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Introduction to the Liturgy of the Word

Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15 I will rain down bread from heaven for you.

Psalm 78 "The Lord gave them bread from heaven."

Ephesians 4:17, 20-24 Put on the new self that has been created in God's way.

John 6:24-35 Whoever comes to me will never hunger, and whoever believes in me will never thirst.

We hear Jesus today tell the crowds that he is the bread of life, that those who look to him will never hunger or thirst. Before that, we hear the Lord satisfy the hunger of the Chosen People when they were starving in the desert. In between, Saint Paul challenges us to change from our old self and "put on (our) new self" now that we have learned the truth in Jesus. Listening to today's readings, let us reflect on how God satisfies our hunger.

COVID this - COVID that: The challenges of the COVID mandates, recommendation, etc has had a noticeable impact on all of us. The questions of whether to vaccinate or not coupled with the issue of mask or not has created a growing division amongst some of the members of our parish family. This is, of course, brought about through misunderstanding and poor communication. Accordingly, I would like to ask everyone to prayerfully reflect on the Diocesan Guidelines and recognize that the Bishop and all clerical staff are trying to make all of this work while promoting the maintenance of good health and safety for all members of the parish. To vaccinate or not is a very personal decision and Fr. Pedro and I support that right without hesitation; however, to choose not to vaccinate carries with it the additional requirement to wear a mask when gathered inside. Those who are vaccinated, currently, have the choice to wear a mask or not. There is also a National and State discussion regarding Masking mandates for everyone when indoors. We continue to follow the Diocesan guidelines and ask everyone to do so. If fully vaccinated the choice to wear a mask or not rests solely with the individual. If you have not obtained the vaccination then you are expected to wear a mask when attending Mass. Please contact Deacon Bill if you have any questions.

• **Reconciliation: (Confession)** is available following Mass on Sunday and Wednesday - please contact Fr Pedro, before mass, to confirm availability. Also by appointment.

• **Baptism:** Please contact the Pastor, at least one month, prior to desired date.

• **Sacrament of Marriage:** Please contact the Pastor at least six months prior to desired date.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

◆ Mass Schedule:

08/01—Sun: Mass @ 11:00 a.m., 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

◆ 08/04—Wed: Mass @ 9:30 a.m. (Benediction @ 8:30 followed by the Rosary)

◆ 08/06—Fri: First Fri Mass @ 9:30 a.m.

◆ 08/08—Sun: Mass @ 11:00 a.m., 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

50th Wedding Anniversary: Please mark your calendar for Sunday, August 29th, for a celebration of Deacon Bill & Julie Wehmeyer's 50th wedding anniversary.

A BBQ/potluck is planned directly following Mass at the Twisp Park Gazebo. More info to follow; or, call Margaret (997-5140) or Dennis (360-807-3291) with questions.



Please Remember in your prayers:

- Duncan Bronson
- Annie Perra
- Yanessa Arebelo
- Jim Perra
- Gerri Thomson

Repose of the Soul of:



Mass Schedule

Sunday 11:00 am (Rosary 10:30 am)

Wednesday 9:30 am (Adoration 6:00 -8:45 am)

First Friday 9:30 am (anointing of the Sick)

Financial Report:

Weekly Budget: \$1255.00

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Please consider tithing electronically or by mail..

WELCOME: NO MATTER WHAT YOUR PRESENT OR PAST STATUS IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH. NO MATTER YOUR PERSONAL HISTORY, AGE, RACE OR BACKGROUND.

YOU ARE INVITED, WELCOMED, ACCEPTED AND LOVED AT ST. GENEVIEVE CATHOLIC PARISH.