

# Ambo Announcements

## Eighteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

### August 3, 2025

- Our charitable tithes this Sunday will go to the [Saint Clare Home](#), which is a home for unwed mothers right here in our diocese. We're very happy to support this important outreach!
- The flowers in the sanctuary this weekend are in honor of the Baptism of Gianna Margaret Carideo. *Congratulations!*
- This Sunday, August 3, we'll have sign-ups for our Saint Cecilia Girls' Choir. All girls and young women of the parish are invited to join the choir and serve God and our parish through sacred song.
- Starting this Monday, August 4, we will now have the Stations of the Cross *every Monday* at 7:00 PM. The Stations have become a popular devotion, and more people would like to walk and pray them together. *All are welcome!*
- Our next Saint Paula Dinner is this Tuesday, August 5, at 5:00 PM. All widows of the parish are invited and encouraged to come for fellowship and formation. I've been asked to speak to the group and will be talking about Our Lady as one of the patronesses of widows. Please remember to bring your copy of the Liturgy of the Hours.
- Next Sunday, August 10, we have our annual School Supply Drive. The school supplies will go to local schools in need. The schools are asking for three specific items: Clorox cleaning wipes; Kleenex tissues; Hand Sanitizers. Please bring these items with you to church and drop them off at the portico before Mass. Members of our Helping Hands ministry will be on-site to help you.
- Next Sunday, August 10, we'll have our next Blood Drive. All Christians who are able to give blood are strongly asked to show their love for life and sign up to give blood. Giving blood is giving life! There is an urgent shortage of blood in our area. Sign-ups are needed beforehand. [Here's the link.](#)