**PRAYER REQUEST**

Please pray for those who need the Lord’s healing in body, mind or spirit, especially Florence Huelsmann, Margie McQuade,
Ramona Haislar,­ Taylor Marti, Gerald Hilmes,, , Ken Wellen,, Jim Jansen, Jerome Jansen, Gene Bickl, Ed McQuade, Wolters families and all who asked for our prayers.

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 **Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Sunday after Sunday we are drawn here to worship God, to listen to God’s word, and to receive Christ in the Eucharist. Jesus reminds us in the Gospel that like all good things, this unconscious prompt that draws us together each Sunday comes from the Father. As we celebrate together today, let us thank God for wonderful gift of faith, which animates our lives and drives us to undertake Christ’s mission.

Today we continue hearing Jesus explain to the disciples, the curious, and the skeptical that he is the bread of life, sent from heaven to give his body so that we may have life forever. First we hear Elijah, one of the greatest figures in the centuries before Christ, literally pray for death because of his desperate circumstances. He is saved by an angel of the Lord, who gives him what he needs to sustain him on his journey to God. May we today be courished by God’s word so that we may be sustained on our own journeys.

 **Question of the Week**

How does receiving Jesus in the Eucharist strengthen me on my journey? When have I needed a second nudge to go on?

 WEEKLY OFFERING

 August 1, 2021

 NUMBER OF ENVELOPES 24

Envelope Total……………….........$879.00

Loose Collection…………………..$135.00

Grand Total……………………....$1014.00

Building & Ground………………...$465.00

 Our monthly income for July 2021 was $5029.00 and monthly expenses was $4360.00.

 Thank you for your generosity

Liturgical Ministries

 August 8: 9:30 A.M.

 LECTOR: Millie Peppenhorst

 SERVERS: Mckenna, Mariah, & Alayna Benhoff, Maggie Diekemper, Zoey Gray

 MUSICIAN: Lisa McQuade

 EUCHARIST: Cindy Gnaedinger

 August 15: 9:30 A.M.

 LECTOR: Sharon Bickl

 SERVERS: Cara, Maecie, & Conner Carrillon, Maggie Diekemper, & Avery Kaufmann

 MUSICIAN: Maribeth Detmer

 EUCHARIST: Joe Luebbers



**August 8: Julie Barciszewski (offertory Barciszewski family)**

**August 15: Julie Barciszewski (offertory Barcizsweski family)**

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Jean Gray – 8-08

Johnathan Hilmes – 8-12

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VOCATION CORNER

August 8th – John’s Gospel today gives us the “Bread of Life’ discourse. We are reminded that the Body of Christ – the Living Bread from Heaven – is “my flesh for the life of the world”. We embrace this at every Liturgy when we receive the Eucharist. This possible for us through the hands of the Priest during every Consecration. We need to encourage young men to consider being “that Priest’ who gives us the opportunity to receive the Eucharist each day.

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**National Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows -Visitors Center**

**Jewish and Christian Reflections on the Book of Ruth.**

**Presenters: Maharat Rori Picker Neiss and Mark Etling, Ph. D,**

**Today, August 8, 2-4 p.m.**

**Cost $20 – For more information, call 618-394-6281. Register online at https://snows.org/reflection-on-the-book-of-Ruth/**

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Thank you to all who helped harvest the corn. They did a great job and very quickly. We received a few compliments how good it was. We delivered a wagon full to Matthew 25 and Kim Moss picked up 40 plus dozen and delivered to the pantry and Churches around Trenton.

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Bible Study resume on August 11. Interested, please see bulletin board.

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**WELCOME –** Kameron Francis Hampel, son of John & Paige Hampel who will be baptized here today.

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**St. George Parish Picnic, New Baden is Saturday August 14th from 3 p.m. t o midnight. Chicken Dinner will be served from 3 p.m to 7 p.m. Carried Outs available. Mass will be at 4 p.m. with the Prairie Travelers playing. There is a quilt and gift card bingo. Lighting Raffle at 5:45 p.m. and Bingo at 6:30 p.m. Also, there will be a free Children’s Bounce Houses from 7 p.m to 11 p.m.**

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Pictures for the Directory is scheduled for 10-04-21 so please keep that date open so we can have a lot of participation. Each family who has their picture taken will get a free 8 x 10 and a directory book. Additional pictures can be bought which I hope we all take advantage of that. We will have a table set up for scheduling your sitting prior to the date of the pictures. Also, online scheduling will be offered (additional information on that will follow later.)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Virtual Musical Event – See bulletin board





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