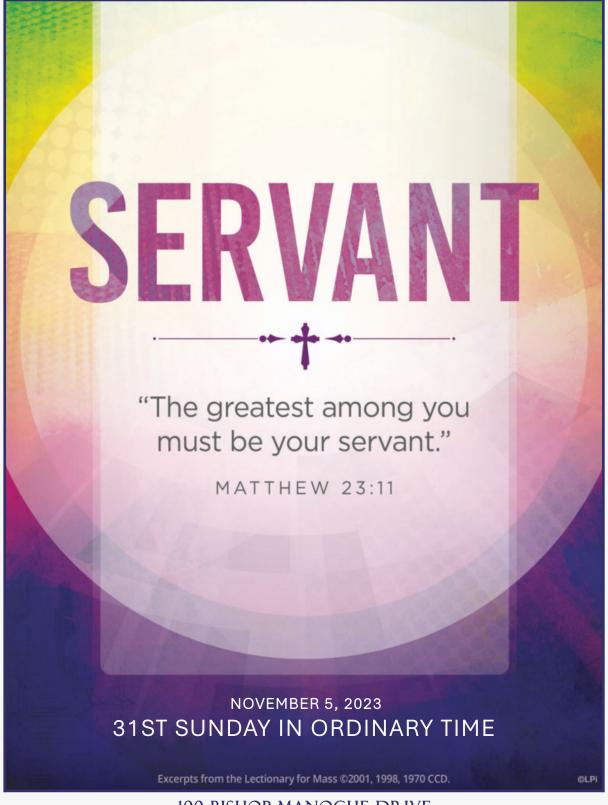
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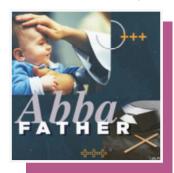


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THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME NOVEMBER 5, 2023



ENCOURAGING DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE BY FATHER JOHN MUIR

Last Easter season a new convert to Catholicism at my parish asked me with a grave tone in her voice: "Why do we call priests 'father' if Jesus says, 'Call no man on earth your father, for you have one Father, who is in heaven'?" Thinking myself clever, I asked, "Do you think

it's okay to call someone your 'teacher' or 'mister' or 'dad'?" She said, "Yes, I do." I responded, "Well, Jesus seems to forbid that, too. So, it's obviously hyperbole that he's using." She thought for a moment and declared, "Then I will stop using those words, too!" And she walked away. Not the outcome I was seeking.

We shouldn't be too hasty in dismissing this complaint voiced by many non -Catholics. The expression "father" for ordained priests is not honorary for the individual man. The priest's fatherhood doesn't begin or end in him at all. Rather, the title "father" indicates that he is a sacramental sign of God's Fatherhood revealed in Jesus. I can tell you, as a very unworthy bearer of that title, we should give and receive that title with some trepidation (because of God's awesomeness) and with a little sense of humor (because of the lowliness of the men with the title).

The longer I'm a priest, the more I'm comfortable with people not using the title "father" and just calling me "John." After all, only God is Father in the truest sense. At the same time, Jesus has brought the Father close to us, very close. We honor this closeness in some men with the title "father." Who are the priests in your life whom Christ has sent to you? How wonderful that Christ has surrounded us with humble signs of his Father's love. It's good to celebrate that love with gratitude for the priests in our lives.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading: You have turned aside from the way, and have caused many to falter by your instruction. (Mal 2:8)

Psalm: In you, Lord, I have found my peace. (Ps 131)

Second Reading: With such affection for you, we were determined to share with you not only the gospel of God, but our very selves as well, so dearly beloved had you become to us. (1Thes 2:8)

Gospel: "Therefore, do and observe all things whatsoever they tell you, but do not follow their example. For they preach but they do not practice." (Mt 23:3)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rom 11:29-36/Ps 69:30-31, 33-34, 36/Lk 14:12-14 Tuesday: Rom 12:5-16b/Ps 131:1bcde, 2, 3/Lk 14:15-24 Wednesday: Rom 13:8-10/Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9/Lk 14:25-33

Thursday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22

Friday: Rom 15:14-21/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4/Lk 16:1-8

Saturday: Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 10-11/Lk 16:9-15

MASS TIMES

Monday - Friday 8:30am

Main Sanctuary

Saturday

Mass 5:00pm

Sunday 8:30am & 10:30am

Adoration

First Friday at 9:00 AM Third Tuesday at 5:30 PM Main Sanctuary



NO MASS/
CONFESSIONS &
OFFICE IS CLOSED
ON FRIDAY,
NOVEMBER 10TH IN
OBSEVANCE OF
VETERANS DAY

OFFICE HOURS



Monday - Thursday 8:30am - 4:30pm

Friday

8:30am - 1:00pm

CONFESSIONS

Fridays 9:00 - 10:00 AM Saturdays 4:00 - 4:45 PM

In the Main Sanctuary Confessional

Please note: Confessions end

at 4:45pm

For a specific appointment, contact
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SACRAMENTS AND OTHER SERVICES

BAPTISM



For infants and children through the age of six, baptisms are generally held every Sunday except the 5th Sunday of the month after 10:30 am Mass. Contact Susie at 775-851-1874



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

For Religious Education classes and First Holy Communion, contact Amy at 850-2535



CONFIRMATION

For Confirmation classes, contact Linda at 775-850-2544





All weddings must be scheduled six months in advance. To begin marriage prep and schedule your wedding, contact Brizeida (Breezy) at 775-850-2531



RCIA

For RCIA classes, contact Ken Donajkowski at kdonajkowski@mac.com



ANOINTING OF THE SICK

On the first Friday of the month after 8:30 mass. In case of emergency, call the Parish Office at 775-851-1874



FUNERALS

Please contact Susie at 775-851-1874



MASS INTENTIONS NOVEMBER 4TH TO NOVEMBER 10TH

Saturday 5:00pm: All Souls Novena

By:

Sunday 8:30am: All Souls Novena

By:

Sunday 10:30am: People of the Parish

By: St. Rose of Lima

Monday 8:30am: All Souls Novena

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Wednesday 8:30am: All Souls Novena

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Thursday 8:30am: All Souls Novena

By:

Friday 8:30am: No Mass/Veterans Day

By:

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PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

Gracious God, You gave us Your Son, Jesus, to be our Shepherd. May we listen

attentively to His voice, as He guides us on our journey toward a life of service. Bless our parish and our families with men and women who will generously respond to Your call of service as priests or deacons, sisters or brothers. Help us to recognize the signs of Your Spirit and encourage our young people whatever their vocation may be. We ask this in the name of Jesus and the power of the Spirit. Amen

If you would like to take the
Vocations Prayer Cross home for a week,
please sign up in the Parish Office.



ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS

Wanda & Gary Helsing November 1st - 43yrs

Cindy & Robert Garcia
November 5th - 46 Years



DIED IN CHRIST

Please remember in your prayers our loved ones who recently passed away.

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"We are an Easter People and Alleluia is our song!"
-St. John Paul II

The "Alleluia" is one of the three parts of the Mass that we leave in the original Hebrew (the others being "Amen" and "Hosanna"), and as such it is easy to overlook. Alleluia is a command which roughly translates "all of you, praise God!" As such, in the Mass, the Alleluia is a moment in which the Church exults with the chorus of God's people throughout the ages in ecstatic praise. It praises God for all that He has done throughout the history of the world. It praises God for what he is doing now in the Mass. It praises God for all that He will do in our lives. But most importantly, it praises God for Jesus Himself as we turn to the Gospel to hear again the words and deeds of Christ.

What is the moment in your life for which you praise God the most?





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NOVEMBER MASS AND OFFICE SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER 10TH - VETERANS DAY OBSEVED
NO MASS OR CONFESSIONS
PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

NOVEMBER 23RD - THANKSGIVING DAY 10:00 AM MASS - COLLECTION FOR PASTORS CHARITY - PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

NOVEMBER 24TH - FAMILY DAY - NO MASS OR CONFESSIONS - PARISH OFFICE CLOSED



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November 8th for our 3rd Bible
Study session. We meet at 7:00
PM in the Gabriel Room. We will
be discussing Chapters 3-5 of the
Gospel of Luke. If you have any
questions please contact Sarah
Borto (asarahv@gmail.com)





THE WEEK AHEAD:

Week of NOVEMBER 6 - NOVEMBER 12

Monday 11/6

8:30 AM - Mass

6:30 PM - Diocesan Choir Practice

Tuesday 11/7

8:30 AM - Mass

10:00 AM - Tuesday Morning Prayer Group

6:00 PM - RCIA

Wednesday 11/8

8:30 AM - Mass

4:00 PM - Vocations Ministry Meeting

6:30 PM - 10:30 Choir Practice

7:00 PM - Little Rock Scripture Study

Thursday 11/9

8:30 AM - Mass

1:00 PM - Prayer Shawl Ladies

5:30 PM - Mercy Angels Ministry

6:00 PM - 8:30 Choir Practice

7:00 PM - Knights of Columbus Meeting

Friday 11/10

No Mass or Confessions/Office Closed in Observance of Veteran's Day

Saturday 11/11 - VETERANS DAY

3:00 PM - Youth Band Practice

3:30 PM - A Study of the Mass



4:00 PM - Confessions

5:00 PM - Mass

Sunday 11/12

8:30 AM - Mass/Coffee & Donuts

10:30 AM - Mass/Coffee & Donuts

Check our website calendar for meeting locations or call the Parish Office at 775-851-1874



NOVEMBER SECOND COLLECTIONS
NOVEMBER 18 & 19 - CAMPAIGN FOR
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NOVEMBER 25 & 26 - PASTOR'S CHARITY



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October 16, 2023

Rev. Joseph Abraham, J.V., J.C.L. St. Rose of Lima Parish 100 Bishop Manogue Drive Reno, NV 89511

Dear Father Abraham,

I want to send you a personal and immediate thank you letter for the incredibly generous support of our seminarians provided under your leadership by St. Rose of Lima Parish! Your gift of \$40,000 is a huge help for the Church in northern Nevada. Thank you, thank you, thank you.

I am happy to announce that we just received a new application this past from a young man currently completing his service in the military and who is from St. Peter Cansidus Parish in Sun Valley. He is a solid candidate. I am also hopeful we will have one other applicant this year which will increase our total number of seminarians to six (as Dcn. Rene Rodriguez is ordained a priest next summer). We certainly need more that this number to replenish our number of priests, but this is a solid start

Please extend my gratitude to your parish Finance Council and the whole parish community for their consideration of seminarian needs and their generosity in recommending this gift for your consideration. Ultimately, thank you for making this donation possible through your leadership as Pastor.

May God bless you and St. Rose Parish with abundant graces.

With every best wish and an assurance of prayer, I remain,

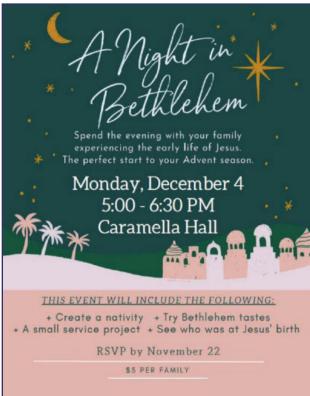
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the Readings for a
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Communion

DIVINE DOZEN OPPORTUNITIES:

November 21 – Adoration 5:30pm

December 4 – A Night in Bethlehem

December 19 – Advent Penance Service

January 6 – Diocesan Conference – Family Track

Any time- take home the Vocations Cross

November 2023—Youth Ministry

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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5 Family Faith For- mation #4	6	7	ACKA S	t	10	11 VETERANS DAY
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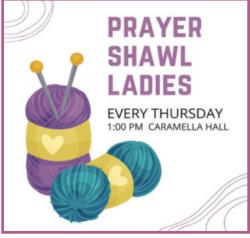
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