

Please pray for our loved ones who are sick: Clarence Dolney, Joan Monette, Clare Murphy, Judy Ungar, Trina Wanner, Margaret Byski, Wendy den Brok, & Isabel Yerema.

We hold in loving memory and prayers all those gone before us marked with the sign of faith, especially Vi Chillog.

Communion to the Sick & Home Bound Ministry Sunday, August 5th:

Aspen Villa: Helen Ratuszniak Hospital: Gladys Molnar Nursing Home: Adeline Oystreck & Mari Anaka Tri-Plex: Helen Flavel

Volunteer Sign-Up in September

Think about this ministry FUNERAL CHOIR - you do not have to read music to join, just have a will to serve God through music, enjoy singing, and can reasonably follow a tune. ~~ *New members welcome anytime.* ~~

Bible vs. Our Cell Phones *What if we used it as we travelled?*

Isolating Greed

Today we get a very graphic picture of how stupid people can be. A man thought he could gain security and happiness by having a lot of money in the bank, and then he has a sudden meeting with death. His greed couldn't save him. In fact, his greed fooled him. It gave him an absolutely false sense of security and so-called happiness, and then death sneaked in and finished the job.

Greed has claimed a lot of lives. It has a way of pushing out everything that is deeply valuable in a person's life, leaving him with only an artificial and very temporary sense of well-being. Greed is a trickster, offering up happiness on a golden platter, but only delivering anxiety and loneliness. But greed needs something in order to survive within a person. Greed absolutely needs the soil of self-absorption. It is the person who has eyes only for him or herself that is greedy. Someone has translated one of the lines from today's Gospel in this way: *That's what happens when you fill your barn with Self and not with God.* (The Message).

That's why it is so necessary to stay connected to the community. If we have genuine relationships with people, we will come to know the give and take that is part of any truly human life. We will not isolate ourselves behind gates and walls, trying to keep out those who are different or who have less than we do.

If you want to rid yourselves of the curse that is greed, then get to know and love someone who is truly poor in this world's goods. That will be the best antidote to the urge to hoard whatever you have. How could we love someone who needs what we have and not give something of our belongings to that person? - Fr. John Vella

RAMA PILGRIMAGE

Tuesday, August 14th:

5:00 pm > Supper
6:00 - 7:45 pm > Confessions
8:00 pm > Con-celebrated Mass - Main Celebrant
& Homilist Fr. Rocky Grimard, OMI;
- Living Rosary - Candlelight procession - Exposition of Blessed Sacrament & Adoration till midnight (in church)
{If you plan to attend the 5:00 pm supper, call Joe 306-593-6120.}

Wednesday, August 15th:

8:00 am - 'Godzinki' (at Grotto- Polish morning devotional prayers)
8:30 am - Mass in Polish (in church) with Fr. Anthony Degutis, OMI
9:15 am - Divine Liturgy in Byzantine Rite in Ukrainian & English (at Grotto) with Fr. Joakim Rac
10:45 am - Stations of the Cross & Anointing of the sick & aged
12 noon - Con-celebrated final Mass in English
- Main Celebrant & Homilist Fr. Rocky Grimard, OMI - Blessing of religious articles - Lunch after Mass.

KAPOSVAR PILGRIMAGE

Sunday, August 19th

{3 miles south & ½ mile west of Esterhazy on Grid 637}

11 am - 12 noon > Visitors arrive & sign guestbook
12 noon - 1 pm > Individual Stations of the Cross
1 - 2 pm > Rosary @ Shrine
1:30 - 2:45 pm > Private confessions in the church
2:45 - 3 pm > Procession from church to the Shrine
3 - 4 pm > Holy Mass & anointing of the sick
4 - 4:15 pm > Procession back to the church
4:15 pm > Supper

**** Bring your own lawn chairs ** ** Dress ethnic ** ** A concession booth will be on site ****
For more information contact: Dave Flaman @ 306-745-2177 or Rose Kacsmar @ 306-745-2715.

Are You Moving??

Please contact the church office with your new address

Annual Gigantic CWL Garage Sale

**Sept. 6, 7, 8 in the parish centre
Spring Cleaning?? Downsizing?? Moving??**

We will take your household items, clean clothing, furniture, yard items, toys, books, linens, etc.

{please - no fridges, stoves, freezers or shoes}

Bring your items to the 'east door', then take them down the stairs and to the left. For pick up or information call Frances @ 783-8932