

June 15, 2021

Good Morning All,

1. Today's Readings: [Tuesday of the Eleventh Week in Ordinary Time | USCCB](#)

2. The RE Corner with Jan Heithaus: The weather says it's summer and the official beginning is next week. So whether we are off to the beach or enjoying a "staycation", some summer reading may be just the thing. Below are some links to Catholic websites



with some interesting sounding books for your leisure time.

If you would like to join our book discussion groups here at the parish, we would love to have you come!! There are 2 groups that meet the same day of the month, one at 3:00 pm and the other at 6:30 pm. Watch the bulletin and the sign in the narthex for details.

Below is the list of books we will be reading during the next few months:

Book discussion group schedule for the next few months:

Tuesday, June 22	The Truth about St. Joseph by Fr. Maurice Meschler
July	No meeting
Thursday, August 26	Meet Solanus Casey by Br. Leo Wollenweber
Thursday, Sept. 23	Angels (and demons) by Peter Kreeft

And one of the best kept secrets at St Joseph's is our lending library that is in the church office building at 1303 McLees Rd. Come explore and take home a good book today!

Summer reading:

<https://epicpew.com/catholic-summer-reading/>

<https://aleteia.org/2019/06/07/10-catholic-novels-to-take-to-the-beach-this-summer/>

And for the children...

<https://osvnews.com/2021/05/24/a-summer-reading-list-for-catholic-kids-of-all-ages/>

3. Quotes of the Day:

~ "Only God knows the good that can come about by reading one good Catholic book." *St. John Bosco*

~ " Help yourself during this troubled period by reading holy books. This reading provides excellent food for the soul and conduces to great progress along the path of perfection. By no means is it inferior to what we obtain through prayer and holy meditation. In prayer and meditation it is ourselves who speak to the Lord, while in holy reading it is God who speaks to us. Before beginning to read, raise your mind to the

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Lord and implore Him to guide your mind Himself, to speak to your heart and move your will." *St. Padre Pio*

~ "As the reading of bad books fills the mind with worldly and poisonous sentiments; so, on the other hand, the reading of pious works fills the soul with holy thoughts and good desires." *St. Alphonsus Maria de Liguori*

St. Joseph, Pray for Us!

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