Or, in the spirit of our first reading, our lives could be world today; we pray that we will soon find ways of distributing Jesus. People thought that there was a limited amount of worthwhile to consider some of the understanding at the time of their best to undo the efforts of the poor people. It might be This type of thing is what many poor people in third and fourth this man Jesus in no way turned His hand this way, but in outrage the person not being able to enjoy what his labors provided him. They realized that this kind of greed would end with the greedy their day, they would have been prepared to laugh even more build bigger ones. Given their understanding of the culture of Jesus talked about the rich man tearing down existing barns to Regarding the parable that Jesus told, it is helpful for us to keep handled, and that that brother might not have any right to it to end with. Jesus’ second statement about greed keeps Him free from this non-ending argument by addressing how both brothers might be greedy. We pray that we develop the wisdom to realize when we or others engage in this dynamic and how to keep ourselves from being duped.

Regarding the parable that Jesus told, it is helpful for us to keep in mind that these conversations happened in public with any number of people watching and listening. The people would have been supposed to laugh even more heatedly when Jesus said how the man intended to live miserly. They realized that this kind of greed would end with the greedy person not being able to enjoy what his labors provided him. Jesus in no way turned His hand this way, but in outrage the townpeople may have out of a sense of justice found a way for this man’s abundance to be shared with the needy.

This type of thing is what many poor people in third and fourth world countries have tried to do and continue to make efforts in this regard. Sadly, folks from first world countries and even religious entities often see this as creeping communism and do their best to undo the efforts of the poor people. It might be worthwhile to consider some of the understanding at the time of Jesus. People thought that there was a limited amount of everything, especially possessions, and that anyone with excess was expected to share at least some of it with those who were needy. For example, there is more than enough food in the world today; we pray that we will soon find ways of distributing it so that we can erase hunger from our social life.

If we don’t, we might find ourselves being considered foolish because we did not use our political, social, governmental structures and systems to take care of all God’s beloved people. Or, in the spirit of our first reading, our lives could be considered to have been lived in vain.

---Fr. Roman

**Sunday, August 4th**

1:00pm EM, Lector, & Tech Formation Church
1:00pm Usber & Greeter Formation St. Cecilia rm.
6:00pm LUX Young Adults Y 2
6:00pm Reflections of the Word St. Cecilia rm.
7:00am Tai Chi Church
9:15am Lection Divina St. Cecilia rm.
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7:00am Tai Chi Church
8:00am Diocesan Chapel Church
9:00am Community Meal Halls
1:00pm Tai Chi Church

**Monday, August 5th**

7:00am Men’s Prayer Group M 4

**Tuesday, August 6th**

3:00pm Telephone Prayer Group St. Cecilia rm.

**Wednesday, August 7th**

1:00pm Tai Chi Church
8:00am Diocesan Chapel Church
6:00pm Community Meal Halls
11:30am Tai Chi Church
4:00pm Diocesan Chapel Church
5:00pm Tai Chi Church
8:00pm Tai Chi Church

**Thursday, August 8th**

1:00pm Tai Chi Church
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**Friday, August 9th**

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**Saturday, August 10th**

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8:00pm Tai Chi Church

**Mass Intentions**

**Sunday, August 4th**

8:00am Lux Maruken (D)
12:00pm Rita Crife (D)
5:00pm Mary Yeggy (D)

**Monday, August 5th**

7:00am David Collier (D)
2:00pm Jody Smit (D)
5:00pm Dominic S. Cairel (D)

**Tuesday, August 6th**

7:00am Shyla Feliciano (D)
2:00pm Richard Nodlinski (D)
5:00pm David Collier (D)

**Wednesday, August 7th**

7:00am Judy Smit (D)
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Please prayerfully discern how you may serve your parish family at any of our Masses, and contact elaine@divinesavior.com for further information. You will only be scheduled according to YOUR availability, whether once a week, once a month, or once in a blue moon! If you are a current minister, please also update whether once a week, once a month, or once in a blue moon! Your schedule availability to include the 5:30pm Mass if this is an option for you. 

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Moving on fellowship 
Our next meeting is this Monday, Aug. 5, 10:30am no-host brunch, Annie’s Restaurant (back room), Beech & Greenback. We welcome all who have lost a loved one, and as widows and widowers ourselves, we try to offer support, friendship, prayer and practical help to the bereaved. This month’s gathering is strictly social, no set program, as leader is on vacation.

Parish Announcements

Save the date! 
Ministry Fair and fingerprinting 
For new volunteers! Sunday morning August 25, in the parish Gymnasium, 8:30am-1:00pm. 
New feature at the fair: Sign up to be a new parish volunteer and do your fingerprinting on site (this FREE service will be available from 10am till 12noon)

Parish Announcements

Fair trade coffee 
Sales will take place NEXT Saturday and Sunday, August 10th & 11th at each Mass in the Vestibule.

Parish Announcements

Collection for the church in Latin America (Share your faith) 
Next weekend, we will take up the Collection for the Church in Latin America. For many in Latin America and Caribbean, a rising secular culture, difficult rural terrain, and shortage of ministers present obstacles to practicing their faith. Your support to the collection provides lay leadership training, catechesis, priestly and religious formation, and other programs to share our faith with those who long to hear the Good News of Christ. Envelopes are available in the vestibule. To learn more about how you make a difference, please visit www.usccb.org/latin-america.

Parish Announcements

Year over year plate collection performance 
YTD thru Week # 4 Online Week # 4 giving
2019-2020 Year $13,890 $63,811 $561.50
2018-2019 Year $9,038 $58,171

Parish Announcements

Around the Diocese

Unbound: Freedom in Christ Conference 2019 
Saturday, August 10, 2019 • 9am - 5pm 
St. Isidore Parish 
222 S. Clark Avenue, Yuba City, CA 95991 
Matt Lozano will lead the 2019 Diocesan Unbound Freedom in Christ Conference which will empower you to break the powerful chains in your life, so that you can walk in the fullness of freedom.
Register online for $60 in advance or $75 at the door (this FREE service will be available from 10am till 12noon)
Questions? Contact Jazmin Garcia at the Office of Clergy Formation at 916-733-0244 or jgarcia@sed.org

Faith Formation News

Faith formation at Divine Savior Enroll now! 
Do you have a school-age child in your family? Divine Savior offers vibrant and comprehensive faith formation sessions for ages Kindergarten through 12th grade! Please check out our website at divinesavior.com and click on the faith formation tab at the top of the home screen. There you will find more information about all of our programs, as well as online enrollment forms. Faith Formation will kick off on September 8th! Enrollment in the church vestibule on Sunday, August 18th, 9am—1pm as well as at the church office during the week and online. Any questions? K–5th grade email Jen Shaver at jennifer@divinesavior.com 
6th – 8th grade email Denise Hackett at denise@divinesavior.com or Daniel Ardon at danieljamesardon@gmail.com 
high school and Confirmation preparation email Debbie or Daniel at lifeteen@divinesavior.com

Faith Formation News

Are you thinking of becoming catholic? 
If you are thinking of becoming Catholic, there are RCIA sessions called “Inquiry.” In a warm and accepting environment, you are welcome to share your questions. If you are interested, please contact the parish office or sharon@divinesavior.com

Faith Formation News

Enrollment for rcia adapted now 
Divine Savior is enrolling children/young wanting to know about Jesus Christ and how Catholics live the Christian faith. Children/Youth, ages 7-17, who are not baptized or older children who haven’t made their First Communions are welcome to enroll in the preparation process called Rite of Christian Initiation adapted for young people. Call Sharon Latinen, 916-989-7400 or sharon@divinesavior.com.

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