

August 27-September 2, 2017
Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reflections for the Week

*The happiest people don't necessarily have
the best of everything.
They just make the best of everything.*

Today's Readings [Click Here](#)

First Reading — Eliakim is destined by God to be a father to those who live in Jerusalem (Isaiah 22:19-23).

Psalm — Lord, your love is eternal; do not forsake the work of your hands (Psalm 138).

Second Reading — How deep are the riches and the wisdom and the knowledge of God! (Romans 11:33-36).

Gospel — Jesus asked the disciples, "Who do you say that I am?" (Matthew 16:13-20).

Readings for this Week

Monday: 1 Thes 1:1-5, 8b-10; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b;
Mt 23:13-22
Tuesday: 1 Thes 2:1-8; Ps 139:1-6; Mk 6:17-29
Wednesday: 1 Thes 2:9-13; Ps 139:7-12ab;
Mt 23:27-32
Thursday: 1 Thes 3:7-13; Ps 90:3-5a, 12-14, 17;
Mt 24:42-51
Friday: 1 Thes 4:1-8; Ps 97:1, 2b, 5-6, 10-12;
Mt 25:1-13
Saturday: 1 Thes 4:9-11; Ps 98:1, 7-9;
Mt 25:14-30

ONLY ONE

*God loves each of us
as if there were only one of us.*
—St. Augustine

Please pray for our parishioners & extended family

Full Recovery for Elizabeth Wilson
Bob Donjacour, Special prayers
Rest in Peace: Judy Laxen

Msgr. Labib Kabti, Fr. Bill Brady,
Msgr Mickey McCormick (former Pastors at SJOG)
Pat Hoffman, Joe Humphreys, , Maureen Francis,
Ethel Friedrichs , Mary Dunn, Mike Marty,
Martha Ayoub, Patrick Lee, Josephine Small and her
daughters Sheila and Mary;
Teresa Hyatt, Dalia & Estela Becerra.
Blessings to all our members who reside in
assisted living & care facilities.

Mass Intentions
August 25-Sept.1, 2017 (Fri thru Thur)

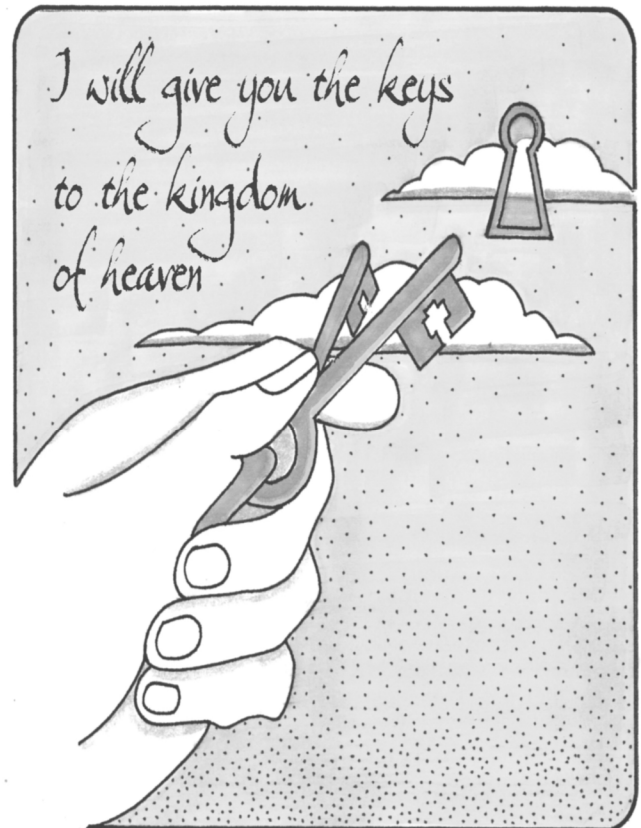
Fri. Oreen Gheewalla (RIP+)	12:10pm
Sat. Harrington Family (Safe Travels)	4:15pm
Sun. Judy Laxen (RIP +)	9:30am
Sun. Evelyn Rull (RIP+)	11:30am
Mon. Vince Walsh (5yr RIP+)	12:10pm
Tues. Kathleen Rowley (Blessing)	12:10pm
Weds. Maura Moylan (Healing)	12:10pm
Thurs. Antonio Cruz (RIP +)	12:10pm

Give the gift of a Mass Intention.

Birthday, RIP, Blessings, Marriage, Get Well
(contact the office)

Saints and Special Observances

Sunday: Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: St. Augustine
Tuesday: The Passion of St. John the Baptist
Friday: World Day of Prayer for
the Care of Creation;
First Friday
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary;
First Saturday



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Please sign up to HELP with coffee!
Jan and Judy have been setting up and serving coffee, tea and pastries for many years. Everyone enjoys this time together. With Judy's passing Jan needs your help. Jan will also be leaving for a family visit back east.

You can sign up for one month at a time or one Sunday at a time. You will need to arrive at 8:15 am to prepare bagels and coffee.

It takes a village to replace Judy's contribution. Please volunteer and sign up after the 9:30 am Mass. Marleen Olivencia is coordinating this effort. moliven@hotmail.com

**SAVE THESE DATES!
ADULT FAITH FORMATION
SERIES ON THE OCCASION OF
THE 500TH ANNIVERSARY
OF THE PROTESTANT
REFORMATION (1517-2017)**

Three Thursday Evenings

September 14

November 9

December 7

7:00 pm – 8:30 pm

Collins Hall

Paul Riofski

sjogmusic@aol.com

The Saint John of God Prayer
*Dear God, through the intercession
of St. John of God,
patron of the poor and the sick,
grant me the grace this day
to greet every person that I meet
with understanding and compassion.
Reveal to me their needs and
give me the means to
inspire in my heart the humility
and generosity of St. John
so that I might be to them
revelation of Christ's love. Amen*
~ Rev. Thomas L. Seagrave

Religious Education

The religious education program at SJOG is a small program of families with children Pre-K to 6th grade. Students meet weekly in small group sessions during the Sunday 9:30am mass. We are beginning the recruitment of families who are interested in having their children join us. If your family is interested or you know of families who may be interested, please contact me through the contact information below. Last year, we grew to having a wider span of age groups which would have benefitted in having another teacher / volunteer to help lead activities and discussions.

If YOU are interested in working with children with curious minds (and developing their own identity in their faith), please think about helping us lead a small group.

Volunteers to help lead the Pre-K group (teens or otherwise!) are also welcome.

We hope to begin the program after Labor Day on Sunday September 10, 2017.

Thank you for your consideration,

Beverlie Leano-Torres

(mom to Ariana (9) and Aden (6))

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Contact Kay in the office with your questions and interest (415) 566-5610

Community & Collections

Hospital Ministry Second Collection
September 2nd and 3rd All Masses

Priest Retirement Fund 2nd Collection Sept. 16-17

Green Mass to honor Mother Earth Sept 30-Oct 1

ONE MASS October 15 10:30am
St. John of God Anniversary

*Planning is underway for our
Fiftieth Anniversary liturgies and
celebrations the weekend of
October 14-15, 2017 (following the Feast of
Saint Pope John XXIII on October 11).
If you would like to be involved
in the planning process,
please contact Paul Riofski
(415-517-4647, sjogmusic@aol.com)*

Sanctuary Weekend (October 28-29)