JUNE 22 - SATURDAY

2 Chr 24:17-25; Mt 6:24-34

Vigil Readings: See Sunday

4:00 PM – English - Fr. Jim – Fr. Joe Robinson

6:00 PM - Spanish - Fr. Rudy

JUNE 23 - SUNDAY

Sunday Readings:

Jb 38:1, 8-11; 2 Cor 5:14-17; Mk 4:35-41

9:00 AM - Spanish - Fr. Rudy

11:00 AM – English – Fr. David – Harold and Maxine

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12:30 PM - Spanish - Fr. Rudy

JUNE 24 – MONDAY - BIRTH OF JOHN THE BAPTIST

Is 49:1-6; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80

JUNE 25 - TUESDAY

2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36; Mt 7:6, 12-14

7:00 PM - Spanish - Fr. Rudy

JUNE 26 - WEDNESDAY

2 Kgs22:8-13, 23:1-3; Mt 7:15-20

9:30 AM - English - Fr. Samuel - Helen Silver

JUNE 27 - THURSDAY

2 Kgs 24:8-17; Mt 7:21-29

7:00 PM - *Spanish* - Fr. Rudy

JUNE 28 - FRIDAY

2 Kgs 25:1-12; Mt 8:1-4

9:30 AM - English - Fr. Rudy - Clare Willenbrink

JUNE 29 - SATURDAY - STS. PETER & PAUL

Acts 12:1-11; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19

Vigil Readings: see Sunday

4:00 PM - English - Fr. Jim - Fr. Joe Robinson

6:00 PM - Spanish - Fr. Rudy

JUNE 30 - SUNDAY

Sunday Readings:

Wis 1:13-15, 2:23-24; 2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15;

Mk 5:21-43

9:00 AM - Spanish - Fr. Rudy

11:00 AM - English - Fr. David - Stan Randolf

12:30 PM – *Spanish* – Fr. Rudy

Mass Ministry Schedule: June 29-30

Lectors:

4:00 PM - S. Heidemann

11:00 AM – R. Schinaman

Eucharistic Ministers:

4:00 PM - D. Mercer/S. Terschak

11:00 AM – J. Ruter

Servers: 4:00 PM – Z.&M. Nintrup

11:00 AM – M. Crosby

Offertory Family: 4:00 PM: LeSaint

11:00 AM: N/A

FROM THE FINANCE COMMISSION

Last Week's Collection: \$10,276.13
Offerings received to-date: \$411,834.04
Amount needed to catch up: \$20,166
Our Weekly Goal is \$8,000

Thank you for your generosity.

Make it easy on yourself. *Use our direct debit* system for your Sunday Stewardship offering. To take advantage of this convenience, please call 513-541-1563.

CELEBRATING THEIR BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:

Tim Baker (23), Anne Creekmore (25), Doug Meyers (26), Jonas Loyd (26), Olivia Koester (26), Nancy Wilts (27), Esther Wheelright-Forte (27), Jeanne Vennemeyer (28), Stephen Balash (28).

FOUR GRAND CLUB: Congratulations to our Week 43 winners: Robert Wuerth, Tom & Lisa Smith, and Mrs. Nancy Feldman. Each won \$25.

Make a long-lasting difference! Leave a Legacy by remembering St. Boniface Church in your Will. For more information contact Jenni Lindgren at 513-541-1563, ext. 151.

FR. RUDY'S REFLECTION: In today's Gospel, Mark describes an image of the kingdom, this time with Jesus and his disciples in a scene amid a violent



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storm on the Sea of Gallilee. As this group is tossed about by forces of nature, Jesus is able to silence the squall with a single rebuke: "Quiet now! Be calm!" This moment left awe-inspiring an impression on his disciples as they witnessed His almighty power against the chaos wrought by the world's ever-changing hostile environment. It was

a beautiful and fascinating moment symbolizing the fragility of life and that only through Our Lord Jesus Christ, may our souls find solace.

In many ways, our lives are like sailors on a boat who are maneuvering through dangerous and uncertain waters. We design and craft our boats individually, using our life experiences, hopes and dreams, and other factors we believe will help us stay afloat. We think our structure will help us be safe, secure and happy in the waters we, as human beings, are drawn to; yet the seas of life can dramatically change at a moment's notice—and the way we sail, plan our course, or our enthusiasm for continuing the trip might be altered. Whether it is a sudden death of a loved one, an unforeseen illness, or a setback, life can throw us side-to-side, teetering on the edge, or even overboard with no life raft in sight. In these moments of doubt, fear, and uncertainty, many of us turn to our Lord in prayer and ask for His help. However, in these critical moments, where we cannot see a positive outcome, do we truly embrace and trust in the knowledge that through the power, love, mercy, and wisdom of God, we will recover, still the waters, and set our sails aright?

My questions to you today are the same Jesus asked his apostles after he quieted the sea: "Why are you so frightened; how is it that you have no faith? In stress-filled moments, are we uncertain too; are we saying, "Who can this be?" In our egocentric minds, do we think we can orchestrate our lives without complete trust in God that "in [Him] all things are possible (Matthew 19:26)? Yes, we pray, we ask for His help, but we must fully appreciate and live the truth that there is no limit to what He can do for us, what we can become in His name, and how we can help (with our love for Him) to change the world.

ATTEND THE NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS JULY 17-21 IN INDIANAPOLIS: Join thousands of fellow disciples from across the U.S. and beyond for this event, which will include prayer, workshops, concerts, and more. The National Congress is a centerpiece of the multi-year Eucharistic Revival initiated and led by the U.S. Catholic Bishops. Groups or individuals may register for the entire event or for just a day. For more information, https://www.eucharisticcongress.org

JESUS IS HERE JULY 1-8: The St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Route of the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage is coming through the Archdiocese of Cincinnati July 1-8 on its way to Indianapolis for the National Eucharistic Congress. Along the route, several parishes will be offering special opportunities for prayer and fellowship. On Saturday, July 6, Archbishop Schnurr will celebrate Mass at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Peter in Chains at 10:00 a.m. followed by a Eucharistic Procession through downtown Cincinnati and Eucharistic Festival on Fountain Square. Please plan to participate in this wonderful event! For additional information, go to https://catholicaoc.org/jesus-is-here for information.

MINISTRY TO SURVIVORS OF ABUSE (REPORTING):

The Archdiocese of Cincinnati regards child abuse in all its forms as gravely sinful and criminal. Anyone who knows of or suspects child abuse by a legitimate member of the clergy or hierarchy, employee, or volunteer of the archdiocese should first report the abuse to the appropriate secular legal authority and then to Ms. Teresa Maley, Coordinator of Ministry to Survivors of Abuse of the Archdiocese, at 513-263-6623 or 800-686-2724 ext. 6623.