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This Week at CCM:

Tuesday 9/13 at 8 pm– Praise and Worship

Wednesday 9/14 at 6:30 pm– Escape and Unwind

**Thursday 9/15 at 7 pm to 9:00 pm– Adoration and Confession
9:15 pm– Mass**

Friday 9/16 at 12 pm– Mass & Friday Fellowship Lunch

Mark Your Calendars:

Saturday 9/24– Fall Day Hike and Andy's Frozen Custard

More information on the back of the bulletin

Sunday 9/25 following 10:15 Mass– Greek Mass and Midnight Buffet

If you are apart of Greek Life, come to our 10:15 mass and wear your letters. There will be a buffet provided afterwards. Bring your friends; everyone is invited.

Saturday 10/1– Fall Clean Up Day

CCM will be cleaning up on 10/1. There will be two opportunities; 10-12pm and 12-2pm. Pizza will be provided.

Saturday 10/15– Homecoming Weekend

More information to follow.

RCIA: Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

For those who are interested in becoming Catholic or learning more about the Catholic faith, we invite you to come to our RCIA. We meet Wednesdays, from 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm. For information, please contact Sr. Michelle at [417-599-0199](tel:417-599-0199) or email at sistermichelle@ccm847.org.

**September 18,
2016**

**Twenty-Fifth
Sunday of
Ordinary Time**

Mass Schedule

Sunday Mass

11:00 a.m.

7:30 p.m.

10:15 p.m.

Weekday Mass

Monday-Friday: 12 p.m.

Thursday: 9:15 p.m.

Confessions

Thurs 7:00-9:00 p.m.

or by appt.

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Girardeau.

Reflection by Fr. Tom

“You cannot serve both God and mammon” (Luke 16:13). No one in church today would question this teaching of Jesus. No one would ever think this teaching is addressed to him or her. No one. And none of Jesus’ listeners would ever have thought Jesus’ words were directed to themselves. No one. Nor do we. Perhaps we can think of others to whom these words might be applicable, but not us. John L. McKenzie, in his Dictionary of the Bible, notes that the word *mammon* occurs four times in the New Testament and never in the Hebrew scriptures. When it does appear in the targums and the Talmud, it usually means property and this includes money but is not restricted to it. McKenzie points out that when it is used in rabbinical writings, it often has a negative connotation. McKenzie also notes that the word sometimes takes on the personification of a god. This reminds me of Good Friday’s reading of the Passion. Pilate asks, “Do you want me to release to you the King of the Jews?” They cried out again, “Not this one but Barabbas!” (John 18:39b-40). The name, Barabbas, means “son of the father.” In John 8:41, Jesus said to his accusers, “You are doing the works of your father!” A few verses later, Jesus spoke of the devil as “the father of lies” (John 8:44). In the Passion, when the shouters call for Barabbas, they are asking not for Jesus, the Son of the Father, but for another who is the son of the devil. They chose mammon. They did not choose the one who was sent by the Father. They chose the one sent by the devil who wanted to usurp the Father’s Kingdom. They chose mammon. Jesus turned his world upside-down. He didn’t promise people the foolish dreams of a civil insurrectionist; he promised the cross. “You cannot serve both God and mammon.” You can’t pick up your cross and expect to do your own will, to live your own life. Mammon will give you security, your own will, Barabbas; Jesus offers the cross, sacrifice, salvation with God in the Kingdom. What will you choose?

Amazon:

Do you shop a lot on Amazon? If so, CCM could receive a donation from your purchase. Before you place your order, go to <https://smile.amazon.com>. Under the search bar, there is an option to add a charity. Add “OReilly Catholic Student Center.” This allows CCM to receive .5% of your order total to no cost to you! There is also a link on our website, ccm847.org.

CCM Student Contributions

Sunday Collections are a major part of Catholic Campus Ministry’s funding. Without them, we can not provide many of the activities we have each week. We ask that if you can, give \$5-\$10 a week or make a one time donation of \$50-\$100 per semester. We accept cash, check, and there are slips in the pews for credit card payments. Any amount is appreciated and makes a difference. Thank you for your generosity.

Collections for September 11, 2016

11 am - \$308
7:30 pm - \$478
10:15 pm - \$31
Total – \$787

First Communion and/or Confirmation

For any Catholic students who need to make First Communion and/or Confirmation, there is a separate track for you. We meet on Thursdays, from 9:30 am –10:30 am. For information, please contact Sr. Michelle at [417-599-0199](tel:417-599-0199) or email at sistermichelle@ccm847.org.

Friday Lunch

If you plan on eating Friday lunch throughout the semester, you can buy a lunch pass for \$24!

Fall Day Hike and Andy’s Frozen Custard

Come celebrate the beginning of fall with us on a day hiking trip!! We will meet at CCM @ 11:00 and then carpool to Two Rivers Trail in Nixa. After the hike we will then go to Andy’s on South Campbell for some frozen custard!!

What to Bring- water, tennis shoes, hat, sunglasses, sunscreen, bug spray, your sense of adventure, and a snack (if you want)

If you want to meet us at the trail the address is below (we will probably arrive at the trail around noon)
Two Rivers- M-140-A, Highlandville, MO 65669

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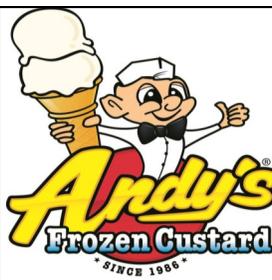
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