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Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Thoughts on Today's Liturgy

Reading 1: Jeremiah 20:10-13 He has rescued the life of the poor from the power of the wicked.

Reading 2: Romans 5:12-15 The gift is not like the transgression.

Gospel: Matthew 10:26-33 Do not be afraid of those who kill the body.

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday	20	5:00 p.m.	ML	Christina Hagood	✠	Twelfth Sunday of Ordinary Time
Sunday	21	8:30 a.m.	KW	Parishioners		Twelfth Sunday of Ordinary Time
Sunday	21	10:30 a.m.	SH	Ken Rundle	✠	Twelfth Sunday of Ordinary Time
Tuesday	23	9:00 a.m.	ML	No Mass		Solemnity of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist
Wednesday	24	5:30 p.m.	ML	No Mass		Wednesday of the Twelfth Week of Ordinary Time
Thursday	25	8:30 a.m.	KW	No Mass		Thursday of the Twelfth Week of Ordinary Time
Friday	26	8:30 a.m.	SH	No Mass		Friday of the Twelfth Week of Ordinary Time
Saturday	27	5:00 p.m.	ML	Parishioners		Thirteenth Week of Ordinary Time
Sunday	28	8:30 a.m.	KW	Jon Webber	✠	Thirteenth Week of Ordinary Time
Sunday	28	10:30 a.m.	SH	Steve Eck	✠	Thirteenth Week of Ordinary Time

Sacrament of Reconciliation by appointment

Reflection: Deliverance from Dread God is not ignorant of anything that happens in creation, and if God loves us more truly than the best human father, and if God loves us so as to have numbered our very hairs, then we need not be afraid. Jesus said this not to indicate that God literally has a number placed on the very hairs of our head but rather to show that God has perfect knowledge of everything about us and providentially cares for everything about us. Therefore, if God both knows all things that happen to us and is able to save us and willing to do so, then whatever we may be suffering, we need not think that God has forsaken us in our suffering. For it is not God's will to keep us wholly separated from that which elicits dread but rather to persuade us not to make an idol out of whatever we dread. It is this, more than anything else, that constitutes deliverance from dread. "Therefore, don't be afraid. You are of more value than many sparrows." Don't you see that God views your fear with more concern than the lives of many sparrows? He already knows the secrets of your heart. Hence Jesus adds, "Do not fear." For even if that which you dread prevails, it prevails only over your body; this is the limited part of yourself, which nature will surely take in due time and bring to an end.

St. John Chrysostom, *Homily 34 on the Gospel of Matthew*

Word of Life

"Through our prayers and through the intercession of St. Joseph, patron of fathers, may fathers come to know the irreplaceable role they hold in the lives of their children, and the responsibility they share in welcoming God's gift of new life! USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "Pray for Life: June 2020" quoting Most Reverend Fabre, Bishop of Houma-Thibodaux

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PRAYER INTENTIONS

For the Sick and Shut-Ins:

John Eck, Herb Landwehr, Jaunita Ricke, John Harding, Mike Lynch, Ronald Ringer, Pete Eck, Chuck Hobson, Hugh Rankin, Corona Hoch, Charlie Jo Warner, Mary Eck, Helen Eck, Sandy Ricke, Ruth Blick, Gladys Christensen, Lawrence Rausch, Miles Sheldon

For the Faithful Departed:

Eulanda (Butch) Criser, Steve Eck, Ernest Young, Deven Leis, Art Junger, Ted Hauser, Jim Ricke, Laura Seiler, Anita Patterson, Sue Smith, Mary Traffas, Betty Ricke, Walter Sedlak and all the souls in Purgatory. May they rest in perfect peace.

For the Military:

Captain Rebecca Wright Lopez, Christopher Coggins, Nicholas Noland, Dylan Allison, Sheldon Hart, Bianca Lewis, Luke Fisher

Church News

On-Line Giving

I am pleased to announce that we have partnered with myEoffering to provide you with the convenience of making online contributions. Online giving allows you to make contributions to our church without writing checks or worrying about cash donations. It's a process much like online bill pay, where your contributions are

1. Visit our church website at www.barbercountycatholic.org and click the "myEoffering" button or go to www.members.myeoffering.com As always, we thank you for your generosity.

If you have any questions or need assistance, please contact Fr Mark.

Mass Schedule June 23-26

I will be on retreat next week and we will not have daily Masses in Barber County. I will leave after Mass on Sunday and be back late Friday. – Fr Mark

A Special Thanks

Thank you all for your patience and understanding. The re-opening of our churches has had some real challenges. Hopefully, the "new normal" will eventually look like the "old normal". – Fr Mark

Census Request

Barber County is falling behind in responding to the 2020 Census. Federal dollars come into our community over the next 10 years based on census response numbers. This means we will lose money for public services if residents do not respond. Click on the link to fill out their census questionnaire on-line.

<https://2020census.gov/>

Ministry Schedule June 27th – 28th

Week 4	St. Boniface	St. John the Apostle	Holy Rosary
Lector 1	Carol Ricke	Londa Fischer	Loretta Boor
Cantor	Choir	Choir	Rodney Ringer
Lector 2	Daryl Eck	Steve Roberts	Daryl Honas
General Intercessions	Jacob Eck	Steve Roberts	Diane Seiler
Eucharistic Ministers	Daryl Eck Margie Eck Anne Schreiner Todd Fischer Doug Schmidt	Deb Helfrich Carl Helfrich Tammy Graves	Daryl Honas Charlotte Ringer Cheri Dohrmann Marge Wright Leroy Seiler
Servers	Sidney Swingle Brenna Ricke Kendall Nelson	Allie Hoch	Derrek Randels Emma Randels
Musician	Ruth Schmidt or Kathy Dohm	Nikki Brattin	Ruth Schmidt or Kathy Dohm
Greeters		McMoran Family	Mark and Loretta Boor
Sacristan	Doug Schmidt	Deb Helfrich	Daryl Honas
Rosary	Volunteer		Charlotte Ringer

