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Sunday Bulletin for July 24th, 2022

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7th Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday Masses:

Sunday: 10:00 AM & 5:00 PM

Divine Mercy Chaplet & Rosary before Mass

Latin Masses: Sunday: 1:00 PM

Thursday: 7:00 PM

Weekday Masses:

Monday: 7:00 PM Mass, followed by the Exposition of Blessed Sacrament, the Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help & Benediction.

Tuesday to Saturday: 8:00 AM

Wednesday: 8:00 AM & 7:00 PM

Day of Reparation with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament (9 AM – 6:45 PM)

Confessions:

Sunday Before each Mass.

Tuesday to Saturday Before 8:00 AM Mass.

Wednesday evening Until 6:45 p.m.

Also by appointment with Father Gerry.

Baptism:

Arrange with the pastor. Please notify six weeks before for proper preparation.

Marriage:

Arrange with the pastor one year in advance.

Devotions:

Sunday: **before the 10 AM Mass**

Chaplet at 9:15 AM, Rosary at 9:30 AM

before the 5:00 PM Mass, Rosary at 4:30 PM

Monday: evenings after the 7:00 PM Mass,

Devotions to Our Lady of Perpetual Help.

Before weekday morning Masses, Divine Mercy

Chaplet at 7:15 AM followed by the Rosary

Wednesday, All day Adoration, 9 AM – 12 noon

Rosary & Reparation Prayers, 3 PM Divine

Mercy Chaplet, 6 PM – Divine Mercy chaplet.

Rosary, & Litany of Loreto.

1st Fridays of the month: All Night Vigil in

honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the

Immaculate Heart of Mary, Mass at 7:30 PM

on Friday evening, Confessions before and

after, and Adoration until Mass at 8:00 AM

on Saturday morning.

Parish Office Hours

Monday & Tuesday – parish calls will forward to my cell phone, please leave message or text.

Wednesday & Friday: 9 AM – 12 noon

Thursday: 9 AM – 2 PM

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PRAYER FOR 2ND WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS & THE ELDERLY

I give thanks to you, Lord,	For the blessing of a long life
For, to those who take refuge in You,	Grant always to bear fruit.
Forgive, O Lord,	Resignation and disillusionment,
But forsake me not	When my strength declines.
Teach me to look with hope	To the future you give me,
To the mission you entrust to me	And to sing your praises without end.
Make me a tender craftsman	Of Your revolution,
To guard with love my grandchildren	And all the little ones who seek
	shelter in You.
Protect, O Lord, Pope Francis	And grant Thy Church
To deliver the world from loneliness.	Direct our steps in the way of peace.
	Amen.

~ *Discastery for Laity, Family and Life*

Highlights from Pope Francis' Message for the Second World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly

"In old age they will still bear fruit" (Ps 92:15). These words run counter to what the world thinks about this stage of life, but also to the attitude of grim resignation shown by some of us elderly people, who harbour few expectations for the future.

Many people are afraid of old age. They consider it a sort of disease with which any contact is best avoided. The elderly, they think, are none of their concern and should be set apart, perhaps in homes or places where they can be cared for, lest we have to deal with their problems. This is the mindset of the "throw-away culture", which leads us to think that we are somehow different from the poor and vulnerable in our midst, untouched by their frailties and separated from "them" and their troubles. The Scriptures see things differently. A long life – so the Bible teaches – is a blessing, and the elderly are not outcasts to be shunned but living signs of the goodness of God who bestows life in abundance. Blessed is the house where an older person lives! Blessed is the family that honours the elderly!

Retirement and grown children make many of the things that used to occupy our time and energy no longer so pressing. The recognition that our strength is ebbing or the onset of sickness can undermine our certainties. The fast pace of the world – with which we struggle to keep up – seems to leave us no alternative but to implicitly accept the idea that we are useless. We can resonate with the heartfelt prayer of the Psalmist: "Do not cast me off in the time of old age; forsake me not when my strength is spent" (71:9).

Yet that same psalm – which meditates on how the Lord has been

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9:15 A.M. CHAPLET & ROSARY – SUNDAYS BEFORE THE 10 A.M. MASS
4:30 P.M. ROSARY BEFORE THE 5:00 P.M. MASSes

Sun.	July 24	10:00 AM	Family of Peter Deis	Eileen Rybchuk
	July 24	5:00 PM	Missa Pro Populo // People of God	
Mon.	July 25	7:00 PM	Mass, Holy Hour and Perpetual Help Devotion	
Tues.	July 26	8:00 AM	† Ann Mellon	Bob Maddigan
Wed.	July 27	8:00 AM	† Joachim	Thuy Pham
	July 27	7:00 PM	† Eunice Ufoeze	Francis Odum
Thurs.	July 28	8:00 AM	Kelan Hordos	Debbie & Adam Hordos
Fri.	July 29	8:00 AM	† Peter Deis	Gwen Solamon
Sat.	July 30	8:00 AM	Anna Hordos	Adam & Debbie Hordos
Sun.	July 31	10:00 AM	Don & Lorraine Entwistle's 35th Anniversary	Entwistle & Carson Families
	July 31	5:00 PM	Missa Pro Populo // People of God	

COLLECTION FOR: July 17, 2022

Sunday Offering \$880.00
Latin Mass \$1,095.00
Sunday Loose \$225.45
Latin Mass Loose \$35.00
Monday Night Devotion \$20.00
***Total Collection* \$2,255.45**

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present at every stage of our lives – urges us to persevere in hope. Along with old age and white hairs, God continues to give us the gift of life and to keep us from being overcome by evil. If we trust in him, we will find the strength to praise him still (cf. vv. 14-20). We will come to see that growing old is more than the natural decline of the body or the inevitable passage of time, but the gift of a long life. Aging is not a condemnation, but a blessing! For this reason, we ought to take care of ourselves and remain active in our later years. This is also true from a spiritual standpoint: we ought to cultivate our interior life through the assiduous reading of the word of God, daily prayer, reception of the sacraments and participation in the liturgy. In addition to our relationship with God, we should also cultivate our relationships with others: first of all by showing affectionate concern for our families, our children and grandchildren, but also for the poor and those who suffer, by drawing near to them with practical assistance and our prayers. These things will help us not to feel like mere bystanders, sitting on our porches or looking out from our windows, as life goes on all around us. Instead, we should learn to discern everywhere the presence of the Lord. Like “green olive trees in the house of God” (cf. Ps 52:10), we can become a blessing for those who live next to us. Old age is no time to give up and lower the sails, but a season of enduring fruitfulness: a new mission awaits us and bids us look to the future. “The special sensibility that those of us who are elderly have for the concerns, thoughts and the affections that make us human should once again become the vocation of many. It would be a sign of our love for the younger generations” Let us ask Our Lady, Mother of Tender Love, to make all of us artisans of the revolution of tenderness, so that together we can set the world free from the spectre of loneliness and the demon of war. To all of you, and to your loved ones, I send my blessing and the assurance of my closeness and affection. And I ask you, please, not to forget to pray for me.

PARISH REGISTRATION & CHANGE OF ADDRESS FORM

NEW PARISHIONERS: In order to be registered as parishioners of St. Mary's Parish, we kindly request that all new parishioners **COMPLETE A REGISTRATION FORM** (located at each entrance to the Church). Please put the form in the Collection Basket or drop it off at the Parish Office.

PARISHIONERS LEAVING the Parish, or moving to a new address within the Parish, **please complete this form** and put it in the Collection Basket.

Name _____ Phone # _____
 Address (from) _____ Postal Code _____
 Address (to) _____ Postal Code _____