

THE FISH ICHTHUS WRAP

The Catholic Parishes of
Saint John Capistran Immaculate Conception Holy Rosary

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 17th-18th, 2021

MASS TIMES FOR JULY

Amherst— Saturday 5:00 PM
Elm Creek—Sunday 8:00 AM
Overton—Sunday 10:00 AM

MASS TIMES FOR AUGUST

Overton— Saturday 5:00 PM
Amherst—Sunday 8:00 AM
Elm Creek—Sunday 10:00 AM

MASS TIMES FOR SEPTEMBER

Elm Creek— Saturday 5:00 PM
Overton—Sunday 8:00 AM
Amherst—Sunday 10:00 AM

HOLY DAYS MASSES

AS NOTED IN BULLETIN

OFFICE HOURS

Please call (308) 856-4375 to
make an appointment.

RECONCILIATION

Saturday - 4:30 - 4:45
Sunday - 7:30 - 7:45
Sunday - After 10:00 Mass
By request Anytime by
appointment

MARRIAGES

Friday Evenings or 2 PM Saturdays,
or you can invoke the "Tool Rule".
4 month minimum preparation. If
previously married takes 1 1/2 to
2 years for annulment decision.

BAPTISM

Call Rectory for class and instruc-
tions.

NEW PARISHIONERS

Please introduce yourselves to the
Pastor or call the rectory (308) 856
-4375 to register.

DEADLINE FOR BULLETIN

Thursday by 3:00pm
If you miss the deadline it will not
be in the bulletin that weekend.



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Going to Mass on Vacation



Paul Turner

Good Catholics on vacation always make time for Sunday Mass. The locations for churches and the times of services are generally easy to obtain online. It doesn't take much advance planning to include worship as part of one's time away from home.

When you enter the church as a visitor, introduce yourself to a greeter or minister. Let someone know where you come from. Most locals are happy to say a word of welcome, but they do not always know who is visiting and who is not.

Participate well. Pray sincerely. Sing the hymns. Contribute generously to the collection. Some people contribute sparingly. But the church you are visiting has generously provided you a place to worship. Its members would appreciate a spot in the budget you made to enjoy your vacation.

If you know in advance that you cannot attend Mass some Sunday, you should obtain a dispensation from your pastor. If you are in your own church when visitors arrive, help them feel welcome; show them around. Above all, make an effort to worship every Sunday, even when you are away from home. God never takes a vacation from you.

Weekday Masses:

Wednesday July 21st Immaculate Conception 9:00am **No Mass**

Thursday July 22nd St. John Capistran 9:00am **For †Dick Riessland** by Dale and Jeannette Taubenheim

Friday July 23rd, Holy Rosary 9:00am **For †Catherine Daake** by Todd and Tia Van Meter

Weekend Masses

Saturday July 24th, at St. John Capistran 5pm **For the People of the Parishes**

Sunday July 25th, at Immaculate Conception 8am **For the health of Jim Gunderson** by Barb Hellriegel

Sunday July 25th, at Holy Rosary 10:00am **For † Jim Paitz** by Gene and Cheryl DeVillier

Immaculate Conception

We will be serving coffee and rolls after the 8:00am Sunday Masses on the following dates:

July 18th and 25th.

If you can help out by donating rolls on any of those dates please contact Pam Tool to let here know. Thank you!

Holy Rosary

St. John Capistran

Knights of Columbus Council #12687 will hold our July Meeting on Tuesday, July 20th at 7:30 in Amherst

All Parishes

Why do we need altar servers? Certainly not to just hold books and hand people things. Servers are a vital part of the Ministry of the Altar. When a server is on the altar, alert and prepared, we can all enter more deeply into the mystery of the Mass. So you are needed and appreciated. Thank you for serving in your parish. Dcn. Bill

**Please remember
your loved ones
with a Mass intention.**



Collection Report: June 10th-11th, 2021

Immaculate Conception Holy Rosary St. John Capistran

Minimum Income Needed	\$1,250.00	\$750.00	\$1,000.00
Sunday Collection	\$832.00	\$866.00	\$750.00
Children's Collection	-0-	\$9.00	\$3.00
Cemetery Fund	\$250.00	-0-	-0-

DIOCESAN APPEAL

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The 2020-2021 Diocesan Appeal

Parish	Number of Households	Donor Goal	Number of Donors	Goal	Received	Balance Needed
Immaculate Conception	85	23	20	\$7,472.00	\$4455.00	\$3,017.00
Holy Rosary	60	18	13	\$5,592.00	\$4,667.00	\$925.00
St. John Capistran	79	18	14	\$7,729.00	\$5075.00	\$2,654.00

Remember the sick and Pray for them.

Immaculate Conception Parish
Homebound: Donevieve Ourada, Betty Broe
Ill or Recovering: Betty Geis, Eileen Smith, Pat Johns, Jim Gunderson. Bob Fisher

Holy Rosary Parish
Homebound: Jean McTygue,
Ill or Recovering: Alan Smith, Anna Graczyk, Janice Streit, James Poorman, Larry Streit, Garrett Scholz, Lance Kizer, Dan McDonald.

Saint John Capistran
Ill or Recovering: Delores McTygue, Chase Klingelhofer, Dave Glatter, Janice Loeffelholz, Ronin Bowie, Byron Eckhout, Terry Taubenheim, Beverly Kleidosty, Albert Loeffelholz.



"Man of the Shroud" coming to Grand Island

July 23-30 ~ St. Mary's Cathedral Square

42 panel exhibit on display

July 28 ~ Presentation by Jim Bertrand ~ 6:30 pm

When Jesus Was Tired...

The apostles were tired when they came back from their mission trip, so Jesus took them across the lake to a quiet place to have a rest.



But the other people saw where they were going and got there ahead of them! Jesus saw that these people were like sheep without a shepherd, so He felt sorry for them. Even though He was tired and hungry He decided to teach the people who needed Him, without taking a rest.



Have you ever been asked to help someone when you were tired? It isn't easy, is it? But we can learn from Jesus that no matter how tired we are, we should still be ready to help others who are in need.



Can you help make supper?

- Sure!

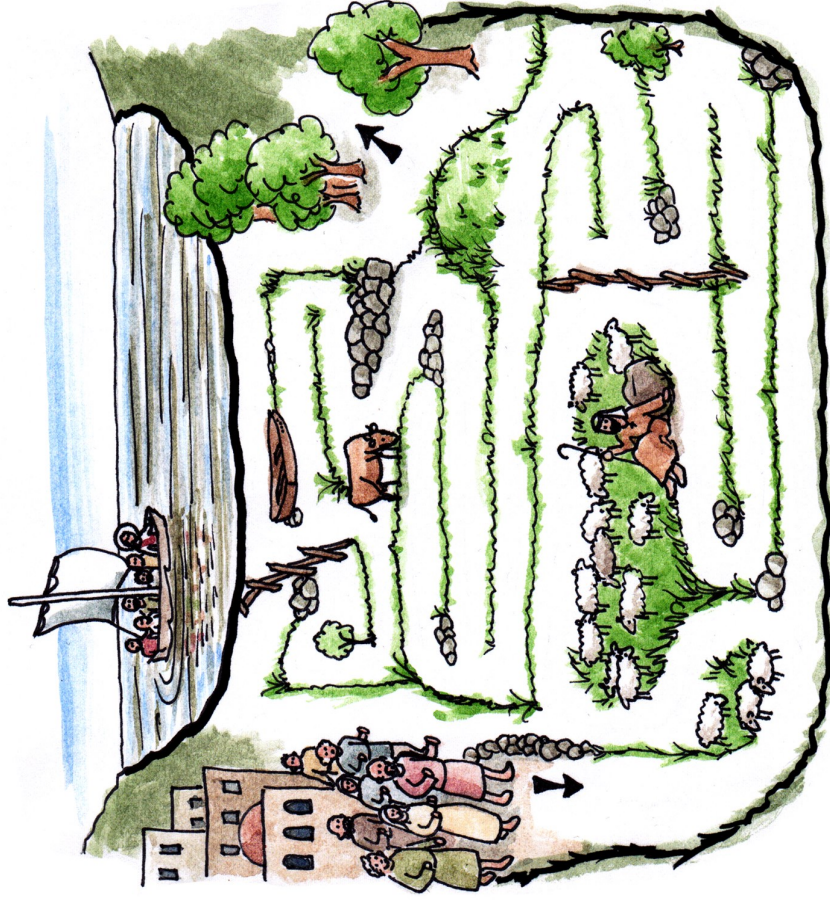
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Answers to Psalm 23 Word Puzzle: green, soul, for, dark, side, that, me, spread, sight, head, overflows, Lord.

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The Kids' Bulletin

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday July 18th, 2021



*In today's Gospel reading,
Jesus wanted to take the tired apostles
across the lake to rest in a quiet place.
But the people saw where Jesus was going
and ran ahead.*

See if you can find their path through the maze.

Mark 6:30-34