



MINISTERS

LITURGICAL APPOINTMENTS FOR  
JANUARY 20/21, 2018

	Ministers of Altar	Ministers of Hospitality	Ministers of Word	Ministers of Holy Communion
5:30 p.m.	Brandon Ludwick	Tom Moran	Cindy Sprauer	Cherri Grasso
				Volunteer
				Volunteer
8:00 a.m.	Mike Moses	Volunteer	Mike Moses	Clem Moenster
				Cathy Sader
				Patti Herron
10:00 a.m.	Zachary Humphries	Jacob Pack	Joyce Combs	Barb Rayburn
	Harley Pack			Jill Hopper
				Jenny Hart



## MASS SCHEDULE

**Sunday, January 14**

8:00 a.m. Marie Louise Gueguen, Betty Lou & Joe Moses, Joe Moses, Sr., Lula Moses, Shorty & Carrie Wright, Betty & Bob Beam, Jim Wright, Zipetta Gueguen, Richard & Ernie Blankenship  
(Mike, Zachary, Zoe & Carol Moses)

10:00 a.m. Nicki Piezer Birthday Remembrance  
(Jerry & Lil, Chris & Mary, Steve & Suzie)

**Monday, January 15**

10:00 a.m. **WLRU RADIO**  
**ROSARY BROADCAST**

**Tuesday, January 16**

9:15 a.m. Joanne & Alfred Mayer (Shirley Pettit)

**Thursday, January 18**

7:00 p.m. Al Rumpke Birthday Remembrance  
(Patty Reinholz)

**Saturday, January 20**

5:30 p.m. Daryle Perry & Jon Perry  
(Linda Perry)

**Sunday, January 21**

8:00 a.m. Sam & Alma Williams, John & Trudy Keating, Harold & Gladys Shultz, Lydia Douglas & David Walters  
(Blake Walters)

10:00 a.m. Deceased Members of the Hovan Family  
(Tom & Linda Hovan)



**BENEDICTION EVERY THURSDAY AT 6:30 P.M.**



get  
*Did your Mom  
Vacuum in High Heels?*



**SO GLAD I GREW UP**



**DOING THIS**

**NOT THIS**

Please God  
if you can't  
make me  
Slim,  
make my  
Friends  
**FAT!...**



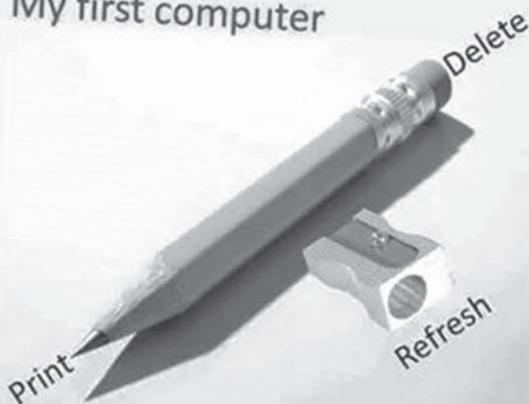
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Kids today don't know  
how easy they have it.  
When I was young,  
I had to walk 9 feet  
through shag carpet to  
change the TV channel.



**THERE'S NO WAY I  
WAS BORN TO JUST  
PAY BILLS & DIE.**

My first computer



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## SERMON FOR SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

I had a profound spiritual experience when I was around ten years old. I never shared this with anyone till today. I was afraid to talk about it because I don't ever want to give the impression that I consider myself exceptional or special or more important than others. I am not. But in a powerful dream, God revealed to me He chose me to do something special for Him. This dream would guide my entire life.

In this dream, my soul was in Heaven before I was born. There was a multitude of souls radiating bright light all over the place. To see this gave me great peace. I could sense love and goodness everywhere. I was standing in the midst of these lights that looked like globes, marveling at how many there were. I remember thinking, "This is better than any Christmas lights."

As I stood there in awe, a bright light approached me. It was bigger and brighter than the other lights. I had no fear at all. I did not know if this was God, but the other lights let it through as if it was something really special. The light spoke to me, saying, "You are chosen." I remember asking, "For what?" The light replied, "You cannot know now, but when it happens, you will know." The dream ended with this. I woke up feeling like something special happened to me. Some twenty years would pass. When Archbishop Bernardin laid his hands upon me at my ordination June 13, 1981, the remembrance of this dream flooded my mind. Now I knew. It so consumed me that when the Archbishop asked me the question, "Do you promise me and my successors obedience?" I became mute. I couldn't talk. He overlooked this, but after the ordination was finished, he cornered me in the Sacristy and asked me again if I promise to obey. Recalling my hero Curly from the Three Stooges, I proudly proclaimed, "Soitenly."

As the years go by, I understand the message of this dream more clearly. God chose me to do more than offer Mass and the sacraments. God chose me to live and proclaim God's Love as a priest in *all I say and do*. I am called to glorify God's Love in my very body which is a temple of the Holy Spirit.

It's not like God created me then gave me a call. My very existence in my body is God's call. *Through me* God calls others to "come and you will see" what a wonderful God we have. *You have that same call*. You are chosen to use your bodies to reveal a God slow to anger and rich in kindness, a God who extends mercy to all, a God whose love knows no bounds. Your very life is a sacrament, a sign, a conduit of grace. When you love, you show God's Love. When you forgive, you show God's Mercy. When you act with kindness, tolerance, patience and compassion, you manifest how God thinks, how God acts, and who God really is. St. Paul says your body is for the Lord. God owns you. You are His.

St. Paul also says the Lord is for your body. I am honored that God gave me the call to feed your body with the Body of the Lord Jesus at Mass. Holy Communion joins the Body of Jesus to your body, making you one spirit with Him. As Jesus fills you with His Body, *be* Jesus to someone who needs the Christ shining through you. Proclaim Jesus by your life. May Jesus fill your body so completely, there will be no room for sin in you.

Like the shining star that guided the Magi to Jesus, the light of my dream has guided me to the Lord for 56 years. The Magi were overjoyed to see the star. I rejoice that God's dream for me has come true. You are God's call. When you leave Church today, go live God's dream for you.