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CHURCH BULLETIN – July 5, 2015 – 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

What is this wisdom that has been given to him?

Readings: Ez 2,3-5 2Cor 12,7-10

Mk 6,1-6

WE OFFER THE HOLY MASS FOR:

9:00 for priestly and religious vocations

for holiness in families

for the Holy Discalced Carmelite Friars/Brothers

(Patricia Lim)

Deutsch Ilona születésnapjára (Ritter Teri és családja)

Jóbarátért

Mátés Ervin felgyógyulásáért (testvére Miklós)

✠Derényi Jenőért (Derényi Szilvia és családja)

✠Ivánics családtagokért (Ilonka és családja)

✠Gonda Mihályért (keresztánya és családja)

✠Teréziáért (testvére és családja)

✠Mariska néniért (Takács Ferenc és Erzsébet)

11:00 dr. Forbáth Péterért, 90. születésnap (barátai)

Lukács Imréért és Marikáért (Seps Erzsébet és Ilona)

Diosady Emeséért, keresztelése alkalmából (család)

Mária Kongregáció élő és ✠tagjaiért

élő és ✠Szendi és Szervó családtagokért (Szendi cs.)

✠Szele Lászlóért (özvegye és családja)

✠Diosady Irénért (család)

Monday (6)

7:30 for the intention of the Jesuit General

for priestly and religious vocations

for holiness in families

for the Holy Discalced Carmelite Friars/Brothers

(Patricia Lim)

thanksgiving for blessings on Ryan, Sarah and Natalie

(Peter Carvalho)

for the healing of Jose Faminial

for the good health of Nelía Mendoza

Tuesday (7)

7:30 for our ✠Jesuits

for priestly and religious vocations

for holiness in families

for the Holy Discalced Carmelite Friars/Brothers

(Patricia Lim)

for Laurencsik and Berzy families (Marika Berzy)

thanksgiving from Gene and Linda

for the healing of Rey Patricio and Aurora Dilag

Wednesday (8)

7:30 for Jesuit vocations

for priestly and religious vocations

for holiness in families

for the Holy Discalced Carmelite Friars/Brothers

(Patricia Lim)

for the healing of Fr Leslie

for ✠Derényi Jenő (Derényi Szilvia and family)

blessings on Carmen & Servulo and family (Peter

Carvalho)

for ✠Péter (mother)

for ✠Jose and Perpetua Sazon

Thursday (9) Saint Augustine Zhao Rang and Companions

7:30 for the conversion of non believers

for priestly and religious vocations

for holiness in families

for the Holy Discalced Carmelite Friars/Brothers

(Patricia Lim)

for blessings on Aidan, Miles and Olivia

Friday (10)

7:30 for our benefactors (the Jesuits)

for priestly and religious vocations

for holiness in families

for the Holy Discalced Carmelite Friars/Brothers

(Patricia Lim)

for the successful surgery of Nelía

for Enrique Jaime Castillo, birthday (Henry Young)

for Henry and Joy Anne Young, 21. wedding

anniversary (Henry Young)

for blessings on all Marriage Encounter 6 members

for blessings on Fr Jeno Rigo

for ✠husband (wife)

for the souls suffering in Purgatory (Ica)

for ✠Theresa Josephine Leela Jeganathan

Saturday (11) Saint Benedict

7:30 for world peace

for priestly and religious vocations

for holiness in families

for Etelka and Pál

for the Holy Discalced Carmelite Friars/Brothers

(Patricia Lim)

blessings on Lita & Michael Menezes and family (Peter

Carvalho)

for the healing of George Brylowski

The Holy Father's prayer intentions for July

Universal: That **political** responsibility may be lived at all levels as a high form of charity.

Evangelization: That, amid social inequalities, **Latin American Christians** may bear witness to love for the poor and contribute to a more fraternal society.

Marriage: Hertel Tamás – Kunszt Éva

PARISH EVENTS

5. Lángos sale **27.** Lecture of Fr Henri Boulad in English in the Hall at 7 PM: "*No one can see the kingdom of God unless they are born again*" (Jn 3,3). What is involved and how is it possible? Evolution or revolution? Eternal life or Resurrection?

August 15. Annual Pilgrimage to Midland; bus leaves at 8 AM, Mass in Hungarian at 11 AM, Way of the Cross at 2:30 PM, arriving back at 6 PM. Please call the office ASAP if interested (\$35).

ANNOUNCEMENTS

❖ **Confirmation prep. courses** start in September on Saturdays between 1-2:30 PM. Everyone between the ages of 13-25 can join who wants to know more about God, even if they are not planning being confirmed. Please contact the church office or Hanna: 647-879-5192, szte.ifjusag@gmail.com.

❖ Divine **Bible Convention** led by Fr. Matthew Naickomparambil VC, Sr. Therese FCC and Fr. Joby Kachappilly VC on **July 3-5** from 9-6 PM at Divine Retreat Centre Toronto, 69 William Street. For tickets call 647-949-4932.

❖ Faith Connections' **Walking Pilgrimage** on Saturday, **August 1-8.** From the Ignatius Jesuit Centre in Guelph to the Martyrs' Shrine in Midland. Young adults (18-39) are invited to join Faith Connections and other groups from within the Toronto and Hamilton dioceses on a week-long walking pilgrimage. Join us for a day, two days or for the entire trip! The cost is \$250 for the 8-day pilgrimage. Cost per day is \$50. Space is limited, register as early as possible and no later than July 10. For more information and to register, call John-Paul Markides at 416-467-2645 or visit www.faithconnections.ca — a ministry of Fontbonne Ministries, Sisters of St. Joseph, Toronto.

Each of us is holding some political responsibility

When we talk about political responsibility, many of us think about national governments. Jesus seems rather critical about them. He says: "You know that among the gentiles those they call their rulers lord it over them and their great men make their authority felt. With you it must not be like that!" (Mk 10, 42)

Pharisees and the temple authorities in Jerusalem he judges to be the same: "They lay heavy burdens of people's shoulders – which they never touch themselves" (Mt 23, 4).

Looking at the world today, what would Jesus say? I think he would use the same words again. We may think of the well known dictators and warlords of Africa, China, Syria, North Korea, and others. We see extremely corrupt rich leaders and a huge majority of suppressed poor.

The Western democracies are different. But there too people judge their governments to be power hungry and not caring for the poor. In Germany there is a party called CDU (Christian Democratic Union). Some say: If the members of this party were honest, they would drop the C.

Often you can hear the word: Politics and Christianity don't mix. Sadly about economy and its huge companies the same must be said: another area of political irresponsibility.

Pope Francis challenges this. And he is right of course. History knows many genuinely Christian politicians and economists. For them Politics and Christianity mixed very well. The Pope asks us to believe in the power of prayer that can change also the other politicians. Theirs, too, could be an office of a "high form of charity".

Not an easy task, sure, but what a difference that would make for a whole country, for the whole world! Even the little civil servant behind his screen who gives you a hard time, because he thinks he is God-Almighty, can be changed through prayer. This may be a good starting point: pray instead of nourishing our frustration and anger.

Another practical thought: You might like to form a small group of friends. Discuss which politician might need your prayers most urgently. Then ask the Lord to touch their hearts.

There is also another side to this prayer intention: Pope Francis does not believe in prayer without action. He calls us to prayer and to action. Each one of us is holding some political responsibility: As parent in a school, as parishioner, as worker in a municipality, as director of a company, etc. Wherever we are, we can act selfishly or we can grow and work for the common good, be political responsible.

Prayer for ourselves will enable us to act like that. It will guide us to serve the common good together with the "official" politicians. It will guide us not go by hear-say and guess work and rumours, but it will make us research and act on the basis of facts. That way our whole life will be a "high form of charity" (Fr. Konrad Landsberg SJ)