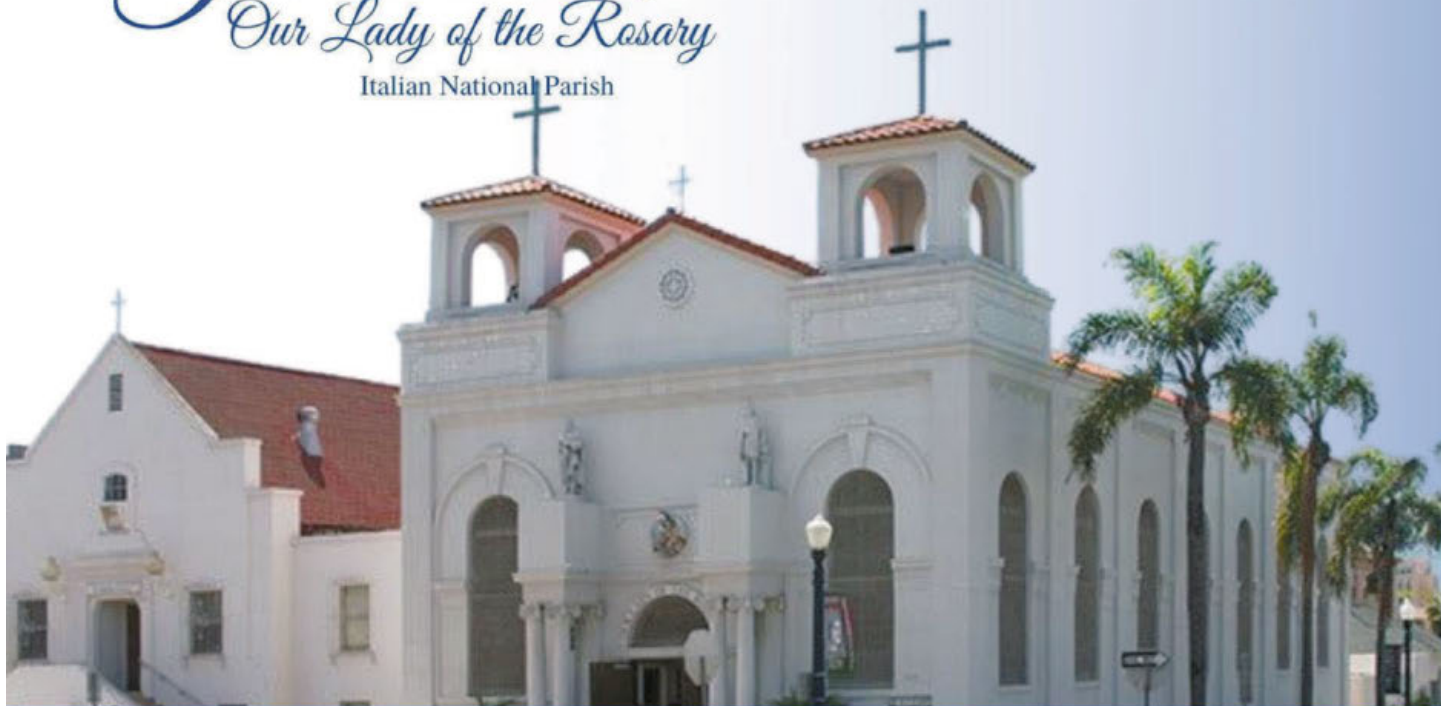


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Queenship  
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Blessed Virgin Mary

*Feast Day August 22*

Heavenly Father,  
You have given us the  
Mother of Your Son  
to be our Queen and Mother.  
With the support of her prayers  
may we come to share the glory  
of your children in the  
kingdom of heaven.

*Amen*







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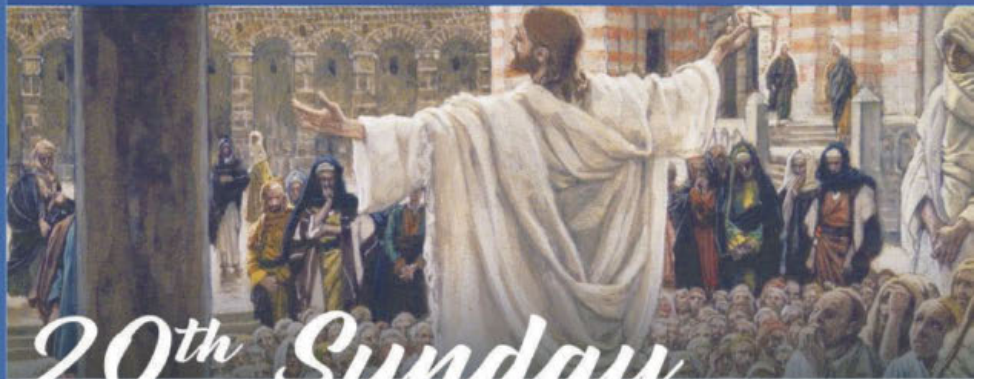
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## 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday

IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to his disciples: "I have come to set the earth on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing!" - Lk 12:49

### Mission Statement of Our Lady of the Rosary

We, the Parish of Our Lady of the Rosary, are a pilgrim church. Under the mantle of the Blessed Virgin Mary, we grow as a people of God following Jesus, celebrating the Eucharist, living apostolic service, continuing faith formation and Marian devotions. We strive to bring the joy of the gospel and imitate Jesus through compassion, mercy and love, especially for the poor and marginalized. We seek to be faithful stewards providing a heart and home for all.

### Prayer to our Blessed Mother for the sick and suffering

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**Holy Spirit,**  
**come by means of the**  
**powerful intercession of the**  
**Immaculate Heart of Mary,**  
**your well beloved spouse**  
**and heal all**  
**your precious ones**  
**We implore you that being**  
**restored to bodily health,**  
**they will give thanks to**  
**God through Jesus**  
**Christ our Lord.**  
**Amen.**

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Linda Crim  
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12:00 pm (Italian)

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Giuseppe D'Amato &  
Ariana Garcia

**September 26, 2025**

Daniel Day II &  
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**October 25, 2025**

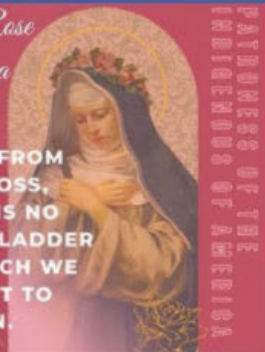
Alfred Veluya &  
Jane Fernandez



A great sign appeared in heaven; a woman clothed with the sun, and the moon under her feet, and on her head a crown of twelve stars. Rev 12:1

— *St. Rose of Lima*

APART FROM  
THE CROSS,  
THERE IS NO  
OTHER LADDER  
BY WHICH WE  
MAY GET TO  
HEAVEN.



**SURELY, I WAIT  
FOR THE LORD;  
WHO BENDS DOWN  
TO ME  
and hears my cry.**

—Psalm 40:2

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Carolyn Koebrich	Jean Zizzo	
Patrick Sanderson	Deacon Stephen	

*Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord and Let your Perpetual Light Shine upon them.*



### Mass Intentions & Readings

**Sunday, August 17**

**20th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:30 am St. Anthony of Padua †

Giovanna Militello

9:00 am People of the Parish

10:30 am Societa del Santo Rosario

Society

12:00 pm Cristina Busalacchi †

Lucia Ruggeri

5:30 pm Carole Ziegler †

Greg Cranham

**Readings** - Jer 38:4-6, 8-10/Ps 40:2, 3, 4, 18 (14b)/Heb 12:1-4/Lk 12:49-53

**Monday, August 18**

7:30 am Clara D'Amore †

Brian & Netty

Francesca & Giuseppe Sanfilippo †

Giovanna Militello

12:00 pm Rosa Sanfilippo †

Family

6:00 pm Fatima Lee (Int)

Family Thanksgiving

Ramon Lee (Int)

Family Thanksgiving

Mary Arrabaca (Int)

Family Thanksgiving

**Readings** - Jgs 2:11-19/Ps 106:34-35, 36-37, 39-40, 43ab and 44/Mt 19:16-22

**Tuesday, August 19**

**St. John Eudes, Priest**

7:30 am Annatta Crivello †

Giuseppe & Grazia

Monica De La Sierra (Int)

Jose De La Sierra

12:00 pm Tony & Rose Bernardino †

Jack & Chandra Pecoraro

Sam De Maria †

Sal & Jane De Maria

Kelsey Holiday (Int)

Mary Fohne

**Readings** - Jgs 6:11-24a/Ps 85:9, 11-12, 13-14/Mt 19:23-30

**Wednesday, August 20**

**St. Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church**

7:30 am Bob Stivers †

Mike Stivers

12:00 pm Barbara Sinopoli †

Judi & Debbie Sinopoli

Giovanna De Santi †

Lucy De Maria-Laudate

**Readings** - Jgs 9:6-15/Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mt 20:1-16

**Thursday, August 21**

**St. Pius X, Pope**

7:30 am Joseph & Louisa Czaplá †

Paul Franco

12:00 pm Anna Crivello †

Angela Sanfilippo

Rosa Sanfilippo †

Giovanna Militello

**Readings** - Jgs 11:29-39a/Ps 40:5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10/Mt 22:1-14

**Friday, August 22**

**The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

7:30 am Jaime Tolentino †

Joyce R. Tolentino

Han Kyu Chong †

Veronica Chong

12:00 pm Mariano & Pietro Sanfilippo †

Giovanna Militello

Art & Pearl Singleton Schutte Family

Family

**Readings** - Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22/Ps 146:5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10/Mt 22:34-40

**Saturday, August 23**

**St. Rose of Lima, Virgin**

7:30 am Perpetual Membership

12:00 pm Rosa D'Amato †

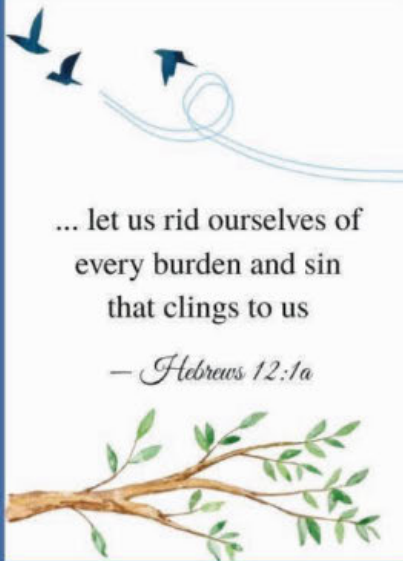
Grazia & Giuseppe Sanfilippo Famiglia

5:30 pm Emil & Maureen Ghio †

Vincent Ghio

**Readings** - Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17/Ps 128:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Mt 23:1-12



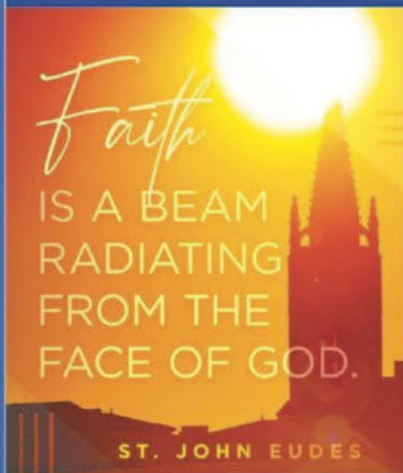


... let us rid ourselves of  
every burden and sin  
that clings to us

— *Hebrews 12:1a*



Queen of  
heaven and earth,  
be the Queen of my life.  
Pour living water down  
upon us and make us  
your own.  
Hail Mary...

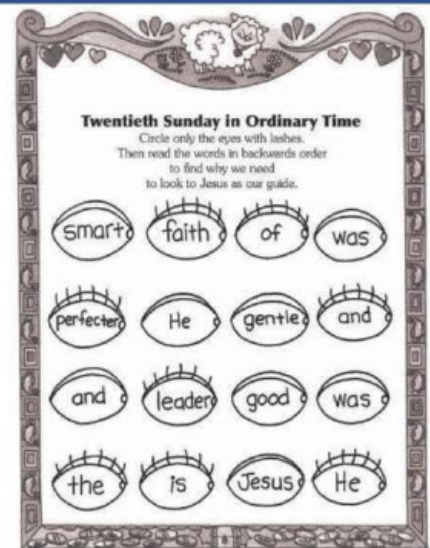


*Faith*  
IS A BEAM  
RADIATING  
FROM THE  
FACE OF GOD.

ST. JOHN EUDES

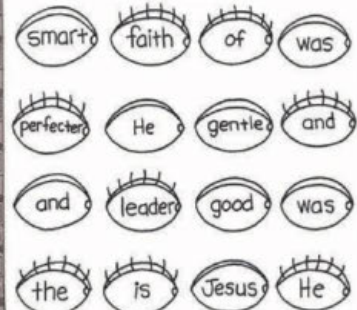


As we go through life, we should never stop following Jesus!  
Even when it's hard, we need to keep doing the right things.  
Lead the runner to the finish line by making a trail  
that spells PERSEVERE  
(which means "to keep on and not give up").



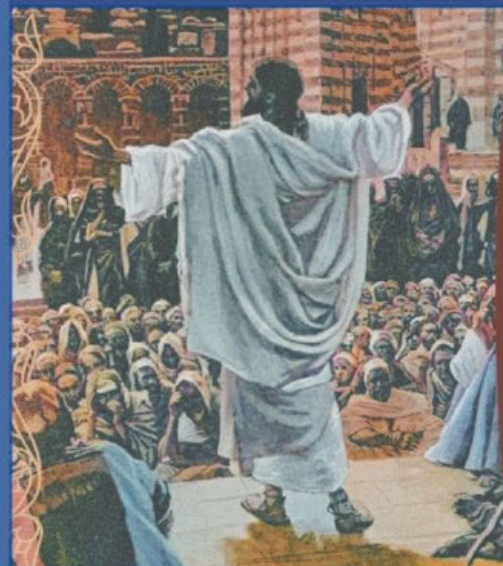
#### Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Circle only the eyes with lashes.  
Then read the words in backwards order  
to find why we need  
to look to Jesus as our guide.



... and persevere  
in running  
the race  
that lies  
before us.

— *Hebrews 12:1b*



**"I HAVE  
COME TO  
SET THE  
EARTH ON  
FIRE!"**



## Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 17, 2025

### Gospel Summary

As Jesus announced his mission, he made it clear that there would be no compromising. Called to repentance and challenged to be ready, discipleship would most likely divide households and communities. He knew already that there were divisions among the Jewish leaders. He warned his followers that they, too, might face divisions among their own families. While these repercussions would cause pain, it would also mark the coming of God's Kingdom.

### Reflection for Families

Sometimes we have to take an unpopular stand against the ideas of others. When we say "no" to someone who wants to hear "yes," division is created. Parents make decisions that serve a purpose and guide the formation of their children. Friends may say "no" to each other creating division. Of course, healing and reconciliation are vital to the growth of all relationships; and this is basically the same concept as today's Gospel. There will be hard and unpopular acts associated with following Jesus. As a loving parent, God won't compromise the plan. As loving family members, we also understand God's motive!

### Bringing the Gospel Into Your Family

Find a family movie that illustrates this Gospel message: Doing something that's right even though it's difficult and sometimes unpopular. One possibility is from Lion King when Simba decides to return home. Share your ideas about what was hard for Simba in his decision. Who helped him? Who suffered because of his decision? Who benefited? What divisions were evident and what reconciliations took place? Think about ways our own lives are like this and share your ideas with one another.

### Discussion Questions

- One place where I have seen the results of the fire Jesus lit on earth is . . .
- When someone challenges my religious beliefs, I generally . . .
- One very hard decision I had to make but knew it was the right one happened when . . .

Lord,  
come  
to  
my  
aid!

—Psalm 40



LET  
THE  
HOLY  
SPIRIT  
BLAZE  
LIKE  
FIRE  
IN YOUR  
heart



Taste  
and  
see  
the  
goodness  
of  
the  
Lord.

—Psalm 34:9a



... how I  
wish it were  
already blazing!

—Luke 12:49





## THIS WEEK AT THE PARISH



**Monday, August 18**  
6:00 pm St. Peregrine &  
St. Anthony Zaccaria  
Healing Mass



**Tuesday, August 19**  
6:00 pm Perpetual Help



**Tuesday, August 19**  
**Madonna del Lume**  
6:00 pm in the Lower Hall

**Wednesday, August 20**  
6:20 pm Young Adult Rosary in  
the Garden &  
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## LIGHT A FIRE DOWN IN MY SOUL

St. Francis of Assisi was a man on fire. He was a man burning. Francis walked around barefoot and slept on the ground. He abandoned a life of wealth to embrace the material poverty that Christ experienced. He embarrassed his family and they disowned him. When his father would encounter Francis in the streets of Assisi, he would curse him.

Sometimes we get this idea that Christianity is a comfortable, cozy thing. We give our lives to Christ, and we expect to feel instantly satisfied, happy, safe and warm. But the saints knew better.

The saints knew that Christ had not come to wrap us in a warm blanket. Christ has come to set us on fire. If we let Christ set fire to our lives, what would that fire burn away? What dead and festering undergrowth in our souls would be consumed by the flames? What promise of future holiness would sprout from beneath the ashes?

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman



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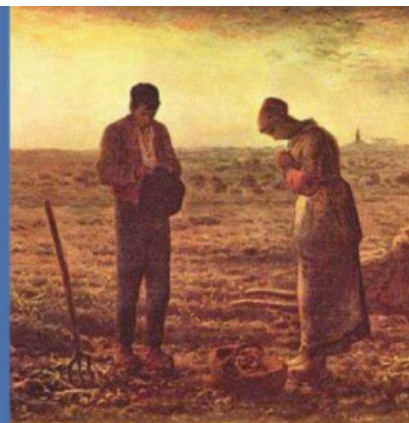
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*The Angelus Prayer*

V. The Angel of the Lord declared to Mary:

R. And she conceived the power of the Holy Spirit.

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee; blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

V. Behold the handmaid of the Lord:

R. Be it done unto me according to Thy word.

Hail Mary...

V. And the Word was made Flesh: (Kneel)

R. And dwelt among us.

Hail Mary...

V. Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God,

R. that we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

#### Let us pray:

Pour forth, we beseech Thee, O Lord, Thy grace into our hearts; that we, to whom the incarnation of Christ, Thy Son, was made known by the message of an angel, may by His Passion and Cross be brought to the glory of His Resurrection, through the same Christ Our Lord. Amen.



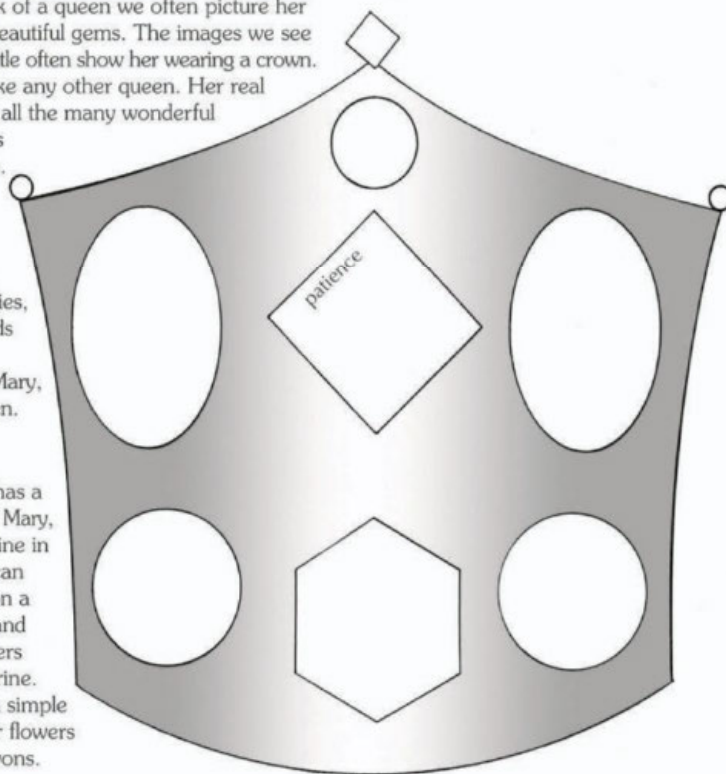
### QUEEN OF HEAVEN

Last week, on August 15 we celebrated the assumption of Mary into heaven. Most years, on August 22 we remember Mary as "Queen of Heaven"—in Latin, *Regina Caeli*.

When we think of a queen we often picture her with a crown of beautiful gems. The images we see of Mary with this title often show her wearing a crown. But Mary is not like any other queen. Her real crown is made of all the many wonderful things she does as Queen of Heaven.

This crown contains outlines of some jewels. Instead of seeing diamonds and rubies, fill them with words that describe the loving actions of Mary, our heavenly queen. An example is done for you.

If your family has a statue or picture of Mary, create a small shrine in your home. You can place the image on a pretty blue cloth and gather some flowers to place in the shrine. You could make a simple crown using other flowers or paper and crayons.



Remember to pray every night, honoring Mary and expressing your love for her.



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