

PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENTS
22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 29, 2021

Welcome to all who are here to worship with us.
Today is the 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time.
Whoever you may be, or wherever you find yourself on the
journey, please know that here at St. Matthias,
All Are Welcome.

- **ALL MINISTRY LEADERS...PLEASE SAVE THE DATE OF SEPTEMBER 14TH.** The St. Matthias Parish Pastoral Council is inviting officers of all ministries for evenings of sharing ministry goals and activities. Five ministries (Finance, Bereavement, the St. Vincent De Paul Society, the St. Martin De Porres Society and Pro-Life) will give brief presentations at the first session on Zoom, Tuesday, September 14th at 7 pm September 14. The Zoom link will be sent to all ministry heads this coming week. If you are a new ministry head or you do not receive the link this week, please contact Phyllis Stone in the Parish Office.
- Online registration is still open for the St. Matthias religious education program for children. Please see the cover and page 8 of the bulletin for complete information.
- Finally, extra collection buckets are placed at all door exits for funds to support people in Haiti affected by the earthquake. The buckets are marked "Haiti" and will be combined with funds collected across the diocese.

"Preach the gospel at all times and if necessary use word." That quote is famously from St. Francis of Assisi. Our call to live the gospel demands an answer through our actions. It is not enough to simply hear the word of God and regurgitate it. When we act justly and with love and humility it is then that our lives change.

Music for Our Assembly

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Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long. O Lord, you are good and forgiving, full of mercy to all you call to you.

Entrance Hymn - All Are Welcome All Belong

Refrain

All are welcome in this place. Behold Love's amazing grace.

All are welcome! All are welcome!

Bring your hopes, bring your dreams. Mercy flows and love redeems!

All are welcome! All belong!

Welcome, all the broken-hearted, all who sorrow and despair.

You are not alone, for you are God's own! Together, we sing and we proclaim! **Refrain**

Welcome, all who suffer violence, all who long for safety and for peace.

You are not alone, for you are God's own! Together, we sing and we proclaim! **Refrain**

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Responsorial Psalm 15

The one who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord

Communion Hymn - Christ In Me Arise

Refrain

Christ in me arise and dispel all the darkness.

Christ in me arise with your power and your strength.

Christ in me pour out your blessing and healing.

Christ in me arise and I shall rise with you.

Be now my vision; open these eyes, showing me all that I must see.

Onward to the kingdom, you are the way. Arise in me and I shall rise with you. **Refrain**

Be now my footsteps, leading the way, taking me where I must go.

Onward to the kingdom, you are the way. Arise in me and I shall rise with you. **Refrain**

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Closing Hymn - Go Make a Difference

Refrain

Go make a diff'rence. We can make a diff'rence. Go make a diff'rence in the world.

Go make a diff'rence. We can make a diff'rence. Go make a diff'rence in the world.

We are the salt of the earth, called to let the people see the love of God in you and me.

We are the light of the world, not to be hidden but be seen. Go make a diff'rence in the world.

Refrain

We are the hands of Christ reaching out to those in need, the face of God for all to see.

We are the spirit of hope; we are the voice of peace. Go make a diff'rence in the world.

Refrain

So let your love shine on, let it shine for all to see. Go make a diff'rence in the world.

And the spirit of Christ will be with us as we go. Go make a diff'rence in the world. **Refrain**

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PRAYERS FOR THE MASS

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God almighty Father.

Glory to God...

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

Glory to God...

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Glory to God...

CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; He descended into hell; on the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there He will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Holy Catholic Church, the communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

Responsorial Psalm 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5

R. The one who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord.

**Whoever walks blamelessly and does justice;
who thinks the truth in his heart
and slanders not with his tongue.**

**Who harms not his fellow man,
nor takes up a reproach against his
neighbor;
by whom the reprobate is despised,
while he honors those who fear the
LORD.**

**Who lends not his money at usury
and accepts no bribe against the
innocent.**

**Whoever does these things
shall never be disturbed.**

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PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

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Our response will be: "In Your name, O God, we pray."

1. **For the Church, her leaders and members, especially this intentional faith community of Saint Matthias. . .Move us from external ritual to internal reality and help us to nourish and protect the seeds of faith planted in us to make us doers of Your word, we pray. . .**

2. **For global, national, and civic leaders. . .Help them to put aside all hypocrisy and gift them with Your knowledge and wisdom as they work to build a society rooted in love and justice, we pray. . .**

3. **For the poor, the hungry, the marginalized and all who suffer in body, mind, or spirit, especially those on our parish and school sick lists. . .In Your gracious kindness, restore them to fullness of life and answer all their needs, we pray. . .**

4. **For all who have died, especially Donna Bowser...and for those who lost their lives in the Tennessee floods and the Afghanistan bombings. . .In life they were Your faithful followers; may they now live forever in Your divine presence, we pray. . .**

5. **For the intentions of all of us assembled today in worship. . .
....., we pray . . .**

PRIEST: THIS MASS IS BEING SAID FOR _____

Spiritual Communion Prayer

**My Jesus,
I believe that You are present in the most Blessed
Sacrament.**

**I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment receive You
sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.**

**I embrace You as if You were already there and
unite myself wholly to You,
and I believe your words,**

**"Come to me all you who labor and are heavy
laden, and I will refresh you."**

Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.