

ST. BENEDICT, RIDGELY

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Saturday, October 17  
4:30-5:10p.m St. Elizabeth Church  
CONFESSIONS  
5:30 p.m. St. Elizabeth Church  
Jeanne & Joseph Dombroski

Sunday, October 18  
TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
7:15 a.m. St. Benedict Church  
(This Mass will also be livestreamed on YouTube)  
Joseph Ernest, Jr.  
8:30 a.m. St. Benedict Church  
People of the Parish  
11:15a.m. St. Elizabeth Church  
Patsy Kibler

Monday, October 19  
9:00a.m. St. Elizabeth Church  
Richard Holland

Tuesday, October 20  
9:00a.m. St. Benedict Church  
Intentions of Donald King

Wednesday, October 21  
9:00a.m. St. Elizabeth Church  
Jeanne Dombroski  
6:00p.m. St. Elizabeth Church  
Helen A. Heaney

Thursday, October 22  
9:00a.m. St. Benedict Church  
Rose Marie Wood

Saturday, October 24  
4:30-5:10p.m St. Elizabeth Church  
CONFESSIONS  
5:30 p.m. St. Elizabeth Church  
Oliver Sellman

Sunday, October 25  
THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
7:15 a.m. St. Benedict Church  
(This Mass will also be livestreamed on YouTube)  
Elizabeth Ellis  
8:30 a.m. St. Benedict Church  
Rose Marie Wood  
11:15a.m. St. Elizabeth Church  
People of the Parish

TABERNACLE LIGHT INTENTIONS

OCTOBER 10 through OCTOBER 23  
St. Benedict Church  
In Honor of Alexander Davis  
St. Elizabeth Church  
Intentions of the Coxon Family

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GIFT OF STEWARDSHIP  
BACK TO THE LORD  
October 10 & 11, 2020

Envelopes	\$ 2,684.00
Loose	\$ 360.25
<b>TOTAL OFFERTORY</b>	<b>\$ 3,044.25</b>
Weekly Budget	\$ 4,900.00
Deficit (Below Budget)	(\$ 1,855.75)

Poor Box \$ 82.00

YEAR- TO-DATE OFFERTORY

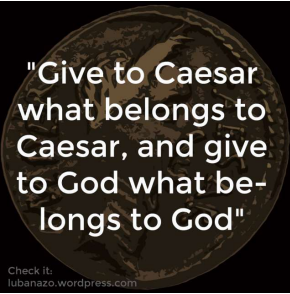
July 1, 2020 – October 11, 2020	
Budgeted Offertory	\$72,709.71
Actual Offertory	\$63,414.93
Deficit	(\$9,294.78)

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ST. ELIZABETH, DENTON

A WORD FROM FR. COFFIEY...

My dear parishioners ~



In the gospel this weekend, Jesus is having a discussion with the Pharisees. They are trying to entrap him in ill-informed speech. Fortunately, Jesus has all the right words. The Pharisees want to see if Jesus is loyal not just to God, but also the government. What is Jesus' response? Give to Caesar what is Caesars, and to God what is Gods!

With less than three weeks away to the big election, we have the duty as Catholics to vote with our Faith and the duty as Citizens to fulfill our obligation to vote. Jesus tells us these are both necessary to be a

good person and to live in society. However, God is the most important thing in our lives. Society does not transform us. Our Faith transforms society. St. Paul says in our Second Reading that the Faith is preserved with much conviction and love. The truth always sets us free. Let us have conviction in what we say and preach! Please be on the lookout for free voting resources that will help us be well informed voters. As the election gets closer, continue to pray the Rosary during this month of October devoted to Our Lady of the Rosary! It is the most powerful weapon that we have according to St. Padre Pio!

Fr. Coffiey

LITURGY

STAY IN YOUR CAR, LISTEN TO THE MASS & RECEIVE COMMUNION  
For anyone who does not wish to attend Mass inside the church but would still like to receive Communion, we wanted to remind you that you may attend the 8:30a.m. Mass and park in the spaces designated by the orange cones in front of St. Benedict Church. Then, simply tune your radio to 89.1 FM to listen to the Mass as it is celebrated. When it is time for Communion, Fr. Coffiey or the Deacon will come out to your car to bring you Communion. Just call the Parish Office if you have any questions.

2021 MISSAL BOOKLETS HAVE ARRIVED

There are approximately 25 copies of the St. Joseph Missal for 2021 remaining and they are available on a first-come, first-serve basis at the cost of \$2.00 each. If you would like to reserve a copy or copies, please contact or visit the Parish Office. You may drop off or mail payment to the parish office or place it in an envelope marked "Missals" and drop it in the collection basket at any Mass. Once payment is received, your copy (ies) labeled with your name will be left in the church of your choosing for pick-up or can be picked up at the Parish Office.

ALL SOULS REMEMBRANCE MASS



A Mass of Remembrance will be celebrated on All Soul's Day, Monday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>, at 7:00p.m. at St. Benedict Church. During this Mass, we will honor and pray especially for the repose of the souls of those people who have been buried from St. Benedict and St. Elizabeth's Churches since November 2, 2019. If you lost a loved one or friend during the past year who you would like us to include in the Remembrance Mass, contact Lori in the Parish Office (410-634-2253) with the person's name. Due to COVID restrictions, seating at the Remembrance Mass will be limited and will be reserved first for the families of those whose funerals were celebrated at SB/SE during the past year. Remaining seats will be offered to other parishioners wishing to attend the Mass.

VOCATION REFLECTIONS

THE LOVING ENVIRONMENT OF A FAMILY draws forth an individual's greatest talents and gifts. We've come to realize that creating an atmosphere in which children can hear the Lord's call is one of the most significant responsibilities resting on our shoulders as parents. Our own lives must reflect the presence of God, His Word, and the love He offers His people.

Parents, do you encourage your children to develop their talents and gifts? Do you encourage your children to think of Church ministry as a possible life choice? If you think God is calling you to be a priest, religious sister or brother or a deacon, contact Fr. Norm Carroll, Diocesan Director of Vocations, at 302-573-3113 or [vocations@cdow.org](mailto:vocations@cdow.org). You can also visit the diocesan Vocations webpage at [www.vocations@cdow.org](http://www.vocations@cdow.org).

Please pray for our diocesan seminarians  
and those discerning a call to Religious Life:

Deacon Michael Preston	Brennan Ferris	John Enemu	Eugene Mitte
James Gebhart	Brooks Jensen	Mark Donohue	Dennis Stameza
Eric Gianforcaro	James Kimmel	Kevin Lilly	Peter Schirmer V
Brett Carmean	Gabriel Ortiz-Jimenez	Amanda Krow	

OCTOBER 17 & 18, 2020

CHRISTIAN FORMATION

All students who registered for on-line learning (first through eighth grades) should have received sign-in emails from My Catholic Faith Delivered web site by now. If you have not, please email me ([mduggan@beparish](mailto:mduggan@beparish)) and let me know. At this point, there isn't a good online curriculum for Kindergarteners. I will continue to search for one. In the meantime, we will be distributing the Kindergarten text "Image of God – Who Am I?" to K parents. Please email me for pick up either from the office or after 8:30 Mass on Sundays.

Ninth graders should have, by now, received a link and password for the fall semester course of "Teen Timeline". There will also be a once-a-month class in the building on the first Sunday of each month from 9:30 to 10:45 am with safe distancing and masks worn. The next meeting will be Nov 1.

Tenth grade – in person classes for Confirmation are being held on the First Sunday of the month, in the Great Room (with safe distancing and masks) from 9:30 to 10:45 am. There will also be online learning from the Chosen program for this class. The next Confirmation prep meeting will be Nov. 1.

PARISH & FAMILY LIFE



We have already received some beautiful handmade items for our Bazaar from Afar online auction! The auction will open in late October or early November for online bidding through Trice Auctions. To be notified when the auction is open for bidding, visit <https://triceauctions.com/email-list-signup/> and sign up for e-mail notifications. Then, once the auction is live, you'll be able to register as a bidder if you see any items in which you are interested.

We are still seeking donations of handmade or handcrafted items, theme baskets, gift certificates and new items for the auction and we are hoping to receive all items by October 30<sup>th</sup> (items can be dropped off at the parish office or arrangements can be made for pick-up from your home).

Our Bazaar from Afar will also feature delicious carryout food offerings including homemade soups, pork BBQ and Apple Dumplings. A pre-order form for carryout foods will be inserted in next weekend's bulletin. All pre-ordered food can be picked up at the Parish Hall on Saturday, November 14<sup>th</sup> between 10am-2pm.

YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

Calling all youth in grades 6-12! Please join us for a bonfire and rosary to kick off the year this Sunday, October 18<sup>th</sup>, from 5pm-8pm at 24276 Asbury Road, Denton MD. Dinner will be provided. RSVP's appreciated to Miss Pam at [pamelaking829@gmail.com](mailto:pamelaking829@gmail.com) or 410-708-5450.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

FALL VEGETABLE SALE ~ The Knights will offer their annual Fall Vegetable Sale on two dates this year – Sunday, October 25<sup>th</sup> after all Masses and Sunday, November 15<sup>th</sup> after all Masses. Both sales will feature an abundance of delicious fresh vegetables and the October sale will also feature pumpkins and gourds. All proceeds from the sales will directly benefit a seminarian in our Diocese as they study, prepare, and discern their call to the priesthood.



The next SUPER SUNDAY BREAKFAST will be held on Sunday, November 1<sup>st</sup>. Two seatings will be offered in the Parish Hall – one after the 7:15a.m. Mass and one after the 8:30a.m. Mass. Carryouts will also be available. Menu includes scrambled eggs, bacon, biscuits, sausage & gravy, pancakes, and hash brown potatoes. Cost is just \$6 per person. If you are planning to attend one of the seatings in the Parish Hall, please RSVP by October 28<sup>th</sup> by contacting the Parish Office as seating is limited.

The Knights will host a monthly FRIDAY FELLOWSHIP DINNER and the first one will be held on Friday, November 20<sup>th</sup> from 5:30-7:00p.m. in the Parish Hall. The November menu will include pulled pork or chicken, cole slaw, macaroni and cheese and beverages. All food will be homemade, and cost is just \$6 per person. All proceeds from the dinners will be given to the parish to boost operating income in light of current offertory shortfalls. Seating will be limited, and RSVP's must be received by November 16<sup>th</sup>. A Flocknote including a sign-up link will be sent out sometime soon for those who would like to RSVP online.

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

LIFE IN THE PARISH FAMILY

This weekend's Second Collection is for All Souls Intentions.

Sunday, October 18  
• 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection – All Souls Intentions  
• R.C.I.A. Class – 9:40-10:45a.m. – Resource Room  
• Youth Ministry Bonfire – 5-8pm @ the home of Dan & Marlinda Tuel

Monday, October 19  
• Confessions – 8:15-8:45a.m./Mass – 9am – SE Church  
• Building & Maintenance Committee Meeting – 6pm - Hall

Tuesday, October 20  
• Confessions – 8:15-8:45a.m./Mass – 9am – SB Church  
• Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – 9:30a.m. – Noon – SB Church (Benediction at Noon)

Wednesday, October 21  
• Confessions – 8:15-8:45a.m./Mass – 9am – SE Church  
• Confessions – 5:15-5:45a.m./Mass – 6pm – SE Church  
• Knights of Columbus Meeting – 7:30p.m. – Hall

Thursday, October 22  
• PARISH OFFICE CLOSED  
• Confessions – 8:15-8:45a.m./Mas – 9am – SB Church  
• Adult Bible Study – 9:30a.m. – Great Room

Friday, October 23  
• PARISH OFFICE CLOSED  
Saturday, October 24  
• Confessions – 4:30-5:10p.m. – St. Elizabeth Church

Sunday, October 25  
• 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection – Mission Sunday  
• R.C.I.A. Class – 9:40-10:45a.m. – Resource Room  
• Knights of Columbus Fall Vegetable Sale – after all Sunday Masses

REMEMBERING IN PRAYER THIS WEEK...

For Healing, Strength, Grace & Peace...



Peggy Brittingham ~ Joan & Frank Mollick ~ Kathleen Green ~ Patricia McWilliams ~ Helen Dill ~ Cheryl Harris ~ Judy Edmonston ~ Edie Crank ~ Patricia Freedman ~ Michael Alt ~ Michael Keating ~Christina Jewell ~ Clark Johnson ~ Janet Kibler ~ Karen Coward ~

Kelly Presnell ~ Ron Safchick ~ Rita Miedl ~ Nelson Owens ~ Tobey McWilliams ~ Agnes Metzler ~ Cynthia Makas ~ Ernie Blazajak ~ Alex Wood ~ James Coleman ~ George Simacourbe ~ Delaney Tull ~ Su Lappin ~ Al Buccalo ~ Mark Sellman ~ Ben Shirley ~ Georgia Smithmyer ~ Doris Sharp ~ Kevin Flynn ~ Frances & Edward Cartrette ~ Rob Pasciak ~ Julia Seiler ~ Ginny Lewis ~ Butch Petroski ~ Michael Petroski ~ Mary Jo Clancy ~ Luis Jackson ~ Gary Stewart ~ Jeffrey Kinnamon ~ Gavin Hood ~ Craig Kelley ~ Ron Champagne ~ Larry Close ~ Bill Williams ~ Socorro McIntire ~ Logan Persyn ~ Jesse Gabriel ~ Ann Jones ~ Jack Wheatley ~ Judy Klug ~ Carolyn Swain ~ Bruce Beighlie ~ Chuck Tarr ~ Helen Vogt ~ John Bettien ~ Kathleen Maes ~ Leo McWilliams ~ Joe Smigielski ~ John P. De Rocili ~ Patti Maquire ~ Mary Lukacsina ~ Rita Hixon ~ Sue Kibler ~ Jason Brown ~ Frances Daly (mother of Mark Daly) ~ Sharon Balling ~ Dennis Clegg

In Thanksgiving for Healing ~ Margie Palazzolo  
Our Members in the Military: Zach Wise ~ Joseph Remaniak ~ Faustina Remaniak

Do you know someone in need of prayer? Let us know and we will add their name to the list. Has someone on the list experienced healing? Let us know if we can remove their name and offer prayers of thanksgiving.

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