

The Catholic Community of Bradford

The Most Holy Trinity
May 31, 2026

Rev. John Jacquell
Pastor

Rev. Edward Walk
Senior Associate

Our Mission: We are a Catholic Christian community committed to being welcoming, outreaching to the homebound and forgotten, while strengthening the faith formation of our youth and adult members in their faith journey.

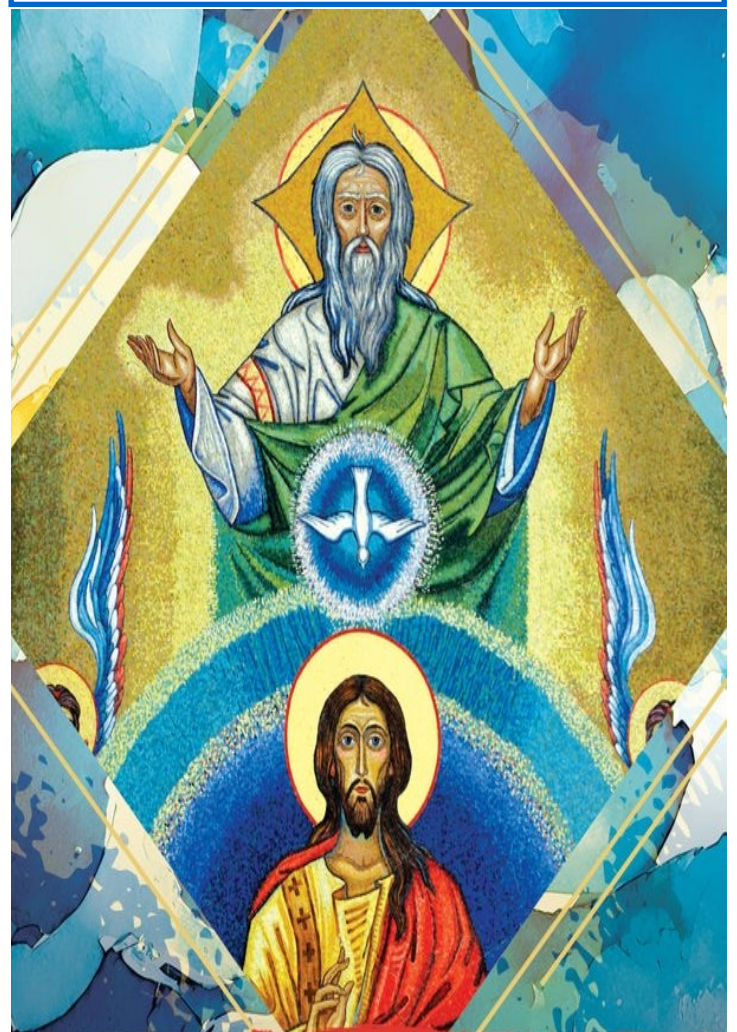
St. Bernard of Clairvaux
95 East Corydon Street, P.O. Box 2394
Bradford, PA 16701-5394



St. Bernard Masses
Saturday 4:00 pm
Sunday 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 11:30 am

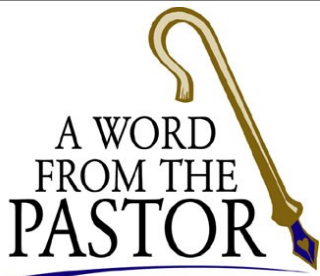
Divine Mercy Chapel Masses
Monday & Thursday — 9:00 am & 12:10 pm
Tuesday — 9:00 am Wednesday — 12:10 pm
Friday — 12:10 pm Saturday — 9:00 am

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St Bernard of Clairvaux - Bradford, PA
LIVE STREAMING SUNDAY 10 AM
Youtube.com
St. Bernard of Clairvaux, Bradford PA



THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life. - Jn 3:16-17



A church movement that has meant quite a lot in my life is called **Cursillo**. It means “small course” or “mini-course” in Spanish and refers to our Christianity. Our Religious Education Program (for youth) and Order of Christian Initiation (OCIA) for adults are structured to give more information, worship, and experiences of service over longer time periods. A Cursillo happens on a weekend.

Adults go away from home, beginning on Friday morning and ending on Sunday afternoon – staying at the site. They listen to talks by laypeople and clergy, engage in group discussions (and discoveries), celebrate Mass, rosary, Way of the Cross, morning and night prayers. So far, it sounds like a retreat. But in the midst of this, the candidates form and experience a Christian Community. The meals, informality, and music foster a camaraderie that is memorable – people remember their Cursillo Number and build memories of the weekend that stay. When you’re in school, you take a class to learn the facts, but participate in activities to become more engaged in the subject. Cursillo is more like the “lab” than the class, for as the weekend progresses more and more enjoyment and understanding takes place. I have worked on 28 teams and served as Spiritual Director for the Diocese years ago.

Please feel free to contact me to learn more about these weekends of personal renewal – upcoming are June 19-21 for men in St Marys, September 18-20 for men in Harborcreek, and October 9-11 for women in Harborcreek. For more information, check out www.ericursillo.org

I’m on the team for the Men’s Cursillo in September – a good time to begin to get St Bernard’s to return to this amazing experience!

Fr John



EUCCHARISTIC
Adoration

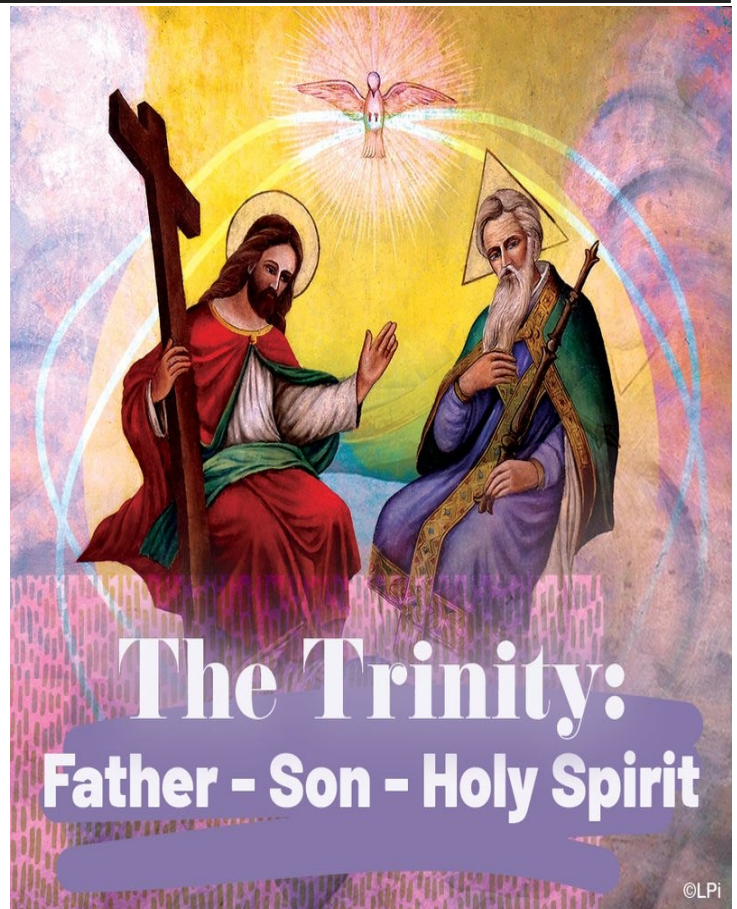
FIRST FRIDAY AT ST. BERNARD

We will have **Confessions on Thursday, June 4th** beginning at 4:30 pm at **St. Bernard**. If we need to stretch that beyond 5:00, that’s okay. God’s mercy knows no boundaries. **First Friday morning, June 5th** we will have Eucharistic Adoration at 9:00 in the Divine Mercy Chapel. We will need to ensure someone will be able to remain in the Chapel, thus there will be a sign-up list near the chapel door. 12:10 Mass will follow in the Chapel.

Eucharistic Adoration serves to deepen one’s relationship with Jesus and is rooted in the belief that Christ is truly present in the Eucharist. It is a time for personal prayer, meditation, and spiritual growth

GET TO KNOW OUR PRIESTS!

During the month of June, the whiteboard inside the entrance to the Church, will display fun facts about Fr. John & Fr. Ed. It will be an interactive display so please check it out weekly!



**The Trinity:
Father - Son - Holy Spirit**

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Trinity Prayer—O Divine Mystery, O Sacred Trinity!
Surround us with Your wisdom, love, power, and grace.
Draw us to Yourself. Help us to rest in Your goodness.
Amen.

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UPCOMING MEETINGS

Rosary Altar Society: TBA
Widow's Group: Summer break until September.
K of C #403 : Tuesday, June 9th @ 7:00 pm
Cemetery Board: Wednesday, July 8th @ 11:00 am
Pastoral Council: Tuesday, June 16th @ 6:00 pm
Finance Council: Thursday, June 18th @ 4:30 pm
SF 50+ Club: Summer Break
Liturgy Committee: Tuesday, September 1st @ 6:30 pm
Catholic Women's Club: TBA



WELCOME
 May 24, 2026

Wrenley Anne McDonald

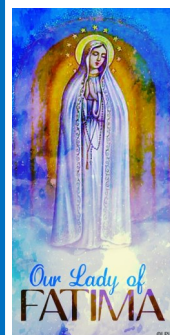


NOTICE: If you didn't get a baby bottle for the Bright Alternatives fundraiser there will be some at the Parish office for pickup. The bottles will be collected Father's Day weekend, June 20th-21st.



You can find the **prayer of the month** used by the Holy Father on the website popesprayer.va

"Be peacemakers at home, at school, in sports, everywhere. Never be violent, neither with words nor with gestures. Never! Evil can only be overcome with good."—Pope Leo XIV



MOVIE ALERT—on Monday, June 8th after the 9 am Mass ends, there will be a showing of a movie in Gallina Hall, about Mary's appearances to three children at Fatima in 1917. The movie will end in time to attend the 12:10 Mass if interested. If you have any questions you may contact Don Konwinski at 814-368-7971.



St. Bernard Sanctuary Candle will be burning this week in memory of John Iaderosa



The Bradford Council #403 of the Knights of Columbus
www.koc403.com

Meet on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm at the parish office. **Please Note: Next meeting on June 9th.** Council members are urged to attend, and new members are most welcome.

THANK YOU TO OUR ADVERTISERS

HOLLENBECK-CAHILL FUNERAL HOMES

CATHOLIC TRIVIA – **Question:** What's the official name for a person who is seeking to be baptized and initiated into the Catholic Church?

Answer: A Catechumen.

A FAMILY PERSPECTIVE—Just as the Father 'sent His Son into the world,' parents send their children into the world "so that the world might be saved." This is the missionary role of the Christian family. Your family is a school where your children develop convictions that enable them to make a difference in the world. Parenting is an awesome responsibility, not for the weak or transient.

COLLECTIONS

Total Collection - Needed Weekly: \$ 10,454
May 24..... \$ TBA
International Needs..... \$ TBA
2026 Combined CSA Assessment \$ 99,059
CSA 2026 Collected \$ 47,899

Checks for CSA must be made out to St. Bernard.
Please do NOT combine CSA or Second/Special Collections with weekly payments.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

St. Bernard Family Parish Directory - 2026

Photography by parishioner, Francie Long

Sittings are free and will include a free directory. Registrations are now being taken. Dates and times are listed below. Photo packages can be ordered that day

Please call the parish office to sign up at 814-362-6825.

- Saturday, June 6th after 4 PM Mass
- Sunday, June 7th after 11:30 AM Mass
- Saturday, June 13th after 4 PM Mass
- Sunday, June 14th after each Mass
- Saturday, June 21st after 4 PM Mass

(additional sitting times may be added if necessary)

Ask about Memorials of loved ones for purchase to help defray the cost of the directory printing for \$25 - \$100



3RD Marriage & Banns

EMILY BARNETT & JACOB BLEIER

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION—Fr. Justin Pino is hosting a Wedding Anniversary Celebration for the Eastern Vicariate this summer. We are grateful for the way he has stepped in to help honor and recognize our diocese's milestone anniversary celebrants in a meaningful way. Parishioners from the entire Eastern Vicariate are welcome to attend an in-person celebration at St. Leo Parish, Ridgway on Sunday, August 30, beginning at 2:00 pm. Registration links and details will be shared shortly. Save the date!

VOCATION—The calling or destiny in this life and hereafter. God has created us to love and serve Him: the fulfillment of this vocation is eternal happiness. The vocation of the laity is to see GOD and working His plan according to His will. St. Bernard of Clairvaux has gathered a committee to encourage the Church's vocations; priestly and religious vocations and the sacrament of marriage. As a starting point, the committee has created a Youth Bulletin that will be available in June. We are in the beginning stages of this task and welcome anyone who would want to be a part of a bigger plan...loving and servicing the Lord's desires. Leave your name and phone number at the office and a committee member will call you.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST & Recognition Ceremony



MAY 31ST
9:00 AM - 12:30 PM



Recognition Ceremony begins immediately following the 10:00 AM Mass.

FATHER LEO GALLINA HALL

ENJOY A DELICIOUS BREAKFAST!



Featuring:
**PANCAKES • SAUSAGE
SCRAMBLED EGGS**
Come hungry and enjoy a great meal!

BREAKFAST PRICING

\$10

ADULTS AND
CHILDREN
OLDER THAN 10 YEARS OLD

FREE

CHILDREN
10 AND UNDER



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**KNIGHTS OF
COLUMBUS**
+ COUNCIL 403 +


Come enjoy good food,
great fellowship, and
celebrate their achievements!



MARRIAGE MOMENT—Praying together feels awkward to me. Praying in the morning sounds inhuman. If morning is not your strength, maybe it fits your spouse better and he/she could take the lead, gently wake you, and read the scripture of the day. Even if you're still groggy, sometimes just showing up is a form of prayer.

June 2026

PRAY FOR PRIESTS CALENDAR

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 <i>Rev. Philip Oriole</i>	2 <i>Very Rev Scott Jabo, V.F.</i>	3 <i>Rev. James Campbell</i>	4 <i>Rev. Brian Vossler</i>	5 <i>Rev. Dennis Veltri</i>	6 <i>Rev. Glenn Whitman</i>
7 <i>Rev. David Wilson</i>	8 <i>Rev. Cesar Segovia</i>	9 <i>Rev. Zab Amar</i>	10 <i>Rev Lawrence Richards</i>	11 <i>Rev Msgr Daniel Magraw</i>	12 <i>Rev John Malthaner</i>	13 <i>Pray for Vocations</i>
14 	15 <i>Rev. Casimir Wozniak</i>	16 <i>Rev. Patrick McCormick</i>	17 <i>Rev Michael Polinek</i>	18 <i>Rev. Johnathan Schmolt</i>	19 <i>Rev Robert Manning</i>	20 <i>Rev Ignatius Camello, O.S.B.</i>
21 <i>Rev. Thomas Whitman</i>	22 <i>Rev. Msgr. James Sanner</i>	23 <i>Rev. Msgr. Richard Siefer</i>	24 <i>Rev Matthew Kujawinski</i>	25 <i>Rev Msgr Henry Kriegel</i>	26 <i>Rev James McCormick</i>	27 <i>Most Rev. Lawrence Persico</i>
28 <i>Rev. George Strohmeyer</i>	29 <i>Pray for Consecrated Life</i>	30 <i>Rev Jason Glover</i>				



Keynote Chorus
presents
Sweet Freedom

Free admission. Donations are appreciated.

June 6, 2026 at 3:00 pm
Univ. of Pitt Bradford
Harriet B. Wick Chapel
Bradford, PA

June 7, 2026 at 3:00 pm
Allegheny Baptist Church
3236 Maple Avenue
Allegheny, NY

This Keynote Chorus Concert is made possible with funds from the Statewide Community Regrant Program, a regrant program of the New York State Council on the Arts with the support of the Office of the Governor and the New York State Legislature and administered by the ARTS Council of the Southern Finger Lakes.

PARENTING POINTERS

Do you ever talk behind your child’s back? Sometimes this isn’t all bad. If your son or daughter “accidentally” overhears a compliment it can carry extra sincerity. If it’s a warning it may defuse defensiveness. If you’re just floating an idea, it can open later dialogue before making a commitment.

Secondary Infertility—We all know couples who desire to have children but struggle with infertility. But have you ever heard of “secondary infertility”? It’s a term that may not be familiar, but it’s an experience of infertility that can be uniquely isolating. Couples struggling with secondary infertility have one or more children but also have difficulty expanding their families. We can support these couples by refraining from making assumptions about their family size, avoiding intrusive questions, and affirming their marriages and the gift of their parenthood. For more resources and support, visit www.springsinthedesert.org



BULLETIN INFORMATION MUST BE RECEIVED IN WRITING BY NOON ON FRIDAY 2 WEEKS PRIOR TO BULLETIN DATE.

MEMBERSHIP: All Baptized Catholics should be registered, practicing and supporting members of a Parish. Only properly registered members appear on our parish list and are eligible to receive the benefits of parish membership for sacraments. Each parishioner is called upon to practice good stewardship of time, talent and treasure. If you are not currently receiving envelopes, you may not be registered. Call the Parish Office - we would love to meet you!

MARRIAGE: Couples need to contact a priest *at least six months before their wedding*. Registered and active participation needs to be considered before marriage.

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS: We welcome all inquiries about the Catholic faith. This **OCIA** process begins in the fall of the year. Please call the Parish Office for further information.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK: Please call the Parish Office to request the Sacrament of the Sick for family members who are seriously ill. Communion for the sick is taken to the hospital, nursing homes, and the home-bound on a regular basis.

BAPTISM: Both parents must attend the Pre-Baptism Preparation Program. Please call the St. Bernard Parish Office for dates and times of upcoming class. Baptisms are scheduled after completing the program. Call the Parish Office to schedule the class and baptism. Godparents must be at least 16, confirmed and active, registered members of their parish.

PASTORAL STAFF

Rev. John Jacquel, *Pastor*
Rev. Edward Walk, *Senior Associate*

LIVE STREAMING SUNDAY 10 AM

You Tube, **St Bernard of Clairvaux Bradford**

WEBSITE: <https://stbernardcatholic.org/>

FACEBOOK: **St Bernard of Clairvaux - Bradford Pa**

MAILING ADDRESS: PO Box 2394, Bradford, PA 16701

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday thru Friday: 8:30 am to 4 pm

Gina Davidson, *Business Manager*

Email: business@stbernardcatholic.org

Elaine Doriguzzi, *Administrative Assistant*

Email: office@stbernardcatholic.org

CONFESSIONS:

St. Bernard — Saturdays from 3:15 to 3:45 pm before 4:00 pm mass; Thursday before First Friday from 4:30 to 5 pm; After 9 am mass on Saturdays.

Private appointments may be made by calling the **Parish Office 362-6825**.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM (REP)

REP Coordinator: Cindy Greek

Students not attending Catholic school should be enrolled in REP programs. The Bradford Catholic Community Religious Education program is Grades 1—5 & Grades 6—9 (Confirmation). Please call the parish office for more information or email Cindy Greek @ StBernardREP@outlook.com

STEWARDSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Liturgical

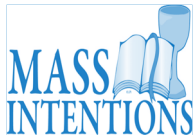
Altar Servers, Eucharistic Ministers and Lectors

Organist St. Bernard	Rita Bennardi
	Michael Hicks
Resurrection Choir	Joan Raabe
God's Housekeepers	Parish Office
Liturgy	Fr. John B Jacquel

Parish Community

Pastoral Council	Doug Kuntz
Catholic Women's Club	Joan Yohe
Rosary Altar Society	Dawn Kozminski
Telephone Prayer Chain	Natalie Marasco (598-5565)

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JUNE 1ST-JUNE 7TH Daily masses are in the Divine Mercy Chapel.
Weekend Masses in the Church.

Monday, June 1st

SBC 9:00 am Jim Ulyan (Rosemary Burke)
SBC 12:10 pm Bonnie Bock (Diane Scott)

Tuesday, June 2nd

SBC 9:00 am Aldo Pasquinelli (Mary Sue Yablonski)

Wednesday, June 3rd

SBC 12:10 pm Beverly Snyder-O'Neil (Pat Girard)

Thursday, June 4th

SBC 9:00 am All Parishioners
SBC 12:10 pm Rosario Fabian Family (Estate)

Friday, June 5th FIRST FRIDAY

SBC 9:00 am Eucharistic Adoration
SBC 12:10 pm Josephine McNamara (Family)

Saturday, June 6th

SBC 9:00 am Frank & Jennie Ulyan (Rosemary Burke)
SB 4:00 pm Marge Guthrie (Marty & Kris Sapko)

Sunday, June 7th

SB 8:00 am Vogg Family (Dan & Tammy Beeman)
SB 10:00 am Connie & Joe Cavallaro (Family)
SB 11:30 am Bob & Mary Cuthbertson (Family)

Weekly confessions: Saturdays after 9 am Mass & 3:15 to 3:45 pm before 4 pm Mass.



JUNE 6TH, 2026

Saturday: St. Bernard 4:00 pm

LECTOR: Jim Long
EM: Chris Pehonsky **CUP:** Dick Williams/Tammy Black
Servers: Aiden & Sean Kramer



JUNE 7TH, 2026

Sunday: St. Bernard 8:00 am

LECTOR: Mike Kozminski
EM: VOLUNTEER CUP: Dawn Kozminski/Chris Pehonsky
Server: Dave Hill

St. Bernard 10:00 am

LECTOR: Greg Ulyan
EM: Lynn Hogue **CUP:** Beth Mongillo/Gloria Scarano
Servers: Luke Erickson

St. Bernard 11:30 am

LECTOR: Sue Lee
EM: Kim Ditz **CUP:** Charlotte Cuthbertson/Carol Vinca
Server: Dan Cuthbertson



Please pray for those who are sick or suffering

Thomas Ackley, Virgil Anderson, Arnold Family, Dianne Barr, Mary Beth Behan, Nancy Black, Theresa Bond, Sue Bradley, Jenna Bresnehan, Nancy Bukowski, Michael Cagney, GiGi Carroll, Dominic "Frank" Cavallero, Tami Charters, Dick Clark, Kelly Costello, Melissa Cox, Billie Cummins, Madison Cunningham, Paul & Marianne Curcio, Jennifer Smith Dawson, Gerry Davis, Josh Dawson, Judy Dilick, Christine DiStrola, Brady Dolan, Denise Douthit, James Drumm, Alliyson Feldman, Ferguson Family, John Fornataro, Stepheny Franco, Robin Fuller, Emma Fuhrman, Chip Giordano, Pat Girard, Donna Gocella, Tonya Graves, Anthony Haller, Paul Hamer, Melissa Hannon, John Hart, Jill Henry, Joy James, Craig Johnson, Judy Keenan, Lilly Keesler, Mary Keesler, James Kibby, Bill Kline, Craig Kloss, Lisa Komidar, Chris Lechner, Don Long, Paula Louk, Judy Mazzeo, Susan McCann-Piganelli, Dan McCarthy, Pat McCormick, Anita Magnetti, Mariana Militelo, Ann Miller, Virginia O'Brien, Mary O'Connell, Chris Pehonsky, John Pockey, Joan Pointon, Dan Popiel, Courtney Prentiss, John Pupo, Linda Rabineau, Donna Rail, Anne Reed, Virginia & Ed Reed, Sandy Rhodes, Kathy Ryan, Jackie Schlegel, Steve Schmidt, Judy Signor, Steve Skaggs, Eileen Smith, Hailey Smith, Rosanne Strotman, Alex Tingley, Molly Thompson, Patricia Verelli, Damion Wasiewski, Heather Watson, Philip Weese & Family, Rick Wheaton, Matthew Whelan, Beckett Whitney, Jim Wineberg, Lisa Zurat.

May they be strengthened by the healing presence of God's Spirit.



**Readings for the week of
May 31st**



Sunday: Ex 34:4b-6, 8-9/Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56/2
Cor 13:11-13/Jn 3:16-18

Monday: 2 Pt 1:2-7/ Ps 91:1-2, 14-15b, 15c-16/
Mk 12:1-12

Tuesday: 2 Pt 3:12-15a, 17-18/ Ps 90:2, 3-4, 10, 14
and 16/Mk 12:13-17

Wednesday: 2 Tm 1:1-3, 6-12/ Ps 123:1b-2ab, 2cdef/
Mk 12:18-27

Thursday: 2 Tm 2:8-15/ Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14/
Mk 12:28-34

Friday: 2 Tm 3:10-17/ Ps 119:157, 160, 161, 165,
166,168/Mk 12:35-37

Saturday: 2 Tm 4:1-8/ Ps 71:8-9, 14-15ab, 16-17, 22/
Mk 12:38-44

Next Sunday: Dt 8:2-3, 14b-16a/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-
20/1 Cor 10:16-17/Jn 6:51-58