



MASS INTENTIONS

Tuesday, September 23 8AM

†Sam & Catherine DeStefano

†Maria Anjeles Bacenas

Wednesday, September 24 8AM

†Mary Joyce Scamardo

Thursday, September 25 8AM

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Friday, September 26 8AM

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Saturday, September 27 5PM

Parishioners of St. Mary's

Sunday, September 28 9AM

†Adolfo Rios

†Johnny Cortez

†Rosie Castilleja

Sunday, September 28 11AM

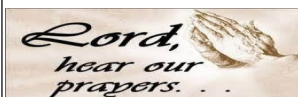
†Sebastian Valdivia

†Juan Lopez

†Flor Lugo Gonzales



Sanctuary Candle in
Memory of †Joe Stratta
From Stratta Family



**We pray for our sick
parishioner's!
Si usted desea que**

oremos por su familiar enfermo!

Romualdo Campos
Victor & Carmen Cortez
John Charles Fazzino
Gloria Garcia
Theodoro Gomez
Luisa Hunter
Johnny Killough
David Martinez
Leona Olexy Lozano
Francisco DeLeon

Melonie O'Bella
Alan Mateo Piña
Tiara Price
Johnny Ruiz
Patty Syzdek
Francisco Torres
Margaret Vaca
Lisa Yezak
Dominic Salvaggio
Hugh Wallace

Names will remain for 2 months.

If a name needs to remain on the prayer list,
please call the Church office or email.

cvega@stmaryhearn.org.

**In Honor of the
Installation of Bishop Daniel García**



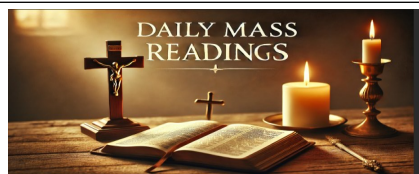
~St. Mary's Altar Society



The Universal
Church celebrates
the Jubilee Year
2025 - the 2,025th
anniversary of the
Incarnation of our
Lord.

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

– You cannot serve both God and mammon,” we hear Jesus tell his disciples in today’s Gospel. He challenges us to decide where our priorities lie. Which do we spend more time and energy building up: our faith or our wealth? It is difficult to ignore the need for money, if only to have enough to get by, let alone pursuing more so that we can live a comfortable life. But we believe our treasure can be found in the kingdom of God, in which money is irrelevant. May today’s liturgy remind us of that truth.



DAILY MASS
READINGS

Readings for the Week

Monday, September 22:

Ezr 1:1-6/Lk 8:16-18

Tuesday, September 23:

Saint Pius of Pietrelcina

Ezr 6:7-8, 12b, 14-20/Lk 8:19-21

Wednesday, September 24:

Ezr 9:5-9/Lk 9:1-6

Thursday, September 25:

Hg 1:1-8/Lk 9:7-9

Friday, September 26:

Saints Cosmas and Damian

Hg 2:1-9/Lk 9:18-22

Sat., September 27:

Saint Vincent de Paul

Zec 2:5-9, 14-15a/Lk 9:43b-45

Sunday, September 28:

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME

Am 6:1a, 4-7/1 Tm 6:11-16/Lk 16:19-31



Stewardship of Treasure Report September 13-14, 2025

Amount Needed Weekly:	\$4,000.00
Online Giving:	\$10.00
Actual Collection:	\$4,823.17
Above Weekly Collection:	\$823.17

“No servant can serve two masters. He will hate one and love the other or be devoted to one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and mammon (wealth).

” [Lk. 16:13]

Jesus knows that for many of us, God and money run “neck and neck” as top priority. Is money a “god” that you put before God? Giving money to support the Church and other charity is a pillar of our faith, just like attending Mass every Sunday and participating in parish ministry. Giving money through stewardship frees us from becoming a slave to money. It increases our dependence on God and our trust that God will provide all that we need.

“Thank you for your support & generosity!”

Vigésimo Quinto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

– “No pueden servir ustedes a Dios y al dinero”. Así escuchamos a Jesús decirles a sus discípulos en el Evangelio de hoy. Él nos desafía a decidir dónde están nuestras prioridades. ¿En qué gastamos más fuerza y energía, en cultivar nuestra fe o en aumentar nuestro dinero? Es difícil ignorar la necesidad de tener dinero para poder subsistir; y ni qué hablar de buscar más para vivir confortablemente. Pero nosotros creemos que nuestro tesoro se encuentra en el Reino de Dios, donde el dinero resulta irrelevante. Que la liturgia de hoy nos recuerde esa verdad

**The best prayer Catholics have is the
Mass... which is the greatest gift of all.**



Order of Christian Initiation of Adults

a journey of faith

YOU ARE INVITED!

The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (Formerly RCIA) sessions will begin soon.

Thinking of joining the Catholic Church?

Or maybe you are a Catholic, and you need to complete your Sacraments, or you want to learn more about your Faith?

Please join us at the RE Library on Sunday, Oct. 19, 2025!

Perhaps, you have been attending Mass with your family or friends and just never “got around to it”. Maybe you aren’t quite sure if you are ready to take this step and want to know more about the Catholic faith before making a commitment. You might have been raised as a Catholic but never had all of your Sacraments of Initiation — Baptism, Eucharist, and Confirmation. Then, you may be ready for the Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA).

If you have not received sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation or First Eucharist you may be interested in OCIA. This process prepares adults to be fully initiated into the Catholic faith. If you know someone who is interested in the Catholic faith, these classes will answer their questions and give them the opportunity to come into the Catholic Church. Call the office to register. Classes begin on Sunday, Oct. 19, 2025.



ST. CARLO ACUTIS



CATECHETICAL SUNDAY/ EL DOMINGO CATEQUÉTICO

Catechetical Sunday 2025 -- This year, “Catechetical Sunday” is on Sunday, September 21, and its theme is: ***“Always be ready to give an explanation... for a reason to hope.”***

[1Pet. 3:15] Our theme encourages us to be prepared to share the basis of our faith, the Lord and the hope he provides. In the same manner, St. Peter encouraged the believers of his time, the scriptures remind us, the sharing should be done with gentleness and respect.

Catechetical Sunday is a wonderful opportunity to reflect on the role that each baptize person plays in handing on the faith and being a witness to the Gospel. It is especially opportune for all to rededicate themselves to this mission as a community of faith.

PRAYER FOR CATECHISTS -- Loving Father, we pray today for our catechists. We thank you for their gift of ministry in your Church. Grant them your wisdom that they may grow in the understanding and teaching of your Word. Grant them also your love that they may be fruitful heralds of your Word and lead others to love you. Pour forth your Holy Spirit upon them to grant them wisdom about what is important; knowledge of the truths of faith; understanding of their meaning; right judgment about how to apply them in life; courage to persevere even in the face of adversity; reverence before all that is sacred and holy; and that loving zeal which leads others to a transforming encounter with your Son. We pray this through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

ORACIÓN POR LOS CATEQUISTAS -- Padre amoroso, rezamos hoy por nuestros catequistas. Les agradecemos por su don de ministerio en su Iglesia. Concédeles tu sabiduría para que puedan crecer en la comprensión y enseñanza de tu Palabra. Concédeles también tu amor para que puedan ser heraldos fructíferos de tu Palabra y llevar a otros a amarte. Derrama tu Espíritu Santo sobre ellos para otorgarles sabiduría sobre lo que es importante; conocimiento de las verdades de la fe; comprensión de su significado; juicio correcto sobre cómo aplicarlos en la vida; coraje para perseverar incluso ante la adversidad; reverencia ante todo lo que es sagrado y santo; y ese celo amoroso que lleva a otros a un encuentro transformador con su Hijo. Oramos esto a través de Cristo, nuestro Señor. Amén