



Jackson County Catholic Community



Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 6th, 2026

REFLECTING ON GOD'S WORD

Matthew is often contrasted with Mark and Luke in regard to his unique appreciation for and use of his Jewish-Christian tradition. In today's gospel reading, Matthew addresses the enduring Christian struggle with communal tensions by drawing on his Jewish heritage.

Today's reading regarding the correction of a member who sins is the first of two readings that address the resolution of communal tension. It contains three parts. First, it offers a three-step procedure for reconciling a sinner. Second, it affirms that the community has the competence and power to bind and loose. Third, it reminds the community that when they engage in such deliberation in the Lord's name, He is in their midst.

While each of these segments may have had an originally independent context, Matthew draws them together to create a communal norm for reconciling the sister or brother who has sinned. While such procedures were found in other Jewish groups, such as the Essenes, Matthew relies on the Torah (Leviticus 19:17 and Deuteronomy 19:15) to determine the three-step procedure. The overall context for all three parts is juridical. And the appeal to the church (*ekklesiā* in Greek) is to the local community, and not to the broader Church, as is often thought. These norms prepare for the second part, which considers how often a member may be forgiven (which we will hear next week)

~ Fr. Stephen Lampe

TODAY'S READINGS:

Reading I: Ezekiel 33:7-9

Reading II: Romans 13:8-10

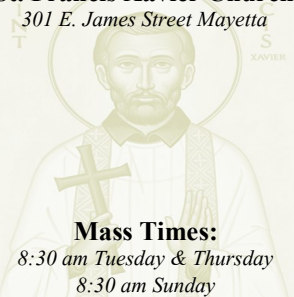
Gospel: Matthew 18:15-20

Saint Dominic Church
416 Ohio Avenue Holton



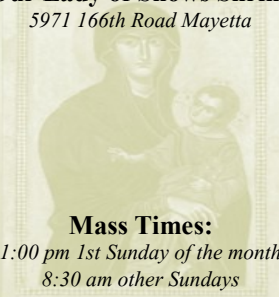
Mass Times:
5:30 pm Wednesday & Saturday
8:30 am Friday
10:30 am Sunday

St. Francis Xavier Church
301 E. James Street Mayetta



Mass Times:
8:30 am Tuesday & Thursday
8:30 am Sunday

Our Lady of Snows Shrine
5971 166th Road Mayetta



Mass Times:
1:00 pm 1st Sunday of the month
8:30 am other Sundays

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Rev. Fr. Jonathan Dizon

jdizon@archkck.org

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CONFESSION Schedule:

Weekdays, Wednesday @ St. Dominic

following 5:30 pm Mass

Weekends, 30 minutes prior to Mass

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

6:00 pm Wednesday @ St. Dominic

BAPTISM: Those requesting baptism for their children need to be registered parishioners. Preparation classes are required for parents and godparents prior to event.

MARRIAGE: Preparation begins with initial consult with parish priest. Please allow at least six months notice to fulfill the Archdiocesan marriage requirements.

ANointing of the SICK: Call the office during business hours. Call the rectory after hours or for emergencies.

DECLARATION of NULLITY:

Please email the pastor for details.

HOSPITAL VISITS: Please call the parish office if you or a loved one has been admitted to the hospital.

NEW PARISHIONERS: Please fill up registration forms located at the entrance of the church. Submit it to the parish office.

REGISTERED PARISHIONERS: Please notify us of any changes in address or contact number.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE: next week

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 12th & 13th	Sat. 9/12 @ 5:30pm SD	Sun. 9/13 @ 8:30 am SFX	Sun. 9/13 @ 10:30 am SD
SACRISTAN	Katie Heinen & Lori Sohn	Joann Walker	Terry Ludvicek
MUSIC	Cody Utz	Jonathan Goering Patricia Goering	Robin Sides Jenea Chartier
LECTOR	Barb Heideman	Don Sunday	Cullen Jackson
GREETER- USHER	Dan & Pat Doyle	Chris Harris & Farrell Holthaus	Dale & Kathleen Noel
EMHC	Tom Heideman	Mary Lou Koch	Karen Leiker
Acolytes		Lanna Brown Charlii Brown, Megan Putnam	Julia Keling (CB) Jack Keling, Luis Ramos
Homebound Communion Ministers: Niki Meerpohl (<i>St. Dominic</i>), TBD (<i>St. Francis Xavier</i>), and Annette Schreiber (<i>Nursing Homes</i>)			

CALENDAR of EVENTS

September 7th, Monday

Parish Office is Closed

6:30 p.m. **Rosary Fellowship****St. Dominic Hall**September 8th, Tuesday8:30 a.m. **MASS****St. Francis Xavier**September 9th, Wednesday5:30 p.m. **MASS****St. Dominic****RELIGIOUS ED. KICK-OFF** (immediately after MASS)6:00 p.m. **NO Adoration and Confession****St. Dominic**September 10th, Thursday8:30 a.m. **MASS****St. Francis Xavier**6:00 p.m. **OCIA****St. Dominic Office**September 11th, Friday8:30 a.m. **MASS****St. Dominic**September 12th, Saturday5:00 p.m. **Confession****St. Dominic**5:30 p.m. **MASS****St. Dominic**September 13th, Sunday8:00 a.m. **Confession****St. Francis Xavier**8:30 a.m. **Mass****St. Francis Xavier**9:30 a.m. **Religious Ed.****St. Francis Xavier**8:30 a.m. **Mass****Our Lady of Snows**10:00 a.m. **Confession****St. Dominic**10:30 a.m. **MASS****St. Dominic**11:00 a.m. **K of C Chicken Fry****St Dominic Hall**September 14th, Monday

Parish Office is Closed

6:00 p.m. **St. D Altar Society Meeting****St. Dominic Hall**

Gene Bergman's
85TH
Birthday Celebration

Saturday, Sept. 12th
2-4pm

at the
Hoyt Community Building

Please **NO GIFTS!**
Your presence is **PRESENT** enough!

Come and go as you are able &
enjoy our **dessert bar** to celebrate

NEWS and ANNOUNCEMENTS

ST. DOMINIC
COMMUNITY HARVEST FESTIVAL

Celebrate with us! | October 24, 2026 | 5 pm Onwards

Scan to Donate and Get Involved!


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We're accepting new or like-new auction items, experiences, and monetary support.
Aaron & Jessi Deters: 785-738-8778 | Bethany Henry: 785-534-9533

GRATITUDE SUNDAY
Saint Francis Xavier

OCTOBER 4, 2026
Immediately following 8:30am Mass

Want to volunteer or donate?
Contact: Ruth Slocum
785 506 4101
ruth.slocum13@gmail.com

PASTORAL COUNCILS		FINANCE COUNCILS	
St. Dominic	St. Francis Xavier	St. Dominic	St. Francis Xavier
Darrin Reith	Ben Ehrhart	Barb Heideman	Mary Lou Koch
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Cody Utz	Marguerite Mzhickteno	Mark Starr	Donald Sunday
Niki Meerpohl	Jeri Albright		
Joshua Shupe	Mike Henry		
Theresa Watkins	Tina Bailey		

PARISH STEWARDSHIP August 29th & 30th, 2026	St. Dominic	St. Francis Xavier
Envelopes (incl Aug. Dir. Dep.)	\$4,005.00	\$2,960.00
Plate	\$399.00	\$287.00
TOTAL	\$4,404.00	\$3,247.00
<i>Week of August 22nd & 23rd</i>	\$2,801.67	\$1,388.00
<i>Week of August 15th & 16th</i>	\$2,358.00	\$1,928.25

PRAYER INTENTIONS

INTENTIONS OF POPE LEO XIV FOR SEPTEMBER:

For the care of water:

Let us pray for a just and sustainable management of water, a vital resource, so that everyone may have equal access to it.

INTENTIONS OF FR. JONATHAN FOR SEPTEMBER:

For all our farmers and crop-growers, may they be blessed with an abundant harvest this fall season.

PARISH PRAYER INTENTIONS:

Parishioners:

Don Hasenkamp Leon Becker Mary Harris

Relatives and Friends of Parishioners:

Lendman Family Teresa Rioux Allan Gibson Gladys Gibson Darlene Glassel
Terry Weldin Jorgan Beck Jacob Hastings Butch Schiffbauer

Our Recently Departed: Robert Atkinson (+July 29), Joy Faulkner (+July 29)

PRAYERS FOR OUR MEN AND WOMEN IN UNIFORM:

US Air Force: Andrew Morris, McClain Morris, MSgt. Dylan Parks, TSgt. Nicole Parks

US Army: MP ANG Therron Fox SSgt. Matthew Zeller **US Marines:** Maj. JP Turner

US Navy: E-5 Dennis Reed Potter **KS Air National Guard:** Sadey Gross

Please submit your prayer intentions either online method or to the Parish Office. These intentions will be listed for a month. You may request to have them added again. For recently deceased parishioners, they will automatically be listed and will remain there until there's a new one.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION Kick-Off!

- JOIN US**
Wednesday, September 9th at 5:30pm
- MASS**
We begin together in faith.
- FOLLOWED BY A MEAL**
Good food and great fellowship!
- MEET THE TEACHERS**
Get to know your teachers and our program.
- HAVE FUN IN THE BOUNCE HOUSE!**
Laughter and memories to be made!

All are Welcome!

COME & SEE! BEGINNING SEPT 13
The first 3 classes are open for those wanting greater discernment. Come & check it out!

IDENTITY • PROPHECY • HEALING • INNER HEALING • EVANGELIZATION

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- ✓ LONG-TERM DISCIPLINE

Sign up @ encounterschool.org

Classes Meet **SUNDAYS** 6:30-8:30 PM

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHICKEN FRY

FRIED CHICKEN
MASHED POTATOES & GRAVY
BAKED BEANS - DINNER ROLL - DESSERTS

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13th
ST. DOMINIC'S HALL
11:00A.M. TO 1:00 P.M.

FREE WILL OFFERING
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Weekly Mass Intentions

September 5th (Sat)

5:30 p.m. St. Dominic

September 6th (Sun)

8:30 a.m. St. Francis Xavier

10:30 a.m. St. Dominic

September 8th (Tues)

8:30 a.m. St. Francis Xavier

September 9th (Wed)

5:30 p.m. St. Dominic

September 10th (Thurs)

8:30 a.m. St. Francis Xavier

September 11th (Fri)

8:30 a.m. St. Dominic

September 12th (Sat)

5:30 p.m. St. Dominic

September 13th (Sun)

8:30 a.m. St. Francis Xavier

10:30 a.m. St. Dominic

23rd Sunday, Ordinary Time

All parishioners Living & Deceased

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Don Hrenchir+

Dale & Cathleen Reed+

Ben & Marge Fox+

Nativity of the Bl. Virgin Mary

Bob Hood+

St Peter Claver, Priest

Richard Arnold+

Weekday, Ordinary Time

Corky Albright+

Weekday, Ordinary Time

Dolores Brucken+

24th Sunday, Ordinary Time

Timothy Lierz+

24th Sunday, Ordinary Time

Samantha Justice+

All parishioners Living & Deceased

Curious About The Catholic Faith?

✝ OCIA
(Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)

- You have never been baptized.
- You were baptized in another faith tradition.
- You are a baptized Catholic but have not received Confirmation and/or First Communion.
- You are just exploring what it means to be Catholic.

Class begins on: SEPT 10, 2026

Contact Person:
Angie Reith
(785) 364-3262
✉ jacocatholicsre@gmail.com

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

JOIN THE ST. DOMINIC BUILDING COMMITTEE
WE NEED YOUR HELP!

IDEAL CANDIDATE:

- Active Parishioner
- Able to Commit to Meetings
- Somewhat Knowledgeable in Construction/Design (Preferred but not required)

DEADLINE FOR NOMINATIONS: MID-OCTOBER AT THE LATEST

THE PASTOR WILL CHOOSE & ESTABLISH THIS COMMITTEE.
EMAIL NOMINATIONS TO: ✉ jdizon@archkck.org

THEMES: 23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR A

The 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A, focuses on responsibility, love, and community. The readings show how people should care for one another, correct each other, and live in love.

- **Responsibility for Others:** Ezekiel speaks about being a watchman. This means people have a duty to warn others when they are doing wrong.
- **Loving Others Fulfills the Law:** Paul teaches that love sums up all the commandments. If people love their neighbors, they will not harm them.
- **Correcting with Kindness:** Jesus explains how to correct someone who sins. The goal is to bring them back, not to shame them.
- **Church as a Community:** Jesus tells His followers to involve the church when needed. The church helps guide people toward what is right.
- **Power of Agreement:** Jesus says that when people agree in faith, their prayers matter. God listens when people pray together.
- **God's Presence in Unity:** Jesus promises to be present when people gather in His name. This shows the importance of faith and community.

The 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A, teaches about love, responsibility, and the role of the church. It reminds people to help each other grow in faith and goodness.
(YoungCatholics.com)



This Week on Formed

Week of September 06, 2026



What Catholics Believe About Mary: Immaculate Conception, Virginity

Join Dr. Edward Sri as he answers some of the internet's most asked questions about Mary. Who is Mary? Why do Catholics pray to Mary? How could she be a virgin if Jesus had brothers and sisters according to the Bible? Find out answers to these and more questions in this episode of What Catholics Believe.



Mary of Nazareth

What would it have been like to have known the Mother of God? Watch this beautiful film portraying the life of Mary in order to contemplate Mary's profound faith and the mysteries of her life.



Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

In this episode, Dr. Tim Gray and Dr. John Sehorn discuss the birthday of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

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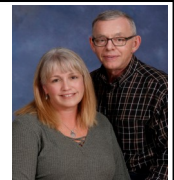
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