

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time-Cycle C
June 12th, 2016

David acknowledges his sin and experiences the Lord's forgiveness. The sinful woman is forgiven by Jesus because of her great love. He loves us and gave himself up for us.

Opportunities to Worship This Week:

Sat. 6/11, 6:00PM (Vigil-Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time)-Dudley Borah+
Sun. 6/12, 8:30AM (Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time)-Pat Johnson+
Thurs. 6/16, 6:30PM (Weekday)-**NO MASS**
Fri. 6/17, 8:00AM (Weekday)-**NO MASS**
Sat. 6/18, 6:00PM (Vigil-Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time)-Leo Hobbs+
Sun. 6/19, 8:30AM (Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time)-For All Fathers

NO WEEKDAY MASSES: Thurs. 6/16 & Fri. 6/17

Sacrament of Penance

Anytime by Appointment/
Fri. mornings after Mass

Mass Attendance

Saturday
Sunday

Anointing of the Sick: Call the rectory any time when anointing of the sick is needed. In the absence of Fr. Martin-Edward, call Peg Garrison, Denise Zurliene or Jim Thompson and they will contact a deacon.

Prayer List:

Way-Fair Nursing Home – Kimberly Buchanan

Garland Keck, Lanora Neavill, Ute Ferido, Leon Chamness, Jack Ciesielczyk, Sharon Reyling, Patty Brunell, Dan Kinsolving, Aaron Crosby, Brenda Belangee, Jim & Jane Mowry, Phyllis Laird, Kurt Wiseman, Stacy Winkeler, Nanette Williams, Julie Griffith, Gina Williams, Whitney Eckleberry, Noreen Reeves, Maddox Oppenheimer, Paula Zdan, Sara Kerchner, Charles Drechsel, Shirley Byars, Dorothy Baylor, Eva Decker, Matthew Rorban, Kathy Bramlet, Virginia Winkeler, Tom Colvin, Jim Lawler, Stacie Boyer, Sydney Lawhon, Justin McKnight, Ryan McGehee, all priests who are sick, and those serving in our military.

Saturday, June 18, 2016

Lector: Diana Zurliene
E. Mins: Sally Conley, Patty Brunell
Ushers: Dave & PJ Cavanaugh
Gifts: Nick Zurliene Family
Servers: volunteers

Sunday, June 19, 2016

Tom Konopasek
David Mills, Ginny Barrett
Clayton Titzer, Drew Garrison
Hank Eckleberry, Teresa William
Will Wright, Garion Sheraden

Our Daily Scripture Readings:

Monday:	1 Kgs 21:1-16	Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday:	1 Kgs 21:17-29	Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday:	2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14	Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday:	Sir 48:1-14	Mt 6:7-15
Friday:	2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20	Mt 6:19-23
Saturday:	2 Chr 24:17-25	Mt 6:24-34
Sunday:	Zec 12:10-11; 13:1	Gal 3:26-29
		Lk 9:18-24

“One Thing I ask of the Lord, and this I long, to dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.” (Ps.27, 4)

That should be our daily prayer

That should be our daily desire

That should be our daily wish.

JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY

JUNE---Father's Day

Prayer: The Our Father
Patron Saint: St. Joseph
Faith in Action: Responsibility for others
Activity: Family gatherings

MERCY MOMENT

These two seem an odd pairing, a doubtful duo. Yet love and sin are bound together in the Bible readings today. Great love leads to forgiveness. And forgiveness leads to greater love.

~Who has forgiven me? What happened next?

~Who needs my forgiveness?

~And how does my forgiveness mirror God's forgiveness – of me, of others, and of all?

THE CATHOLIC SERVICE AND MINISTRY APPEAL:

Our Holy Father Pope Francis has called each of us to be merciful to each other as God is merciful to us. Your gift to The 2016 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal brings spiritual, moral and physical aid to thousands of people throughout southern Illinois. If you haven't already done so, please make your gift today. **Every contribution – no matter the size- is needed and greatly appreciated.** May God bless you for your generosity! **St. Edward's has surpassed our goal. AWESOME JOB!!!**

ADDRESSES OF PARISHIONERS WHO ARE SICK:

We have several parishioners of St. Edward’s that are ill. There is a list on the bulletin board in the hall with some of the names and their addresses. If you get a little time please drop a card to one of them or all of them. I’m sure they would greatly appreciate the thought and gesture.

REQUEST FROM CHURCH OFFICE

IF YOU KNOW OF A PARISHIONER THAT IS SICK OR IN THE HOSPITAL, PLEASE CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE. IF NO ONE AVAILABLE PLEASE LEAVE MESSAGE WITH PARISHIONERS NAME, WHERE THEY ARE, AND WHAT IS THEIR ILLNESS. WE AS A PARISH WANT TO KEEP IN CONTACT WITH ALL PARISHIONERS AND HELP THEM IF IT IS NEEDED. THANK-YOU.

GUEST SPEAKER:

Next weekend, being the 18th & 19th of June, we shall have Rev Fr. Vincent Udo OGBUJI celebrate with us. Fr. Udo as he is popularly called among his parishioners in the Diocese of Little Rock is a *Fidei Donum* Priest from the Diocese of Umuahia in Nigeria. He has worked in the Diocese of Little Rock for more than 16 years (since 1999). In January of 2007, Fr. Udo had a car wreck while driving back from a parish visitation. He had a spinal cord injury that had left him in a wheel chair since then. In the face of this setback, Fr. Udo has continued to exhume the candor that endears him to those he ministers to. What has been his secret? When life challenges come our way unprepared and suddenly, how do we respond?

Fr. Udo comes to share his story with us with his publication, **The Peace I know**. I invite our parishioners to this book signing to have a glimpse into his personal story, in his own words; and what we can learn from it. There will be book signing after each of the Masses this particular weekend(18/19th). Presently Fr. Udo is the Chaplain at the Holy Angels Convent in Jonesboro, Arkansas.

Let us welcome him in our parish.

Thank-you and God bless.