



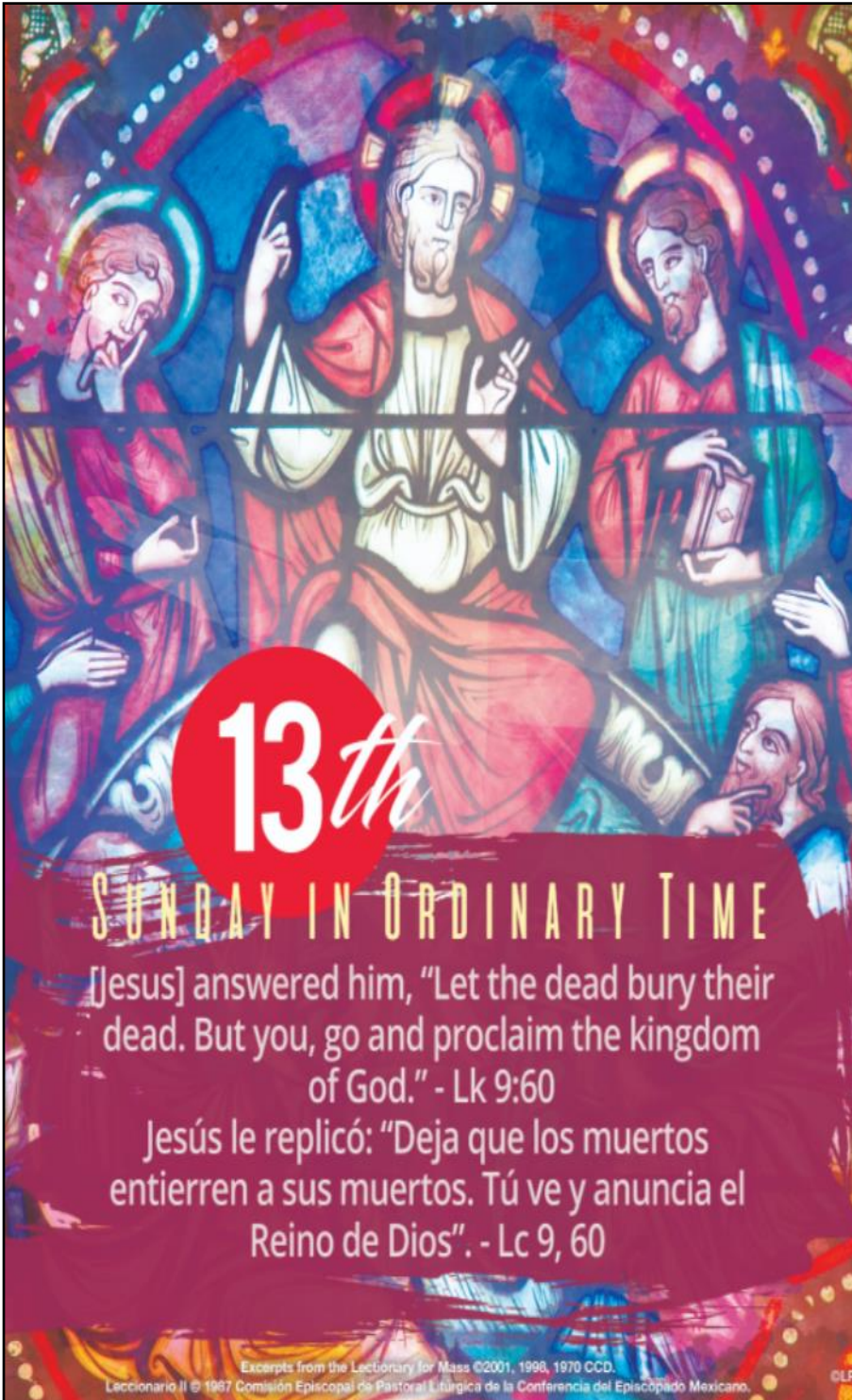
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Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, June 26, 2022
13 Domingo Del Tiempo Ordinario, 26 de Junio de 2022



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SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

[Jesus] answered him, "Let the dead bury their dead. But you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God." - Lk 9:60

Jesús le replicó: "Deja que los muertos entierren a sus muertos. Tú ve y anuncia el Reino de Dios". - Lc 9, 60

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Liturgy Schedule

Public Weekend Masses—In Church

Saturday: 5 PM English—Livestreamed

Sunday: 8:30 AM Spanish —Livestreamed

10:30 AM English—Livestreamed

Public Weekday Masses—In Church

Tuesday: 7 PM Spanish

Wednesday: 9 AM English

Thursday: 9 AM English

Friday: 9 AM English

1st Friday & Adoration: 8 AM-Adoration

8:30 AM-Rosary

9 AM-Mass

Adoration ends at 11 AM

All weekday Masses are also livestreamed

Adoration

Tuesday: 5 PM—6:45 PM

Friday: 9:30 AM—11 AM

Anointing of the Sick

First Friday of the month, or by appointment.

Confessions

Tuesday: 6 PM—6:45 PM

Friday: 9:30 AM—10:15 AM

Saturday: 4 PM—4:50 PM

Sunday: 7:30 AM—8:20 AM

Parish Office Hours

Monday—Thursday: 9 AM—2 PM

Friday: 9 AM—Noon

Saturday & Sunday: Closed

All major holidays: Closed



Standing On A Firm Foundation

During my 2019 Pilgrimage to Poland, we had the opportunity to visit the Warsaw Uprising Museum. It was a very educational visit for me as I wasn't familiar with the details of what happened during that time of history. The end result of the visit was a great sense of sadness. The people of Warsaw asked for help as Hitler prepared for his invasion of the city. The end result was that no one helped them and the city was pretty much leveled to the ground. They resisted the best they could, but no one came to their assistance.

A few weeks ago I met a young Polish woman and told her about my experience of the visit to the museum. She commented that was exactly the reason why Poland is being so remarkably generous in taking in millions of Ukrainian refugees from the horrible war that is going on right now. They remember what it is like when no one comes to help you when you're in dire need. I was stunned and thought about how that was a beautiful example about how God can bring good out of evil.

We are living in a society where our way of life and things we thought were stable are continuing to be broken down or unravelling. Rather than look to these events and panic, I believe God is inviting us to do good and be a blessing and sign of hope for others. God permits certain things to happen because we so often put our faith in people, structures, ideologies and not in God. The result of this rebellion is always chaos and disorder and we are certainly seeing more of this. We must continue to love and serve Jesus in the midst of this chaos and confusion. The Holy Spirit is always available to help us with this task.

Our Blessed Mother Mary is such a beautiful inspiration and example to help us through these challenging times. She always put God first and strove to proclaim the greatness of the Lord in good times and bad. He never failed to provide for her and will do the same for us.

For though the fig tree does not blossom, and no fruit appears on the vine, Though the yield of the olive fails and the terraces produce no nourishment, Though the flocks disappear from the fold and there is no herd in the stalls, Yet I will rejoice in the Lord and exult in my saving God. God, my Lord, is my strength; he makes my feet swift as those of deer and enables me to tread upon the heights. (Habakkuk 3:17-19).

No matter what challenges we face, it is such a blessing and grace to know God will never abandon us and guide us through the challenges ahead. We build on a firm foundation!

Through the grace of the Holy Spirit, I hope we all feel the love and goodness of God. All things will and are working for our good for those who love God (c.f. Romans 8:28).

Be confident in the Lord! He is always with us and will help us even when people don't respond to our request for help.

In Christ,
Fr. Jim Northrop ~ Pastor

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Crisis Connection: 1-866-427-4747

Child Abuse: 1-866-363-4276

Domestic Abuse: 1-800-562-6025

National Domestic Violence: 1-800-799-7233

WA State Domestic Violence: 1-844-762-8483

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Bulletin Notices: **The article deadline is 12 PM (Noon) on the Friday** a week before the weekend you wish it to appear (8 days in advance). Notices about parish events or items of interest to the parish are welcome, however posting cannot be guaranteed. Email bulletin articles/notices to mona@saintthomastukwila.org