

**23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
September 8th, 2024**

He put his finger into the man's ears and, spitting, touched his tongue; then he looked up to heaven and groaned, and said to him, "Ephphatha!"— that is, "Be opened!" — And immediately the man's ears were opened, his speech impediment was removed, and he spoke plainly. (Mark 7:33b-35)

Mass Intentions	
Saturday	September 7th
9:00 AM	Sil & Darlene Egler, Deceased
4:00 PM	Raymond & Mabel Sutherlin, Dec.
Sunday	September 8th
7:30 AM	Kenneth Meeks, Deceased
9:15 AM	Pro Populo
11:00 AM	Jimena, Perla & Maria, Spec. Int.
Monday	September 9th
9:00 AM	Joseph Andrade, Deceased
Tuesday	September 10th
8:00 AM	Communion Service
Wednesday	September 11th
8:00 AM	Communion Service
6:30 PM	Rosemary Watts, Deceased
Thursday	September 12th
8:00 AM	Holy Souls in Purgatory
Friday	September 13th
8:00 AM	Joseph Andrade, Deceased
Saturday	Sept. 14th (Exaltation of the Cross)
9:00 AM	Joanne Gasiel, Deceased
4:00 PM	John Borowski, Deceased
Sunday	September 15th
7:30 AM	Donna Huismann, Deceased
9:15 AM	Donna Huismann, Deceased
11:00 AM	T.H. and Lupe Gil, Deceased

Saturday Vigil & Sunday Readings

First Reading: Then will the eyes of the blind be opened, the ears of the deaf be cleared; then will the lame leap like a stag, then the tongue of the mute will sing. (Isaiah 35:5-6)

Psalm: Praise the Lord, my soul! (Psalm 146)

Second Reading: Did not God choose those who are poor in the world to be rich in faith and heirs of the kingdom that he promised to those who love him? (James 2:5)

Gospel: "He has done all things well. He makes the deaf hear and the mute speak." (Mark 7:37)

MASS READINGS FOR THE WEEK

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time: Isaiah 35:4-7a; Psalm 146:7-10 ; James 2:1-5; Mark 7:31-37

Monday: 1 Corinthians 5:1-8; Psalm 5:5-7, 12; Luke 6:6-11

Tuesday: 1 Corinthians 6:1-11; Psalm 149:1-6, 9; Luke 6:12-19

Wednesday: 1 Corinthians 7:25-31; Psalm 45:11-12, 14-17; Luke 6:20-26

Thursday: 1 Corinthians 8:1b-7, 11-13; Psalm 139:1b-3, 13, 14b, 23-24; Luke 6:27-38

Friday: 1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22b-27; Psalm 84:3-6, 12; Luke 6:39-42


Saturday (Exaltation of the Holy Cross— morning Mass only): Numbers 21:4b-9; Psalm 78:1-2, 34-38; Philippians 2:6-11; John 3:13-17

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time: Isaiah 50:4c-9a; Psalm 116:1-6, 8-9; James 2:14-18; Mark 8:27-35

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 **Our Cry Room** is available for all families. Access is outside, at the front of the church on the north side.

Our SVdP Conference is in need of medium boxes and **additional volunteers!** Thank you for any help you can provide. Call 928-474-4476 for more info.

 **Anointing of the Sick Mass**
2nd Saturday monthly at **9:00 AM**
This month will be **September 14th.**
All are welcome.

Parish Faith Formation Begins!
1st-5th Grade: Thurs., Sept. 5, 2024 (4:30-5:30)
Please park in the parking lot and walk to the door of the hall to pick your child up at 5:30.
6th-12th Grade: Sunday, Sept. 8, 2024 (12:30-2:30)
(^ includes R.E., Confirmation, & Teen Ministry)

All Day Eucharistic Adoration: Sat, Sept. 21st
September Prayer Theme: Devotion to the Holy Angels
9 AM Mass; Adoration until 3 PM. We conclude with Benediction ****Sign up in church vestibule****

St. Philip's Volunteer Ministry Fair
Sept. 14th & 15th outside after all Masses

- Knights of Columbus
- Mystical Rose Sodality
- Religious Education
- Liturgical Ministries
- St. Philip Teen Apostles
- Ministry of Care
- Safety & Security Ministry
- St. Vincent de Paul
- Parish Vocation Ministry
- Annual parish events

Come see many ways you can serve as Jesus did.
"For the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many."
(Mark 10:45)

Parish Offertory: \$5,800.63
Online Giving: \$2,400.00
Building Fund: \$150.00
Fr. Rey's Mission: \$3,985.65
(Last weekend's collection)
Thank you all for your generosity! - Fr. Tom



Building Fund giving—yellow pew envelopes or please give online:

1. Visit our website: catholicpayson.com
2. Click the **Our Sunday Visitor Website** button
3. Create your account or donate as a guest
4. Give one-time or recurring to **Building Fund**

If you have questions contact the parish office:
928-474-2392

 **Thank You!** 

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)
Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is led by Laurine Halter and is on Tuesdays from 5:30-7pm in the hall. Please call Sarah Doerneman at **928-474-1269** or e-mail youthministrypayson@gmail.com
Still registering through September

 **Mystical Rose Sodality** 
What is a Sodality? In the Catholic Church a sodality is a lay society for religious & charitable purposes. **What is the Mystical Rose?** It is one of many titles given to Mary, Our Blessed Mother. The Mystical Rose Sodality is an organization which serves Christ and our parish community through the intercession of our Mother Mary. All Catholic women of Payson are invited to join. For more information call **Karen @ 480-518-3618.**

Volunteer Appreciation Dinner in the hall
Saturday, Sept. 7th @ 5:15PM
Please come and be appreciated!
You may bring your spouse or one guest.

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES
Sunday: 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time; Grandparents' Day
Monday: St. Peter Claver, Priest
Thursday: The Most Holy Name of Mary
Friday: St. John Chrysostom, Bishop and Dr of the Church
Saturday: The Exaltation of the Holy Cross (Feast)
Next Sunday: 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catechetical Sunday