

ST. ALOYSIUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind." - Mt 22:37

Masses on the Solemnity of All Saints A Holy Day of Obligation

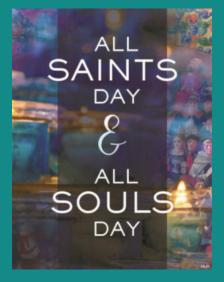
Wednesday, November 1, 2023 6:00 AM, 8:00 AM (All School Mass) *12:00 Noon & 6:00 PM

Mass on All Souls Day Thursday, November 2, 2023 at 8:00 AM

* Mass is livestreamed via Aloysius.org and Facebook



It's Parish Fair Weekend October 27-29, 2023 Reminder: Outdoor Mass | Sunday at 9:00 AM Parish Fairgrounds (See page 7 for more info) See you at the Fair!





REGULAR MASS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY

† 4:30 PM

SUNDAY

7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM & 5:30 PM

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday, Wednesday 6:00 AM Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8:00 AM

† = Holy Mass is shared live online aloysius.org/livestream or Facebook live

EUCHARISTIC EXPOSITION ADORATION & BENEDICTION

Every Thursday 8:30 AM-9:00 AM 1st Wednesday of each month 6:30 AM-7:00 AM 3rd Saturday of the month 8:00 AM-3:00 PM*

*Gonzaga Hall Chapel

SACRAMENTS

RECONCILIATION

3:30 PM - Saturday 6:30 AM - Monday, Wednesday 7:30 AM - Tuesday, Thursday, Friday

Confessions at the scheduled times are offered only when the adjacent scheduled Holy Mass is celebrated.

By appointment: please call the Pastoral Services Center at 343-6657 to schedule with a priest.

BAPTISM

Contact the Pastoral Services Center at 343-6657. Baptismal preparation is required.

CONFIRMATION

Adult Confirmation is hosted annually. For those under 18, Confirmation typically occurs in the fall of their junior year of high school. Preparation is required, including PSR. for teens not enrolled in a Catholic high school, Please contact the Pastoral Services Center for more detailed information.

MARRIAGE

Engaged couples should contact the priest at least six months prior to their anticipated wedding date.

PASTORAL SERVICES

FUNERALS

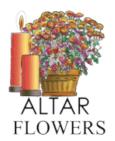
Please contact the Pastoral Services Center at 343-6657 prior to scheduling with the funeral home. Please follow voicemail instructions if after hours.

CARE OF THE SICK

Families of the sick are encouraged to contact the Pastoral Services Center at 343-6657. Communion is brought to the sick weekly. Hospital visits are also made weekly.

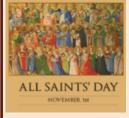


Rose Mary Ponsock Brown



The Altar Flowers on October 29, 2023 were given in loving memory of Bert Dantin by Cindy Dantin.

ST. ALOYSIUS CATHOLIC CHURCH BEREAVEMENT MASS AND DINNER



All who have a deceased family member or loved one who was buried from St. Aloysius Parish since All Saints Day 2022 are invited to Mass and Dinner Wednesday, November 1, 2023, 6:00 PM Mass.

After the Mass, the Bereavement Committee will serve a Gumbo Dinner in the Parish Hall where you will be given a Cross in memory of your loved one.

Please register to attend by contacting Ken Thevenet at kthevenet@staloysiusparish.com, or phone 343-6657, ext. 20 with the name of your deceased loved one with the number of guests attending.

Attention 2nd Grade Parents

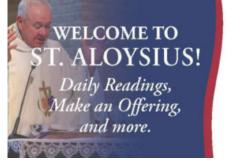


First Reconciliation and Eucharist letters and registration were sent home this week to our St. Aloysius School Second Grade Parents and PSR Second Grade Parents. If you have not **REGISTRATION** received the information, please contact Tricia Greely at 343-6657, tgreely@staloysiusparish.com or you may also access the information here:

Letter and Registration

PSR 1-6 Grade News

PSR 1-6th grade will not have Class on Sunday. October 29th! **Come enjoy our Parish Fair!**





Our Challenge

Dear friends:

The verses of our Old Testament passage this weekend from the Book of Exodus support Jesus' own contention that all of God's laws are based on love of God and love of neighbor. The Israelites were not to oppress the foreigner, not to ignore the needs of widows and orphans, and not to take advantage of the poor. God hears the cries of the oppressed and opposes the sins of the oppressors. The Apostle



Paul commends the earliest Christians at Thessalonika, Greece, for becoming a model for all believers. Faith in God is to be demonstrated in a way of life. These earliest Christians were more servants than masters. Their reputation extended far and wide, and their manner of life and service was a "sounding forth" of the word of the Lord. This weekend's gospel passage rings with clarity! Jesus leaves no doubt concerning the true nature of religious faith. The rules and rituals of religion can be summarized in two simple commandments. First, we are to love God with all our hearts, souls, and minds. Second, we are to love our neighbor as we love ourselves. Obedience to these two commandments fulfills the will of God for every human being. Since we have had them so long, and since they have never been particularly controversial, it is a little surprising that the Ten Commandments have been in the news in recent years. The issue, of course, is not so much the Ten Commandments themselves as where it is appropriate, even legal, to display these ancient verses. It is important in every age to remember that God's laws are guidelines for living, not merely objects of veneration. "Love" is a word with which we play fast and loose. To love God and other people as Jesus did is the most difficult thing in the world. There is always more life in relationships than in rules. The two-part "greatest" commandment points to the kind of relationship God wants with us. Not a legal relationship, where we have to constantly prove ourselves worthy. Not a formal relationship, where conditions being met are more important than intimacy. God loves us as we are, and God wants to be our loved One, our merciful Father, our dearest friend.

Have a good week!

Love and prayers, Father Randy



November Remembrance of the Dead

Pray with us as we remember all those who have died. At St. Aloysius, we will remember the dead in the following ways:

- A Bereavement Cross has been placed near the Tabernacle in the church for those buried from St. Aloysius Parish in the past year. On November 1, family members who attend the Bereavement Dinner will be given the cross of their loved one during the dinner. You may also pick up the cross from tables located near the Tabernacle. If you are unable to pick up your loved one's cross, please call the church office and the cross will be mailed to you.
- Digital Book of Remembrance has been created on our website https://www.aloysius.org/remembrance You may add the names of any of your deceased loved ones to this online book so that our parishioners may remember all those who have died. There will also be a Book of Remembrance in the Church where you may write the names of your deceased loved ones. This physical book will be in the Tabernacle area of the Church.
- We do accept Mass Intentions for the dead for our regular daily and Sunday Masses. We also accept Altar Flower Memorials for those who have died. See the parish website for more information: https://www.aloysius.org/mass-intentions-and-memorials

HERE TO SERVE

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PASTORAL COUNCIL		

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Administration
Renee Graff & Patrick Downs
Community Life
Ernie Spreen & Kelli Troutman
Education
Stephanie Politz & Stephanie Crews
Social Responsibility
Dan Holliday & Mary Kathryn Gastinel
Spiritual Growth
Josh Reed & Erin Walker
Worship
Jeh Broyles & Evelyn Greenwood

WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

- Ben Harger
- Andrew, Michelle and Christopher Cass
- Reygan Coxe
- Eric, Jacqueline and Paul Sanchez
- Patty LaBruyere



Silver Rose Prayer Service

All members of the community are encouraged to join our Knights of Columbus Council 3743 at St. Aloysius Catholic Church on Monday, November 6, 2023 at 5:30 PM for a Rosary Prayer Service. Make plans for you and your family to attend.

The journey of the silver rose begins each year in March and ends December 12, the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe. Every stop the Silver Rose makes throughout the pilgrimage is a Rosary-centered occasion for Knights, parishioners and community members to pray for respect for life. The Silver Rose program demonstrates the unity between Knights of Columbus in Canada, the United States and Mexico, through a series of prayer services promoting the dignity of all human life and honoring Our Lady.

The Silver Rose Program began in 1960, when the first rose – a real, live one – was blessed by a bishop in Ontario. The rose then traveled to New York and then to Texas where it was taken across the border into Mexico. The rose ended its pilgrimage at the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Monterrey on Dec. 12, the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe. To better ensure future annual trips, a silver rose was ultimately made. Today, due to

the popularity of the program throughout the North American continent, eight silver roses travel unique routes. Contact John Waitz for any questions.

John@hometitlecompany.com



Mass on the Fairgrounds Sunday, October 29, 2023

Fr. Randy and Fr. Nutan will celebrate the 9:00 AM Mass on the fairgrounds this Sunday. There will not be a 9:00 AM Mass in the church on this day. You are encouraged to bring your own lawn chairs and blankets for seating around the outdoor altar. Some chairs will be available for those without chairs. Please join us after Mass for music from the LSU Gospel Choir and brunch!

In case of rain, this Mass will be celebrated in the church.



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Join the Knights of Columbus

We would love to have you join our brotherhood. Please come and pray a Rosary and share a meal with us, which we do every third Wednesday of the month at 6:00 PM in the KC Hall at St. Aloysius. For more information, please visit our page on Facebook by searching "<u>Council 3743</u>" or reach out to <u>Justin Schleis</u> at 773-480-5960.





† 1st Tuesday of every month 7:00 PM † 1st Wednesday of every month 6:30 AM + Every Thursday 8:30 AM + 3rd Saturday of the month*

Communion Service - 8:00 AM Adoration 8:35 AM - 3:00 PM

*Gonzaga Hall Chapel

Prayer for Peace in Israel & Middle East

WE REMEMBER THOSE WHO LIVE IN THE HOLY LAND NOW CAUGHT UP IN THE DISASTROUS EVIL OF WAR WE PRAY FOR OUR SISTERS AND BROTHERS BOTH OF ISRAEL AND THE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE WHO ARE SUFFERING FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED VICTIMS OF VIOLENCE, FOR THOSE HELD CAPTIVE AND ARE FEARED LOST TO THEIR FAMILIES; FOR THOSE GRIEVOUSLY WOUNDED BY BULLETS AND BOMBS; FOR THOSE WHO HAVE LOST HOPE IN A PEACEFUL LIFE.

WE HAVE IN OUR DAY, O LORD, NO ONE ELSE TO TURN TO BUT YOU.

IT IS THROUGH YOUR POWER THAT HATRED IS OVERCOME BY LOVE, VENGEANCE GIVES WAY TO FORGIVENESS, AND DISCORD IS CHANGED TO MUTUAL RESPECT. FOR CHRIST ALONE WHOSE BLOOD WAS SHED CAN CURE THE FEVER IN OUR BLOOD.

DO AGAIN FOR US WHAT YOU HAVE DONE IN THE PAST SO THAT THROUGH YOUR MERCIFUL GRACE, YOUR PEACE MAY PUT AN END TO CONFLICT AND DIVISION IN THAT FAR AWAY LAND OF ISRAEL, IN OUR NEIGHBORHOODS, AND IN OUR OWN HEARTS.

GLORY TO THE FATHER AND TO THE SON AND TO THE HOLY SPIRIT, AS IT WAS IN THE BEGINNING, IS NOW, AND WILL BE FOREVER. AMEN.

Is Stephen Ministry Calling You?



Are you hearing the call by serving as a Stephen Minister? Stephen Ministry does have a time Commitment - The required 50-hour training course STEPHEN begins in January and includes the MINISTRY following dates: January 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th; February 1st, 8th, 22nd,

29th; March 7th, 14th, 21st; and April 4th, 11th, you will reap great dividends in the form of graces and blessings through the experiences.

Pease email us after you discern if this ministry is calling you at stephen.ministry.aloysiusbr@gmail.com or call/text any of the following Stephen Ministry Leaders: Kathy Nikolaus, 603-7772; Ann McCrory, 235-7850; Bob Schoen, 937-2984; Stephanie Anderson Songy, 802-2020 or Dana Territo, 572-9250. www.aloysius.org/social-responsibility

Eucharistic Miracle



Kerala, India Nov. 15th, 2013

In 2013, Jesus' Face appeared on the Host Fr. Thomas Pathickal had just consecrated during morning Mass.

This occurred a few davs after anti Catholic pamphlets mocking the Eucharist were distributed locally.

The Host was sent to Rome for scientific evaluation.

The Host can still be seen at Christ the King in Kerala, India.

O Lord, show us Thy Face, and we shall be saved!



For more information visit our website: aloysius.org/eucharistic-revival

For more information on the National Eucharistic Revival visit St. Aloysius Catholic Church website.

Celebrating the Mass 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, October 29

Sunday Readings Pray with and reflect on the Word of God at home https://bible.usccb.org/bible/readings/102923.cfm

Mass Livestream: 4:30PM Vigil aloysius.org/livestream

on the parish homepage.

alovsius.org/mass-resources

Homilies aloysius.org/homilies

Recordings of the Mass can be found

Online Mass

Llove you, my Lord, my strength. Psalm 18



MASS CELEBRANT SCHEDULE October 28/29, 2023				
Saturday 4:30 PM	Sunday 7:00 AM	Sunday 9:00 AM	Sunday 11:00 AM	Sunday 5:30 PM
Fr. Randy Cuevas	Fr. Randy Cuevas	Fr. Randy Cuevas & Fr. Nutan Minj	Fr. Nutan Minj	Fr. Nutan Minj
Due to unforeseen circumstances, clergy assignments may change				
Click here for the current Liturgical Ministers' Schedule				

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, October 30, 6:00 AM †Mollie Helm Tuesday, October 31, 8:00 AM †Al Moreau, Jr. **†**Cathryn Arceneaux †Connie Corripio †Curt Heard +Harold Lane Thompson, Sr. †James Henry Songy †Jane Lang ⁺Luke Falgoust †Mia James +Missy Hopkins †Ray Sonnier +Wayne Hirschey Nancy May Wednesday, November 1, All Saints Day 6:00 AM †Mollie Helm 8:00 AM †Jensen Holliday 12:00 PM †Graham & Jenny Bankston 6:00 PM All our parishioners Thursday, November 2, 8:00 AM †Al Moreau, Jr. †Angela Carville Crochet **†Ann Severence** +Bridget Miciotto Tonore +Dorothy Acaldo **†**George Curtis Heard +Gerald & Elaine Daley †James Henry Songy †Jensen Holliday +Karen Reilly †Marty Deumite †Mina Newchurch †Mollie Barbara Helm **†Nancy Conn** †Wallace Eversberg Friday, November 3, 8:00 AM †Mag Wall Saturday, November 4, 4:30 PM †Mina Newchurch Sunday, November 5 7:00 AM, †Harold Lane Thompson, Sr. 9:00 AM, †Bobby May 11:00 AM, †Jensen Holliday 5:30 PM, All Parishioners

Servant Leadership Meeting Calendar Next Meeting: November 28, 2023 6:15 PM

WORD OF LIFE

"Hope is always possible. To those who care for the sick, the scene of the Cross provides a way of understanding that even when it seems that there is nothing more to do there remains much to do, because 'remaining' by the side of the sick is a sign of love and of the hope that it contains. Healed by Jesus, we become men and women



Jesus, we become men and women <u>Download</u> called to proclaim his healing power and provide care for our neighbors, until the very end."

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "The Witness of the Good Samaritan: Palliative Care and Hospice"

A VOCATION VIEW

"Love God and your neighbor as yourself!", Jesus commanded. What better way than to embrace His call to you to the priesthood or religious life? If you think God is calling you to a Church vocation, call or email Rev. Joshua Johnson at (225) 336-8778, jjohnson@diobr.org.

SACRISTANS

October: Jeanette Rolfsen, Nancy Baldridge, Adrienne Taylor, Alicia Whidden, Michelle Waguespack, Courtney Taylor

Church Lost and Found

Call 343-6657 or visit the Pastoral Services Center to claim lost items left in church. Umbrellas, sunglasses, baby items, bags, purses, lunch boxes, sweatshirts, jackets, sweaters, rosaries and other items.

Unclaimed items with be donated to charity every six months due to storage limitations.

† Deceased



ST. ALOYSIUS PARISH FAIR October 27-29, 2023

Reminder: Outdoor Mass | Sunday at 9:00 AM

Join us THIS weekend for Faith, Family, and Fun at the FAIR! The Fair kicks off Friday with the Fish Fry in the Cafeteria and rides on the Fairgrounds at 5:00 PM

<u>CLASSROOM DELIVERY WAS MONDAY, OCTOBER 23</u> of pre-ordered Fair merchandise! Students may wear any Fair T-shirt all week. Orders can be picked up in the PSC during working hours through Friday morning. Items will be available at the fair for pickup.

TENT SET UP/TAKE DOWN: BYO Tent set-up and Tent decorating opens at **7:00 PM on Thursday and again 8:30 AM on Friday**. All tents, trash, and personal items must be removed by **4:00 PM on Sunday**. There are still a few BYO Tents available through the online fair store.

https://www.staloysiusfair.org/store/bring-your-own-tent-package

PRIZE BOOTH DONATIONS: Please donate your gently used (or new!) stuffed animals to the Prize Booth! Donations can be dropped off at the Pastoral Services center!

<u>VOLUNTEERS:</u> We need **YOU** to help make the 2023 parish fair a success! There are plenty of volunteer opportunities available. Visit the fair website to volunteer for a shift (or two!). https://www.signupgenius.com/tabs/13577D70EA0C2E8C53-2023aloysius#/

<u>\$10,000 RAFFLE</u>: Enter your chance to win \$10,000 with the purchase of a raffle ticket. Only 350 tickets sold! 3 drawings: \$1,000 winner, \$2,000 winner and a \$10,000 winner. Raffle tickets are \$100 and the proceeds benefit the St. Aloysius master plan. Tickets are still available to purchase through the online fair store. https://www.staloysiusfair.org/store/raffle-tickets-1

<u>JOIN US FOR BINGO:</u> Come try your luck at BINGO throughout the weekend! *Special celebrity guest announcers will join us on Saturday night!* Sign up to volunteer with BINGO! https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0C45A4A922A6FE3-44558375-bingo#/

<u>SWEET SHOP & CAKE WALK</u>: Please sign up to donate to make this year's Sweet Shop & Cake Walk a yummy success! <u>https://www.staloysiusfair.org/sweet-shop</u> Donation drop-off begins at 9 AM, Friday, October 27th in the Old Gym.

SUNDAY BRUNCH: BACK THIS YEAR! Join us for Mass on the Fairgrounds, 10/29 at 9:00, and then stick around for Sunday Brunch. The LSU Gospel Choir will kick off our music! Pancakes, grits & grillades, bloody mary's, mimosas, and more will be available! Make plans to join us!

SCHEDULE: Plan to see friends at the parish fair all weekend! https://www.staloysiusfair.org/schedule

Follow the fair on social media to stay up to date on exciting fair news! Facebook <u>https://www.facebook.com/staloysiusevents</u> Instagram@staloysiusevents





Reminder for next weekend! Daylight Saving Time ends on Sunday, November 5, 2023. On Saturday night, November 4th, clocks are set back one hour.



If you would like to cook/bake or volunteer, please email AloysiusSJDA@gmail.com



St. Aloysius School will offer tours to prospective parents November 9 and November 28.

Interested parents may sign up for tours through our website, <u>https://www.aloysius.school/admissions-general</u>. If you would like to receive further information about our school, please contact Mollie Montelaro. (mbmontelaro@aloysius.org).

BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE

The Bereavement Committee is looking for additional volunteers who could be available to assist with visitations and/or receptions with food or help. With a time commitment of 1.5-2 hours usually. If you feel called to this ministry and would like to

support families during their difficult times, sign up for the Bereavement Committee by <u>clicking here</u>. If you have any questions, please call Kristy Roubique at 225-978-4820.



Why Join the St. Aloysius Men's Club

•Get to know other men within our St. Aloysius Church community.

•Service opportunities to serve both St. Aloysius and the surrounding area.

•Participate in discussions regarding our Catholic Faith. No time commitment or pressure...attend as many or as few events as you choose.

<u>Click Membership</u> to Join/Renew & Pay \$40 Annual Dues <u>Click here for 2023-24 Events</u>

LOOKING FOR CHILDREN'S CHURCH VOLUNTEERS

Children's Church is an age-appropriate Liturgy of the Word offered for children in PreK through 2nd grade at 11:00 AM Masses. We are looking for volunteers. For more information, please contact Tricia Greely at 343-6657 or tgreely@staloysiusparish.com.



MOTHER TERESA'S MESSAGE TO A UNITED NATIONS WOMEN'S CONFERENCE 1995

(St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta was a woman—and perhaps prophetess---ahead of her time - Fr. Randy)

I am praying for God's blessing on all who are taking part in the Fourth World Conference on Women in Beijing. I hope that this Conference will help everyone to know, love, and respect the special place of women in God's plan so that they may fulfill this plan in their lives.

I do not understand why some people are saying that women and men are exactly the same, and are denying the beautiful differences between men and women. All God's gifts are good, but they are not all the same. As I often say to people who tell me that they would like to serve the poor as I do, "What I can do, you cannot. What you can do, I cannot. But together we can do something beautiful for God." It is just this way with the differences between women and men.

God has created each one of us, every human being, for greater things-- to love and to be loved. But why did God make some of us men and others women? Because a woman's love is one image of the love of God, and a man's love is another image of God's love. Both are created to love, but each in a different way. Woman and man complete each other, and together show forth God's love more fully than either can do it alone.

That special power of loving that belongs to a woman is seen most clearly when she becomes a mother. Motherhood is the gift of God to women. How grateful we must be to God for this wonderful gift that brings such joy to the whole world, women and men alike! Yet we can destroy this gift of motherhood, especially by the evil of abortion, but also by thinking that other things like jobs or positions are more important than loving, than giving oneself to others. No job, no plans, no possessions, no idea of "freedom" can take the place of love. So anything that destroys God's gift of motherhood destroys His most precious gift to women-- the ability to love as a woman.

God told us, "Love your neighbor as yourself." So first I am to love myself rightly, and then to love my neighbor like that. But how can I love myself unless I accept myself as God has made me? Those who deny the beautiful differences between men and women are not accepting themselves as God has made them, and so cannot love the neighbor. They will only bring division, unhappiness, and destruction of peace to the world. For example, as I have often said, abortion is the greatest destroyer of peace in the world today, and those who want to make women and men the same are all in favor of abortion.

Instead of death and sorrow, let us bring peace and joy to the world. To do this we must beg God for His gift of peace and learn to love and accept each other as brothers and sisters, children of God. We know that the best place for children to learn how to love and to pray is in the family, by seeing the love and prayer of their mother and father. When families are broken or disunited, many children grow up not knowing how to love and pray. A country where many families have been destroyed like this will have many problems. I have often seen, especially in the rich countries, how children turn to drugs or other things to escape feeling unloved and rejected.

But when families are strong and united, children can see God's special love in the love of their father and mother and can grow to make their country a loving and prayerful place. The child is God's best gift to the family and needs both mother and father because each one shows God's love in a special way. The family that prays together stays together, and if they stay together they will love one another as God has loved each one of them. And works of love are always works of peace.

So let us keep the joy of loving in our hearts and share this joy with all we meet. My prayer for all of the delegates, and for every woman whom the Beijing Conference is trying to help, is that each one may be humble and pure like Mary so as to live in love and peace with one another and make our families and our world something beautiful for God.

Let us pray. All for the Glory of God. God Bless You, *Mother Teresa, MC*

THIS WEEK AT ST. ALOYSIUS

PARISH CALENDAR

SAT, 10/28 Fair 10:00 AM Confessions 3:30 PM Choir Music Rehearsal 3:30 PM Mass 4:30 PM Livestreamed

SUN, 10/29

FAIR 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time Mass 7:00, 9:00, 11:00 AM & 5:30 PM Sunday Nursery 9:00 AM Mass on Fairgrounds 9:00 AM Fair Brunch 10:00 AM Fair LSU Gospel Choir and Brunch10:00 AM BBQ Chicken Dinners 10:30 AM Sunday Nursery 11:00 AM Confirmation Closing & Presentation of Candidates 1:00 PM Fair Raffle 2:00 PM SMG Team 5 3:00 PM Choir Music rehearsal 4:30 PM PSR 7th and 8th Grade 6:30 PM

MON, 10/30 Mass 6:00 AM Confessions 6:30 AM Cracked Pots Grief Group 9:00 AM Bell Choir Rehearsal 4:30 PM St. Vincent DePaul Monthly

Meeting 6:00 PM

TUES, 10/31 Mass 8:00 AM Novena: Our Lady of Perpetual Help 8:30 AM Fair Meeting 5:30 PM Boy Scout Troop 7 Meeting 6:30 PM



WED, 11/1

Solemnity of All Saints Mass 6:00 AM, 8:00 AM All School Mass, 12:00 PM (Livestreamed), 6:00 PM Bereavement Mass Confessions 6:30 AM Benediction & Adoration 6:30 AM Children's Choir Rehearsal 2:45 PM RCIA Inquiry 6:30 PM Walking With Purpose 7:00 PM Bereavement Dinner 7:00 PM Parish Choir Rehearsal 7:00 PM

THURS, 11/2 Commemoration of All Souls Mass 8:00 AM Confessions 7:30 AM Benediction and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 8:30 AM Prayer Shawl Ministry 9:00 AM Walking With Purpose 9:30 AM Confirmation Mass #1 7:00 PM FRI, 11/3

Confessions 7:30 AM Mass 8:00 AM Music Makers 9:00 AM

SAT, 11/4

Confessions 3:30 PM Choir Music Rehearsal 3:30 PM Mass 4:30 PM Livestream ACTS Men Pulpit Talks and Retreat Registration begins

SUN, 11/5

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time Mass 7:00, 9:00, 11:00 AM & 5:30 PM ACTS Men Pulpit Talks

all Masses PSR Grades 1-6 8:45 AM Sunday Nursery 9:00 AM Coffee and Donuts 10:00 AM Sunday Nursery 11:00 AM SMG Team 3 3:00 PM Choir Music rehearsal 4:30 PM PSR 7th and 8th Grade 6:30 PM High School Youth Group Life Night 9th & 10th Gr. 6:30 PM PSR Circles of Grace 7th & 8th Gr 6:30 PM

CATHOLIC COMMENTATOR

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SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sunday:	Ex 22:20-26/Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 (2)/1
	Thes 1:5c-10/Mt 22:34-40
Monday:	Rom 8:12-17/Ps 68:2 and 4, 6-7ab, 20-21/
,	Lk 13:10-17
Tuesday:	Rom 8:18-25/Ps 126:1b-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6/
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Wednesday:	Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/1 Jn
	3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a
Thursday:	Wis 4:7-14/Ps 25:6, and 7b, 17-18, 20-21/
5	Rom 5:17-21/Mt 11:25-30
Friday:	Rom 9:1-5/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20/Lk
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	14:1-6
Saturday:	Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29/Ps 94:12-13a,
	14-15, 17-18/Lk 14:1, 7-11
Sunday:	Mal 1:14b—2:2b, 8-10/Ps 131:1, 2, 3/1
<i>J</i> -	Thes 2:7b-9, 13/Mt 23:1-12
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BAPTISMAL SEMINAR

Attention Parents and Godparents: Baptismal Seminars are offered online. <u>Click Here</u> to watch the online presentation. Print the certificate at the end of the seminar. For more information, please contact <u>Tricia Greely</u>, 343-6657.

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"Lord, in your mercy.... Hear our Prayer!"

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