

**Mass Intentions for the Week of September 9, 2007**

<b>Saturday, Sept. 8</b>	<b>Vigil: 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time</b>
5:30 PM	+Tracy Collins by Blasé Gutts
<b>Sunday, Sept. 9</b>	<b>23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time</b>
8:00 AM	People of St. Rita
10:00 AM	+Tom Regan
12:00 PM	by Vern & Estelle Wehner Joe & Fran Simek
<b>Monday, Sept. 10</b>	<b>Weekday</b>
8:00 AM	+Joan Lachadelle by Don & Lil Wagner
<b>Tuesday, Sept. 11</b>	<b>Weekday</b>
8:00 AM	Holy Communion Service
<b>Wednesday, Sept. 12</b>	<b>Holy Name of Mary</b>
5:15 PM	+Joan Kelly by Don & Judi Rutland
<b>Thursday, Sept. 13</b>	<b>St. John Chrysostom</b>
8:00 AM	+Christopher Wagner by Jesse Horvath
<b>Friday, Sept. 14</b>	<b>Exaltation of the Holy Cross</b>
8:00 AM	Ted Skally by Andrew Still
<b>Saturday, Sept. 15</b>	<b>Vigil: 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday In Ordinary Time</b>
5:30 PM	Fran & Ed Dougherty by Dave & Terry Casey

**God's Word This Week**

**Monday:** Col 1:24 — 2:3; Lk 6:6-11  
**Tuesday:** Col 2:6-15; Lk 6:12-19  
**Wednesday:** Col 3:1-11; Lk 6:20-26  
**Thursday:** Col 3:12-17; Lk 6:27-38  
**Friday:** Nm 21:46-9; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17  
**Saturday:** 1 Tm 1:15-17; Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35  
**Sunday:** Ex 32:7-11, 13-14; Ps 51; 1 Tm 1:12-17; Lk 15:1-32 [1-10]

**INVITED**

The Good News is that we have all been invited—invited to the Kingdom, invited to be disciples. It's a life-changing invitation, and like so many other such invitations, it requires a great deal of deliberation and discernment. Whether we choose marriage, ordination, single life, or community life, we know the serious planning and consideration that accompany these profound decisions. Like the tower-builder in the Gospel, we have weighed both the monetary and emotional cost. We have pondered and planned our lives in the direction to which we believe God has called us. And while we pray for guidance and acceptance of God's will, we often fail to understand so much. Like Solomon, we turn to God for wisdom and counsel in our life-changing decisions.

In your prayers, please remember those whose names are in our prayer intention book in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. Pray for those who are sick and recovering, especially Marie Johnston, John LeBleu, Thomas Delahoussaye, Rosalie Sumrall, Darolee Waddell, Ellen O'Connell, Jerry Holzhall, Brennan Johnston, Isabelle O'Brian, Donna Boe, Curt Clauson, Rich Renner, Fran Dougherty, Nibby Rutland, Rita Moran, Donna Prijatelj, Robert Payne Pankratz, Craig Barnard, Ted Skally, Sam Stokes, Kathy Pinyan, Fritz Lammers, Betty Miller, Jim Murray, Jackie Enderle, & Lynn Waddell. If there is someone who needs special prayers at Mass, please call the office so we can include them.

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY**

If you need assistance or know of anyone in need, call St. Vincent de Paul at 888-229-6582. The Society is open to everyone. Meetings are on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month.

Caring & Sharing needs beef stew, spaghetti sauce, peanut butter and jelly, bottled juice and large size diapers. Donations may be dropped off in the box in the Mary Star of the Sea Room.

Home Visits will resume in October. These visits are an opportunity for Fr. Tom to get to know parishioners on a one to one level. The visits are intended to be relaxed and informal. Watch the bulletin for your name to appear.

**WEEKLY DONATIONS**

	<i>St. Rita</i>	<i>Christ the King</i>
<i>Offertory</i>	\$ 10,221.81	\$ 596.00
<i>2<sup>nd</sup> Collection</i>	\$ 4,797.00	\$ 50.00
<i>Burse Club</i>	\$ 592.00	\$ 31.00

**Altar Linen Schedule**

September 9<sup>th</sup> Lorraine Maiorello  
 September 16<sup>th</sup> Theresa Leo

# This Week at Saint Rita and Christ the King Mission

## Sunday, Sept. 9

- 8:00 am Mass  
 8:45 am Religious Ed. Classes Grades K-4<sup>th</sup>  
 10:00 am Mass with Children's Liturgy  
 12:00 pm Mass @ CTK  
 CTK Altar Guild Meeting

## Monday, Sept. 10

- 7:40 am Morning Prayer (Church)  
 8:00 am Daily Mass  
 8:30 am Rosary (Church)  
 8:30 am Eucharistic Adoration Comm. Mtg.  
 (Cry Room)  
 3:00 pm Brownie Troop #303 (Portable)  
 6:00 pm Boy Scouts (MSS) Grades 5-11 Contact:  
 Mike Forman, 622-4791  
 7:00 pm Prayer Group

## Tuesday, Sept. 11

- 7:40 am Morning Prayer (Church)  
 8:00 am Holy Communion Service  
 8:30 am Rosary (Church)  
 9:30 am Diocesan Central DRE/Leaders Mtg.  
 (Portable)

## Wednesday, Sept. 12

- 9:00 am Sewing Group (MSS)  
 3:30 p, Daisy Troop (Portable) Contact: Jackie  
 Kelly, 865-8007  
 5:15 pm Daily Mass  
 5:45 pm Potluck Dinner (MSS)  
 6:00 pm Hispanic Ministry (Church)  
 6:30 pm Spirit Nite (MSS)  
 6:30 pm R. E. Classes Grades 5-12 (Portables)

## Thursday, Sept. 13

- 7:40 am Morning Prayer (Church)  
 8:00 am Daily Mass  
 8:30 am Rosary  
 9:00 am St. Elizabeth Seton Study Group  
 (Cry Room) All are welcome!!  
 3:00 pm Cub Scouts (Portable)  
 4:00 pm Finance Comm. Mtg. (Admin.)  
 6:30 pm IMF Class (MSS)

## Friday, Sept. 14

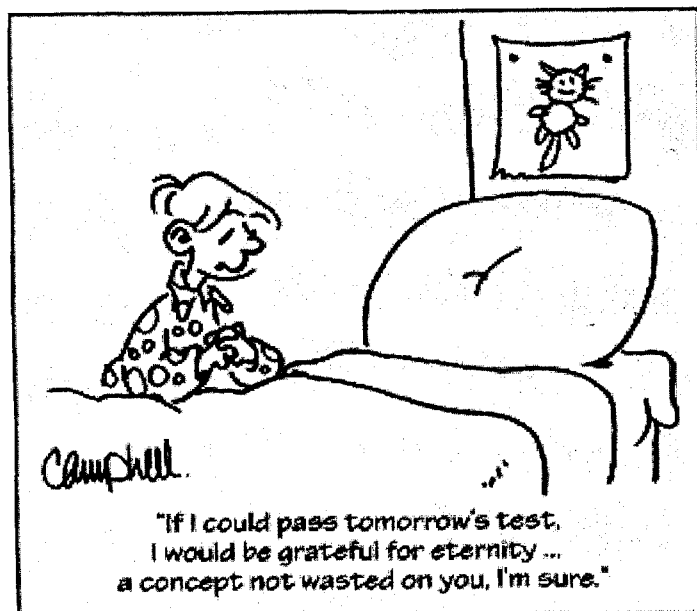
- 7:40 am Morning Prayer (Church)  
 8:00 am Daily Mass  
 8:30 am Holy Hour

## Saturday, Sept. 15

- 9:00 am Centering Prayer (MSS)  
 4:30 pm Confessions  
 5:30 pm Vigil Mass

## Sunday, Sept. 16

- 8:00 am Mass  
 8:45 pm R.E. Classes (K-4<sup>th</sup> grades)  
 9:00 am Pro Life General Meeting (MSS)  
 10:00 am Mass with Children's Liturgy  
 and Catechetical Sunday  
 12:00 pm Mass at CTK



## Spirit Nite

Join us on Wednesdays for  
 "Spirit Nite"

Title: "How We Know the Bible is the  
 Word of God"

5:15pm Mass

5:45 pm Potluck Dinner

6:30 pm Adult Faith Formation

Children's Program available.

CCW MEETING

1<sup>ST</sup> MEETING OF THE

CCW

SEPTEMBER 20<sup>TH</sup>

6:00 PM

SUNSET CHARLIE'S

COST IS \$20 AND INCLUDES DINNER.  
ALL LADIES OF THE PARISH ARE  
CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND. CALL  
THE OFFICE TO RSVP.

*Middle School Lock-In  
date has been changed  
to Friday, October 5<sup>th</sup>.*

*Christ Our Redeemer  
Annual Fall Craft Fair  
October 20<sup>th</sup>*

*7:00 am – 1:00 pm  
Sponsored by K of C Council 13527  
Booths available – 8' space \$25  
4' space \$15. For information, please call  
Adam Dieterich at 897-3795 or Lrry Falk  
by email [macwildcat@aol.com](mailto:macwildcat@aol.com).*

Ecumenical Choir of South  
Walton

Presents

***"Building to Expand Our  
Giving"***

Benefit Concert for Caring & Sharing  
Friday, September 7<sup>th</sup> - 7:30 PM  
Saturday, September 8<sup>th</sup> - 7:30 PM  
Christ the King Episcopal Church  
480 N. Hwy 393  
(located 1/2 mile north of Hwy 98)  
267-3332

A free will offering will be taken during the  
concert and you are encouraged to bring  
canned goods for the Caring & Sharing  
pantry.

Ladies Retreat

October 19-21

Visitation Monastery – Mobile

Fr. Joseph Horvath will conduct the silent retreat.  
Suggested offering is \$120 (includes food and  
private room). Contact Karen Gallacher at 850/587-  
3819 for additional information.

*Christian Music Concert*

*"Josh Blakesley Live"*

*Saturday, Sept. 22 at 7:00 PM*

*Okaloosa Walton College*

*Niceville,*

*\$20 Advance Sales*

*For more information email*

*[music@cor.ptdiocese.org](mailto:music@cor.ptdiocese.org).*

**NO SURPRISES**

*We are told by all spiritual writers that one important  
point to bear in mind, as we seek to attain humility, is not to be  
surprised by our own faults and failures.*

—François Fénelon, archbishop of Cambrai



No book in the Bible fascinates us more than the book of Revelations. Scholars have produced countless interpretations of this volume, from the ridiculous to the sublime. Come join us for a Catholic perspective *Adventures in Revelations* created by Jeff Cavins (author of our last year's Bible Study) and Thomas Smith who recognized the need for a sound and sane study of this book.

Revelations is filled with images, numbers, colors, and creatures unfamiliar to a 21<sup>st</sup> century reader. Though the images may seem fantastical, once the rich symbolism is understood, you will find it very relevant to your daily spiritual life.

The study uses the Revised Standard Version – Catholic Edition (RSV-CE) of the Bible.

The Bible Study will be ten weeks long beginning on September 25<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM in the Mary Star of the Sea Room. Cost is \$30 which covers the cost of materials.

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*Adventures in Revelation  
Registration Form*

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Office Use Only:**

**Check:**      **Cash**      **Check #**