

The Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Gospel of today captures a scene in which a woman who was known as a sinner experienced forgiveness. We do not know her name, where she came from, or what sins she committed, nor how she met Jesus. But she pours out her joy and gratitude to Jesus in a public demonstration of love.

She entered the home of Simon to look for the one whose compassion and kindness set her free. She finds Jesus and anoints his feet with a mixture of her tears and perfume. This act is open to misinterpretation. The host, Simon, harbors judgmental thoughts, and he is certain of his knowledge that she is a sinner while unaware of her forgiveness. And, he is certain of judgment of Jesus, who cannot be a prophet.

Jesus tells Simon a parable that may help him to repent of false judgment and be open to the same forgiveness that Jesus offers. We do not know if Simon got the point and continued to gossip about the ability of Jesus to forgive sins.

The point of the parable is easy to understand: great love flows from having been forgiven much. The story turns the question to us as well:
How do we perceive forgiven sinners?
How do we ourselves respond to the offer of Jesus about love and forgiveness?

Fr. Bob and Molly B.

The Reading for today's Mass are found in the **Glory & Praise** at number **832**

1st Reading ~ 2 Samuel 12:7 – 10, 13

2nd Reading ~ Galatians 2:16, 19 – 21

Gospel Reading ~ Luke 7:36 – 8:3 or 7:36 – 50

We Take Request ~ Book of Prayer Intentions



Our church family can now make prayer requests by way of our Book of Prayer Intentions, which is provided specifically for that purpose. The dark blue book is in back of the nave near the baptismal font. Just write your intentions in it, and they will be remembered during the Prayer of the Faithful at our Sunday Masses. "Have no anxiety at all, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving make your requests known to God." -Philippians 4:6

Mass on Ocracoke - On Friday's at 6:30 pm, Mass will be celebrated at the Methodist Center located on School Lane.

Music for Sunday's Liturgy:

Entrance: # Table of Plenty **or**

613 O God, Our Help in Ages Past - **vs. 1, 2 & 3**

Gloria: # 47 Glory Be

Psalm: *chant* - Lord, forgive the wrong I have done.

Gospel Acclamation: # 10 Alleluia (Celtic Mass)

Preparation: # 550 Servant Song

Communion: # 454 River of Glory **or** # 471 Hosea

Song of Praise: # 615 Amazing Grace

Recessional: # 713 Rain Down - **vs. 1 & 2 or**

681 Holy God, We Praise Thy Name - **vs. 1 & 2**

All other sung Mass parts are from Mass of Creation



Flowers this Sunday

The altar flowers were donated by Linda & Rick Parchen. In loving remembrance of Linda's Dad, Frank Chambers.

SHOULD WE STAND, SIT, OR KNEEL?

Answer: Following the reception of Holy Communion, communicants should return to their places in the Assembly and **remain standing until the celebrant is seated.** (*General Norms for the Celebration of the Sacred Liturgy of the Mass, Diocese of Raleigh*)



Mass Schedule for 2010 ~ 2011

Summer Schedule ~ *May 29th to September 5th*

- Saturday 7:00 pm
- Sunday 9:00 am
- Sunday 5:30 pm (Spanish)

June 20, 2010 to August 15, 2010

- Add the following ~ *Sunday 11:00 am*

Winter Schedule ~ *Starts September 12, 2010*

- Sunday 9:00 am
- Sunday 5:30 pm (Spanish)

Year Round ~

- Friday 8:30 am

Ocracoke Island ~

- Friday 6:30 pm

Confessions before Mass or by Appointment



Special Noticed: *Next Sunday we are adding the 11:00 am Mass to the schedule.*



Visitors ~ our pews have envelopes in the pockets for your convenience , which you may take with you and mail back to us. Please mark the box if the donation should be for Parish Needs or Debt Reduction. As of the end of April 30, 2010, the Mortgage for the church, now five years old, was \$607,000 and the annual hurricane/flood Insurance is now \$27,000. Thank you for being with us.



Rosary of the Unborn

Why is this Rosary so special?

With the Rosary of the Unborn, HEAVEN WILL BLESS OUR EFFORTS in offering our prayers and sacrifices. The Most Powerful and Ultimate Weapon to End Abortion! If you are interested in purchasing the 'small rosary' please contact Rita Doerr at 995-5345.

Liturgy Committee

Parishioners and visitors are reminded that we have a liturgy committee at Our Lady of the Seas, with the mission of enhancing our spiritual growth and parish life. Many times, through attendance at services in other parishes, we learn of practices which might be implemented in our own parish. If anyone has issues or questions, or ideas that they would like the committee to consider, please contact one of the Committee members. Listed here are the members of the Committee with their areas of responsibility, but feel free to bring any issue or question to any member:

- Mary Bisantz (Chair, Lectors)
- Linda Browning (Music)
- Gae Ann Gessner (Liturgical Ministers)
- Dee Jensen (Funeral & Wedding Coordinators, Hospitality)
- Rita Doerr (Altar Servers, Sacristans)



Ruegue por: Please Remember: in your

prayers all those on our **Parish Prayer List**, especially Richard Bacik, Robbie Bendula, Jim Benton, Jim & Linda Carolan, Tara Dove, Carrie Easley, Betty Fulcher, Joe Gallagher, Keith Gardner, Delores Gilliken, Stephen Hissey, TQ Lewis, Grey McDowell, Donna Midgett, Elizabeth Moffit, Cliff Morrow, Ella Newmiller, Mackey Peele, Pat Rice, Ann Styron, Mary Van Severen, Dora Vayette, Megan Vayette, Kelly Willis, also the caregivers, homebound, hospitalized & those in special needs.

Please let Fr. Bob know when a parishioner or family member is in the hospital or homebound. He would appreciate the opportunity to visit and offer his services. Also if you would like a Eucharistic Minister to visit you at home during an illness or when unable to attend Mass, please call Fr. Bob 252-995-6613 or Anita 252-995-7892.

Por favor comuniquese al padre Bob cuando un feligrés o un miembro de su familia está en el hospital o enfermo en casa. El padre Bob querria tener la oportunidad de visitar a los enfermos y de ofrecerles sus servicios.

Our Stewardship	
Buxton	
Offertory	\$1664.00
Debt Reduction	\$ 825.00
Parish Needs	\$ 630.00
Attendance	621

Our Second Collection ~ This collection helps the debt reduction of the new church and any extra cost we incur since we built the church, our parish needs. **Please be generous and designate on your check memo, where you want the money to go.**

Help Needed With Sunday Collection

As we begin our summer Mass schedule, we are always in need of help for a simple sorting of the collection after the Masses. Two people to sort for each of the four scheduled weekend Masses would be ideal.



Another Need ~ We are also looking for more counters. This ideally could be teams of two people who take the Sunday collections count and complete all paperwork. If you can help us, please call Fr. Bob at 995-6613 or Joanne Mason at 987-2249. Thank you!

"The Welcoming Light of Our Lady of the Seas"

Our 12 x16 limited edition, fine art prints of this beautiful church are available after Mass for \$35 each. This is the same picture that appears on the cover of our bulletin. They are signed and numbered by the artist - our guitarist/song leader, Linda Browning and come matted, sleeved, and ready to frame. Linda will be glad to personalize your print after Mass should you be interested. **The prints are also available for purchase at Home Port Gallery & Gifts**, located in the St Waves Plaza, 26006 NC Hwy 12, Waves, just south of the Rodanthe Post Office.

Buy a print as a reminder of your Outer Banks vacation or for anyone who loves Our Lady of the Sea Catholic Church community. The proceeds go towards debt reduction. Thank you!



Hatteras Island Food Pantry

Our pantry is still busy and requires regular replenishment. Please consider adding a few items each time you shop. Since the size of the families accessing the food pantry varies, please avoid bulk sized items.

Shopping suggestions and items needed are on the bulletin board in the foyer.

Items Commonly Needed by the Food Pantry

- Basic foodstuffs – flour, sugar, coffee, tea, rice, pasta, cooking oil
- Canned vegetables – beets, tomatoes and greens are local favorites
- Peanut butter and dried beans
- Cereals – both hot and cold, including oatmeal and grits
- Personal care items – toothpaste, toothbrushes, shampoo, razors
- Cleaning products, including dish and laundry detergent
- Paper products
- Pet Foods

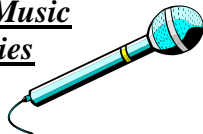
Don't want to pack the car again? Visitors are invited to leave unopened non-perishable items on our 24-hour drop-box for the Food Pantry, located on the front porch of our social hall. A second drop off location is at Frisco Rod & Gun located across from Billy Mitchell Airport Road in Frisco, (Ramp 49).

Checks may be made out to *United Methodist Men*, PO Box 1591 Buxton, NC 27920.

Thank you for your generosity!

Outer Banks Christian Music Summer Concert Series

Kim Kalman from Holy Redeemer Church and their music minister and a national recording artist, is hosting the Outer Banks Christian Music Summer Concert Series on Monday evenings this summer starting Monday, June 14th, 7:00 pm at Holy Trinity Church in Nags Head. Admission is FREE...come enjoy great Christian music at the beach! Kim will be performing material from her Christian CDs and joining her on June 14th will be Sojourners Quartet from Elizabeth City. (www.sojournersmusic.net). A love offering will be taken up and proceeds will benefit our local food bank & ICO. Call 441-2555 or visit www.prayerthroughmusic.com



Dare Libraries Plan Fun Start of Summer

Dare Libraries - C.Shells. Make a Splash at the Library. Delightful Mix of songs and musical styles, C.Shells will have children of all ages laughing, smiling and stomping feet!

Hatteras - June 25 at 9:30 am



“Almighty God, we stand before You, asking for Your divine mercy and protection. Embrace with Your invincible amour our loved ones in all branches of the service. Give them the courage and strength against all enemies, both spiritual and physical, and hasten their safe journey back to their homes and families. Amen.”

Please, also remember those killed or wounded and their families, friends and acquaintances.

Food coupons for the Military



Any manufactures' coupons from the Sunday paper can be sent to the Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society. This will help our military families overseas with living expenses, which are very high on military salary.

We would appreciate any help from our community family by cutting out the coupons you don't use and place them in the basket, which you will find in the vestibule. GaeAnn Gessner will take on the task of mailing them out weekly. .

If our visiting parishioners/guest are interested in helping, the address is:

N.M.C.R.S.

875 N. Randolph Street

Suite 225

Arlington, VA 22203.

Thank you for your support.



How to Sign Up for Raleigh Diocese E-Newsletter

Please click the link below to visit the sign-up page in a new browser window. If you encounter problems with the sign-up process, please send your email address to contact@raldioc.org and request a subscription to our e-newsletter.



When traveling and you need to know where the closes Catholic Church and the times for their masses please check out masstimes.org

LOOK on the back of the bulletin!

We are able to provide this bulletin each week, without cost to the parish because of the advertisers. Please patronize our advertisers. **To advertise your business and support the church please call Dee Printing at (800)292-9020**

Thrift Shop ~ Locomotion/Changing Tides

Located on Hwy 12 in the heart of Buxton is the non-profit consignment shop, "Changing Tides" operated by Locomotion. It is selling items to help raise funds for our local teenagers and, at the same time, for partner churches and non-profit organizations. **Please specify Account #22 when you donate items** to be sold there. When your item sells (excepting clothing), a portion of the sale, will be money in our church account. All items should be cleaned and in good condition. No mattresses, mattress pads or pillows. They ask for top quality clothing only since space is limited. Items that sell well are; small kitchen appliances, furniture, lamps, decorative items, shoes, purses, sheets and blankets. For information about large items or other donations please call Changing Tide directly at 252-995-6010. We thank everyone for their support.

Your Church at Your Fingertips

Stay up to date with news and events taking place in the Diocese of Raleigh by visiting the diocesan web site, www.dioceseoraleigh.org. Postings will include Bishop Michael F. Burbidge's Sunday homilies. The CNS video link on the home page features news stories from the Vatican with a live camera on St. Peter's Square for major events.



Diocesan Schola Cantorum:

The "Schola Vox Clara" is seeking new singers to join them in their study and service using two of the great musical treasures of the Catholic liturgical music repertoire, Gregorian chant and traditional polyphony. The Schola is comprised of singers from several parishes in the Diocese. The Schola regularly sings for Masses in the Extraordinary Form two or more times a month in different parishes, including the first-Sunday of the month at Sacred Heart Cathedral, Raleigh at 4:30 PM. They also assist their director, Dr. Patricia Warren, in teaching Gregorian chant and the vast treasury of liturgical music for use in both the Ordinary and Extraordinary Forms of the Mass in parishes throughout the Diocese. Previous singing experience is helpful but not necessary. Please contact Dr. Warren at 919.528.8950 for more information.



Happy Hour at Spa Koru

Now that we have your attention!!!! :) Just a reminder that the Friday evening (5:30 – 6:30 pm) Happy Hour cardio exercise class at Spa Koru is still on the schedule. Come join in the fun and get fit doing it! Free to Spa Koru members. Punch card available for non-members. The instructor Terri Mohnal, an OLS parishioner wanted to share her class with all of you. All exercise levels welcome.

"2010 OLS FUND RAISER RAFFLE"



Tickets on Sale Today

Raffle tickets are on sale before and after the Mass which will support our church. Cost \$5.00 a ticket and 5 tickets for \$20.00. The drawing date will be November 28, 2010

Prizes are;

- * 7 Day Cruise to the Caribbean
- * 2 Kayak trips and 1 Parasail ride
- * Two day stay at the Comfort Inn in Buxton
- * \$50.00 Gift Certificate to the Askins Creek BP in Avon. **(there are 2 of these gift certificates to be raffled off individually)**
- * A weeks stay in an ocean front home in Frisco
- * Gift Certificate for Conner's Market
- * \$50.00 Gift Certificate to The Inn on The Pamlico Sound, Buxton.
- * Dinner for 6 prepared by Father Bob at his house.
- * A Picture Donated by Local artist Raphael Robinson
- * Garmin GMR 21/41 closed array radar and GPS Map400 with 10-inch screen. All connections and manuals included.
- * Rod & Reel ~ Ocean Master OM60 spinning reel 4.6:1 ratio mated to a OM20STB 7-foot Med/Heavy rod.
- * Rod & Reel ~ Ocean Master OM80 spinning reel 4.6:1 ratio mated to a OM20STB 7-foot Med/Heavy rod.
- * Rod & Reel ~ Okuma Titus TG 15 II Reel w/cover mated to Custom Powerstick 6-foot 20 – 40 pound line with roller tip. **(there are 3 of these rods and reels to be raffled off individually)**
- * Penn International 50W Reel **(there are 2 of these reels to be raffled off individually)**
- * \$100.00 Gift Certificate to Home Port Gifts, Rodanthe
- * \$ 50.00 Gift Certificate from **Birthday Suits (BS) at Hatteras Landing**
- * Fine art print of this beautiful church, numbered and sign by local artist Linda Browning
- * A fishing trip to the Gulf Stream on the Miss Hatteras for one.
- * A ½ day fishing trip inshore with **Ken Dempsey Guide Service worth \$300.00**
- * **North Carolina Basket** from Lee Robinson's General Store in Hatteras.

ALL proceeds from the raffle will go toward reduction of the church mortgage.

A Very Special Request

Attendees please take your bulletin home with you or you may leave it in the vestibule when you leave after Mass. We greatly appreciated your cooperation with helping us keep the church clean.



Flowers for the Sanctuary

Our Flower Fund has been established to enable you to donate flowers for the church throughout the year. Both

residents and visitors are invited to contribute to the Flower Fund “in memory” of loved ones, “in thanksgiving”, or “in honor of” a special someone. A minimum donation of \$15 is requested. Please use the form below or look for extra forms as you exit the church today. They can be found in the clear plastic pockets hanging at each of the doors as you exit the church. *(The Flower Fund replaces the existing procedure for ordering and dedicating flowers)*

Please make your check payable to:

Our Lady of the Seas (write “Flower Fund” in memo section) and mail to:

Our Lady of the Seas ~ Flower Fund, PO Box 399, Buxton, NC 27920

or you may place your order in the 2nd collection basket.

Be sure to mark the envelope ‘Flower Fund’



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FLOWER ORDER FORM

Our Lady of the Seas Catholic Church
(Please print legibly) I wish to donate flowers...

\$15.00 donation, checks payable to:
Our Lady of the Seas

In thanksgiving

By _____

In memory

of _____

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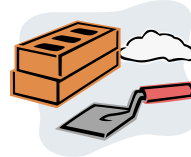
I would like to give the flowers anonymously and not have my name printed in the bulletin.

If the flowers are for a particular Sunday, please write the date here: _____

Your Name _____

Phone _____

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Want to Order
Brick Paver for the Walkway

We are currently working on a new batch of memorial pavers for our walkway up to the church. If you are interested in purchasing the pavers, please use the form below or look for extra forms as you exit the church today in the vestibule. The cost \$50.00 each. The memorial bricks will be ordered when we get a total count over 100 – that will give us the ability to NOT pay transportation charges to keep your cost down.

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PAVER ORDER FORM

Each 4X8 inch Paver is \$50.00 payable at time of order. Price includes 3 lines of text engraved on “bed” of paver with a maximum of 20 characters per line for Upper/Lower Case and 16 characters for ALL UPPER CASE, including spaces and punctuation.

(Please print legibly)

Name of Purchaser _____

Address _____

Phone Number () _____

Email _____

Number of pavers ordered _____

Amount paid _____

Date _____

Please make check payable to:

“Our Lady of the Seas Catholic Church”

This order form along with your check should be turned into the office on Sunday or **mailed to:**

Our Lady of the Seas “Paver Order”

PO Box 399

Buxton, NC 27920

1st Paver:

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2nd Paver:

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3rd Paver:

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Questions or problems? E-mail olssecretary@aol.com

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