

# September 13, 2019

# St. Mary's MESSENGER

#### This Week: Sept 9-14

Tuesday
11:00 AM
Morning Prayer

7:00 PM AA

Wednesday 12:00 PM Holy Eucharist II

Thursday 7:00 PM AA

Friday 7:00 PM AA

Saturday 8:00 AM Trash Off Meet at GUYCO yard

> Next Week: Sept 9-14

Tuesday 11:00 AM Morning Prayer

7:00 PM AA

Wednesday 12:00 PM

## From Your Priest:



"Lost and Found"
Luke 15:1-10

Ever had that sinking feeling when you can't find something? Where could you have left your (prescription) sunglasses that you need to drive. . .you retrace your steps, asking if anyone has seen them? (That

happened to me in Lampasas this week.) Did you ever have a dog you love run off? (Me, again last week—he came back after hours of searching and worry). Of course, it can get even more painful when you lose a relationship by any number of means. Loss equals pain, dislocation, and sometimes shock. Jesus seeks out loss, he calls the lost, and his joy is in finding. He is determined to find us. Jesus rejoices at the return to the fold. He never stops calling and he always receives us with joy. We get lost all the time. God never stops hoping for our return.

## Mid-Week Holy Eucharist

Rev. Bill has resumed Wednesdays at NOON. At the mid-week Eucharist, he preaches on the "Holy Women, Holy Men" calendar. Hope to see you there!

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

*Trash Off* will be this Saturday, September 14th. Meet 8:00 AM at the GUYCO Yard off US-190. Hope to see you there!

<u>Vestry</u> meets this Sunday, Sept. 15th in Hirst House following the 10:00 AM service.

Holy Eucharist II

Thursday 7:00 PM AA

Friday 7:00 PM AA

This Sunday Sept. 15, 2019

Exodus 32:7-14
Psalm 51:1-11
1Timothy 1:12-17
Luke 15:1-10

Celebrants:

Rev. William Fowler

Eucharistic

Minister:

Judith Ann McGhee

Acolyte

Charlotte Haynie

Altar Guild:

Tulisha/Charlotte

Ushers:

Brian Williams

Vestry person:

QUICK LINKS
Our Website

Paul Wilborn

The Diocese of Texas

The Lectionary



The Lampasas Mission is in need of some supplies. If you can help donate to this amazing program, it would be greatly appreciated!

oatmeal
pancake mix
canned soups
Ramen soups
1 lb cans of coffee
misc pastas
tomato sauce
canned meats
frozen beef or pork
paper towel
toilet paper
feminine hygiene products

Their hours for accepting donation are Mondays 5-8 pm, Tuesdays & Thursdays 1-3 pm. Thank you!

\*\*Ladies Fall Bible Study\*

"To Live Is Christ" - A Study on the Apostle Paul (Videos by Beth Moore)

Led by D'Anne Willis 10:00 AM

Tuesdays, Sept. 10th - Nov. 19th or

Thursdays, Sept. 12th - Nov. 21st

507 S. Arnold Street, Lampasas, Texas

Contact Martha Casbeer for workbooks (\$18.00)

(512) 556-8388 or tomandmarthacasbeer@gmail.com

Come join us as we study God's Word!

### THINK ON THIS:

"The Lord is patient and gentle, never too hurried for you. May knowing that give you wisdom for how you approach your day."

• — Brad S. Swope, <u>Anchor Devotional</u>, September 2019.

Teach us to number our days aright, that we may gain a heart of wisdom. Psalm 90:12

"God is love. Love is planning for us. Love has planned the best that Love could plan."

· Amy Carmichael, Edges of His Ways, 1955.



## How about a laugh?

Genesis 3:19 says, "You are dust, and to dust you will return." That's why I don't dust...it might be somebody I know!

#### **Bow the Knee**

"Trust the heart of your Father when the answer goes beyond what you can see..." -Chris Machen

#### Prayer List:

Melanie Delaune & Family, The Lang Family, Randy Johnson, Larry & Becky Hart, Roz & J.M. Finley, Wilder Brown, Anne Brown, Jim Richardson, Jim & Pat Anderson, Margaret King Cole, Jerry Richardson, Glynda, Kiersten, David, Mary JP, Norman, Karal, Buck, Alex, Debbie, Jack, Bryant, Darren, & John.

All bishops and ministers and those in authority in government.

Blessed be God who has not rejected my prayer, nor withheld his love from me. **Psalm 66:18** 

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