

OCTOBER 30, 2022

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

SACRED HEART PARISH (SH); SAINTS CYRIL & METHODIUS PARISH (SSCM)
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MONDAY, October 31

TUESDAY, November 1

Solemnity of All Saints (All Hallows)

Holy Day of Obligation

9:00 a.m. CCF Building, Word Among Us Bible Study
Everyone is welcome!

10:00 a.m. SH CCF Building, Quilting Circle

11:00 a.m. SSCM, Eucharist

6:00 p.m. SH, Eucharist

6:00 p.m. SH CCF Building, Room 5,
Clases de Inglés / English as a Second Language

WEDNESDAY, November 2

The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed
(All Souls' Day, *Día de los Muertos*)

11:00 a.m. SH, Eucharist

12:00 Noon SH Cemetery, Blessings at the Graves

5:30 p.m. SH Cemetery, Evening Prayer &
Blessings at the Graves

THURSDAY, November 3

6:30 – 7:30 a.m. SH Parish Hall, Men's Group

6:00 p.m. SH CCF Building, Room 5,
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7:00 p.m. SH Parish Hall, KC Meeting

FRIDAY, November 4

Saint Charles Borromeo, bishop; memorial

SATURDAY, November 5

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. SH, Sunday Eucharist

SUNDAY, November 6

8:00 a.m. SSCM, Sunday Eucharist

9:30 a.m. SH, Sunday Eucharist

10:30 a.m. – 12 Noon CCF

Grade 1: CCF Building, Room 4

Grade 2: CCF Building, Room 3

Grades 3 – 6: Parish Hall

Grade 7: SH Church, Choir Area

Grade 8: CCF Building, Room 2

4:00 p.m. SSCM Cemetery, Evening Prayer &
Blessings at the Graves

FUTURE EVENTS

MONDAY, November 7

6:30 p.m. SH Parish Hall, CDA 2570 Meeting.

Rosary at 5:30 p.m. followed by social at 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, November 9

6:30 – 8:00 p.m. CCF

Grades 9 – 12: Parish Hall

SUNDAY, November 13

10:30 a.m. – 12 Noon CCF

Grade 1: CCF Building, Room 4

Grade 2: CCF Building, Room 3

Grades 3 – 6: Parish Hall

Grade 7: SH Church, Choir Area

Grade 8: CCF Building, Room 2

FOR THE WEEK

Scripture Readings

Monday: Phil 2:1-4 Lk 14:12-14

Tuesday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14 1Jn 3:1-3 Mt 5:1-12

Wednesday: Wis 3:1-9 Rom 5:5-11 Jn 6:37-40

Thursday: Phil 3:3-8 Lk 15:1-10

Friday: Phil 3:17-4:1 Lk 16:1-8

Saturday: Phil 4:10-19 Lk 16:9-15

Sunday: 2Mc 7:1-2, 9-14 2Thes 2:16-3:5
Lk 20:27-38

Remember in your prayers

the following Catholic clergy:

Pope Francis, Bishop Brendan Cahill, Bishop Emeritus David E. Fellhauer, Rev. Michael Lyons, Rev. Joseph Mai, Rev. Gabriel Maison and Deacon Alvin Matthys

Mass Intentions

All Souls to be Remembered; +Charles Syrinek, +Allen Daehne, Living & Deceased Members of KJZT Society 83; Parishioners of Saints Cyril & Methodius and Sacred Heart; +Central Vecera, +Daniel Branecky, +Rhonda Freytag, +Kenneth Freytag, +Della & Louis Greive

OUR OFFERING TO GOD

Saints Cyril & Methodius Parish

Sunday Collection: \$413.00

Mission Sunday Collection: \$749.00

Sacred Heart Parish

Sunday Collection: \$1,752.00

Mission Sunday Collection: \$344.00

MESSAGE FROM THE DEACON

As I read the readings for this week, I was reminded of a burial directive of a friend. He did not want "Amazing Grace" played at his funeral because God doesn't make wretches! God created us out of love. Meaning he creates for no other reason than the good of the created. In doing so, His true glory is revealed.

Something that really struck me this week in the first reading was that God understands that we are not perfect. As precious as we are to Him and created in His image, we are not perfected... yet. And yet we have been fashioned this way. God knows us better than ourselves and realizes that the more we see our shortcomings and experience his love, the more we become the person he intended.

We see this in action with Zacchaeus in the gospel. When Jesus wanted to be a guest in Zacchaeus' home, he revealed God's mercy and love to a seemingly unworthy person. In doing so, Zacchaeus realized that he had taken advantage of his fellow Jews when collecting taxes. As a great act of repentance, he was willing to repay what he had unjustly took from them.

Zacchaeus shows us the path to our own salvation. God does not make junk. We are precious and wonderfully created in God's eyes. When we falter, God shows us our wrongs, not to show us our unworthiness, but to show us the immensity of his love and compassion. He is always working towards our good.

God is good all of the time! All of the time, God is good!
In Christ, Deacon Tim

ALL SOULS DAY envelopes are at the main entrances of the churches. *Los Sobres para los Fieles Difuntos están en la entrada de las Iglesias.*

SPECIAL COLLECTION for the Archdiocese for the Military Services (AMS) will be taken at the Sunday Eucharist at 5:00 p.m., 8:00 a.m. and 9:30 a.m. November 5 & 6. Please be generous.

LECTOR 2023 workbooks are in the sacristy.

DRESSING & TURKEY FOR SALE: Frozen cooked dressing from the Fall Turkey & Dressing Meal is for sale, quart bags \$10 and gallon bags \$30. Frozen turkey is also for sale, gallon bags \$15. Contact the parish office to purchase, 865-3568.

MASS ATTENDANCE COUNT: According to a practice established by the Presbyteral Council in 1997, Bishop Brendan J. Cahill has asked that a Mass Attendance Count be taken on the weekends in October.

CLASES DE INGLÉS / English as a Second Language
¿Necesitas aprender inglés? Hay clases en el edificio de CCF de la Parroquia del Sagrado Corazón los martes y jueves de 6:00 a 8:00 PM. Inviten a sus amigos y familiares, porque el inglés es muy importante para el trabajo y desarrollo en los Estados Unidos. Vengan; las clases son gratis y pueden empezar todos los martes y jueves.

MEN'S GROUP meets weekly on Thursdays, from 6:30 am to 7:30 am in the parish hall. Coffee provided. Any questions, contact Andrew Velasquez 361-798-6883 or Johnnie Hoffman 361-772-5049.

DIOCESAN SERVICES APPEAL 2022

As of October 6, 2022

Saints Cyril & Methodius Parish, Cistern

Parish Assessment	\$ 8,401.00
Parishioner Contributions	\$ 6,168.32
Balance Owed February 28, 2023	\$ 2,232.68

Praise to God for those who have given!

Elizabeth & Darrel Brosch, Barbara & David Charba, Betty Danner, Laverne & Robert Dornak, Laura & Phillip Grudziecki, Estelle & Ed Hughes, Denise & Brian Klozik, Isabel & Luciano Martinez, Janet & Carl Pesl, Edna Mae & Bill Psencik, Sharon & Larry Schultz, Della Mae Urban, Grace & Eugene Vinklerek, Jennifer & Gary Vinklerek,

Patrick Vinklerek, Winifred Vinklerek

Sacred Heart Parish, Flatoria

Parish Assessment	\$22,322.00
Parishioner Contributions	\$ 10,835.00
Balance Owed February 28, 2023	\$11,487.00

Praise to God for those who have given!

Ray Bacak, Sylvia & Doug Baker, Agnes & Leonard Barta, Carol & Randy Barta, Lori Berger, Angeline & Wiley Boehnke, Betty & Weldon Borel, Laurie & Edward Branecky, Ann & Ted Bratton, Linda Crump, Laurie & Michael Dierschke, Nancy & Kirby Farek, Katy & Chris Freytag, Barbara & Dennis Freytag, Joe Gajdos, Alfred Garay, Nancy & William J. Gosch, Angeline & Thomas Hajek, Cheryl & Rodney Hicks, Mava & Marcus Jalufka, Nancy & Paul Jasek, Terri & Michael Kalina, Barbara Klozik, Shirley Lanni, Ginny & Gary Marek, Donna & Tim Masek, Margie & Gary McNatt, Melanie & Jonathan Mikulencak, Evelyn & Richard Miller, Katherine Nikel, Deitra & Chad Novak, Karen & Hank Novak, Dina & Derri Ohnheiser, Renee & Kenneth Pavlica, Leigh Ann & Chris Sodek, Pamela & Jerome Svatek, Sue & Carl Gene Taylor, Jovita & Leonard Trejo, Claudia & Juan Vasquez, Julia Webster, Gretchen Zapalac, Jeanette & Ervan Zouzalik, Laura & John Zouzalik

PLEASE, PRAY FOR THE SICK.

Father Eddie Winkler, April Abdelbagi, Giselle Aguillon, Andrea & Jerry Alvarado, Juana Alvarez, Larry Baird, Agnes & Leonard Barta, Carol Barta, J. D. Bartek, Elva & David Benavides, Lori Berger, Donna Bizzell, Angeline & Wiley Boehnke, Lillie Branecky, Dawn Bratton, Ted Bratton, Dub Brazzel, Kenneth Brosch, Georgia Brunner, Edwin Bullock, Linda Clabourne, Jackie Coldewey, Analea Del Rio, John Demny, Emma Dunham, Emery Eldridge, Jena Ermis, Mason Ermis, Larry Estrada, David Fike, E.J. Filip, Tommie Foster, Cathy Frazier, Loretta Freytag, Doris & Lonnie Garbade, Landry Gipson, Nancy & William J. Gosch, Jill Borel Gough, Raymond Harbich, Lincoln Hardy, Roy Henderson, Lenore Hernandez, Leona Herzik, Estella & Ed Hughes, Karen Janak, Charlie Jurak, Sharyn Kahlden, Carolyn Kallus, Garrett Kallus, Daniel Kocian, Ronnie Koncaba, Rosie Koncaba, Nadine Krischke, Georgie & Joe Lev, David Lev, Henrietta Lopez, Cullen Machac, Myrtle Maeker, Deborah Blinka Machicek, Maria Angelse Manzano & Family, Margaret Marruffo, Luciano Martinez, Bobby McCord & Family, Anthony Martin, Kim McCoy, Chuck Meyer, Cevin Meyers, Evelyn Miller & Family, Margaret & Victor Molnoskey, E. Norma Montoya, Linda Munos, Earline & Bennie Okruhlik, Evelyn Okruhlik, Sixto Perales, Allene Phillipus, Almeda Poth, Evelyn Pritchard, William Psencik, Samantha Ramirez, Norm Ratliff, Richard Ratliff, Mariana Reyes, Barbara Richter, Louis Rocha, Tim Shimek, Mike Schulze, Brandon Smolik, Vivi Snow, Edward Stech, Skylar Stephens, Evelyn Syrinek, Janice Taubert, Victor Tichacek, Annie Tompkins, Frankie Tupa, Jacob Vargas, Bruce Vecera, Felix Velasquez, Stella Velasquez and Jeanette & Ervan Zouzalik.