

## **Vocation Bulletin Blurbs**

### **2019 Ordinary Time Weeks 1-8**

#### **2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – January 20**

Mary gives Jesus “a nudge” to perform the miracle at Cana. Have you ever felt nudged by someone to make a difference in the lives of others? Ask the Blessed Mother to help guide you to your vocation. For more information, contact the vocation office at 315-470-1468.

#### **3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – January 27**

There are many parts in the Body of Christ, that is the Church. Some are called to religious vocations. Do not be afraid to take up your place. For more information on vocations to the priesthood and religious life, visit: [www.vocations-syracuse.org](http://www.vocations-syracuse.org).

#### **4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – February 3**

“Love is patient, love is kind...” Today’s reading is a favorite at weddings, but it is the theme song of religious vocations, as well. St. Therese, the Little Flower, proclaimed, “I have found my vocation, and it is love.” What is your calling? For help with discernment, contact the vocation office at 315-470-1468.

#### **5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – February 10**

Isaiah felt unworthy when he was called to be a prophet. You do not have to be perfect to follow God. God does not call the qualified. Rather He qualifies the called. For more information on vocations, please visit: [www.vocations-syracuse.org](http://www.vocations-syracuse.org).

#### **6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – February 17**

The Beatitudes are a life-changing teaching. They need to be proclaimed today, just as much as they did the day Jesus taught them for the first time. If you feel called to teach as Jesus did, contact the Vocations Office at 315-470-1468.

### **7<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – February 24**

What strikes you in today's readings? Mercy? Generosity? They seem to go hand-in-hand in each of the Scripture readings we hear today. They certainly flow together in the Sacraments which come to us through the hands of priests. If God is asking to use your hands, be generous. For more information on vocations, please visit: [www.vocations-syracuse.org](http://www.vocations-syracuse.org).

### **8<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – March 3**

We are invited to consider the fruit of a tree today. What is the fruit of your family tree? Have you encouraged your children and grandchildren to ask the Lord what He wants of their lives. This is an important invitation to pass on to the next generation in your family tree. For help finding what God's plan is, contact the Vocations Office at 315-470-1468.