Lectors and Special Ministers of the Eucharist

Schedule for May - September 2023

Here is the ministry schedule for the upcoming months for the 9:00 a.m. Mass in English. If you have a conflict for any of your scheduled dates please arrange for a substitute. A list of each other's phone numbers was given out before, but I can get you another if you need one.

What we do on Sundays matters. The liturgy is the work of Christ, head and body. That means you and me, the people of God, the Church. We're the body of Christ. Celebrating the liturgy is our work, and everyone in the assembly has both the right and the duty to contribute their participation. The various ministries of the liturgy don't just happen automatically: They happen because you step forward and participate for the benefit of all! Thank you for your service to our parish.

LECTORS:

I would like you all to do a favor for the cantors. (Some of you are doing this already.) Since the cantor will have music in their hand when they arrive at the ambo, it is awkward for them to move the Lectionary to the shelf. **After the first reading is finished**, please place the ribbon on the page containing the second reading, close the book, and move it down to the shelf. I am instructing the cantors to move the book back up after the responsorial psalm and open it up to the page marked by the ribbon. I suspect that it will appear smoother to shift the books around at the end of the reading rather than waiting for the cantor to juggle the books before the responsorial psalm begins.

God has blessed you—

indicates a holiday weekend

► indicates special instructions

▶ READ THE COMMENTARY

Lectors, don't miss the opportunity to learn more about what you are proclaiming. The commentary at the bottom of the pages in the *Workbook for Lectors* is valuable for veteran lectors as well as those who are less experienced! Read all of it for context and meditation, not just the part about the reading for which you are responsible.

May 14 (6th Sunday of Easter)

Lector: 1. Judy Kurylowicz SMHC: Mercedes Toohey

May 21 (Ascension)

Lectors: 1. Dan Grady 2. Ruth Liszewski SMHC: Kim Robach

May 28 ★ (Pentecost)

- Readings for the Mass during the day, pp. 190-192.
- ► The first reading is infamous for having a list of places. Practice aloud to make sure you are comfortable with the pronunciations.

2. Tim Ketchapaw
SMHC: Matt Fenske

June 4 (Holy Trinity)

Lectors: 1. Kim Robach 2. Coreen Jakosh SMHC: Sue Krestakos

June 11 (Body and Blood of Christ)

Lectors: 1. Marianne Busch 2. Barb Alkema

SMHC: Dee Malski

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June 18 (11th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Lectors: 1. Mercedes Toohey

2. Annie Daniels **SMHC:** Thale Varana

June 25 (12th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Lectors: 1. Judy Kurylowicz 2. Tim Ketchapaw SMHC: Bob Fredricks

July 2 ★ (13th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Lectors: 1. Barb Koning 2. Kim Robach SMHC: Ruth Liszewski

July 9 (14th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Lectors: 1. Ruth Liszewski

2. Dan Grady

SMHC: Kathleen Cannady

July 16 (15th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Lectors: 1. Coreen Jakosh 2. Marianne Busch SMHC: Barb Alkema

July 23 (16th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Lectors: 1. Barb Alkema 2. Mercedes Toohey SMHC: Tim Ketchapaw

July 30 (17th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Lectors: 1. Annie Daniels 2. Judy Kurylowicz SMHC: Marianne Busch

August 6 (The Transfiguration of the Lord)

Lectors: 1. Dan Grady
2. Ruth Liszewski
SMHC: Mercedes Toohey

August 13 (19th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Lectors: 1. Barb Koning 2. Tim Ketchapaw SMHC: Kim Robach

Tuesday, August 15
(The Assumption of Mary)
► Readings for the Mass during the day, pp. 232-235.
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SMHC:

August 20 (20th Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Lectors: 1. Kim Robach 2. Coreen Jakosh SMHC: Matt Fenske

August 27 (21st Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Lectors: 1. Marianne Busch
2. Barb Alkema

SMHC: Sue Krestakos

Sept. $3 \star (22^{nd} \text{ Sunday in Ordinary Time})$

Lectors: 1. Mercedes Toohey
2. Annie Daniels
SMHC: Dee Malski