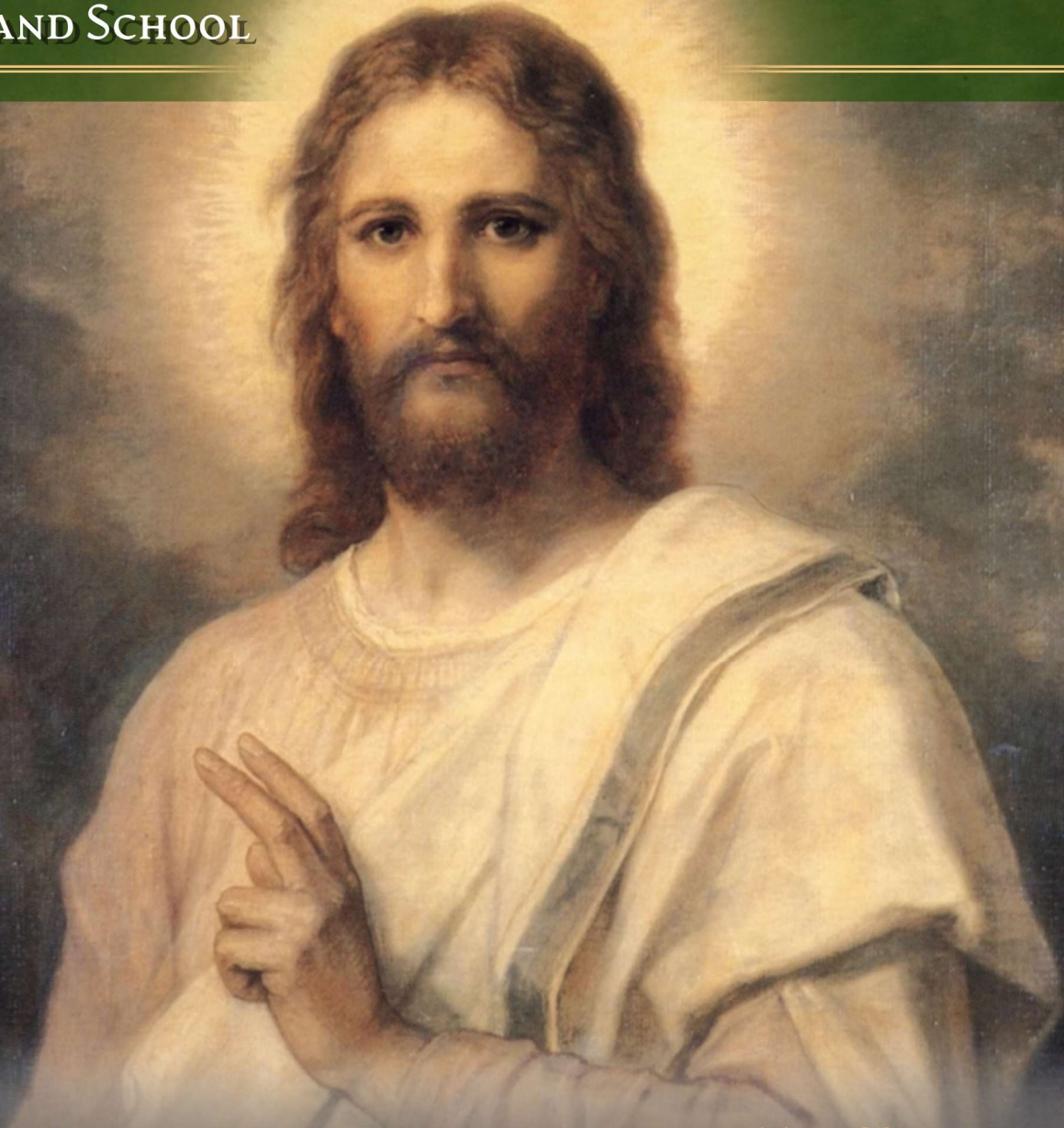


OUR LADY OF LOURDES

CATHOLIC CHURCH
AND SCHOOL

OCTOBER 22, 2023
TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME



RECONCILIATION

Available by appointment only.
Call: 919-861-4600

MASS TIMES

Sat. 5:00pm

Sun. 9:00am, 11:30am,
1:30pm (Español), 5:00pm

Mon/Tues/Thurs/Fri. 8:30am

Wed. 9:00am Jueves. 6:30pm (Español)

PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL

The Adoration Chapel is open 24/7

For Baptism, Matrimony and
Anointing, please call the
parish office.

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PARISH MEMBERSHIP

Active members of our parish are identified by their generosity of time, talent and treasure.

NOTICE

Confessions are available by appointment and may be done anonymously.
Please call the parish office: 919-861-4600

CALENDAR & MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21 5:00pm - † Charles & † Margaret Colby

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22 9:00am - † Lilliana Fiore-Gordon
11:30am - † Deceased members of the Gorkczynski Family

(Español) 1:30pm - Pro Populo
5:00pm - † William Edward Hollifield, Jr.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 23 8:30am - † William Edward Hollifield, Jr.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24 8:30am - Bozena Danrel & † Anna Lundergan

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25 9:00am - † Pelagia Macapanas & † Mary Childers

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26 8:30am - † Anita Diaz
(Español) 6:30pm - † Joaquin Maza

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27 8:30am - † Esther Castillo

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28 5:00pm - Pro Populo

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29 9:00am - Patricia Icovazzi
11:30am - † Pat Steele & † Joe Nassif
(Español) 1:30pm - Lord of the Miracles
5:00pm - † Angeles & † Edmundo Gonzales

Regular Office Hours

Monday - Friday
8:30am - 4pm

Website

ourladyoflourdescc.org

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ollraleigh.flocknote.com

Adoration Chapel
oll.weadorehim.com

THE MISSION OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES PARISH

is to invite and lead all people to know and love Jesus Christ and to live their Catholic faith through word, sacrament, community, evangelization and service.

MINISTERIO HISPANO

HISPANIC MINISTRY

Oficina Parroquial: 919-861-4600

La Misión de la Parroquia de Nuestra Señora de Lourdes es invitar y dirigir a todas las personas a conocer y amar a Jesucristo a vivir su fe Católica a través de la palabra, los sacramentos, la comunidad, la evangelización y el servicio.

Enlace Misas en Vivo por Youtube: (Youtube Live stream)

Para unirse en cualquier momento con las misas celebradas en Nuestra Señora de Lourdes en directo por nuestro canal de Youtube: <https://www.youtube.com/c/OurLadyofLourdesCCRaleigh>

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HORARIO MISAS EN ESPAÑOL

Jueves 6:30 pm

Domingos 1:30 pm

HORARIO MISAS EN INGLES

Lunes, Martes, Jueves y Viernes 8:30 am

Miércoles 9:00 am Sábados 9:00 am y 5:00 pm

Domingos 9:00 am, 11:30 am y 5:00 pm

CONFESIONES

Jueves (Español): Después de la misa de las 6:30 pm.

BAUTISMOS PARA NIÑOS MENORES DE 7 AÑOS

Requisitos:

- Papás tienen que estar registrados en nuestra parroquia.
- Presentar copia del acta de nacimiento del niño(a)
- Llenar la forma pre-bautismal.
- Papás y padrinos asistir a la platica pre-bautismal y a la misa.
- Los padrinos no pueden estar viviendo en unión libre.

Para más información , comunicarse con:
Edilmar López al: 919-349-5036

VISITANDO Y LLEVANDO
LA COMUNIÓN A LOS ENFERMOS

Pastoral Care

Si usted tiene algún familiar o conocido de la comunidad que se encuentre enfermo y desea que se le visite, bien sea en la casa donde éste reside u hospital, o se le lleve la Santa Comunión, puede comunicarse con **Darinel Morales** al 919-428-8691.

GRUPO DE ORACION

Hispanic Prayer Group

Todos los Viernes a las 7:15 p.m. en el Salón Fallon Center.

El Grupo de Oración tiene como objetivo fortalecer la fe de sus miembros y acercarlos mas a Dios a través de Oración, predicas y alabanzas.

Para más información comunicarse con:

Celeny Arreaga al: 919-641-9792

GRUPO DE JOVENES ADULTOS 18 a 30 años

Hispanic Young Adult Group

El Grupo de Jóvenes Adultos se reúnen todos los domingos de 10:00 am a 12:00 pm en el Salón 202 del Fallon Center

El Grupo Jóvenes de Adultos se reúne para tratar temas diversos que les ayudan en su crecimiento Espiritual, Emocional y desarrollo de liderazgo. Además de organizar diversas actividades que motive a los jóvenes a participar de la vida y misión de la iglesia.

Para más información, comunicarse con:

José Velásquez al: 843-492-8103

GRUPO DE MUJERES

Hispanic Women Group

El Grupo de Mujeres se reúne todos los sábados de 6:30 pm a 8:30 pm en el salón 201 del Fallon Center.

El Grupo de Mujeres tiene como objetivo ayudar a las Mujeres a descubrir y fortalecer su identidad, así mismo incrementar y empoderar su autoestima y por supuesto mejorar su relación con Dios y su relación matrimonial y su rol como madre.

Para más información, comunicarse con:

Hilda Baltazar al: 919-601-8032

BODAS / MATRIMONIOS

Wedding

Está pensando en casarse por la Iglesia?

El primer paso, es hacer una cita con el Padre Patrick Keane (el habla español). 919-861-4600

Para más información, sobre el proceso para contraer matrimonio, por favor comunicarse con:
Roderico Roblero: 919-986-5294

ADORACIÓN PERPETUA ANTE
JESÚS SACRAMENTADO

Nuestra Parroquia de Nuestra Señora de Lourdes tiene una Capilla para la Adoración Perpetua las 24 Horas.

Todos estamos invitados a pasar unos momentos orando en silencio ante la presencia de nuestro Señor Jesús Sacramentado.

Clases de Catecismo Para Adultos

Faith Formation Claeses for Adults

Este programa es para personas mayores de 17 años que no estén bautizadas y para personas que solamente les hace falta la Primera Comunión y la Confirmación.

Este programa de formación de adultos es también para personas que deseen convertirse al catolicismo y para aquellos bautizados que deseen aprender un poco mas de su fe católica.

Requisitos:

-Llenar la forma de registro.

-Para los que no están bautizados, presentar el acta de nacimiento.

-Para los que le hace falta la primera comunión y confirmación, presentar el certificado de bautismo.

Para más información, comunicarse con:

Filomeno Méndez al: 919-559-8314

PARISH MATTERS

SANCTUARY CANDLES

A 14-day
CHURCH SANCTUARY
CANDLE
will burn
for the priests of the
Diocese of Raleigh

A 14-day
CHAPEL SANCTUARY
CANDLE
will burn
in thanksgiving for
Jackie & Daniel Miglucci
from Anne Suber

Pro-Life Corner

"Only respect for life can be the foundation and guarantee of the most precious and essential goods of society, such as democracy and peace."

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ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers on the altar are
in celebration of Sarah & Denis Badore's
10th wedding anniversary

Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion Training

October 24th at 6 :00 pm
in the Church

Attendance is **mandatory** for all current
Extraordinary Ministers.

If you are interested in attending this training for
the first time, or if you cannot make this session,
please contact Arielle Lapid, Liturgy Assistant:

alapid@ourladyoflourdescc.org
919-861-4613

Please join us for our **Rosary for Life** prior to
11:30am Mass every Sunday.

OFFERTORY

OFFERTORY OCTOBER 15 2023	NEEDED	ACTUAL	DIFFERENCE
YTD OFFERTORY (7/1/23-10/15/23)	\$ 475,990	\$ 442,148	- \$ 33,842

OLL SCHOOL EXPANSION FUND: BUILDING THE LEGACY

\$ 180,719

The Second Collection for the first weekend of each month
will no longer be called Debt Reduction but
"Capital Improvement Fund".

50% will go towards the OLL School Expansion and the other
50% towards the Future Building Fund for the Parish which
will address future needs for the Church, Office, Fallon
Center, or Rectory. As usual, if checks are marked for a
certain purpose, (such as OLL School Expansion,) 100% of that
check will go towards the School Expansion even if dropped
into the second collection.

Thank you for the generosity and great love of the parish that
has been shown over the course of our debt reduction
campaign. May God continue to bless you always!

MASS ATTENDANCE Weekend of October 13

5pm Saturday: 189
9am Sunday: 366
11:30am Sunday: 298
1:30pm Sunday: 300
5pm Sunday: 165

TOTAL: 1,318

HOLY FACE DEVOTION



You are invited to join
your fellow parishioners
in the **Fallon Center
Lounge** each **Tuesday
evening** promptly at **6:15**
to pray for 30 minutes the
Devotion to the Holy Face
of Jesus.

Please Pray for
our Sick &
Suffering

FRANK BELL
KATHLEEN CHARLESWORTH
MYLES CHARLESWORTH
JANET CHIAVETTA
DANA CASH
ELEANORA CEFALU
ANDREW DILILLO
BARBARA GRANT
LOUISE GUYTON

DOUGLAS HOBBS
GREG HOBBS
JOE KORST
ANNETTE LEFEBVRE
LIZ LORSCHIEDER
FRANK JANASIEWICZ
DEACON TOM MACK
ED MACKO
EILEEN MACKO

CHRISTINE MARTIN
JULIA MEYERS
DON MONROE
LOUISE NANCE
KATIE NOWAK
RICHARD POLLARD
IRMA CRUZ-QUINONES
MARY REDMOND
DAN & KAREN RITCHIE

JOELLE ROEHL
MARY-LOUISE SAUTER
ALLISEN SCHULT
NANCY URBEN

RETREATS & EVENTS

Project Rachel Post Abortion Healing Retreat January 5-7, 2024

If you desire healing from a past abortion, you are invited to experience the love of Jesus Christ at a Project Rachel weekend retreat in the Raleigh area. The weekend retreat is strictly **confidential**, for both women and men and includes discussions, spiritual exercises, the sacrament of reconciliation, a Memorial Service, and a Mass of the Resurrection. Participation offers a beautiful opportunity to experience God's love, forgiveness, and compassion. For more information or to register for the retreat:

project.rachel@raldioc.org - (919) 852-1021.
<http://rachelnc.org>

Cost is \$200 for lodging, meals, and all retreat materials. Discount of \$50 for early registration. If there is a financial burden, assistance is available.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

Volunteers are needed for our parish workdays!

January 6 - 15 volunteers
January 13 - 15 volunteers
February 17 - 15 volunteers
February 24 - 10 volunteers

Opportunities to serve include:

1. Help Deacon Byron coordinate Our Lady of Lourdes' participation this year (training available.)
2. Sign up to volunteer on the construction site (must be 16 years old, no experience needed—just a servant's heart.)
3. Help make lunches for the volunteers.

If you'd like to be involved this year,
please contact Deacon Byron:
bchampagne@ourladyoflourdescc.org

Habitat for Humanity
919-833-1999 - www.habitatwake.org
2420 North Raleigh Blvd, Raleigh NC 27604



JOIN YOUR FELLOW PARISHIONERS AT

Our Lady of Lourdes
CATHOLIC CHURCH

The Annual Parish Retreat: Faithful Stewards & the Eucharist
Saturday, November 11 • 8am-4pm • Fallon Hall

This retreat offers a time for spiritual renewal for all parishioners. The focus will be on God's call to live as good stewards in thanksgiving to Him who feeds us of His own Body and Blood. Think of it as an invitation to reflect on God's unconditional love for us and our response to that love. With an emphasis on the Eucharist, attendees will learn more about Its impact on our lives and how we can grow closer to Christ by availing ourselves of his true presence. Come and be closer to Jesus this day.

Register no later than November 4th by visiting the parish website
or scanning the QR code. **(Limited to the first 200 RSVPs.)**
There is no cost to attend and breakfast and lunch will be provided.

Fr. Dave Zimmer has long been committed to developing stewardship as a way of life. After attending the Msgr. McGread Stewardship Conference in Wichita in 2005, Fr. Dave began taking formal steps to introduce the spirituality of stewardship to the parish of St. John the Apostle in Minot, N.D., where he served as pastor. Fr. Zimmer retired in 2021 but continues to develop the stewardship way of life, and he has returned as a regular speaker for the Msgr. McGread Stewardship Conferences. He has also conducted more than 50 parish stewardship retreats throughout the country and addressed Presbyteral Conferences in the dioceses of Worcester, Mass., Salt Lake City, Utah, and St. Augustine, Fla., sharing his story of a parish community and pastor who embraced the stewardship way of life.



RETREAT LEADER
Fr. David Zimmer
Diocese of Bismarck, ND

RSVP



Faith Formation

Week of October 23-28

Monday, October 23

Tuesday, October 24

630pm **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)** is a process through which non-baptized men and women enter the Catholic Church. Also, it is for those who have been Baptized but never Confirmed. It includes stages marked by study, prayer, and rites at Mass. Contact: Deacon Byron Champagne, 919-861-4614, bcchampagne@ourladyoflourdescc.org

7pm **Young Adult Bible Study** meets weekly in the Fallon Center, room 202. They cover the upcoming Sunday Mass readings. Contact: Chris Fedkiw, 919-791-6688, cfeddy890@gmail.com

Wednesday, October 25

Thursday, October 26

930am **Thursday Theologians** meet weekly in the Fallon Center (Rm 202) to pray and discuss the weekend scriptures. Contact: Lisa Dunham, 919-630-6320, Ldunham4@icloud.com

630pm **Veritas Theology** (young adults) meet in the Fallon Center Lounge to discuss theology. Contact: Deacon Byron Champagne, 919-861-4614, bcchampagne@ourladyoflourdescc.org

Friday, October 27

6am **That Man is You (TMIY)** provides faith formation and fellowship for Catholic men on Friday mornings from 6am to 7:30am in the Fallon Center Hall. Open to all men. Contact: Domenic Coletti, 919-389-9913, Domenic.coletti6@gmail.com

630pm **Choice Wine** introduces couples to the 7 steps to a superabundant marriage which when lived intentionally can transform their marriages and families. Open to all couples. Contact: Mike & Lulu Miranda, 919-341-7848, mirandalo@gmail.com

Saturday, October 28

Sunday, October 29

9am **Childrens Nursery** (in the Fallon Center Nursery room). The 2-3-year-olds are taught basic prayers. Contact: Candace Sperati, 919-861-4634, csperati@ourladyoflourdescc.org

9am **Childrens Liturgy of the Word** calls young children (4-1st grade) forward after the Collect prayers of the 9am Sunday Mass to process to the Fallon Center to celebrate and reflect on the Sunday Gospel reading in an age-appropriate way. Contact: Candace Sperati, 919-861-4634, csperati@ourladyoflourdescc.org

1015am **Childrens Faith Formation** classes meet in various OLL school buildings, Contact: Candace Sperati, 919-861-4634, csperati@ourladyoflourdescc.org

1015am **Youth Faith Formation** - middle school and confirmation students meet in OLLS middle school building. Contact: Austin Faur, 919-861-4601, afaur@ourladyoflourdescc.org

1015am **Adult Faith Formation** - study and discuss Bishop Robert Barron's DVD series on The Sacraments in the Bernadette Center Classroom. Open to all. Contact: Bob Bowerman, 919-847-4808, bob.bowerman@gmail.com

A BIBLICAL WALK THROUGH THE MASS



Begins October 22
in the St. Bernadette Center

10:15am - 11:15am
Sunday morning
beginning October 22 and ending
November 19

In the St. Bernadette Center
Fr. Thomas Price classroom

For More Information

Contact Deacon Byron Champagne
bchampagne@ourladyoflourdescc.org
919-861-4614

Discover the Beauty, the Riches, and the Profound Meaning of the Mass

Everything we say and do in the Liturgy is steeped in biblical language. *A Biblical Walk Through the Mass* explores the extraordinary biblical roots of the Liturgy and reveals what it all means and why

it all matters.

This fascinating tour of the Mass will renew your faith and deepen your love for and devotion to the Holy Eucharist.



“We need to recommit ourselves to the central act of our faith with passion and joy. This marvelously written aid will help us join ourselves to the Lord as he offers himself to the Father in the Sacrifice of the Mass.”

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MYSTERIES *of the* ROSARY

— *The Joyful Mysteries* —

REDISCOVER THE POWER OF THE ROSARY!

Our Lady of Lourdes Raleigh
Program Launch on October 27 at 7:30 PM
Light refreshments will be served

Please pre-register at <https://ourladyoflourdescc.org/joyful>
Small groups will meet for 6 weeks after the launch

Enroll Now



Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic School 8th GRADE PECAN SALE

Available to purchase
Monday, October 9th
through Monday, October 30th

Order forms are available at the
school and parish offices.

Every year, our 8th grade students sell
pecans in order to raise money.
This year, that money will be funding
the 8th grade's end of year trip to
Busch Gardens, while the remainder
will be the class's gift to the school.

Pecans will be delivered to all the
students at school before
Thanksgiving which makes them great
additions to your Thanksgiving Table!

Menu

Fresh Georgia Pecans

- + Extra Large Pecan Halves (perfect for baking),
16 oz. \$16.50
- + Roasted & Salted Pecan halves,
12 oz. Gift Bag \$13.50
- + Milk Chocolate Covered Pecans,
12 oz. Gift Bag \$12.50
- + Cinnamon Sugar Covered Pecans,
10 oz. Gift Bag \$12.50
- + Pecan Caramel Clusters, 8oz. Gift Bag \$9.50

Payment

Cash or a check made out to OLLS
and note "Pecans"

Questions? ollspecanfundraiser@gmail.com

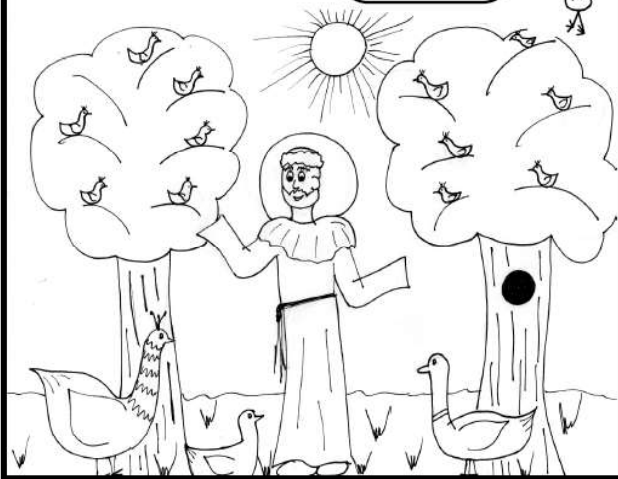
Saint Francis of Assisi

Saint Francis of Assisi was a monk who gave away everything he had. He was very cheerful and helped others to be happy.

What can you do to make someone happy today?

He was a great preacher. Even the birds listened when he talked about God.

Count how many little birds are listening to Saint Francis.



Year A: Twenty-ninth Sunday of Ordinary Time



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Give the
Lord glory
and honor.

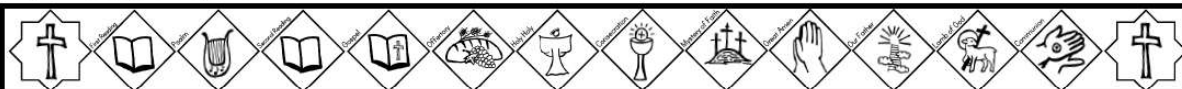
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Bow your head while you pray to help you focus on being humble for God.

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Circle the gifts that you have. Use those gifts to help people learn about God!

Sports Music
Friendship Kindness
Sharing Listening
Cooking Reading
Math Building
Helping



Gospel



Jesus is teaching his disciples to give to Caesar what is Caesar's and give to God what is God's. What gifts do you have to give to God?

THE TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

On the Gospel of this day ; St. Matthew, 22 :15-21.

God's plan for man on earth was that he should live in the society of his fellowmen. Society must be governed, there must be authority which will direct the actions of the component members toward the common good, which common good is principally, though not exclusively, the material welfare of the members as a whole. As his ultimate end, however, man has his spiritual welfare. This government, this temporal power to rule and direct the human groups or societies or states, comes, therefore, from God for it is his will that such societies should exist. The answer of our Lord explicitly restates this fundamental norm of the divine natural law. "Give to Caesar what is Caesar's;" the state authorities have a right to the obedience and cooperation in all things that tend to the material welfare of the state, provided always the spiritual welfare of the members is not impeded by the rulers' demands.

As a partly spiritual being man is destined to be a citizen of a spiritual eternal kingdom, and while on this earth he has the duty and the possibility of preparing himself for citizenship in that kingdom. And since this kingdom is of a higher and much more important nature, man's primary aim in life must be to reach that kingdom. He must, in other words, find out and fulfill his duties toward God; he must "give to God what is God's."

This dual citizenship of man and the dual obligations that arise from it are the common knowledge of all from the natural law but are made more explicit still in divine revelation of which today's answer, given by Christ to the Pharisees, is a precise and perfect resume. We have duties to God and duties to our country and the fulfillment of the latter is part of the fulfillment of the former. We Christians have no doubts as to our obligations under these two headings. We fulfill our duties to God by being faithful, loyal, active members of the spiritual kingdom, the Church, which Christ established on earth in order to lead us to our eternal kingdom. We fulfill our duties to our country by loyally obeying the just laws of the State, by paying all lawful taxes, and by contributing our share, whenever called on, toward the common good.

Both St. Peter (1 Pet. 2: 13-14) and St. Paul (Rom. 13: 1-7), stressed the obligation on the early Christians of being an example to all in their loyalty as citizens of the state. The same necessity obliges us too. We who know the divine, positive and natural law so much better than many others, must help to enlighten those others by our faithful observance of these laws. And our loyalty, too, will give the lie to those enemies of the faith who, in their ignorance and foolish opposition to things spiritual, are only too ready to think that loyalty to our Church and our God must of necessity make us disloyal to our country. History already has given the lie to such calumnies, for the loyal Christian has ever been the loyal citizen, but we must keep on writing such history in glaring lights of daily deeds, for there are, and there always will be, those enemies who cannot read history books.