

Nativity B.V.M. OCTOBER 29, 2023

THE 30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

GOD GIVES US ALL WE NEED TO ANSWER HIS CALL TO LOVE OTHERS.

If we are to do any good for others, if we are to discern where God is calling us to serve, if we are to have the resources necessary to fulfill such a call, we must begin by seeking God and God's help first. We must start at the source of all generous love. We must be filled from the eternal font if we are to pour out to others.



PLEASE KEEP OUR SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS

Matthew Centifanto, Ginny Kirkland, Maureen Moniot, Patsy Merrill, Connie Galle, Robert Baucan, Skip and Marie Portas, Katherine Rester, Glynn Clark, Jennifer Fink, Anne Godlewski, Robert Barq, George Ziz, Rosalind D'Antoni, Aimee & Dr. David Dugger, Slade Lochner, Robert Cade, Anthony Porpiglia, Colton Vollmuth, Eileen Donovan, Joy Tucei, Josh Sniffen, Trent Hartzog, Mary Parker, Sr. Jackie Tarrant, Amy Elizabeth Wheeler, Keaton Morano, Robert Moniot, Lee Slater, Steve Lyons, Charles Wesley Ryan, Jr., Sondra Fox, Tommy Ardoline, Ansley Gilich, Adonna Creel Currie, Jackie Clark, Ivan Kovacevich, Peter Skrmetta, Kay Semska, Carolyn Urbanoto, Buck O'Gea, Nick Pass, Sue and Gene Daudelin, Lesa Walker-Kirkman, Lehwmon Skrmetti, Annette Luther, Macklyn Holloway, Mary Wimberly, Tiffany Whitehead, Holly Hill, Georgia Bellias Dominick, Mickey Bradley, Greg Hotaling, Jack Joachim, Jr. and all of our Homebound Parishioners.

HOOR OF GRACE

Hour of Grace is a time of encounter with our Lord Jesus Christ present to us in the most Holy Sacrament of the altar; an opportunity to lift our voices and hearts to Christ in worship as He pours His graces upon us. This Hour of Grace will be on Thursday, November 2, 2023, at 6:00 p.m. Come and be renewed by the Lord!

RCIA

This week the RCIA class will be learning about the Mass with Father Greg Barras. Please continue to pray for the Inquirers as they are learning the teachings and traditions of our Catholic faith. If you would like further information, please contact Greg or Penny Payne 228-365-6348.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

The SVdP provides assistance each Tuesday from 8:30-10:30 a.m. For those wishing to make regular contributions, envelopes are located in the vestibule. We also value your one time gift! Your continued support helps to ensure SVdP is able to provide support for those in need.

OUR SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

With the Holidays fast approaching, our St. Vincent De Paul Society is in even greater need of our support. This weekend, our second collection will be for Nativity's SVdP. Please consider giving a generous donation to ensure they can help as many families as possible.

PRAYER FOR PROTECTION FROM HURRICANES

Father, may all the elements of nature obey Your command. Calm the storms that threaten us and turn our fear of Your power into praise of Your goodness. Grant this, through Our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon	Oct 30	Rom 8:12-17, Lk 13:10-17
Tue	Oct 31	Rom 8:18-25, Lk 13:18-21
Wed	Nov 01	Rv 7:2-4, 9-14, ! Jn 3:1-3, Mt 5:1-12a
Thu	Nov 02	Wis 3:1-9, Rom 5:5-11, Rom 6:3-9, Jn 6:27-40
Fri	Nov 03	Rom 9:1-5, Lk 14:1-6
Sat	Nov 04	Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29, Lk 14:1, 7-11, Rom 12:3-13, Jn 10:11-16
Sun	Nov 05	Mal 1:14b—2:2b, 8-10, 1 Thes 2:7b-9, 13, Mt 23:1-12

YOUR SUNDAY TITHING AND CONTRIBUTIONS

Regular Collections	\$	9,775.50
Maintenance	\$	1,323.00
Capital Improvement	\$	115.00
Nativity Elem.	\$	1,655.00
Music Ministry	\$	2,415.00
Miscellaneous	\$	0.00
TOTAL COLLECTION	\$	15,283.50

Thank you for your generous contributions!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Mon.	Oct 30	NO Women of Mary, 5:30 p.m. Eucharistic Revival, 9:30 a.m. or 6:30 p.m. Adoration, Chapel at 7:00 -7:55 a.m.
Tues.	Oct 31	Men of St. Joseph, 7:00 a.m. NO Bingo Mania, 5:30 p.m. All Saints Day, 6:00 p.m., Cathedral
Wed.	Nov 01	Cleaning TEAM D All Souls Day, 6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m., Noon, 6:00 p.m., Cathedral Rectory Closed
Thur.	Nov 02	Adoration, 6:00 p.m.

ALL SAINTS DAY AND SOULS DAY MASSES

October 31st Masses are 6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. November 1st Masses are 6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m., Noon and 6:00 p.m.

RECTORY CLOSED

Nativity Cathedral rectory will be closed on November 1st in observance of All Souls Day. We will reopen on Thursday, November 2nd at 9:00 a.m.

THE ALTAR FLOWERS

The Altar Flowers this weekend are for the deceased members of the Fournier Family

Eucharistic Revival Small Group Contemplation

The sixth small group study in the Jesus and the Eucharist series will be Monday, October 30th. There will be a 9:30 a.m. session and a 6:00 p.m. session. The topic will be "The Story of the Eucharist". Please join the revival team for this faith renewing study.

The ANNUAL MASS OF WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

The Annual Mass of Wedding Anniversaries will take place on Sunday, November 5th, 2023, at 2 p.m. at the Nativity B.V.M. Cathedral. We will be celebrating 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, or 60 years of marriage or more in 2023. A reception will be held in the Sacred Heart Center. All couples celebrating anniversaries are invited to attend.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	LECTORS	ALTAR SERVERS
Nov 04 <u>4:00 pm</u> Kathleen Coskey	Oct 31 6:00 pm Harry Joachim	Nov 04 <u>4:00 pm</u> McKinzy Lawson
Nov 05 <u>7:00 am</u> Nancy Powell	Nov 01 Noon Corrie Gulino	Nov 05 <u>7:00 am</u> Wyeth Stewart Alec Stewart
<u>9:00 am</u> John Brauchle	6:00 pm Mike Gulino	<u>9:00 am</u> Banks Ellis Dalton Bounds
<u>11:00 am</u> Belinda Corley	Nov 02 Corri Gulino	<u>11:00 am</u> Blake Walli Kendall Walli James Watts
<u>5:30 pm</u> Teresa Ballinger	Nov 04 <u>4:00 pm</u> Bill Lawson	<u>5:30 pm</u> Bentley Puz
	Nov 05 <u>7:00 am</u> Mike Gulino	
	<u>9:00 am</u> Peter Abide	
	<u>11:00 am</u> Nativity Elem.	
	<u>5:30 pm</u> Sabree Puz	
	<u>CANTORS</u>	
	Oct 31 6:00 pm Michael Kessler	
	Nov 01 6:00 pm Dennis Burke	
	CATHEDRAL CHOIR	
	Nov 04 <u>4:00 pm</u> Chantel Pilet	
	Nov 05 <u>9:00 am</u> Michael Kessler	
	<u>11:00 am</u> Jordan Lancon	
	<u>5:30 pm</u> Sabree Puz	

DON'T FORGET TO SET YOUR CLOCKS BACK!

Clocks will "fall back" one hour at 2:00 a.m. on Sunday, November 5, 2023.

CCD / Life Teen Inter-Parish Program

The CCD & Life Teen programs have now started, but there's still time to register and join. CCD classes (Kindergarten through 5th grade) meet on Wednesdays from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. Life Teen (6th grade through 12th) meets Sunday evenings 6:40 p.m. to 8 p.m. For more information about our youth programs, please contact Lauren Ellis @ 228-324-0447 or Kristy Arguelles @ 228-324-9934.



Our Inter-Parish CCD Program and Nativity Elementary School will join together to celebrate the Sacrament of First Reconciliation on Saturday, November 11th at 10am. Let's keep them in prayer as they continue to prepare for this special event.

East Biloxi LifeTeen

Our upcoming LifeTeen Nights are at Nativity's Sacred Heart Center, 6:40 - 8:00 p.m. and October 29th (Mr. Terry Creel sharing on precious Relics). November 4th, we welcome families to join us on our Family Field Trip to New Orleans (St. Louis Cathedral, The Old Ursuline Convent, Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos Parish, and more). Interested? Question? Contact Kristy Arguelles (228-324-9934) or EastBiloxiYouthMinistry@gmail.com.

6:30 AM

8:00 AM

Mon Oct 30 Chester Balias Fly.	Roy Ebberman, Jr.
Tue Oct 31 Tucei Family	Bishop Roger Morin
6:00 PM Sr. Mary Riordan (S.I.)	
Wed Nov 01 Hank Roger	Sr. Mary Rioradan (S.I.)
NOON Earl Hammond	Sr. Jackie Tarrant (S.I.)
6:00 PM Robert Cox	Sr. Mary Riordan (S.I.)
Thu Nov 02 Collins-Sims Fly.	Glenn & Joyce Pisarich
Fri Nov 03 Jeanne Harbison	Gabe & Doris Kasovich
Sat Nov 04 Betty Lou Callegri	FTP
Sun Nov 05 <u>7</u> Bros. Jordan & Gary (S.I.)	<u>9</u> Victor Mavar
11:00 5:30	

Hymns/Sacred Songs for Saturday, October 28th at 4 pm & Sunday, October 29th -9 & 11 am & 5:30 pm Masses for the Thirtieth Sunday of Ordinary Time:

Opening Hymn: "How Firm a Foundation" # 724
 Offertory Hymn: "Only This I Want" # 505
 Communion Song: "Christians Let Us Love One Another" # 486
 Recessional Song: "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" # 481

Cantors: Saturday 4 pm Dennis Burke + Cathedral Choir
 Sunday 9 am Michael Kessler
 11 am Jordan Lancon
 5:30 pm Sabree Puz

NATIVITY BVM ELEMENTARY: This Sunday, October 29th – our Children's Choir will participate and share in the "All Souls" Concert at 4:00 pm in our Cathedral. On Wednesday, November 1st at 9 am – Nativity BVM School will celebrate the School's annual "All Saints" Mass with the Sixth & PK3 Grade Classes joining Bishop Kihneman in the observance.. Our Student Cantors will be Harper Lamey & Shiellynna Tenoria. Elena Mitchell & Shanielia Collins.

ANNUAL "ALL SOULS CONCERT": We offer again this year our new, annual "All Souls Concert". The program will feature Our Choral Societies, Children's Choir and an orchestral ensemble. If you'd like to make a contribution towards this and future Music Ministry Programming of the Cathedral - please make your contribution to "Nativity BVM Cathedral – Music Ministry" and note in the Memo section that this is for Music Ministry Funding. Please send these contributions with your envelope number identified to the attention of: Terry Maddox – Minister of Music.

NEW TO THE PARISH:

If you are a recently registered new parishioner or if you are interested in joining our community – we extend a very warm word of "Welcome!" to you. We would love the opportunity to speak with you! Please contact the Rectory Office at 228 374-1717 and leave your name and contact information and Deacon Keith Gibson and/or a member of our "Welcome to the Parish" Team will contact you to aid you in learning more about us and we about you. We are delighted that you are with us! Also, do not hesitate to speak with a clergy or staff member of the Cathedral for further information as well!

BINGO MANIA.

Doors will open at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday November 7, 2023. Following families are scheduled for November 7 2023: Richards (Sally), Snyder (Tommy & Alex), Stoddard (Bryan & Kerry), Stoddard (Jody), Theobald (Scott & Brooke), Williams (Robby & Shanel) and Williams (Troy & Melissa). **If you are unable to attend, it is your responsibility to secure a replacement.**