



Holy Cross Catholic Church

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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday/Lunes 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Martes a Jueves 10:00am-4:00 pm

Closed /Cerrado 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm

Council of Catholic Women
Consejo de Damas Católicas

Pastoral Care
Cuidado Pastoral
Deacon Steve May

MINISTRY OF HOSPITALITY

Head Ushers: 5:00 pm

7:00 pm Rigo Ricardo

8:00 am Bill West

10:30 am

CFC RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Patty Whaley, DRE K-Confirmation
(865) 898-0722

Bible Study

Thursday at 9:30 a.m. Family Life Room. For more information contact **Tom Kane** at (865) 908 1968

**TWENTIETH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**

August 14, 2022

**HE ENDURED
THE CROSS,**

despising its shame,
and has taken his seat at the
right of the throne of God.

Hebrews 12:2



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MASS SCHEDULE / HORARIO DE MISAS

SUNDAY MASS/ MISA DE DOMINGO

Saturday/Sábado - 5:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. (7pm Mass in Spanish)

Sunday/Domingo - 8:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASS/ MISA DIARIA

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 12:00 p.m.

Tuesday/Martes (Mass in Spanish/ Misa en español) 7:00 pm

HOLY DAYS /DIAS DE PRECEPTO

As announced in the bulletin/ Anunciado en el boletín

First Friday Adoration 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

First Saturday of the month Mass 10:00 a.m.

Eucharistic Exposition before daily Mass from 9:00 am to 12:00 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration Tuesday 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Adoracion al Santisimo Martes 6:00 p.m. a 7:00 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION/ CONFESIONES

Saturday/Sábado 3pm to 4pm or by appointment/o por cita

Tuesday 6:00 p.m. to 6:30 pm / Martes 6:00 p.m. a 6:30 p.m.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES/CLASES DE DOCTRINA

CFC (Catholic Formation Classes) Classes for Kindergarten through Confirmation on Wednesday evenings from 6:00PM to 7:00PM.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM /BAUTIZOS+++

The parish requires parents and godparents to attend Baptism preparation classes. All paperwork must be completed at least 6 weeks before the proposed baptismal date.

+++In order to receive sacraments (other than Confession or Eucharist), or to be a Godparent or Sponsor, you must be a registered, active member of the Parish.

Mass Intentions For The Week

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Saturday, August 13

5:00 p.m. *Rest of the soul of Conrad Nagy*
7:00 p.m. *Intentions of Father Moises Moreno*

Sunday, August 14

8:00 a.m. *Intentions of Katarzyna Sperka*
10:30 a.m. *In Memory of Chuck Hughes Jr.*

Tuesday, August 16

12:00 p.m. *For the Bommert family*
7:00 p.m. *For priests in Purgatory*

Wednesday, August 17

12:00 p.m. *Intentions of Pawel & Agnieszka Wojski*

Thursday, August 18

12:00p.m. *Intentions of Witold & Wiololetta Majerczack*

Friday, August 19

12:00 p.m. *Intentions of Father Moises Moreno*

Saturday, August 20

5:00 p.m. *Intentions of Bernard Lee*
7:00 p.m. *Intentions of Patryk Sperka*

Sunday, August 21

8:00 a.m. *Intentions of Father RonStone*
10:30 a.m. *Rest of the soul of Harry Cundy*

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading – They took Jeremiah and threw him into the cistern (Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10).

Psalm – Lord, come to my aid! (Psalm 40).

Second Reading – Let us keep our eyes fixed on Jesus, the leader and perfecter of faith (Hebrews 12:1-4).

Gospel – I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing (Luke 12:49-53).

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Welcome New Parishioners!

You may register by coming by the office. Active Membership is determined by three things:

1. Being registered in the parish.
2. Faithful attendance at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days.
3. Support of the parish through time, talent and treasure.



Please Pray for the Sick

Who are in need of our prayers and support:

Parishioners: Thomas Broadbent, Tommy & Barbara Bye, Belva Cundy, Stephanie Curtis, Katherine Daily, Joe and Lucille Dunn, Fred Eckstein, Phyllis Gerth, Gene Jost Jr., The Jost family, Rosita Juan, Annette Kahl, Tom and Sara Kane, Clarissa and Juan Palcone, Joe Poland, Norman & Paulette Schultz, Carolyn Stecher, Martha Yoro.

Other Family & Friends: Maxine Anderson, Dorothy Bone, Angel Cano, Ronda Ceechin, Carolyn Chatlos & family, Cheyenne & Javier Chicas, Kena Darby, John Devane, Mark Decorte, Antoinette & Johan Dinkelmann, Sharon Durm, Judy Duvall, Evans family, Kelsie Lee Ann Epperson, Don Eversman, Teresita Fajardo, Flavia and Noah, Greg Frerking, Diego Guerra, Sally Grady, Scott Hansen, Mary Hartnett & family, John Hedrick, Jane Hinkly, Anna Johnson, James Johnston, Jack & Thomas Ketterer, Calvin Lane, Kennedie Margarida, Jessy Martinez, Jennifer McCarter, Ciel McCormack, Sharon McCutcham, Jerry McGarvey, Mackenzie M. McGowan, Randy McKinney, Eloise Morrison, Geneva Ogle, Mike Ogle, Mr. Proper, Paul Rogers, Mark Sexton, Ollie Sexton, Gabrielle Shannon, Lisa Schulte, Amy Smith, Joseph Smith, James Speiser, Chuck & Vicky Thomas, Craig & Stacey Toenjes, Stacy Vaughn, Kim Webb, Deacon Larry West, Mary J Whaley, Dorothy Wienick & family.

May they be touched by the healing hand of the Lord and restored soon to the full and active life of our community and their families.

If you are ill or know of someone who is ill and should be included in our prayers, please contact the parish office.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Tuesday: St. Stephen of Hungary
Friday: St. John Eudes
Saturday: St. Bernard

Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time August 14, 2022

*Jesus endured the cross,
despising its shame,
and has taken his seat
at the right of the throne of God.*

– Hebrews 12:2

GIVING BACK

*The Virgin received salvation so that she
may give it back to the centuries.*

–Peter Chrysologus

A Second Collection will be taken on August 14 for Diocesan Catholic School Tuition support. The Catholic schools in our diocese provide spiritual and intellectual growth for over 3,000 students in our two high schools and eight elementary schools. During these pandemic years, our Catholic schools outshined all other public and private schools, meeting all the associated challenges while ensuring the quality of our children's education remained the same. With numerous awards, unbeatable graduation rates and a passion to develop the youth of today into the leaders of tomorrow – our Catholic schools not only equip children for the journey of life but, more importantly, help to guide them along their journey to Heaven. In order to help ensure that a Catholic education is within every family's reach, we need your help. Over the past five years, the need for supplemental tuition support has more than doubled. And over this past year, a record of more than \$5.5 million dollars in tuition support was given to assist Catholic families. But with your help, additional children will experience the spiritual and academic advantages of a Catholic school education. **Please be generous.**

Committed to Catholic Education

You can change lives by supporting our Catholic schools ministry with your donation to the Tuition Assistance Fund.

How to Give!

- By placing your envelope in the basket at mass
- Using the QR code below OR
- Online via website: www.dioknox.org/schools-collection

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Second Collection for Catholic Schools
August 13 & 14th

Looking for something to liven up your relationship this summer?
A **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend** will give you all the tools for a better, stronger, more loving marriage. Sign up for an upcoming Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience on **Sep 9-11 or Nov 11-13**. Early registration is highly recommended.
You can also look for virtual experiences and get more information and apply online **at wwme.org** or by calling **678-242-WWME**



Holy Cross Council of Catholic Women (CCW)

Save the Date

- Rosary for Life, Brown Bag Lunch and Business Meeting – September 12, 2022
- Craft Fair – October 8, 2022



GIFT SHOP NEWS

Check out the gift shop for new items and gift ideas. New items arriving monthly.

PROPHETS

We reflect upon the voice of the prophet in this Sunday's readings. We hear of the suffering and the rescue of Jeremiah. We hear how Jesus anticipates his suffering and death. As with Jeremiah and Jesus, the prophets were sent by God to the leaders and people of Israel. A prophet is one who speaks truth to the powerful, exposing their darker hidden motives and injustices. The prophet presents a way forward that aligns with God's purposes. A prophet can force people away from a comfortable neutrality or indifference. The prophet creates an urgency to make a choice: Are we content with the status quo, or are we to change our ways and pursue a new and better path? Today, we may also ask, how do we identify and respond to prophets of our time? How might we provide a prophetic voice in our Church and in our world?

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THEOLOGY ON TAP featuring Sister Madellne Rose, O.P.

Lessons learned from Saint Mary Magdalene
All young adults (18-35) are welcome to join our next **Theology on Tap** event.
Food will be available for purchase. No underage drinking permitted.

Date: Wednesday, September 7, 2022
Time: 7:00 PM
Location: **Bearden Beer Market** 4524 Old Kingston Pike, Knoxville, TN 37919
Contact: Brittany Garcia at bgarcia@dioknox.org with any questions

Stewardship is an important concept for our spiritual growth as Catholics. It is a way of thanking God for all His blessings by returning to Him a portion of the time, talent and treasures we have received.

August 6/7

First Collection \$ 4,169.54
Building Maintenance \$ 452.00



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28
Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56

Tuesday: Ez 28:1-10; Dt 32:26-28, 30, 35cd-36ab; Mt 19:23-30

Wednesday: Ez 34:1-11; Ps 23:1-6; Mt 20:1-16

Thursday: Ez 36:23-28; Ps 51:12-15, 18-19; Mt 22:1-14

Friday: Ez 37:1-14; Ps 107:2-9; Mt 22:34-40

Saturday: Ez 43:1-7ab; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14; Mt 23:1-12

Sunday: Is 66:18-21; Ps 117:1, 2; Heb 12:5-7, 11-13; Lk 13:22-30



LOS PROFETAS

En las lecturas de este domingo reflexionamos sobre la voz del profeta. Escuchamos del sufrimiento y rescate de Jeremías. Oímos cómo Jesús anticipa su sufrimiento y muerte. Al igual que Jeremías y Jesús, los profetas fueron enviados por Dios a los líderes y al pueblo de Israel. Un profeta es alguien que habla la verdad a los poderosos, exhibiendo sus motivos ocultos más oscuros e injusticias. El profeta presenta una dirección hacia delante que se alinea con los propósitos de Dios. Un profeta puede obligar a la gente a salir de una comodidad neutral o de la indiferencia. El profeta crea una urgencia para tomar una decisión: ¿nos contentamos con la situación de cómo están ciertas cosas, o vamos a cambiar nuestros métodos y seguir un camino nuevo y mejor? Hoy también podemos preguntar ¿cómo identificamos y respondemos a los profetas de nuestro tiempo? ¿Cómo podemos proporcionar una voz profética en nuestra Iglesia y en nuestro mundo?

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DAR DE VUELTA

La Virgen recibió la salvación para poder darla de vuelta a los siglos.

—Pedro Crisólogo

Vigésimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
14 de agosto de 2022

*Jesús aceptó la cruz, sin temer su ignominia,
y por eso está sentado a la derecha
del trono de Dios.*

— Hebreos 12:2

LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes:	Vigilia: 1 Cr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Sal 132 (131):6-7, 9-10, 13-14; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lc 11:27-28
Día:	Ap 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Sal 45 (44):10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lc 1:39-56
Martes:	Ez 28:1-10; Dt 32:26-28, 30, 35cd-36ab; Mt 19:23-30
Miércoles:	Ez 34:1-11; Sal 23 (22):1-6; Mt 20:1-16
Jueves:	Ez 36:23-28; Sal 51 (50):12-15, 18-19; Mt 22:1-14
Viernes:	Ez 37:1-14; Sal 107 (106):2-9; Mt 22:34-40
Sábado:	Ez 43:1-7a; Sal 85 (84):9ab, 10-14; Mt 23:1-12
Domingo:	Is 66:18-21; Sal 117 (116):1, 2; Heb 12:5-7, 11-13; Lc 13:22-30



LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — El profeta del Señor sufre peligros y deshonra para proclamar el no grato mensaje de Dios para la ciudad (Jeremías 38:4-6, 8-10).

Salmo — Señor, date prisa en socorrerme (Salmo 40 [39])

Segunda lectura — No te desanimes. Persevera en la lucha igual que Cristo soportó la cruz (Hebreos 12:1-4).

Evangelio — Jesús vino a purificar la tierra con su santo fuego y a sembrar división y no paz (Lucas 12:49-53).

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LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo:	Vigésimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
Lunes:	La Asunción de la Santísima Virgen María
Martes:	San Esteban de Hungría
Viernes:	San Juan Eudes
Sábado:	San Bernardo

ORACIÓN DE LA SEMANA

Vigésimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

*Señor Dios, que has preparado
bienes invisibles*

*para los que te aman,
infunde en nuestros corazones
el anhelo de amarte,
para que, amándote en todo
y sobre todo, consigamos
tus promesas, que superan
todo deseo.*

*Por nuestro Señor Jesucristo,
tu Hijo, que vive y reina contigo
en la unidad del Espíritu Santo
y es Dios por los siglos de los siglos.*



Rosario de los niños

Queremos invitar a los niños de todas las edades y a sus familias a rezar el Rosario en honor a Nuestra Santísima Virgen María. Vamos a unirnos en oración el primer sábado de cada mes a las 6:15 pm en

Por favor tener en cuenta+++ Para recibir sacramentos (que no sea la confesión o la Eucaristía), o ser un padrino o patrocinador, debe ser un miembro inscrito y activo de la parroquia Holy Cross.

La membresía activa está determinada por tres cosas:

1. Estar inscrito en la parroquia.
2. Asistencia fiel a misa los domingos y días santos.
3. Apoyo a la parroquia a través del tiempo, el talento y el tesoro.

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