

October 19 & 20, 2019

## Twenty-Ninth Sunday of Ordinary Time



### MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil	5:00 p.m.
Sunday	8:00 a.m.
	10:00 a.m.
	12:00 noon

Monday-Friday	7:30 a.m.
Saturday	8:30 a.m.

### RECONCILIATION

Wednesday	6:30 - 7:30 p.m.
Saturday	4:00 - 4:45 p.m.

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Wednesday	6:30 - 7:30 p.m.
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## HOLY REDEEMER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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### CLERGY:

Rev. Mark Smith, Pastor

Rev. Andrew Clyne, Parochial Vicar

Coordinator of Lifelong Family Faith Formation

Rev. Charles F. Smarsh

### PARISH STAFF:

Mrs. Marie Winterson

Parish Secretary

Virtus Child Protection Coordinator

Mrs. Kathie Bernitt

Bookkeeper

Mrs. Bethany Berard

Certified Natural Family Planning Instructor

Rite of Christian Initiation for Children Catechist

Mrs. Maria Balducci

Director of Music

Mr. James Brosnihan

Facilities Maintenance

## HOLY REDEEMER SCHOOL

301-474-3993

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WEBSITE: [school.holy-redeemer.org](http://school.holy-redeemer.org)

FACEBOOK: [facebook.com/HRSCollegePark](https://facebook.com/HRSCollegePark)

Mrs. Katrina Fernandez, Principal

*Pre-Kindergarten through 8th Grade*

*Beforecare & Aftercare Available*

*Tuition Assistance Available*

### MATRIMONY

Please call the Parish Office at least six months in advance to speak with a priest and to schedule Pre-Cana Formation and a wedding date.

### BAPTISM

Baptisms are typically held the fourth Sunday of the month at 1:00 p.m. Please call the parish office for information and to schedule Baptism Preparation Formation and a Baptism date.

**TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME**



*“Render a just decision for me against my adversary.”* Today’s Gospel features a persistent widow who ekes out justice from a notoriously cold-hearted judge. Why does she win the day? *“Because the widow keeps bothering me.”* Jesus’ recommendation to the disciples is to be persistent in prayer, because surely God the Father is far more attuned to their needs than this judge. If only it were that easy, right? We’ve all experienced the unanswered prayer, the silence after our cries. When this continues, sometimes it can be difficult to have faith in God or believe He answers prayers. It can be easy to lapse into a sense of His distance. We want Him to do something “fair,” which – in our limited view – typically means that something works out in our favor.

There are, of course, many legitimate cries for justice. We live in a fallen world filled with flawed human beings. We hurt each other, sometimes grievously, and our efforts to remake the world in our image can result in unjust, inhumane systems. Faced with the problem of evil, we may wonder how God will *“secure the rights of his chosen ones.”* Sometimes, He may well seem *“slow to answer them.”*

In the face of these very real questions, it’s important to recall the words of the prophet Isaiah, that God’s thoughts *“are not [our] thoughts.”* His ways are not our ways. God respects the freedom He has given us. When we see what free will has wrought, perhaps we question God’s better judgment! Yet somehow, we hear that He mysteriously works all things for our good. No matter what situation we find ourselves in, we are always free to love. We are invited to be persistent in our prayer, to continue bringing our concerns before God in trusting surrender. We are invited to love well in the circumstances we find ourselves in, to be a light in the darkness. No matter when – or if – our prayers are answered the way we would like, we are nonetheless invited to witness to *“faith on earth.”*

**THIS WEEKEND:**

**FR. CHRISTIAN HUEBNER JOINS US FOR MASS & THE FALL PANCAKE BREAKFAST**



Please join us this Sunday, October 20th in the Four Seasons Room for our Fall Pancake Breakfast. Serving begins at 8:30 a.m. until after the 10:00 a.m. Mass and is ALL YOU CAN EAT.

We are pleased to announce that our former Summer Seminarian, Fr. Christian Huebner, will be presiding for us at the 10:00 a.m. Mass and will then join us after for the Pancake Breakfast. Fr. Christian, who was ordained just this past June, is now the Parochial Vicar at St. Mary of the Mills in Laurel and is looking forward to spending time with us on the 20th.

Prices for the Pancake Breakfast are \$4.00 per person, \$13.00 for a family of 8 eaters, \$15.00 for a family of more than 8 eaters featuring Pancakes, Sausage, Fixins Bar, Coffee, Tea, Milk, & Juice.



**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

This is run under the leadership of John Mudd with the manpower of parish volunteers. Anyone wishing to help with the Pancake Breakfast should contact John Mudd at 301-345-1544 or jemudd0813@gmail.com.

*Junior High and High School students, earn your community service hours and Confirmation service hours by volunteering!*



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## **PARISH GO-FUND-ME FOR HOLY REDEEMER SCHOOL**

*Keep Catholic Education Going Strong!*



Our students and school families are running hard to support the good works of our school with our Home School Association's 5K Monster Dash and 1K Trick-or-Trot. All proceeds support Catholic Education at Holy Redeemer. Please help our students with this major fundraiser. If they reach their goal of raising \$50,000, they get a day off of school.

Did you received a Catholic education and appreciate the benefits of the good old fashion discipline in a loving environment? Did those ol' nuns help you actually grow stronger as a young boy or girl? Did Catholic School help you come to know the love of God? This might be a great way to say "thanks" and keep it going.



VISIT THE PARISH WEBSITE FOR THE GO-FUND-ME FOR HOLY REDEEMER SCHOOL AT:  
<https://parish.holy-redeemer.org/>



*How can you, members of the parish, support our school, a vital mission of our parish?*

- 1) The first way is by signing up to **RUN** the 5K or walk the 1K. (*VISIT THE PARISH WEBSITE*)
- 2) Secondly, if racing is not for you, then you can help by **GIVING** a donation on our Go-Fund-Me page or by just visiting the Parish Office to donate.
- 3) Finally, get the word out! **SHARE** the Go-Fund-Me page with a click of the button and show your support for our school as it approaches its 90th year of providing an excellent Catholic education to the children of our parish.

### **ALL SAINTS DAY**



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All Saints Day, November 1st, is a Holy Day of Obligation. On Holy Days of Obligation the Catholic faithful are obligated to attend Mass and participate in the sacraments, most notably communion.

Masses will be celebrated at 7:30 a.m., 8:20 a.m. (Holy Redeemer School Mass), 12:10 p.m., & 7:30 p.m.

### **SCHOOL OF RELIGION**

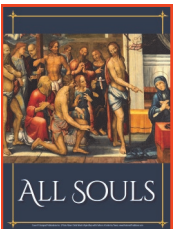
#### **Upcoming Dates to Remember:**

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| 10/20/19 | School of Religion    |
| 10/27/19 | School of Religion    |
| 11/3/19  | School of Religion    |
| 11/10/19 | NO School of Religion |

- Harvest Bazaar Weekend



### **ALL SOULS DAY**



An All Souls Day Rite of Remembrance will be celebrated at Holy Redeemer during the Vigil Mass on Saturday, November 2nd at 5:00 p.m. Please join us as we remember and pray for the peaceful repose of the souls of those who were buried from or Memorialized by Holy Redeemer in the past year:

Preston Wayne Asbury / Patricia Sue Wright / Bradley Garner / Janet Richards / Christine Ross / Anne M. Hixon / Kathleen Sharon Rose / Mary Ann Hudak / August M. Tolzman, Jr. / Claude "Pete" Petrone / James N. Walsh / Maud Beatrix Murphy / Marian DuBrule LeRoux / Anna Patricia Marrichi

## TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

**Donations  
are greatly  
Appreciated!**

Please contact Lisa Smith at  
[jlsmith263@yahoo.com](mailto:jlsmith263@yahoo.com) with  
any questions!

### Stuffed Animals

Plush Animal Dip n Win

Lisa Smith

[jlsmith263@yahoo.com](mailto:jlsmith263@yahoo.com)

### House Plants

Plant Stand

Cathy Buffington

[catherine.d.buffington@gmail.com](mailto:catherine.d.buffington@gmail.com)

### New Items worth \$1-\$5

Mystery Gifts

Sara Nurse

[granzowf15@hotmail.com](mailto:granzowf15@hotmail.com)

### Used Home Goods /

### Vintage Jewelry &

### Knick Knacks

Yard Sale

Nanette Mack

[nanette.mack@gmail.com](mailto:nanette.mack@gmail.com)

White Elephant

Alice Daly

[rockmom40@hotmail.com](mailto:rockmom40@hotmail.com)

### Bottles of Wine

Wine Pull

Lisa Smith

[jlsmith263@yahoo.com](mailto:jlsmith263@yahoo.com)

### New Items worth \$20-\$40

Harvest Raffle

Barbara Asbury

[beagle0195@aol.com](mailto:beagle0195@aol.com)

Thank you for your generosity in  
your support of Holy Redeemer  
Parish!

Please Join Us For Holy Redeemer's

47th Annual

# HARVEST BAZAAR

November 8 & 9

## FREE ADMISSION

**Crafts, Food, Bakery, Games, White Elephant, Silent Auction,  
Bingo, Santa, Raffles, Prizes, and More!**

Holy Redeemer Church | 4902 Berwyn Road | College Park, MD

### FRIDAY

12:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Kid's Games & Pizza Lunch

5:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Games of Chance

Silent Auction

Kid's Games

Crafts on Stage

White Elephant

Dinner - "Surf or Turf"

Bakery

### SATURDAY

8:00 a.m.

Yard Sale - *Get here early!*

White Elephant and Craft Sale

Coffee, Donuts and Bagels

12:00 p.m.

Boy Scout BBQ Chicken Lunch

12:00 - 6:00 p.m.

**Family Day!**

Silent Auction

Games

Santa Pictures

Santa's Secret Workshop

Vendors

5:00 - 10:00 p.m.

**Family Night at The Bazaar**

5:00 p.m.

Mass

Dinner - "Taste of Italy"

7:00 - 10:00 p.m.

Family Bingo

Silent Auction

Raffles

Drinks and Snacks

Bakery

**PLUS:**



**Saturday and Sunday  
November 9 & 10**

Harvest Bazaar Chairs Needed for the following: Publicity, Vendors, Bingo, Beer Garden, & Wine Pull. Please contact Lisa Smith at [jlsmith263@yahoo.com](mailto:jlsmith263@yahoo.com) for more information or to volunteer. *HRS Parents: you can earn ALL of your required HRS Service Hours for the year by volunteering to be a General or Activity Chair!*



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# FALL FUNDRAISER

## HOLY REDEEMER \* COLLEGE PARK



**Attention all vendors and hobbyists!**

**We invite you to participate in our annual Harvest Bazaar.**

*Have a home business, hobby or God given gift you would like to share with others? Come out, support our parish and have a fun time doing it! The bazaar has featured food, games, crafts, fun and excitement for many generations. It is an event all return to attend. We are offering tables for rent at the low price of \$50 per table for 2 days! We kindly ask for donation of one item of value to our annual auction to be provided at the time of set up.*

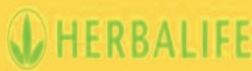
**Dates:** **Friday, November 8<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.**  
**Saturday, November 9<sup>th</sup> from 12:00 noon – 7:00 p.m.**

**Set up Time:** **Friday, 3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

**Where:** **Holy Redeemer Church**  
4902 Berwyn Road  
College Park, Maryland

**Contact:** **Mandy Buchanan** [mandyb1113@gmail.com](mailto:mandyb1113@gmail.com) or 301-706-6202

### IDEAS:



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Vendor Show Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Description of items to be sold: \_\_\_\_\_

## ***TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME***

### **UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS:**

- 10/23, Archbishop Gregory celebrates the School Mass at Holy Redeemer, 8:20 a.m.
- 10/26-11/7, Harvest Bazaar Donations are accepted at Fealy Hall, 9 a.m. - 9 p.m.
- November, Masses for All Souls celebrated throughout the month
- 11/2, First Reconciliation Day of Reflection, 9 a.m. - 12 noon
- 11/8 & 9, Harvest Bazaar 2019

### **OFFERINGS FOR ALL SOULS DURING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER**



During November, the month of All Saints and All Souls, special Masses have been set aside to remember all of our beloved dead. Each week, we will offer 2 or 3 Masses for those deceased loved ones who are listed in the Book of Remembrance, which will be placed next to our Baptismal Font in the church.

*If you would like to remember your loved ones*, please fill out a special **All Souls envelope** found in the front entrance of the church and on the Mezzanine. Those who receive collection envelopes will also find them in your collection envelope packets.

### **READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 20, 2019**

Sunday:	Ex 17:8-13/Ps 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8/2 Tm 3:14-4:2/Lk 18:1-8
Monday:	Rom 4:20-25/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75/Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday:	Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 17/Lk 12:35-38
Wednesday:	Rom 6:12-18/Ps 124:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8/Lk 12:39-48
Thursday:	Rom 6:19-23/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 12:49-53
Friday:	Rom 7:18-25a/Ps 119:66, 68, 76, 77, 93, 94/Lk 12:54-59
Saturday:	Rom 8:1-11/Ps 24:1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 13:1-9
Next Sunday:	Sir 35:12-14, 16-18/Ps 34:2-3, 17-18, 19, 23/2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18/Lk 18:9-14

### **IN YOUR PRAYERS**

#### **PRAYERS FOR THE ILL & INFIRM**

Clarice Briscoe, Edie Brockway, Elaine Colihan, Barbara Edmonson, Flore Gooch, Larry Grubb, Leslie Hilliard, Lydia Munz, daughter of Sarah Nordmann, Thomas Ryan, cousin of Sheila Smith, Cynthia Troup, sister of Luke Blanda, Eileen Walters, Helen White, sister of Anne Nelson, Colton Zsak, unborn son of Neil & Sarah Zsak

#### **PRAYERS FOR OUR BELOVED DEAD**

Leonor Cecilia Echeverria, cousin of Margarita Morales, Paul O'Malley, uncle of Lorenzo Magnetti, Thomas O'Malley, cousin of Lorenzo Magnetti, Mark Schindler, great-nephew of Pat Krug and Sharon O'Brien

### **MASS INTENTIONS**

#### **FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 20, 2019**

Saturday, October 19, 2019

- 8:30 a.m. George Washington DeChard, RIP  
*Requested by Marsha Hughes*
- 5:00 p.m. John & Florence Bryan, RIP  
*Requested by Roy & Anne Nelson*

Sunday, October 20, 2019

- 8:00 a.m. Rev. William F.X. Berry, RIP  
*Requested by Ray Smith*
- 10:00 a.m. Deceased Members of the DeFranco & Williams Families, RIP  
*Requested by Wayne & Ginny Williams*
- 12:00 noon All Parishioners

Monday, October 21, 2019

- 7:30 a.m. Max Swoboda, RIP  
*Requested by the Swoboda Family*

Tuesday, October 22, 2019

- 7:30 a.m. Gerard Swoben, RIP  
*Requested by Michelle Hall*

Wednesday, October 23, 2019

- 7:30 a.m. Brian Castille, RIP  
*Requested by the Richwald Family*

Thursday, October 24, 2019

- 7:30 a.m. Leonor Cecilia Echeverria, RIP  
*Requested by Margarita Morales*

Friday, October 25, 2019

- 7:30 a.m. Ruth Swoben, RIP  
*Requested by Michelle Hall*

Saturday, October 26, 2019

- 8:30 a.m. Otto & Elsie Nelson, RIP  
*Requested by Roy & Anne Nelson*
- 5:00 p.m. All Parishioners

Sunday, October 27, 2019

- 8:00 a.m. Rita Landers, RIP  
*Requested by the Landers Family*
- 10:00 a.m. Peter Brandon, RIP  
*Requested by Joe & Mary Katherine Theis*
- 12:00 noon Evan Hodge, RIP  
*Requested by Roy & Anne Nelson*

### **STEWARDSHIP**

#### **COLLECTIONS**

October 13, 2019

Due to the Columbus Day holiday, Offertory figures for the weekend of October 13th are not available at this time.

They will be posted in next weekend's bulletin.

THANK YOU!