

SEPTEMBER 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost	2	3	4	5	6 First Friday	7 First Saturday
8 Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost	9	10	11	12	13 Abortion vigil noon	14 Young Roses Men's Schola
15 Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost	16	17	18 Ember Wednesday	19	20 Ember Friday	21 Ember Day Altar guild Men's Schola
22 Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost	23	24	25	26	27	28
29 Dedication of St. Michael the Archangel	30	1	2	3	4 First Friday	5 First Saturday

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Please pray for:

The Repose of the Soul of:

+ Rick Peters

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Master Sgt. Chris Biery, U.S. Air Force
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Spec. 2 Victor Follis, U.S. Space Force
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IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter ~ Tridentine Mass



SEPTEMBER 1, 2024

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY
AFTER
PENTECOST



Sunday Schedule:

Low Mass: 7 a.m.
9 a.m.

Sung Mass: 11 a.m.

Confessions:

One-half hour before Mass
Saturdays 4 p.m.

Daily Mass Schedule:

Monday, Tuesday,
Wednesday: 8 a.m.

Thursday: 6 p.m.

Friday, Saturday: 8 a.m.

Holy Hour:

Thursday: 7 p.m.

*"O Mary, through thine
Immaculate Conception
make my body pure and my soul holy."*

PASTOR:
FR. JAMES GORDON, F.S.S.P.

ASSISTANT PASTOR:
FR. DENNIS GORDON, F.S.S.P.

OPINIONS *which* THREATEN to undermine CATHOLIC DOCTRINE

From: *Some False Opinions which Threaten to Undermine Catholic Doctrine* (Humani Generis), Encyclical Letter of Pius XII

Disagreement and error among men on moral and religious matters have always been a cause of profound sorrow to all good men, but above all to the true and loyal sons of the Church, especially today, when we see the principles of Christian culture being attacked on all sides...

It is for this reason that divine revelation must be considered morally necessary so that those religious and moral truths which are not of their nature beyond the reach of reason in the present condition of the human race, may be known by all men readily with a firm certainty and with freedom from all error.

Furthermore the human intelligence sometimes experiences difficulties in forming a judgment about the credibility of the Catholic faith, notwithstanding the many wonderful external signs God has given, which are sufficient to prove with certitude by the natural light of reason alone the divine origin of the Christian religion. For man can, whether from prejudice or passion or bad faith, refuse and resist not only the evidence of the external proofs that are available but also the impulses of actual grace.

If anyone examines the state of affairs outside the Christian fold, he will easily discover the principal trends that not a few learned men are following. Some imprudently and indiscreetly hold that evolution,

which has not been fully proved even in the domain of natural sciences, explains the origin of all things, and audaciously support the monistic and pantheistic opinion that the world is in continual evolution. Communists gladly subscribe to this opinion so that, when the souls of men have been deprived of every idea of a personal God, they may the more efficaciously defend and propagate their dialectical materialism.

Such fictitious tenets of evolution which repudiate all that is absolute, firm and immutable, have paved the way for the new erroneous philosophy which rivaling idealism, immanentism, and pragmatism, has assumed the name of existentialism, since it concerns itself only with existence of individual things and neglects all considerations of their immutable essences.

There is also a certain historicism which attributing value only to the events of man's life, overthrows the foundation of all truth and absolute law both on the level of philosophical speculations and especially to Christian dogmas.

In all this confusion of opinion it is some consolation to Us to see former adherents of rationalism today frequently desiring to return to the fountain of divinely communicated truth, and to acknowledge and profess the word of God as contained in Sacred Scriptures as

Upcoming Parish Events

September 6 ~ *First Friday Home Schooler Event*

Potluck breakfast and catechesis for home-schooled children of the parish. For more information, or to volunteer, contact Gracey Wike, cosfssp.homeschoolgroup@gmail.com.

September 7 ~ *First Saturday Devotions*

After Mass, Father will give a 15-minute meditation on one of the Mysteries of the Rosary, followed by the Rosary in reparation for offenses against the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

the foundation of religious teaching. But at the same time it is a matter of regret that not a few of these, the more firmly they accept the word of God, so much the more do they diminish the value of human reason, and the more they exalt the authority of God the Revealer, the more severely do they spurn the teaching office of the Church, which has been instituted by Christ, Our Lord, to preserve and interpret divine revelation. This attitude is not only plainly at variance with Holy Scripture, but is shown to be false by experience also. For often those who disagree with the true Church complain openly of their disagreement in matters of dogma and thus unwillingly bear witness to the necessity of a living Teaching Authority.

Now Catholic theologians and philosophers, whose grave duty it is to defend natural and supernatural truth and instill it in the hearts of men, cannot afford to ignore or neglect these more or less erroneous opinions. Rather they must come to understand these same theories will, both because diseases

are not properly treated unless they are rightly diagnosed, and because sometimes even in these false theories a certain amount of truth is contained, and, finally because these theories provoke more subtle discussion and evaluation of philosophical and theological truths.

If philosophers and theologians strive only to derive such profit from the careful examination of these doctrines, there would be no reason for any intervention by the Teaching Authority of the Church. However, although we know that Catholic teachers generally avoid these errors, it is apparent however, that some today as in apostolic times, desirous of novelty, and fearing to be considered ignorant of recent scientific findings try to withdraw themselves from the sacred Teaching Authority and are accordingly in danger of gradually departing from revealed truth and of drawing others along with them into error.

Another danger is perceived which is all the more serious because it is more concealed beneath the mask of virtue. There are many

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Monday, September 2 ~ *St. Stephen of Hungary*
8 a.m. — Private Intention

Tuesday, September 3 ~ *St. Pius X*
8 a.m. — Mary Sue O'Neill, by O'Neill Family

Wednesday, September 4 ~ *Feria*
8 a.m. — + Fr. Thomas Vandenberg,
by Nichole Snyder

Thursday, September 5 ~ *St. Lawrence Justinian*
6 p.m. — Private Intention

Friday, September 6 ~ *Sacred Heart of Jesus*
8 a.m. — Private Intention
6 p.m. — + James P. Gordon, Jr.

Saturday, September 7 ~ *Saturday of Our Lady*
8 a.m. — Private Intention
11:30 a.m. — Reparation to Immaculate Heart
of Mary

Sunday, September 8 ~ *Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost*
7 a.m. — Private Intention
9 a.m. — Private Intention
11 a.m. — *Pro Populo*

*Fr. Dennis Gordon may accept Mass intentions. Checks for Mass intentions must be made payable to the priest, not to the parish.
Limit one Mass intention per family per month.*

who, deploring disagreement among men and intellectual confusion, through an imprudent zeal for souls, are urged by a great and ardent desire to do away with the barrier that divides good and honest men; these advocate an "eirenism" [an attempt to unify Christian beliefs under a false peace] according to which, by setting aside the questions which divide men, they aim not only at joining forces to repel the attacks of atheism, but also at reconciling things opposed to one another in the field of dogma. And as in for-

mer times some questioned whether the traditional apologetics of the Church did not constitute an obstacle rather than a help to the winning of souls for Christ, so today some are presumptive enough to question seriously whether theology and theological methods, such as with the approval of ecclesiastical authority are found in our schools, should not only be perfected, but also completely reformed, in order to promote the more efficacious propagation of the kingdom of Christ... throughout the world. + + +