

October 15, 2023

# CHURCH *of* ST. ALBERT

The Catholic Church in the Heart of Albertville

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## 28<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



"Come to the feast." - Mt 22:4bc

### Welcome Visitors!

#### Are you new to our community?

We are glad you're here and hope that you find our parish a place to call home! To register as a member, please contact the Parish Office at 763-497-2474 or complete the Registration Form on our website.

### Sunday Mass\*

|                     |         |
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| Saturday Vigil Mass | 4:00pm  |
| Sunday Mass         | 8:00am  |
|                     | 10:00am |

### Daily Mass\*

|                                 |         |
|---------------------------------|---------|
| Tuesday                         | 8:00am  |
| Wednesday                       | 8:00am  |
| Thursday                        | 8:00am  |
| Friday <i>Ad Orientem</i>       | 12:00pm |
| 1st Saturday <i>Latin Chant</i> | 8:30am  |

### Reconciliation\*

|              |              |
|--------------|--------------|
| Saturday     | 2:30-3:45pm  |
| Wednesday    | 8:30-9:00am  |
| Friday       | 12:30-1:00pm |
| 1st Saturday | 7:30-8:15am  |

### Marriage

Call the Parish Office one year prior to your proposed marriage date.

### Baptism

Available on the 1st Saturday after the 4:00pm Mass and on the 3rd Sunday after the 10:00am Mass. Call the Parish Office to register for Baptism and for preparation details.

### RCIA

To learn more about becoming Catholic, contact the Parish Office.

### Office Hours

Monday-Friday 8:30-4:00pm  
(Closed 12:00-1:00pm for lunch)

### Chapel Hours

Our Adoration Chapel is open from 6:00pm Sunday to 8:00am Saturday.

\* subject to change with Holidays

## Readings | Mass Intentions

### Today's Readings

**First Reading:** The Lord GOD will wipe away the tears from every face. (Is 25:8)

**Psalm:** I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life. (Ps 23)

**Second Reading:** I have learned the secret of being well fed and of going hungry, of living in abundance and of being in need. I can do all things in him who strengthens me. (Phil 4:12-13)

**Gospel:** "Go out, therefore, into the main roads and invite to the feast whomever you find." (Mt 22:9)



### Mass Intentions for the Week of October 16 - 22

| Day of Week | Mass Time | Mass Intention               |
|-------------|-----------|------------------------------|
| Tue, Oct 17 | 8:00am    | + Lloyd & Eleanor Todahl     |
| Wed, Oct 18 | 8:00am    | + Janet Berning              |
| Thu, Oct 19 | 8:00am    | + Roger Theisen              |
| Fri, Oct 20 | 10:00am   | + Gloria Dooley (Engel Haus) |
|             | 12:00pm   | + Irma Berning               |
| Sat, Oct 21 | 4:00pm    | + Michelle Zachman           |
| Sun, Oct 22 | 8:00am    | + Donald & Betty Barthel     |
|             | 10:00am   | All Parishioners             |

## Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel

**Chapel Hours:** The Chapel of Divine Mercy is open from 6:00pm on Sunday to 8:00am on Saturday.

### Immediate Need

Tuesday—11:00-Noon  
 Wednesday—9:00-10:00am  
 Thursday—11:00-Noon  
 Friday—5:00-6:00am  
 Friday—6:00-7:00pm  
 Saturday—2:00-3:00am  
 Saturday—3:00-4:00am  
 Saturday—6:00-7:00am

### Prayer Partner Needed

Thursday—10:00-11:00am  
 Thursday—2:00pm-3:00pm  
 Friday—4:00-5:00am  
 Friday—11:00am-Noon

If you have questions or would like to have a weekly hour of adoration, contact Brenda at 763-286-8570.



### A Vocation View:

"The Lord of hosts will provide a feast of rich food." Let us look only to the Lord for our salvation and peace, for the things of this world pass away. (Isaiah 25:6). If you would like to talk with someone about your vocation, contact Fr. Joe at: 763-497-2474 ext. 100 or frjoe@churchofstalbert.org.

## From the Desk of Fr. Joe Zabinski

### Reality vs. Appearance

Jesus again in reply spoke to the chief priests and elders of the people in parables, saying, "The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a king who gave a wedding feast for his son. He dispatched his servants to summon the invited guests to the feast, but they refused to come." Matthew 22:1-3

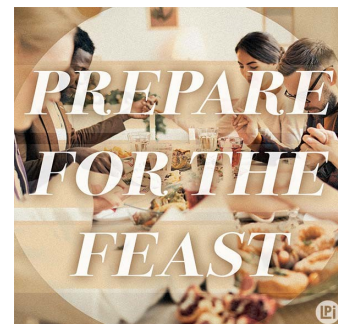
Do you refuse to come? Jesus spoke this parable to the chief priests and elders of the people because, even though they gave the impression to others that they were true followers of the will of God, they were, in fact, among those who refused to come to the wedding feast of the Lamb of God. The chief priests and elders of the people were masters at portraying themselves as something they were not. They knew how to look good in the eyes of the people, how to avoid public criticism, and how to appear as holy men. But they were none of the above. Inside they were hypocrites, liars and murderers.

In this parable, three invitations are sent forth. The first two are given to the invited guests. Though these "invited guests" refer especially to the people of Israel who were raised in the faith handed down from Moses and the prophets, we should also see in it those who have been raised within the Christian faith today. After the first invitation, those invited refused to come. After the second invitation, some who were invited reacted with indifference, while others reacted with hostility. These responses are common today.

When Jesus sends forth His invitation to share in His wedding banquet today, there are many different responses. Some are indifferent to our Lord. These are those who are so consumed with worldly endeavors that they give little time and attention to God. For them, the practice of the faith, such as daily prayer, attendance at Mass and ongoing works of charity, is not important. Making money, obtaining material possessions, indulging in entertainment and other secular pursuits are far more the focus of their time and energy. Others, like the chief priests and elders, are good at playing the part and acting as if they are faithful followers, but they are actually hostile to the will of God. They are concerned only about their appearance and not about the reality of their souls. If they are challenged in any way, they respond with anger and attack. They are not open to the truth of the Gospel and remain self-justified by attacking anything or anyone who dares to call into question the direction they have taken in life.

When the third invitation was sent forth to all people, some responded. How completely do you respond to Jesus' invitation? To answer that question properly, we must "read" the invitation and know what we are invited to participate in. The invitation given to us is an invitation to share in the wedding feast of the Son of God. But to attend that banquet, we must be clothed in the garment of charity. Charity is the form of love that is sacrificial, selfless, and total. This form of love begins by making God the center of our lives and concludes by making His will the sole purpose of our lives. True charity will have the effect of purging all selfishness from our lives. This is why some were hostile to the

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Reflect, today, upon how charitable you are toward others, for that will determine whether you are fit to share in the banquet of the Lord. True charity always seeks to lavish the greatest good upon others. It seeks to do everything necessary to help others grow in love of God. True charity never leads a person to gaze upon themselves. It is always outwardly focused and selfless in its choices. As you reflect upon your charity, or lack thereof, be open to the purifying invitation from Jesus and do not react in hostility. Welcome His invitation to change and allow your wholehearted worship of Him to transform you into a gift of love for others. *Lord of perfect charity, You have invited all people to share in the glorious banquet of Heaven. The only requirement is that we allow all sin and selfishness to be purged from our lives so that we are covered with the garment of charity. I accept Your invitation this day, dear Lord, and commit myself to the purifying fires of Your perfect love. Jesus, I trust in You!*



## Generosity, Goodwill & Gifts

### The Collection for October 7 & 8, 2023.

|                           |               |
|---------------------------|---------------|
| Adult Envelopes/Donations | \$ 7,715.00   |
| Youth Envelopes           | \$ 0.00       |
| Plate                     | \$ 994.00     |
| Abiding Love Envelopes    | \$ 386.00     |
| Total Given Year-to-date  | \$ 142,776.00 |
| Envelope Forecast-to-date | \$ 130,500.00 |



Contribute  
Online

**Thank you parishioners of St. Albert  
for your generous financial support  
of our local parish.**

### Talent Renewal Update

Thank you to everyone who responded to the Talent Renewal Opportunities. If you are still undecided but wanting to respond, check out the opportunities using the QR code to the right. Sign-up online and someone will be in contact with you. There are still A few urgent needs that need to be filled. For more information regarding any of these Ministries, please contact the Parish Office at 763-497-2474 ext 9.



### Arts and Environment Ministry

St. Albert's has an immediate need for an Arts and Environment Team. If you enjoy the various liturgical seasons & an appreciation for the sanctuary environment, please contact the Parish Office for more details.

### Adoration Co-Coordinator

St. Albert's is in need of a person to join our current Adoration Coordinator as a Co-Coordinator for our Divine Mercy Adoration Chapel. If interested in helping with the various tasks that are involved, please contact the Parish Office for more details.

### Grief Support Group

Deacon Paul Ravnika leads a monthly Grief Support Group from 7:00-8:30pm on **Tuesday, October 17**. The meeting is located at St. Michael in St. Anthony's Meeting Room #109. Consider this group if you have been experiencing sorrow from losing a loved one, or for friendship, understanding, prayer, and hope. All are welcome. There is no charge. Come once or come often. Let's walk the journey together. Questions? Contact Deacon Paul at 612-919-4976.

### World Mission Sunday | October 22, 2023

Pope Francis, in his message for World Mission Sunday reflects on the theme "Hearts on fire, feet on the move," based on the story of the disciples who encounter Jesus on their way to Emmaus. Please be as generous as you are able. An envelope is included in this weeks bulletin. Please bring it back next week!

## The Weekly Calendar at a Glance

### Sunday, October 15

Hospitality Weekend/HSA Selling Trip of a Lifetime Tickets  
8:00am Mass  
9:00am TLC Sunday FunDay (parish center)  
10:00am TLC Mass with Liturgy of the Word for Children

### Monday, October 16

9:00am Deanery 11 Meeting (parish center)  
6:30pm 4th Grade Fun Night (parish center)  
7:00pm Flame of Love Rosary (church)

### Tuesday, October 17

8:00am Mass  
8:00am-2:00pm LRSH Homeschool Coop (parish center)  
6:30pm Stewardship Meeting (rectory)  
6:30pm Cemetery Board Meeting (parish center)  
7:00pm Small Group Leader Formation (parish center)  
7:00pm Grief Support Group with Dcn Ravnika (St. Michael)  
7:00pm Theology 101 for Youth (St. Michael)

### Wednesday, October 18

8:00am Mass  
8:30am Reconciliation  
5:00-7:00pm Choir Practice (church)  
6:30pm Parish Pastoral Council Meeting (rectory)

### Thursday, October 19

8:00am Mass  
6:00pm Alpha Fall Course (parish center)  
7:30pm Men's Night with Fr. Joe (parish grounds)

### Friday, October 20

8:00-11:00am Appalachian Mission Packing (parish center)  
10:00am Mass at Engel Haus  
12:00pm Mass *Ad Orientem* (church)  
12:30-1:00pm Reconciliation

### Saturday, October 21

10:00am Prayer Ministry Meeting (rectory)  
2:30-3:45pm Reconciliation  
4:00pm Mass  
7:00-11:00pm Young Adult Swing Dance (parish center)

### Sunday, October 22

6:30-7:30am Men's Group (rectory)  
8:00am Mass  
10:00am Mass with Liturgy of the Word for Children

### Trip of a Lifetime!

Have you ever dreamed of traveling to the Holy Land, Rome, or some other amazing Catholic pilgrimage site? If so, purchase a raffle ticket for a TRIP OF A LIFETIME Pilgrimage for 2 (valued up to \$10,000)! Limited number of tickets are available. Cash prizes will also be awarded. If interested in buying a raffle ticket for \$50, St. Albert students are selling tickets after all weekend Masses **October 14/15**. You may also contact the parish office at 763-497-2474, Ext 9 to purchase a ticket. All proceeds benefit Holy Spirit Academy!

## St. Albert Faith Formation



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**TLC Family Formation**

**2023-2024**

**Registration is Open!**

### Family Formation (Grades K-7)

The TLC Family Formation has started. And there is still room for your family! Please sign up today or contact Jean if you are interested in participating. Go to: [www.churchofstalbert.org/tlc](http://www.churchofstalbert.org/tlc)

### Volunteer Opportunities

Volunteers are still needed for an assistant catechist for the First Communion Class on Wednesday evenings and teen and adults for Children's Liturgy of the Word during the Sunday 10am Mass. Please contact Jean if you are available to help out!

**Questions?** Contact Jean Wold at 763-497-2474, Ext 2 or [jwold@churchofstalbert.org](mailto:jwold@churchofstalbert.org).

## CCW Appalachian Collection

### St. Albert's CCW Appalachian Mission Collection

St. Albert's CCW will be collecting Christmas gifts for the Appalachian Missions again this year. A blue collection box will be in the narthex through Wednesday, October 18



### Suggested Items:

Clothing items for all ages from infants to adults, especially pajamas, socks, sweatshirts, hats, gloves. Infants can also use diapers and sleepers.

Toys for various age groups

Toiletries, purses, billfolds, blankets, towels, kitchen and small household items

**We will also collect boxes**, the size of a shoe box, packed with items for the following age groups:

**Age 2-4, ages 5-9, and ages 10-14.**

Mark the box "Boy or Girl" and specify what age group it is for. Each box should be a mixture of necessary items and something fun.

### NEW ITEMS ONLY PLEASE

No violent toys

All candy should be placed in a sealed plastic bag or container and marked "Candy"

No Chocolate or items that will melt

All liquid toiletries should be tightly sealed.

If possible put in plastic bags.

**See flyer in narthex and on the CCW page of our parish website for more details.**

<https://www.churchofstalbert.org/ccw>

### October is the Month of the Rosary

All are welcome to consider the Flame of Love Rosary on Monday evenings at St. Albert's....

### Flame of Love Rosary

Please join us at 7:00pm on Monday evenings at St. Albert's to pray the Flame of Love Rosary. We pray for the souls in purgatory and for the whole world.

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## All Men are Invited

### Man Night with Fr. Joe



**Thursday, October 19  
7:30pm**

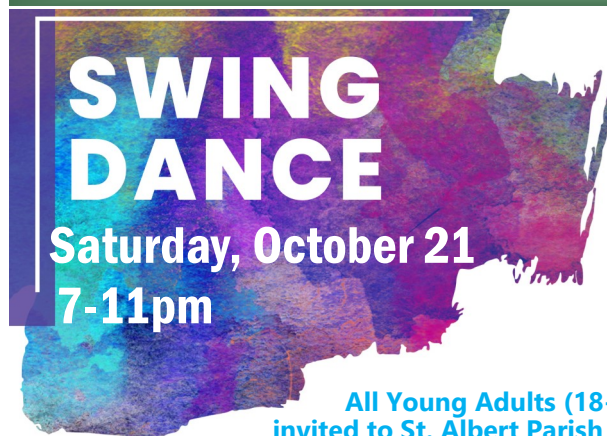
**St. Albert Parish Grounds**

*Rain or Shine: if inclement weather, meet at the Parish Center.*

Come and enjoy manly fellowship, snacks, and beverages around a bonfire with Fr. Joe!

Questions? Contact Fr. Joe at [frjoe@churchofstalbert.org](mailto:frjoe@churchofstalbert.org)

## Young Adult Swing Dance



**All Young Adults (18-35) are invited to St. Albert Parish Center!**

**Please bring either a snack or non-alcoholic beverage to share!**

**For more information or questions, contact JP Hudson at 763-377-1943**

## Looking to become Catholic?



### RCIA Begins Soon

*Are you interested in becoming Catholic or learning more about the Catholic faith?*

**If so perhaps RCIA is a place to start!**

RCIA classes begin **Thursday, October 26** from 7:00-8:30pm for those who are interested in becoming Catholic, learning more about the Catholic faith, or are baptized but in need of receiving the Sacraments of Confirmation or Holy Eucharist. If you have not already done so, please sign up online at [churchofstalbert.org/rcia-becoming-catholic](http://churchofstalbert.org/rcia-becoming-catholic) or contact Jean at 763-497-2474, Ext. 2.



## Opportunities and Events

### Discernment Day with Bishop Williams

Bishop Joseph Williams, along with Vocations Director Fr. David Blume, will lead a discernment retreat for men who have a college degree and are discerning priesthood on **Saturday, October 28** from 9:00am to 7:00pm at the Saint Paul Seminary, Damascus House (1976 Dayton Avenue) The day will include talks on discernment, Mass, prayer, seminary campus tour, testimonies, meals, and social time. Go to: [10000vocations.org](http://10000vocations.org) for more details and registration.

### KC Respect Life Family Dinner

You are invited to the KC Respect Life Family Dinner on **Saturday, October 28** at the St. Albert Parish Center. Social begins at 6:00pm, chicken dinner at 6:30pm followed by featured speakers, Jeffrey & Breanna Dvorak and Paul Ederer who will share their personal experiences with adoption. The children will be entertained during the talks by Sacred Heart Homeschoolers. Reservations required. Please call Jim at 763 497-3909 to reserve tickets by Oct 25. Cost: \$15 for adults; \$10 for students; \$50 for a family.

### Holy Spirit Academy's Harvest Banquet Please Join Us!

Holy Spirit Academy invites you to our Annual Harvest Banquet on **Saturday, October 28** at the Church of St. Michael in St. Michael. Bishop Michael Izen is our keynote speaker which we are very excited about! Enjoy an evening of fellowship, a great speaker, live & silent auction, dancing, and great food! Tickets can be purchased online at [www.holyspiritacademy.org](http://www.holyspiritacademy.org) through October 15. Please join us to support our local Catholic High School!

## STMA Catholic Youth Ministry

### 4th Grade Fun Night

All 4th Graders are welcome to join us on **Monday, October 16** at St. Albert Parish Center from 6:30-8:00pm! The night is filled with awesome games, small groups, snacks, fun, and chances to learn about their faith! We suggest a \$3 donation, bring the night of. See you there!

### Middle School Faith Study

All 5th-8th Graders are welcomed to join Middle School Bible Study on **Monday, October 23** from 6:30-8:00pm at St. Albert Parish Center, Youth Room. This is an opportunity for you to learn more about the faith through scripture. This year we will be going through the Book of Revelation using the series by Dr. Scott Hahn called THE END. You're welcome to join at anytime!

### THEOLOGY 101—Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam

Theology 101 is an opportunity for High School youth to grow in their knowledge and understanding of our beautiful Catholic faith. We will be using the Catechism of the Catholic Church as our main text. Our goal is to get through all four sections of the Catechism in four years. However you can start anytime! Every participant must do the reading and be prepared to discuss what was read. They will be tested throughout the year through asking questions, small quizzes, and a variety of challenges both individually and as a group. All will walk away from this class with a deeper knowledge of our faith, which hopefully will lead to a deeper love of Our Lord! Any and all 9th-12th graders wanting to grow and learn more about their Catholic Faith are invited to attend.

The next session is **October 24** at 7:00pm at St. Michael's Youth Room.

### 7th/8th Grade Open Youth Room

All 7th and 8th Graders are invited to Open Youth Room held at St. Michael's Youth Room various Wednesdays from 2:00-5:00pm. The next one is on **October 25**. Check out our website for a complete list of dates.

### Friday Night Life — "FNL"

Join us monthly for Friday Night Lives for grades 5th/6th & 7th/8th. FNL's will include fun games, snacks, small groups, and prayer. This night is an awesome fun filled opportunity to grow closer to God and friends. We suggest a \$5 free will donation that you can bring the night of! These evenings are led by our high school Core Team. 3 FNL's (Kick-Off, December Bash, and End of the year FNL) will be for all 4 grades together. Most FNL's will be split 5th-6th grade and 7th-8th grade.

**The next "FNL" for 7th/8th Graders is Friday, November 10** at 7:00-10:00pm at St. Michael Catholic Church. **The next "FNL" for 5th/6th Graders is Friday, November 19** at 7:00-10:00pm at St. Albert Parish Center.

Please note that we have a detailed code of conduct that we ask parents to review with their child online and submit the agreement online prior to becoming regularly involved in Friday Night Lives. 1x registration for Friday Night Lives will be available online through our Youth Ministry Family Portal.NL  
**Questions?**

**Contact:** Gabby Ilkka at 612-418-9596 OR [gswift@stmacatholicyouth.org](mailto:gswift@stmacatholicyouth.org)  
John O'Sullivan at 612-470-0539 OR [josullivan@stmacatholicyouth.org](mailto:josullivan@stmacatholicyouth.org), Hollie Danis at 937-760-5562 OR [hdanis@stmacatholicyouth.org](mailto:hdanis@stmacatholicyouth.org)



### Are you a New Member of St. Albert's or interested in joining as a member?

Whether you joined within the last year or you would like to join our parish now. All are welcome to join us for a Welcome Tour with Fr. Joe and St. Albert's Welcome Committee on **Sunday, October 29** following the 10:00am Mass. Meet by the Chapel.

Refreshments Included

To RSVP or if you have questions, contact Jacci Wacker at 763-238-9996 or [jacciw16@hotmail.com](mailto:jacciw16@hotmail.com)

## Opportunities to Pray

### Prayer Requests

If you want to place someone on the prayer list, please send an email: [jwelter@churchofstalberty.org](mailto:jwelter@churchofstalberty.org) or call the Parish Office at 763-497-2474. Their name will remain in the bulletin for 4 weeks. If additional prayers are needed, please request that their name remain on the list.



### Please Pray For:

|   |                            |
|---|----------------------------|
| Eugene Vetsch   | Al Schutta                 |
| Michelle Lindenfelser                                 | Mike Laurent               |
| Tim Lauth-sil of Betty Barthel                        | Allen Webskowsky           |
| Margaret Kalis-sil of Joanne Kalis                    | Eugene Valerius            |
| Gene McMahon  | Cecilia Chapp              |
| Susan Kowalczyk                                       | LuAnn Greninger            |
| Elaine Czech  | Lori Hassing               |
| Paul Greninger  | Sheryl Eull-SIL of Jacques |
| Steve DeMars  | Billy Dwinnell             |
| Mitzi Praught   | Barb Berning               |
| Roger Zabinski  |                            |
| Patrick Ryan-grandfather of Ashley Raymond            |                            |
| Greg Armstrong-brother of Cyndie Winkelman            |                            |
| Suzanne Swenson-friend of parishioner                 |                            |
| Karen Dehmer-daughter of Betty Barthel                |                            |
| Joe Scherber  | Kristina McKenzie          |
| Jim Current   | Kurt Roden                 |
| Beatrice Praught                                      | Charles Hoskins            |
| Charles Anderson                                      | Blaise Ptak                |
| Tony Barthel  | Paul Schumacher            |
| Russell Lindenfelser                                  | Marlene Zachman            |
| Ben Carroll   | Dennis & Leona Vetsch      |
| Florence Bosire                                       | Wayne Kolles               |
| Mara Norton-friend of Jacques & Debra Eull            |                            |
| Adam Roden-son of Bill & Lois Roden                   |                            |
| Nicholas Wiltscheck-great-grandson of Joanne Kerkaert |                            |

### Please Pray for the Safety of our Service Men and Women:

Lindsey Brotkowski-grandaughter of Donais' Michael & Steven Bistodeau  
 Tyler & Nicholas Franzen-sons of Scott & Dawn  
 Henry Kirscht-grandson of Ruth  
 Catrena Schumacher-daughter of Paul & Molly  
 Lance, Blake & Calvin Meyer-sons of Neil & Lisa  
 Mitch Greninger-grandson of Phyllis Greninger  
 Jack Helget-grandson of Phyllis Greninger



## From the Desk of Fr. Joe Zabinski

### Reality vs. Appearance Continued from Page II

invitation. When God invites us to a life of charity, we will be faced with a need to change. For some, this is very difficult. They react either with indifference or become defensive and lash out in hostility so as to protect the life of sin they have chosen.

The parable concludes with one of the invited guests being cast "into the darkness outside, where there will be wailing and grinding of teeth" because he doesn't have on a proper wedding garment. But this wedding garment is a symbol of true charity that flows from an authentic worship of God. <https://mycatholic.life/>

**Have a great week!**

**Fr. Joe Zabinski**

## All About the Saints

### Holiness of the Saints Day Retreat For Men and Women

#### Register at the King's House Retreat Center, Buffalo

We will explore the holiness of the saints through our meditations and how the lives of the saints are present to us today. Our day has 2 conferences, time for quiet reflection, optional sharing, the sacrament of Reconciliation, and celebration of the Eucharist.

**Wednesday, October 18** from 9:00am-3:00pm

Presented by King's House Preaching Team

Suggested Donation: \$60.00 (includes lunch)

A minimum of 10 retreatants is needed for this retreat.

### A Celebration of Saints Party

All families with children are invited to celebrate the Saints at the Annual Saints Party as an alternative or in addition to your plans for the evening of Halloween

**Tuesday, October 31**  
from 6:00-7:30 pm

**St. Albert Parish Center**

Come and enjoy fun, fellowship and food including dinner. It's all Free! We encourage everyone to wear a Saint or Biblical Costume! Join us early for the Walk of Saints! This event is a great event geared for families with children. *Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus.* See you there!

## Opportunities and Events

### Pietra Fitness

#### Fall Stretching and Strengthening Series for Women

Pietra Fitness is a unique whole-person fitness program that integrates physical exercise with Christian prayer while drawing upon the rich & timeless traditions of the Catholic Church. Bodily prayer, sacred art, sacred music, and Christian meditation are woven into this stretching and strengthening workout so that in only 1 hour, you feel calmer, strong, refreshed, & renewed. Bring a mat & water. Fall Stretching & Strengthening Series

**Mondays through December 11 | 7:30-8:30pm**  
**(No Classes on the 3rd Monday of the month.)**

Cost: \$10 class punch card—#100 (save \$50)

6 class punch card—\$75 (save \$15) or

\$15 per class on drop in basis

Contact Certified Instructor, Ashley at 763-242-3077

or at [balancedliving.ashley@gmail.com](mailto:balancedliving.ashley@gmail.com) if interested.

### Archbishop's Discernment Retreat

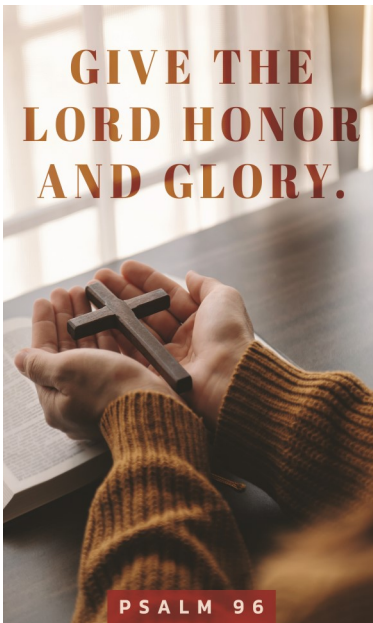
Archbishop Bernard A. Hebda, along with Vocations Director Fr. David Blume, will lead a discernment retreat for Catholic men, ages 17 – 24 who do not have a college degree on **November 3-5** at Christ the King Retreat Center in Buffalo, MN. More information and registration is at [1000vocations.org](http://1000vocations.org).

### DeMontreville Retreat

Come to a place where you can hear the voice of the Lord in the quiet and peaceful setting of Lake DeMontreville. Join us for a three-day men's silent retreat at the DeMontreville Jesuit Retreat House in Lake Elmo, Minnesota. The retreat begins Thursday evening **November 16** and ends Sunday evening **November 19**. Free-will donations are accepted. For more information call our office at 651-777-1311 or see our website [www.demontrevilleretreat.com](http://www.demontrevilleretreat.com)



## Liturgical Ministry Schedule



**GIVE THE  
LORD HONOR  
AND GLORY.**

PSALM 96

| Mass Times           | Saturday, October 21<br>4:00pm   | Sunday, October 22<br>8:00am  | Sunday, October 22<br>10:00am                               |
|----------------------|--|---|---|
| <b>Altar Servers</b> | CB Volunteer Needed<br>C Volunteer Needed<br>C Volunteer Needed        | CB Jonathan Cavanaugh<br>C Ben Zachman<br>C Volunteer Needed          | CB Davin Dufner<br>C Philip Dufner<br>C Benedict Lang       |
| <b>Reader</b>        | Karen Frase  | Jack Steffl   | David Dufner  |
| <b>Sacristan</b>     | John Vetsch  | Patty Vorderbruggen   | Janet Welter  |
| <b>MC</b>            | Joyce Valerius   | Joanne Wacker   | Lois Roden  |
| <b>EMHC</b>          | C Roxane Scherber<br>E Peter Klinkner<br>W Pat Hershley                | C Deacon Paul Ravnika<br>E Dave Vetsch<br>W Joanne Wacker             | C Deacon Paul Ravnika<br>E Mike Welter<br>W Bill Roden      |
| <b>Greeters</b>      | Brian & Roxane<br>Scherber   | Sue Berning<br>Volunteer Welcome                                      | Renee Lee<br>Volunteer Needed                               |
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### Parish Leadership

**Trustees** — Denise Beaudry and Bill Roden

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**Finance Council** — George Lahr, Betty Matras, Karl Nathe, and Marv Valerius

**Stewardship Committee** — Amy Dinkel, Charles Foster, Mary Haehn, Lisa Haines, and Jacci Wacker

### Community Outreach

#### Homebound Ministry

For those who are homebound due to surgery, serious illness (NOT contagious), or cannot make it to Mass but would like to receive Holy Communion each week, please contact Joanne Wacker, Homebound Coordinator, at 612-214-4795 or call the Parish Office at 763-497-2474 to be included in the weekly visits.

#### Holy Communion for Gluten Intolerant

Please speak to the Mass Coordinator or Sacristan at least 10 minutes before Mass.

#### St. Albert Email Prayer Chain

Email your request to: triciaandfarmerken@q.com or call the Parish Office at 763-497-2474.

#### Prayer Blanket Ministry

If you or someone you know would like the comfort of a prayer blanket along with the extra prayers for support, please call Marlene Lindenfelser 763-497-2265 or the Parish Office at 763-497-2474.

#### St. Peregrine Relic

If you or someone you know would like to host the St. Peregrine Relic in your home to pray for healing from cancer, contact the Parish Office at 763-497-2474.

#### Society of St. Vincent de Paul

If you or someone you know is in need of assistance and support or you would like to offer your support and assistance, please call 763-634-1167.

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