



## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

- Sunday 8/16: People of the Parish  
+ Dcn. Daniel Dietsch  
+ Mons. Martin Thielen
- Monday 8/17: + Joseph Pang Xuan Vu
- Tuesday 8/18: + Donald Weyker
- Wed 8/19: + John Sims  
Priestly Fraternity of St. Joseph
- Thursday 8/20: Fr. Sam Conedera, SJ.
- Friday 8/21: + Nancy Hauck
- Saturday 8/22: + Holy Souls in Purgatory  
Erik Morris
- Sunday 8/23: People of the Parish  
Konrad, Jessica and Gabriella Von Walther  
Fr. John Boyle

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## FROM THE DESK OF FR ERIC ANDERSEN

This coming Friday marks the 141st Anniversary of the apparition at Knock Ireland which occurred on August 21st, 1879. Due to the poverty of the parish, Archdeacon Cavanagh received no Mass stipends from the faithful, which left him free to offer 100 consecutive Masses for the Holy Souls in Purgatory. He began on the morning of May 14th and completed the one hundredth Mass on the morning of August 21st. Later that evening, it was raining and a group of neighbors in the village of Knock were presented with an image, a tableaux, on the side of their parish church. The Blessed Virgin Mary wearing a crown, looking up to heaven and praying; St. Joseph looking toward an altar upon which was a lamb surrounded by angels flying around him; St. John, dressed in a bishop's miter and holding a book, looking at the people. No words were spoken but the tableaux was illuminated by a bright light for several hours. It gave hope of the people of Ireland. Pope Pius XII approved the apparition in 1954.

## MASS READINGS (Extraordinary Form)

**Sunday:** Judith 12:22-25; 15:10; Luke 1:41-50

**Monday:** Ecclus. 31:8-11; Luke 12:35-40

**Tuesday:** Eph. 4:1-6, 23-24; Luke 9:57-62

**Wednesday:** Ecclus. 31:8-11; Luke 12:35-40

**Thursday:** Ecclus. 39:6-14; Matt. 5:13-19

**Friday:** Prov. 31:10-31; Matt. 13:44-52

**Saturday:** Ecclus. 24:23-31; John 19:25-27

**Sunday:** 2 Cor. 3:4-9; Luke 10:23-37

## LESSONS AT MATINS (Extraordinary Form)

Readings/Homilies can be found online each day for the office of Matins at: <http://divinumofficium.com> also available as an app (Breviarium meum)

**Sunday:** Wisdom 1:1-11; Homily of St. Gregory on Mark 7:31-37

**Monday:** Wis. 3:1-11; 5:16-21; Eulogy of St. Hyacinth

**Tuesday:** Wis. 6:1-13

**Wednesday:** Wis. 7:1-14; Eulogy of St. John Eudes

**Thursday:** Wis. 9:13-19; 10:1-9; Eulogy of St. Bernard of Clairvaux

**Friday:** Wis. 13:1-10; Eulogy of St. Jane Frances de Chantal

**Saturday:** Prov. 8:12-25; 34-36; 9:1-5; Sermon of St. Bernardine of Siena; Homily of St. Robert Bellarmine on John 19:25-27

**Sunday:** Ecclesiasticus (Sirach) 1:1-16; Homily of St. Bede on Luke 10:23-37

## OFFERTORY COLLECTION *(this week and month to date)*

Envelopes/Cash: \$8,461.16 (for 2 weeks) +/- budget

Online: \$3,320.00

Total MTD: \$11,781.16 Budget: \$9,600 + \$2,181.16

Maintenance/Restoration: \$450.00 MTD: \$450.00

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