** The following is the van schedule:

July 25 – Russell Krug  
 August 1 – Mel Reed  
 August 8 – Dave Kaniecki

## PARISH ACTIVITIES

SAVE THIS DATE!!! PARISH PICNIC, Sunday September 19 at Derry Park, 1pm, rain or shine. Chicken, drinks, bingo, 50/50 drawing. Bring a covered dish. Mass will not be at the park.



**Ladies Guild will meet Saturday, August 7 after the 8:00 am Mass in the church basement. This is an important meeting to plan/prepare for our booth at the August 28 Summer-End Festival in Rec Park.**

**Sacred Heart Thrift Shop is still open.** Due to the accident to the storage area, we are unable to accept donations at this time. Please watch the bulletin for the date when we will have area ready.

## LITURGICAL NOTES



### **Sunday, July 18**

7:30 AM Anna E. Hackenberry  
 11:00 AM People of the Parish

### **Monday, July 19**

7:00 AM Kathryn Wintersteen

### **Tuesday, July 20**

7:00AM Marlin Reidinger

### **Wednesday, July 21**

7:00 PM Betty Beinaker

### **Thursday, July 22**

7:00 AM Dorothy Doran.

### **Friday, July 23**

7:00 AM Judith & Honey Gers

### **Saturday July 24**

8:00 AM Intention Anna Zeigler  
 4:00 PM Intention of the Zannino family

### **Sunday July 25**

7:30 AM Harry & Stephanie Olnick  
 11:00 AM People of the Parish

**Memorialize Sanctuary Candles:** The following dates are available: August 1, 8, 15, 29.

**The Sanctuary Light** this week is in loving memory of the Deceased of the Battista family.

**Memorialize Flowers:** If you would like to memorialize flowers at the altar or ambo (pulpit) please call the parish office to schedule. The next available dates are: July 25. August 1, 8, 22.

## COURTESY ANNOUNCEMENTS



The Annual Men's Retreat sponsored by the Corpus Christi Parish will be held on the campus of Mbunt St, Mary's University,

Emmitsburg, MD on the weekend of July 30<sup>th</sup> (Friday evening until early Sunday afternoon). Included are 2 nights lodging and 6 good meals, which are incidental to a most enjoyable spiritual experience. If you've never attended a retreat, or it's been a long time since your last one, why not take a chance and "treat" yourself this year? Father Brett Brannen will

lead us this year and "satisfaction guaranteed." A minimum reservation deposit of \$60.00 will hold your room. For more information call Fred Gers at 248-9504 or 250-0086.

**SAVE THE DATE,  
October 2, 2010 –  
Closing celebration of  
the Diocesan Marian  
year at the National  
Grotto of Our Lady of  
Lourdes in  
Emmitsburg, MD**



**Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes,  
Mt. St. Mary's University and Seminary,  
Emmitsburg, Maryland**

The 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Diocesan-Wide Pilgrimage for World Peace through Conversion of Heart will take place on Thursday, August 5, 2010

The day begins at 10:30 am and concludes at 3:30pm. Pilgrims will be able to receive the Sacrament of Penance, offer the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, pray the Holy Rosary, spend time in private prayer, enjoy the beauty and peace of this Marian Shrine, and end the day with Holy Hour of Exposition to honor our Lord in the Most Holy Eucharist. This is a day for world peace through conversion of heart.

Pilgrims must make their own provisions for travel to and from the shrine and for lunch and supper. Meals are not available at the Mount. Most of those attending bring a box lunch and many make reservations in nearby restaurants for supper. Please bring family members, fellow parishioners, and other friends with you.

For information, contact Deacon Michael Grella at 717-939-6431 (home) or at 657-4804, ext 266 (diocesan office) or [emaildmgrella@hbgdiocese.org](mailto:emaildmgrella@hbgdiocese.org).

**Join former U.S. Senator Rick Santorum at the 2010 Celebrate Life Banquet** October 19<sup>th</sup> at the Sheraton Harrisburg-Hershey, 4650 Lindle Rd in Harrisburg. Senator Santorum will discuss how he put his Catholic faith into action in leading the fight to ban the heinous practice of partial-birth abortion. Proceeds from the banquet benefit the life saving work of the Pennsylvania Pro-Life Federation Education Fund. To reserve a seat or a table of 10, visit [www.paprolife.org](http://www.paprolife.org) or call 717-541-0034.

**Retreat for Couples Experiencing Difficulty:**  
September 10-12, 2010

Is Your Marriage Tearing You Apart? Rediscover the Joy in Your Marriage. RETROUVAILLE (Ret-tro-vy)

is a French word meaning rediscovery. Retrouvaille is a program, which helps to restore communication and trust in marriage. If you feel helpless or trapped by frequent conflicts, please know that hundreds of couples have been helped. Call and give yourselves another chance. The next program will be held September 10-12 at the Hampton Inn in Mechanicsburg, PA/ Let us reserve a place for you. For information call Tom or Patty at 717-938-8229 or 1-800-470-2230.

**Dear Father Weary & parishioners,**

Thank you all for being a sponsor of the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Riverfest & Fireworks. We appreciate your continued support of all Chamber & Visitors Bureau activities. Many, Many thanks, Jim Zubler

**NATURAL FAMILY PLANNING WEEK** is July 25-31, 2010. If anyone is interested in natural family planning please contact Martin & Mary Smith at 935-5256.

## **SACRED HEART SCHOOL**

**Wednesday, September 1, 2010 – School reopens**

**Volunteers Needed for 2010-2011 school year at SHS**

**SHS also is in need of Spanish instructor** for weekly lessons in Spanish for Grades 3-5, approximately 90 minutes a week; materials for teaching are available; volunteer basis. Call the school if you would be interested.

### **SCHOOL MISSION STATEMENT**

Sacred Heart of Jesus School partners with families of diverse cultures and faiths to provide a Christ-centered, affordable, quality education for their children in a safe, nurturing environment. We teach the love of God as revealed in the Catholic faith, promote the highest academic standards, respect individual learning abilities, and prepare students to become loving, active members of their families and faith communities.

**NEED TO RENEW A MAGAZINE SUBSCRIPTION? INTERESTED IN A NEW MAGAZINE SUBSCRIPTION?** You can help Sacred Heart School in the process! Simply go to the school's website ([www.sacredheartschool.com](http://www.sacredheartschool.com)) and click on the QSP logo. Renewing and/or ordering magazines has never been so easy...and the school receives 40% of the purchase price in profit! This can be done at any time throughout the year. Thanks for your support of SHS!

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## GOSPEL TODAY

JULY 18, 2010

LUKE 10:38-42

Martha  
was busy  
Mary  
listened

Jesus was a guest at the home of Martha and her sister Mary. Martha prepared a meal and Mary sat and listened to Jesus speak.

Jesus said, "Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things. There is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part and it will not be taken from her."

Luke 10:41-42

- \_\_\_\_\_ welcomed Jesus to her home.
- Martha's sister \_\_\_\_\_ sat beside Jesus.
- Mary listened to \_\_\_\_\_ speak.
- Martha did all the \_\_\_\_\_ herself.
- Martha wanted her \_\_\_\_\_ to help.
- Jesus said, "There is need of only \_\_\_\_\_ thing."
- Listening to Jesus is \_\_\_\_\_.
- Jesus was \_\_\_\_\_ Mary chose to listen.



### WORD BANK

sister	Mary
happy	important
Jesus	Martha
work	one

