

Mass Intention
16 October – 24 October 2021

16 October 2021 – Saturday - Weekday
 4.30 pm: + Maurice (Rease) Roche *by his family*

17 October - SUNDAY - Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
 8.30 am: + Rease Roche *by Ed & Eileen Mary Maher*
 11.00 am: + James J. King *by Anne M. King & the Family*

18 October 2021 - Monday - St. Luke, Evangelist
 8.30 am :

19 October 2021 –Tuesday - St. John de Brebeuf & St. Issac Jogues, Martyrs
 8.30 am: :

20 October 2021 - Wednesday - Weekday
 8.30 am: No Mass

21 October 2021 - Thursday - Weekday
 8.30 am:

22 October 2021 – Friday - St. John Paul II, Pope
 8.30 am:

23 October 2021 – Saturday - Weekday
 4.30 pm: + Mary Bishop *by Mickey & Mary DePrimo*

24 October - SUNDAY - Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time / World Mission Sunday
 8.30 am: + Harry Kestler *by Ed Sykes*
 11.00 am:

“I ask you to ensure that humanity is served by wealth and not ruled by it.” – Pope Francis

PRAY FOR THE SICK

J. Gottesmann, W. Rieger, K. Eschenberg, J. Feeley, R. Knack, Ron Rhodes JR, Dan Buddenhagen, Brenda Long, Mary Ann, Eileem Ohman, Madeleine Wootan, Anita Robertson, Linda Roche, Marcia Bauer, Frank M Geosits Jr, Shirley Rangaves, Josephine, Vincent McCarthy, Skip Mudge, Carl Ricca and all sick and needy.

To submit a name please call the Rectory



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29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**The Son
 of Man
 came
 to give
 His Life**



**As a
 ransom
 for
 Many!**

Regular Mass

Weekdays (Mon, Tues, Thurs & Friday): 8.30 am—Holy Cross Church
 Saturday: 4.30 pm — Holy Cross Church
 Sunday: 8.30 am —St. Patrick's Church
 11.00 am —Holy Cross Church
 Weekdays: 8 am—Holy Adoration
 Confession: Saturday 4.00 pm - Holy Cross Church

**“Be shepherds with the smell of your sheep, in the midst of your people like Jesus the Good Shepherd.”
 – Pope Francis.**



Mary's Promises for Daily Devotion

The most amazing thing about the Rosary is that Mary made promises to those who recite it daily. These aren't insignificant promises, but rather enormously helpful graces provided to those who are trying to live a good and faithful Catholic life:

1. To all those who shall pray my Rosary devoutly, I promise my special protection and great graces.
2. The Rosary will be a very powerful armor against Hell; it will destroy vice, deliver from sin, and dispel heresy.
3. Those who trust themselves to me through the Rosary will not perish.
4. Those who are faithful to recite my Rosary shall have during their life and at their death the light of God and the plenitude of His graces and will share in the merits of the blessed.
5. I will deliver promptly from Purgatory souls devoted to my Rosary.
6. What you shall ask through my Rosary you shall obtain

“Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.” (Mt 25:40).

Pray and give generously

World Mission Sunday
October 24, 2021



Operation Omega

- We should be the last to leave the side of a sick bed.
- We should be the last to let a grieving spouse sit alone.
- We should be the last to write off the children whose parents have failed them or thrown them away.
- We should be the last to ignore the homeless camped out along our streets.
- We should be the last to allow hunger to gnaw at the bellies of our neighbors.
- We should be the last to shrug our shoulders at ongoing environmental degradation.
- We should be the last to let despair grind down the powerless.
- We should be the last to condone cruelty of any kind, to any living thing.
- We should be the last to let human hatred triumph over Divine love.

LITURGY OF WORD

First Reading: Is. 53:10 –11

Second Reading: Heb 4:14-16

Gospel Reading: MK 10:35-45



The first reading is a Messianic prophecy taken from the *Fourth Servant Song* in the second part of the Book of the Prophet Isaiah. It tells how the promised Messiah will save mankind by

dying in atonement for our sins. Jesus has done this out of love for us, becoming the *Suffering Servant* crucified as an offering for sin, interceding for us and taking our punishment on Himself.

The second reading, taken from the letter to the Hebrews, tells us that, as God-man and Mediator-High Priest, Jesus has offered a fitting sacrifice to God to ransom us, liberating us from enslavement to sin. In the time of Jesus, ransom was the price paid to free someone from slavery. Sometimes the “ransomer” offered himself as a substitute for the slave, as Jesus did. The reading also speaks of a High Priest who is able to sympathize with us in our weakness because Jesus has been tested in every way, though sinless, and so we can “confidently” hope for God’s mercy.

Today’s Gospel explains how Jesus has accomplished the Messianic mission of saving mankind from the slavery of sin by becoming the “Suffering Servant.” In the context of the selfish request made by James and John for key positions in the Messianic political kingdom Jesus would establish after overthrowing the Roman rule, Jesus challenged his followers to become great by serving others with sacrificial *agape* love: “Whoever wishes to be great must be a servant.” Jesus commands us to give ourselves to others in loving and humble service, and so to liberate them, just as we were freed by Jesus’ death.

Stewardship October 10, 2021

Sunday Collection	\$	1418.00
Candles	\$	51.00
Poor Box	\$	65.00
Fuel Collection	\$	15.00

**With Prayers & Blessings of God
the Father**

Fr. John Kennady MMI
Dn. John Lyttle

Thank you for your support!

17 October 2021