

September 11, 2016

**Ordinary Time**  
Twenty-fourth Sunday



**Finding The Lost**

**Combined with the parables about the Lost Sheep and the Lost Coin, the parable of the Forgiving Father challenges us to recognize our own need for mercy and uplifts us with the Good News that we are loved and will be forgiven if we follow Jesus home.**

Today's Bulletin is sponsored by Patsy Zamykal  
in memory of Carrie & Frank Zamykal

Flowers for the Altar this weekend are donated in  
memory of Annie Mae & Alfred Dierschke Sr.

**MASS INTENTIONS**

Wednesday, September 14  
8:00 a.m. The Deceased of the Svetlik Family  
Thursday, September 15  
8:00 a.m. Angeline Keoughan Kozelsky  
Friday, September 16  
8:00 a.m. Mary Cinadr, Alice Cinadr, Mary Pesek  
Saturday, September 17  
6:30 p.m. Carrie & Frank Zamykal  
Sunday, September 18  
6:30 a.m. Rosalie & Jim Kubicek  
**10:00 a.m.** The Deceased of the Hertha & Herbert  
Dierschke Family

**PREPARING FOR SUNDAY LITURGY**

Next weekend is *The Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time*.  
Prepare for the liturgy by reflecting on these passages from  
your Bible.  
**First Reading: Amos 8:4-7**  
**Responsorial Psalm: 113**  
**Second Reading: 1Timothy 2:1-8**  
**Gospel: Luke 16:1-13**



Congratulations  
**Pauline & Albin Lamza**  
on your Golden Wedding Anniversary  
September 17, 2016

**The Sanctuary Light**  
will be lit this week  
in memory of Annie Mae Dierschke.

**SECOND COLLECTION TODAY – Be Generous**

**ORIENTATION**

**Homecoming:** Four times in the course of the Parables of the Lost Sheep, the Lost Coin and the Parable of the Forgiving Father, sinners are assured that there is cause for celebrating and rejoicing in the repentance of even one sinner's homecoming.

Those who cannot accept God's illogical love for the sinful and the lost will no doubt also refuse the invitation to rejoice over their restoration.

The parables' four invitations to rejoicing should be appreciated in light of the grouching of the Pharisees and scribes who complained about Jesus' choice of dinner companions.

For those who can readily sympathize with the scribes, Pharisees and elder brother's disgust at his brother's "easy ride" we could ask: "Where do you stand in your relationship to God and to human beings if you cannot find it in your heart to share the Father's joy?"

Perhaps this question is beneficial in that it prompts each of us to examine ourselves and our willingness to come to our senses, turn our backs on the distant land that separates us from God, and make our way home to the One who loves, forgives, and welcomes us without question or reserve.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

Sept. 11 – Nathan Beyer, Gerard Jalufka  
Sept. 12 – Randy Stevenson  
Sept. 13 – Eleanor Esparza, Jim Glueck, Mary Kubicek,  
Glenn Michal, Wade Zidek  
Sept. 14 – Victor Molnoskey, Caleb Nieto, John Wenske  
Sept. 15 – Kevin Fishbeck  
Sept. 16 – Colin Moeller  
Sept. 17 – Barbara Hermes

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!**

Sept. 15 – Betty & Calvin Klimitchek  
Sept. 17 – Margaret & Kenneth Rebecek

**YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS**

**Today** – C.C.D. Begins (Sunday School – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade)  
**Sept. 12** – Gold Star Club Begins (K- 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade)  
**Sept. 14** – Champions Club Begins (3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> Grades)  
– C.C.D. Begins (9<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> Grades)

**THE WEEK AHEAD**

**MONDAY** – Altar Society Meeting, 2 p.m., Family Room  
– Gold Star Club Meets, YMC  
**TUESDAY** – Women's A.C.T.S. Team Meets, Parish Hall  
**WEDNESDAY** – Christian Mothers Prayers After Mass  
– Champions Club Meets, YMC  
**THURSDAY** – KC Bingo, KC Hall  
**FRIDAY** – Parish Office closed on Fridays however **the the Parish Office will be open on Friday, September 16 to receive Picnic/Auction Donations.**

# CHURCH PICNIC BULLETIN BOARD

## Picnic - September 18

	<u>Calves</u>	<u>Quilts</u>	<u>Baby Quilts</u>	<u>Afghans</u>	<u>Total Auction Items</u>	<u>Bingo Donations</u>	<u>Meat Fund Donations</u>
<i>Last Year</i>	15	19	19	3	455	\$1,973	<i>157 families gave \$15,053</i>
<b><i>This Year So Far</i></b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>\$ 765</b>	<b><i>93 families have given \$ 9,110</i></b>

My Dear Friends,

**Our Parish Picnic is only a week away!** You know what the Picnic means to our Parish. Stand up and be counted. If you have not had the opportunity to help yet, this is your chance. Thanks to the many who have been generous in their giving. What a good example of faithful stewardship to God for his many blessings! I knew I could count on you. Thank you.

God bless,

### Auction Items\*

We thank the following for their donations:

Eustacia Kleihege – Baby Quilt  
 Gussie Machalec – 2 Czech Aprons  
 Floris Ann & David Simper – Calf  
 Doris & Allen Barta – Boston Fern  
 Angie Jalufka - \$75, 2 Gallons Rosettes  
 Marian & Deacon Milburn Kram – Calf  
 Gloria & Vic Jasek – Afghan, Fan Quilt  
 Lucille Gold – Wooden Standing Cross  
 Angie & Chad Rothbauer – Game Camera  
 Scott Wenske – Antique Tobacco Chopper  
 Barbara & Eugene Anderle – Game Carrier  
 Jeannette & Oscar Tousek – Child Carrier Seat  
 Lisa & Kenneth Zidek – Standing Metal Angel  
 Angeline Wagner – Basket: Chianti & Wine Glasses  
 Mary Ann & Charles Rother – Basket of Canned Goods  
 Janet & William Darilek – Black Heifer, 3 Square Bales  
 John & Cathy Wenske – 3 Multi-colored Banty Roosters  
 Caroline & James Freytag – Texas A&M Crockpot, My Pillow  
 Betty & Dennis Kloesel – Planter w/ 2 Live Plants, Metal Rooster  
 Mary Ann & Pat Wenske – Brangus Cross Heifer, Canned Goods Basket  
 Joyce & Daniel Kresta – 4 Window Boxes, Plant Stand, Wishing Well  
 Melvin's Menswear, Victoria – Tommy Bahama Shirt, \$125 Gift Certificate to Melvin's  
 Gloria & David Reindl – 2 Tickets to the Red River Showdown (Texas vs. Oklahoma Football – Oct. 8)  
 Marcel Kleihege – 32 pc. Screwdriver Set, 4 cu. ft. Wheelbarrow, 9 pc. Combination Wrench Set  
 Ray Bacak – 2 Qts. Pickled Okra, 2 Qts. Okra, Decorative Cross, Neck Scarf, Chardonnay/Bath Basket, \$20 Gift Certificate to San Jose

### Kolache Donations

We thank the following for their donations:

Janet & William Darilek - \$50  
 Rose & Marvin Rothbauer - \$100

**Raffle Tickets:** There are 119 tickets still out.

***Ticket holders who do not turn in their tickets by tomorrow, Monday, 6 p.m., will either be called or their tickets will be reissued to other buyers.***

### Silent Auction Items\*

We thank the following for their donations:

Lucy Schoenfeld - \$10 donation  
 Lisa & Kenny Zidek – Deer Picture  
 Patsy Zamykal – Soft Children's Book  
 Jeannette & Oscar Tousek – Chenille Throw  
 Caroline & James Freytag – 20 pc. Cutlery Set  
 Betty & Dennis Kloesel – Metal Birdhouse on Stake

*\* Do please indicate if your donation is for the live auction or the silent auction.*

*\*\* Silent Auction deadline for donations: Friday, Sept. 16*

### Miscellaneous Donations

We thank the following for their donations:

Moulton I.S.D. – Use of Bleachers  
 Lisa & Kenneth Zidek – All the Face Painting Supplies  
 Schulenburg Printing – All the Picnic Posters and Flyers

### Country Store

We thank the following for their donations:

Mary Ann & Pat Wenske	Vicki Gonzales
Caroline & James Freytag	Arlene Holmes
Barbara & Eugene Anderle	Angie Jalufka
Mary Ann & Charles Rother	Betty & Dennis Kloesel

***Baked and Canned Goods, plants, fresh grown items (vegetables, eggs, bedding plants, etc.), arts & crafts (toys, bonnets, aprons, etc.) needed.***

### Bingo Prize Donations

It's not too late to make a contribution.

### Picnic Work List

Pick up a Work List as you leave Church today.

**Cake Walk/Desserts/Kolaches:** Keep your ovens going!

### Set-up/Clean-up Workers Needed

Saturday 8:30 a.m. / Monday 8:30 a.m.

**Meat Fund Donations:** See Insert