## August 27, 2023

Ministry Schedule

#### **Lectors**

Sat. Marian DelaySun. Minnie Hughs

### **Eucharistic Ministers**

Sat. Bob Meicrdicrks

Sun. Pat Trim

### **Ushers**

Sat. Jason McKinney Andy Savarese

Sun. Jim McGann

Patrick Trim

### **Prayer Line**

If you would like prayers for any serious health or personal reason, you can call Patti at 259-5290 and she will activate the prayers of at least 20 others.

## **Confession Schedules**

MOAB: Confessions are heard at 4:15pm on Saturday afternoons or by appointment at St. Pius X.
MONTICELLO: Confessions are heard at St Joseph's on the last Sunday of the Month.

## Sunday August 20th Collection

Offertory: \$1450 Maui Fire Special Collection: \$501

# Scripture Readings and

#### **Mass Intentions for the Week**

Mon 8/28 Mass - 8:30am 1 Thessalonians 1:1-5, 8b-10

Mt 23: 13-22

Tues - 8/29 - Mass 8:30 am

1 Thessalonians 2: 1-8

Mk 6: 17-19 wed - 8/30 -

Mass 8:30 am 1

Thessalonians 2: 9-13

Mt 23: 27-32

Thurs — 8/31 — Mass 8:30 am

1 Thessalonians 3: 7-13

Mt 24: 42-51

Fri 9/1 — No Mass

1 Thessalonians 4: 1-8

Mt 25: 1-13

Sat 9/2: Mass 5:00 pm 1 Thessalonians 4: 9-12

Mt 25: 14-30

#### **2023 National Collections Schedule**

September 10: Calvary Catholic

Cemetery (Diocesan)

September 10: Priests' Retirement

(Diocesan Collection)

October 22: Mission Sunday

November 19: Campaign for Human

Development

December 3: Catholic Community

Services

## **Praying the Rosary**

The Rosary is the most potent prayer for us Catholics. One Hail Mary is enough to drive away the devil. It is also a prayer to obtain peace, which our family, society, and the world are badly in need. In this regard, I would like to invite every Catholic to pray the Rosary before daily Mass at 8:10 am in the Church.

#### **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament**

One hour Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is every Thursday after the Mass. Jesus said "Can you not watch one hour with me". Thursday is the day when Jesus instituted the Holy Eucharist. We adore Christ presence in the Eucharist. We lift to Him all our cares, concerns, and problems, for he is there ready to listen to our pleas.

#### Our Patron Saint St. Pius X

Last Sunday, August 21st, we celebrated the feast of St. Pius X, our patron. He is worthy of veneration, not only because he is our patron saint but also he is our advocate in heaven, who continues to intercede for us. More than that he is also a miracle worker. In his lifetime and after his death there were many miracles attributed to him. Now we pray that he perform miracles, especially for our sick brothers and sisters. For us Catholics saints play an important role in our Christian life. They are friends of God who did His will alive and models of how we should lead a true Christian life. For our better understanding, let me explain the distinction. The Church teaches that there are three types of honor that are due to those who are holy:

1. Dulia —An honor and recognition we give to the saints. Many of them died as martyrs rather than deny God or they worked great miracles since their friendship with God

- meant He granted their prayers healing and restoration or they simply lived holiness in their own little way.
- 2. Hyperdulia —This is the very special honor we accord to Mary, the Mother of God.
- 3. Latria —This is the true worship and is given only to God, It is owed to Christ by reason of unity of his divine and human nature in the person of the Word made flesh. As Catholics we don't worship the saints and Mary, we only venerate them. We only worship and adore God, the Trinity of persons Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

#### **Volunteers Needed**

The parish is in need of teachers for children's catechism, first communion and confirmation. Those interested, please see Father Noel.

## Eucharistic Minister & Usher Schedule

There are sign-up sheets on the back tables to volunteer for usher and bread minister. Please write down your name and the Mass you typically attend. A schedule will be created and be available at a future Mass.