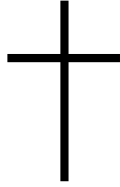


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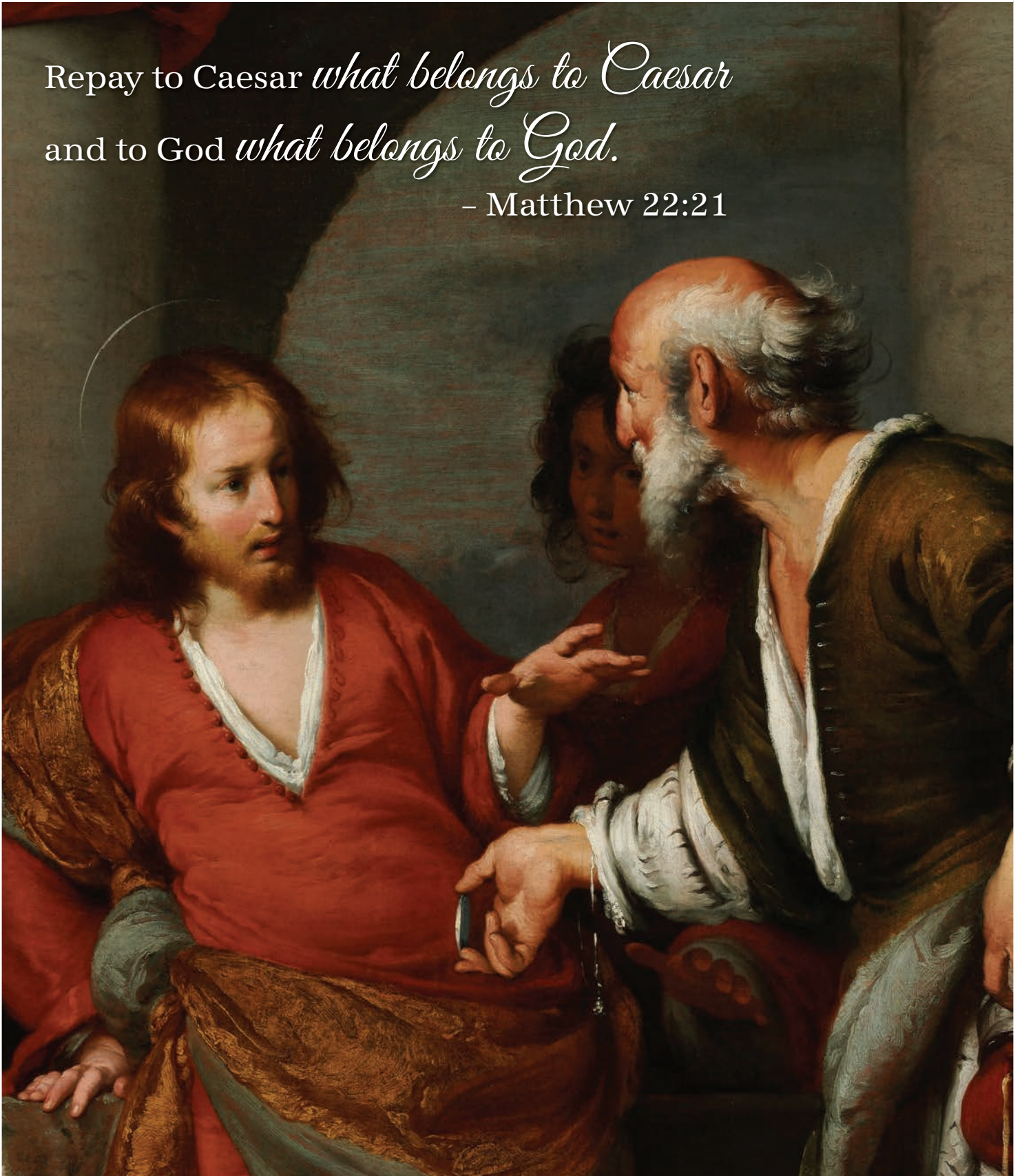


TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME

OUR LADY OF FATIMA
ST. LAWRENCE

Repay to Caesar *what belongs to Caesar*
and to God *what belongs to God.*

– Matthew 22:21



Mass Schedule & Intentions:

18 Sunday

OLF Sat, 4:30p + Doyle Nelson
+ Charlene Cascio Bryant
+ Wayne Bryant
+ Betty Schmittzehe
+ Josie Fernandez
JGS Sat, 4:30p + Russell Petersen
+ Mary Yager
+ Leo Nelson
+ Rick Granen
+ Audury Hawsey

OLF 8:00a For OLF Parishioners
JGS 9:00a + Andy Trahan
SL 9:30a + Pat Oglesbee
+ Sam Corroero
JGS 11:00a Deborah & Earl Bowie (S.I.)
JGS 5:00p For JGS Parishioners
CCM 7:30p + Jo Kaufman

19 Monday

JGS 5:30p + Stephen Bourgeois

20 Tuesday

OLF 9:00a + Joseph Viet
+ Vincent Tinh
JGS 5:30p + Marie Easterling
+ Bonnie Bensberg
+ Alpha Spence

21 Wednesday

CCM 5:30p + June Ducote

22 Thursday

OLF 8:30a + Joseph Viet
+ Vincent Tinh
JGS 5:30p Judy Le (S.I.)

23 Friday

JGS 8:15a + Tommy Canizaro, Jr.
OLF 6:00p + Joseph Tiem
+ Vincent Trung

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Sanctuary Candle: October 18 - October 24

JGS In Honor of Sarah Acklin
From her Parents

OLF Special Intention of Margaret Horne

JGS | OLF | SL | CCM

*If you would like to have the sanctuary candle burn in memory
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Thank you for worshipping with us today!
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An Invitation to Serve Our Parish

*We're
hiring!*

Dear Friends:

As our parish continues to grow, there are many people who quietly and faithfully help keep the day-to-day life of our parish running smoothly. I am grateful for the many ways our parishioners share their time and talents in service to our Church.

We are currently looking for someone to join our parish staff as a Parish Administrative Assistant. This is an important role in the life of our parish, and we are seeking someone who is organized, dependable, attentive to detail, and, most importantly, has a heart for serving others and supporting the mission of our parish.

Responsibilities include:

- Maintaining sacramental registers and parish records
- Preparing sacramental certificates and correspondence
- Assisting with Mass intentions and stipends
- Proofreading and helping prepare the weekly bulletin
- Maintaining files and administrative records
- Assisting the pastor and parish staff with correspondence and special projects
- Providing a welcoming and professional presence in the parish office

The ideal candidate will have:

- Excellent organizational, written communication, proofreading, and interpersonal skills
- Proficiency in Microsoft Word and working knowledge of Microsoft Office
- Strong attention to detail and the ability to handle confidential information with discretion
- Willingness to learn parish recordkeeping and database systems
- A good understanding of the Catholic Church, its sacramental life, and parish ministry is strongly preferred

If you are organized, dependable, detail-oriented, and passionate about serving the Catholic community, we would love to hear from you!

To apply or learn more:

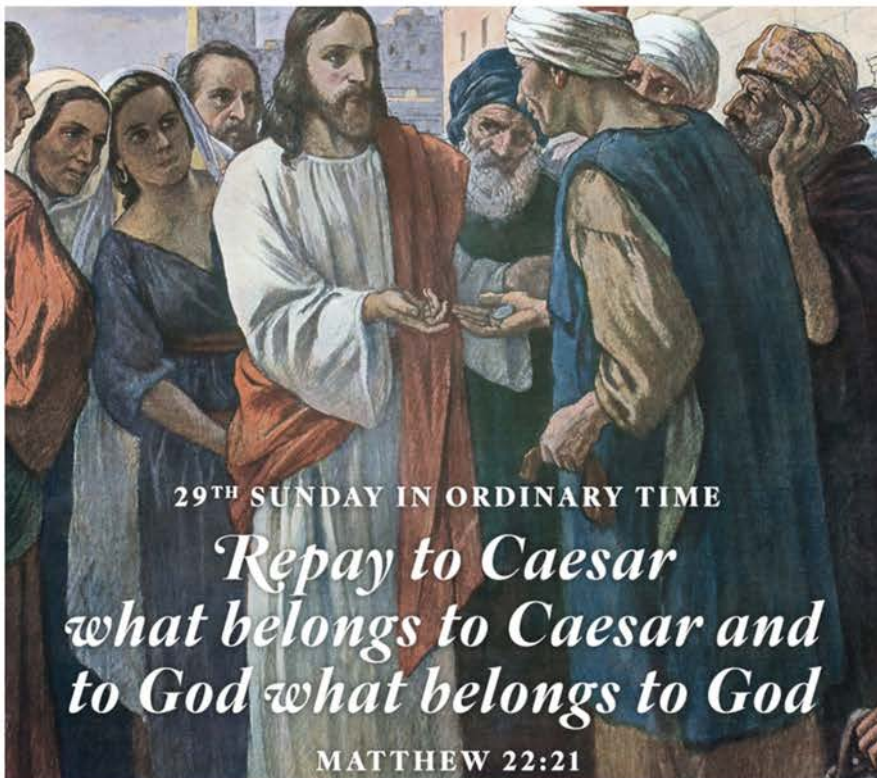
Please contact the Jesus the Good Shepherd Parish Office at 318-325-7549.

Please keep this search in your prayers, and if you know someone who may be a good fit for this position, I encourage you to share this opportunity with them.

Fr. Peter

**We're
Hiring**





29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God

MATTHEW 22:21

FROM THE CATECHISM

CCC 302 — “Creation has its own goodness and proper perfection, but it did not spring forth complete from the hands of the Creator. The universe was created ‘in a state of journeying’ toward an ultimate perfection yet to be attained, to which God has destined it.”

CCC 2096 — “Adoration is the first act of the virtue of religion. To adore God is to acknowledge him as God, as the Creator and Savior, the Lord and Master of everything that exists, as infinite and merciful Love.”

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME WORD SEARCH

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DEVOTIONS & SCRIPTURE STUDY

Tuesdays

Men's Bible Study — Deacon Tom
JGS 6:30a Moore Hall

Bible Study & Dinner
OLF 6:00p Parish Hall

Thursdays

Divine Mercy Chaplet
JGS 4:45p Church

Rosary
JGS 5:00p Church

Bible Study — Deacon Chris
JGS 7:00p Zoom

Bible Study — George Walker
JGS 6:00p Moore Hall
Sep 10 - Oct 29

Fridays

Divine Mercy Chaplet
JGS 3:30p Tabernacle Area



ADORATION

EXPOSITION

Tuesday

JGS 6:00am - 9:00pm

Thursday

OLF 9:45am - 12:00pm

1st Thursday

SL 5:00pm - 5:50pm

1st Friday

OLF 6:30pm - 7:00pm



Church Open for Personal Prayer

Monday-Friday

JGS 8:30am-3:30pm

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SACRAMENTS

Baptism: Congratulations to our parents on the upcoming birth of your child. Call the Church Office at least three months before your baby's birth. We look forward to helping you and your godparents prepare for the Sacrament of Baptism. Baptism seminar is required.

First Sacraments & Confirmation: We joyfully support families as children prepare to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation, First Eucharist, and Confirmation. Preparation includes both catechesis and opportunities for spiritual growth, helping children encounter Christ more deeply through each sacrament.

Matrimony: We congratulate all of our newly engaged couples. Contact our office soon (at least six months prior to your desired wedding date). We look forward to helping you as you prepare to enter the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony.

Vocations: If you feel that you may be called to the priesthood or sisterhood, please call our office to schedule an appointment with Father Peter.

Anointing of the Sick & Ministry to the Sick:

If you or your loved one is in a hospital, about to undergo surgery, or in a nursing home or homebound and would like to be visited or receive the sacraments, please call or email the church office to schedule.

Funerals: When death is imminent, or upon the death of a loved one, please make the church one of your first calls. We are here to support you.

CONFESSION SCHEDULE

Tuesday JGS	4:00pm - 5:00pm
Wednesday CCM	5:00pm - 5:30pm
1st Thursday SL	5:00pm - 5:50pm
Friday OLF	5:00pm - 5:50pm
Saturday JGS OLF	3:00pm - 4:00pm 3:00pm - 4:00pm

Or by appointment. Call the church office to schedule.

FOR ALL PARISHIONERS OF OLF, SL, CCM, & JGS

Baptism Seminar

- October 15th – 6:30 - 7:30pm
- December 10th – 6:30 - 7:30pm

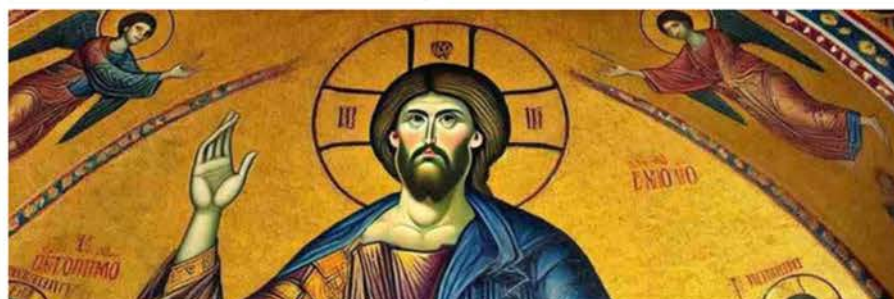
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Engaged Couples Weekend

February 2027

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NEWS & EVENTS

JESUS THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Deacon Tom's Men's Bible Study

Tuesdays, Parlor Room – 6:30am

Saint Vincent de Paul Society Meeting

2nd & 4th Mondays – 12:00pm

Order of Christian Initiation (OCIA)

Tuesdays, Parish Hall – 6:30pm

Youth Faith Formation | CCD

Sundays – 6:00pm

Bingo

3rd Thursday, Moore Hall – 11am - 1:00pm

Seasons of Hope

Thursdays, Parish Hall – 6:30pm - 8:00pm

FLOCKNOTE



CHRIST THE KING, ULM

Mass & Confession

Mass Wednesdays – 5:30pm

Confession Wednesdays – 5pm - 5:30pm

Dollar Lunch

Thursdays – 11am - 1:00pm

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OUR LADY OF FATIMA

Altar Society

3rd Mondays – 5:30pm

Bible Study & Dinner

Tuesdays – 6pm (Hall)

Catholic Daughters of America

1st Mondays – 5:30pm (Hall)

Rosary

1st and 3rd Wednesdays – 1pm (Church)

1st Saturdays – 9:40am (Church)

1st Saturday of the Month Mass

1st Saturday – 10am

FLOCKNOTE



ST. LAWRENCE

Adoration & Mass

1st Thursday – 5pm - 5:50pm

Knights of Columbus

2nd Tuesdays – 6pm (Hall)

Singles Group Lunch

Sundays – 12pm

MYPARISH APP



All Souls Day

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND 2026

Join us Monday, November 2, 2026, at 5:00 p.m. as we remember our loved ones who have passed since November 2025. During Mass, each name will be read, and a family member will be invited to carry a complimentary lit candle in their memory.

To enter your loved one's name in the ceremony please call the JGS church office at 318-325-7549.

Be sure to provide their full name, date of death, and the name of the person who will carry the candle.



ADULT FAITH FORMATION AT JGS

GROW DEEPER IN YOUR UNDERSTANDING OF THE CATHOLIC FAITH

Tuesday, Oct 20 6:30 pm

Who Shepherds the Church? Catholic Hierarchy and the Church as Community | Deacon Chris Domingue, Delle Tyler, and Norma Sherman

Tuesday, Oct 27 6:30 pm

A Great Cloud of Witnesses: The Communion of Saints and Mary (Sacred Relics and Choosing a Patron Saint) Dr. Cheryl White

Tuesday, Nov 3 6:30 pm

Heaven, Hell, Purgatory: The Second Coming and Final Judgement | Laura Skeen & Fr. Matthew Long

Tuesday, Nov 17 6:30 pm

Rite Sharing, A Deeper Dive into Catholic Rites, Confirmation Saints and Sacraments

Fernando Cordova, Delle Tyler, and Norma Sherman

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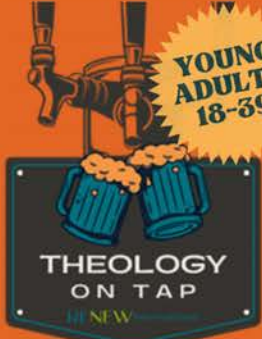
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	Actual	Budget	Overage (Shortage)
Oct 4	\$9,134	\$4,135	\$4,999
YTD	\$59,699	\$57,884	\$1,814

ST. LAWRENCE

	Actual	Budget	Overage (Shortage)
Oct 4	\$1,938	\$1,909	\$29
YTD	\$25,989	\$26,726	(\$737)

CHRIST THE KING, CCM

	Actual
Oct 4	\$271
YTD	\$1,751

JESUS THE GOOD SHEPHERD

	Actual	Budget	Overage (Shortage)
Oct 4	\$24,697	\$25,576	(\$879)
YTD	\$260,953	\$358,064	(\$97,111)

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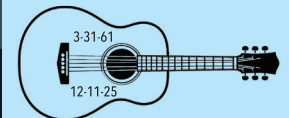
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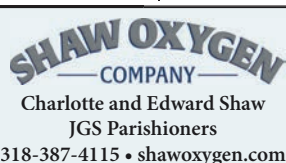
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