

SUPPORT OUR PRIESTS IN SEPTEMBER

## **Mass Announcements**

**Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**September 9/10**

Each September, the Clergy Trust allows us an opportunity to “Give Thanks for our Priests” in various ways. You may already be a part of their Prayer Challenge that is happening right now. Another way to give thanks for priests is to participate in next week’s special collection that benefits the Clergy Trust so that they can continue to provide health and wellness programs and support for all of our active and senior priests in good standing. If you want to learn more about the prayer challenge or if you want to make your gift to the collection today, visit [clergytrust.org](http://clergytrust.org).

**Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time (COLLECTION WEEKEND)**

**September 16/17**

There is a special second collection today benefitting the Clergy Trust which provides programs and support to care for the health and well-being of all active and senior diocesan priests in good standing. I can tell you firsthand that knowing we have the support of the Clergy Trust allows me and my brother priests to focus more of our attention on serving God and His people. Now, if you’re like me/most people, you probably don’t carry cash on you. If you’d like to go online to make your donation, please do so by scanning the QR code in the bulletin or by visiting [clergytrust.org](http://clergytrust.org). You can also take one of the envelopes from the back of the Church to bring home and send in later. Thank you so much for your generosity.

### **PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL FOR COLLECTION WEEKEND MASSES ONLY:**

For all of our active and senior priests in good standing who have dedicated their lives to tirelessly serving others. That they may continue to strengthen our communities through their ministry and bring the presence of Christ to all they encounter.

**Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**September 23/24**

On behalf of myself and my brother priests, thank you for your support of last weekend’s special second collection that benefitted the Clergy Trust. If you were unable to donate last week but would still like to contribute, please see the bulletin for ways to make your gift.