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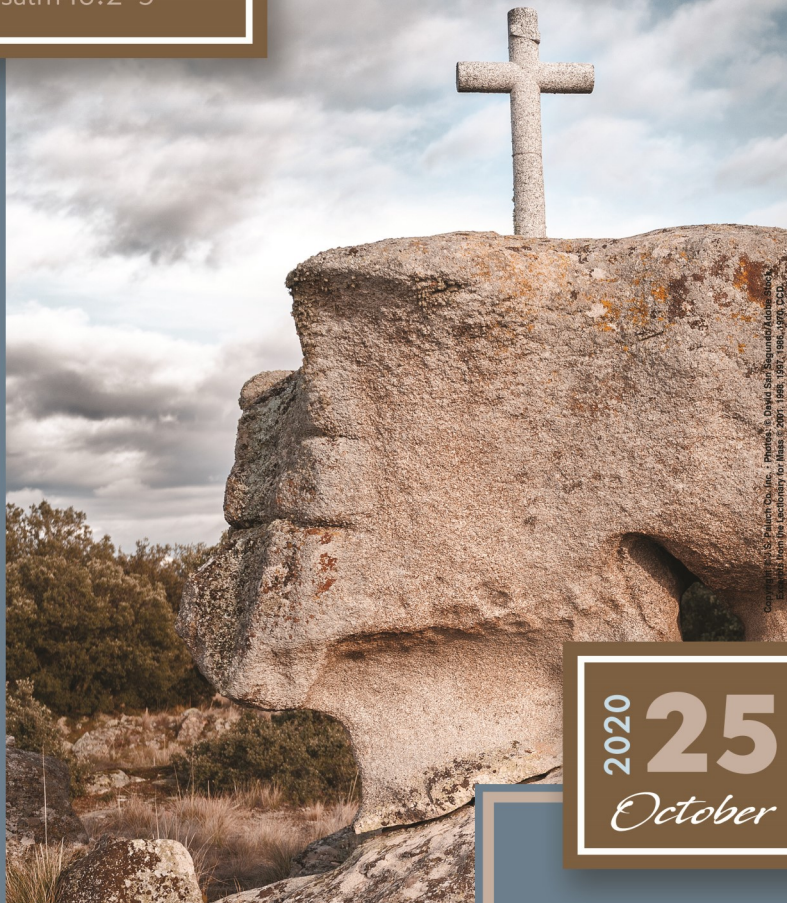
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## October 25th, 2020 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

I love you, O Lord, my strength.  
O Lord, my rock,  
my fortress, my deliverer.

Psalm 18:2-3

*Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time*



2020 **25**  
October

### Mass Schedule

**Monday-Friday:** 8AM  
**Saturday:** 8AM, 4PM Vigil  
**Sunday:** 8AM, 10:30AM\*,  
12:30PM, and 5PM  
\*10:30AM Mass  
Live-Streamed on Parish  
Website

### Eucharistic Exposition

**Wednesday:** 6:00-7:00PM

### Reconciliation

**Monday:** 7-7:45AM  
**Wednesday:** 6-7PM  
**Saturday:** 3-3:45PM

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## Oct. 25-Nov. 1

### Readings for the Week

#### Monday

Eph 4:32 — 5:8; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk  
13:10-17

#### Tuesday

Eph 5:21-33; Ps 128:1-5; Lk  
13:18-21

#### Wednesday

Eph 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 6:12  
-16

#### Thursday

Eph 6:10-20; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10;  
Lk 13:31-35

#### Friday

Phil 1:1-11; Ps 111:1-6; Lk 14:1  
-6

#### Saturday

Phil 1:18b-26; Ps 42:2, 3, 5cdef;  
Lk 14:1, 7-11

#### Sunday

Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1-6; 1 Jn  
3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a

### Saints & Special Observations

#### Sunday

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary  
Time

#### Wednesday

Ss. Simon and Jude

#### Saturday

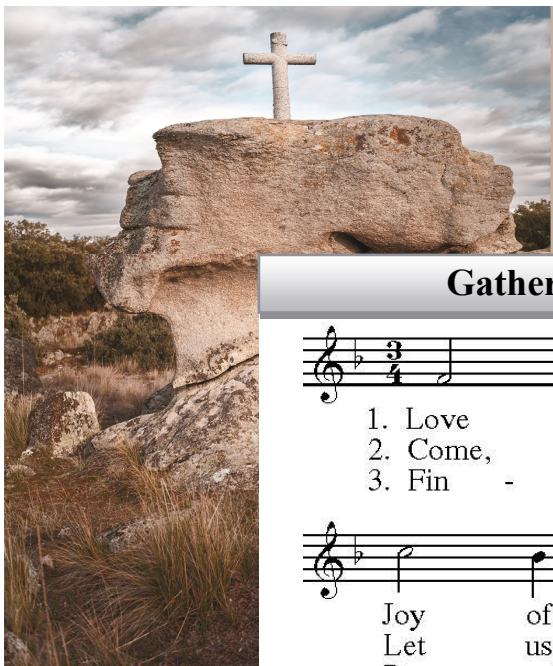
Blessed Virgin Mary;  
Halloween

## Pillars of Pius Winner

Congratulations to Dennis & Liz Mahoney Pillars of Pius winners last weekend, October 18, of \$250!

## Mass Intentions

Mass Intentions are on the table in the front of Church.  
Copies are available.



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### Gathering Hymn: Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

1. Love di - vine, all loves ex - cel - ling,  
2. Come, al - might - y to de - liv - er,  
3. Fin - ish then your new cre - a - tion,

Joy of heav'n to earth come down!  
Let us all your life re - ceive;  
Pure and spot - less, gra - cious Lord,

Fix in us your hum - ble dwell - ing,  
Sud - den - ly re - turn and nev - er,  
Let us see your great sal - va - tion

All your faith - ful mer - cies crown.  
Nev - er more your tem - ples leave.  
Per - fect - ly in you re - stored.

Je - sus, source of all com - pas - sion,  
Lord, we would be al - ways bless - ing,  
Changed from glo - ry in - to glo - ry,

Love un - bound - ed, love all pure;  
Serve you as heav'n your hosts a - bove,  
Till in heav'n we take our place,

Vis - it us with your sal - va - tion,  
Pray, and praise you with - out ceas - ing,  
Till we sing be - fore the al - might - y

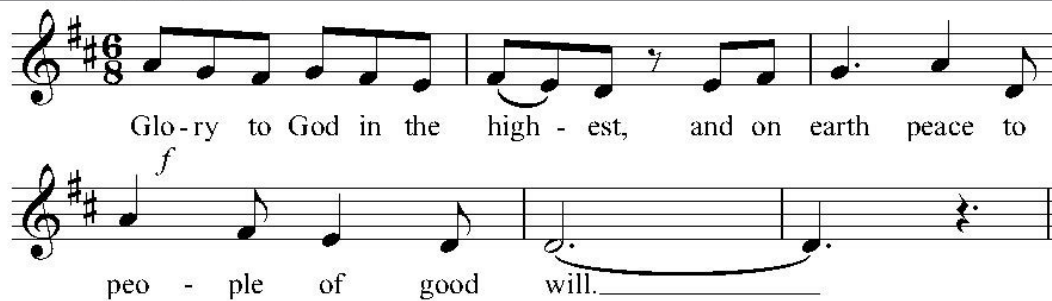
Let your love in us en - dure.  
Glo - ry in your pre - cious love.  
Lost in won - der, love and praise.

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## Gloria Refrain



## First Reading

A reading from the Book of Exodus

*Exodus 22: 20-26*

Thus says the LORD:

"You shall not molest or oppress an alien, for you were once aliens yourselves in the land of Egypt. You shall not wrong any widow or orphan. If ever you wrong them and they cry out to me, I will surely hear their cry. My wrath will flare up, and I will kill you with the sword; then your own wives will be widows, and your children orphans.

"If you lend money to one of your poor neighbors among my people, you shall not act like an extortioner toward him by demanding interest from him. If you take your neighbor's cloak as a pledge, you shall return it to him before sunset; for this cloak of his is the only covering he has for his body. What else has he to sleep in? If he cries out to me, I will hear him; for I am compassionate."

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## Responsorial Psalm



## Second Reading

A reading from the first Letter of St. Paul to the Thessalonians

*1 Thessalonians 1: 5C-10*

Brothers and sisters:

You know what sort of people we were among you for your sake. And you became imitators of us and of the Lord, receiving the word in great affliction, with joy from the Holy Spirit, so that you became a model for all the believers in Macedonia and in Achaia. For from you the word of the Lord has sounded forth not only in Macedonia and in Achaia, but in every place your faith in God has gone forth, so that we have no need to say anything. For they themselves openly declare about us what sort of reception we had among you, and how you turned to God from idols to serve the living and true God and to await his Son from heaven, whom he raised from the dead, Jesus, who delivers us from the coming wrath.

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## Gospel Acclamation

Refrain



## Gospel Reading

The Lord be with you.

**And with your spirit.**


A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew *MT 22: 34-40*

**Glory to you, O Lord.**

When the Pharisees heard that Jesus had silenced the Sadducees, they gathered together, and one of them, a scholar of the law tested him by asking, "Teacher, which commandment in the law is the greatest?" He said to him, "You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the greatest and the first commandment. The second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. The whole law and the prophets depend on these two commandments."

The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.**



**"You shall love the Lord, your God,  
with all your heart,  
with all your soul,  
and with all your mind."**

—Matthew 22:37

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## Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, (*bow*)

***and by the Holy Spirit was Incarnate  
of the Virgin Mary, and became man.***

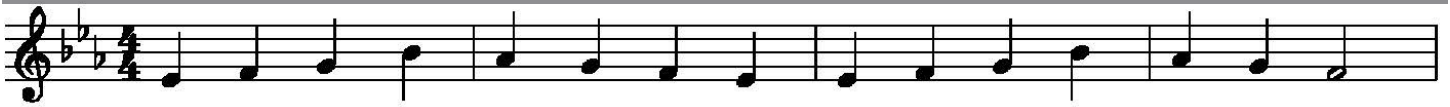
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

## Our Family Prayer

Loving and faithful God, through the years the people of our archdiocese have appreciated the prayers and love of Our Lady of Prompt Succor in times of war, disaster, epidemic and illness. We come to you, Father, with Mary our Mother, and ask you to help us in the battle of today against violence, murder and racism. We implore you to give us your wisdom that we may build a community founded on the values of Jesus, which gives respect to the life and dignity of all people. Bless parents that they may form their children in faith. Bless and protect our youth that they may be peacemakers of our time. Give consolation to those who have lost loved ones through violence. Hear our prayer and give us the perseverance to be a voice for life and human dignity in our community.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Our Lady of Prompt Succor, hasten to help us. Mother Henriette Delille, pray for us that we may be a holy family.

## Presentation of Gifts: The Servant Song

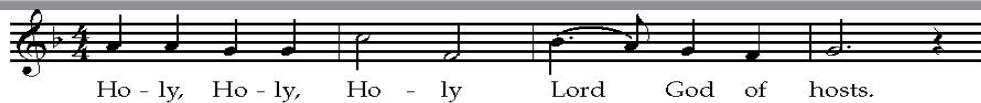


- 1, 6. Will you let me be your ser - vant, Let me be as Christ to you;  
 2. We are pil - grims on a jour - ney, We are trav - 'lers on the road;  
 3. I will hold the Christ-light for you In the night-time of your fear;  
 4. I will weep when you are weep - ing; When you laugh I'll laugh with you.  
 5. When we sing to God in heav - en We shall find such har - mo - ny,



- 1, 6. Pray that I may have the grace to Let you be my ser - vant, too.  
 2. We are here to help each oth - er Walk the mile and bear \_\_\_\_\_ the load.  
 3. I will hold my hand out to you, Speak the peace you long \_\_\_\_\_ to hear.  
 4. I will share your joy and sor-row 'Til we've seen this jour - ney through.  
 5. Born of all we've known to - geth - er Of Christ's love and ag - o - ny.

## Holy, Holy, Holy



Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts.



Heav - en and earth, heav - en and earth are full of your glo - ry.



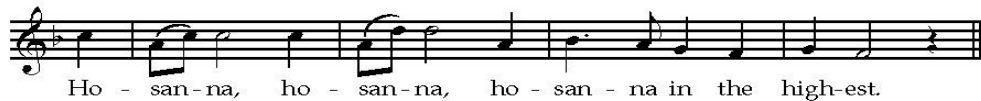
Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.



Bless - ed is he, bless - ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.



Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.



Ho - san - na, ho - san - na, ho - san - na in the high - est.

## Memorial Acclamation



We pro - claim your Death, O Lord, and pro - fess your Res - ur - rec - tion



un - til you come a - gain, un - til you come a - gain.

## Amen




## Lamb of God

Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world,  
*All*  
 have mer-cy on us, have mer-cy on us.  
*Cantor*  
 Lamb of God, you take a-way the sins of the world,  
*All*  
 grant us peace, grant us peace.\_\_\_\_\_


## Communion Hymn: Christ Be Our Light

*Verses*  
 1. Long-ing for light, \_ we wait in dark-ness. Long-ing for  
 2. Long-ing for peace, \_ our world is trou-bled. Long-ing for  
 3. Long-ing for food, \_ man-y are hun-gry. Long-ing for  
 4. Long-ing for shel-ter, man-y are home-less. Long-ing for  
 5. Man-y the gifts, \_ man-y the peo-ple, man-y the  
 1. truth, \_ we turn to you. Make us your own, \_  
 2. hope, \_ man-y de-spair. Your word a-lone \_  
 3. wa-ter, man-y still thirst. Make us your bread, \_  
 4. warmth, \_ man-y are cold. Make us your build-ing,  
 5. hearts that yearn to be-long. Let us be ser-vants  
 1. your ho-ly peo-ple, light for the world to see.  
 2. has pow'r to save us. Make us your liv-ing voice.  
 3. bro-ken for oth-ers, shared un-til all are fed.  
 4. shel-ter-ing oth-ers, walls made of liv-ing stone.  
 5. to one an-oth-er, mak-ing your king-dom come.  
*Refrain*  
 Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the dark-ness.  
 Christ, be our light! Shine in your church gath-ered to-day.


## Recessional Hymn: God's Blessing Sends Us Forth




1. God's bless - ing sends us forth, Strength - ened for our  
 2. God's news in spo - ken word Joy - ful - ly our



task on earth, Re - freshed in soul and re - newed in  
 hearts have heard; O may the seed of God's love now



mind. May God with us re - main, Through us the  
 grow. May we in fruit - ful deeds Glad - ly serve




Spir - it reign, That Christ be known to hu - man - kind.  
 oth - ers' needs, That faith in ac - tion we may show.

## The Prayer to Saint Michael

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle.  
 Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil.  
 May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou,  
 O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

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For you, Jesus.  
If you want it,  
I want it, too.

**Bl. Chiara Badano**  
*Italian teenager with a great love for her faith.  
 She died of a painful bone cancer in 1990,  
 having fully accepted her sufferings.*

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October 29

## St. Pius X Upcoming Events

**October 26 @ 6-8PM in the Church: Confirmation Seminar 3**

**October 26 @ 6-7:30PM in the Parish Center Library: RCIA**

**October 26 @ 6:30-8PM in the Multipurpose Room: Legion of Mary**

Legion of Mary prayer group meets weekly on Monday nights from 6:30-8PM in the Multipurpose room. Please see a flyer at Church.

**October 28 @ 6-7PM in the Church: Holy Hour and Confessions**

We will offer special prayers for the upcoming election.

**October 29 @ 10AM-12PM: Thursday Morning Prayer Group**

The Thursday Morning Prayer Group meets weekly from 10AM-12PM in the Church. We celebrate Mass at 11AM. All are welcome to join us! For more information, visit our Parish Website Calendar.

**October 29 @ 4:30-5:15PM: Rosary Group—Virtual**

Every Thursday, we have our St. Pius X Rosary Group that meets on Zoom to pray the Rosary. Please email Theresa Truxillo at [ttruxillo@spxno.org](mailto:ttruxillo@spxno.org) for information on how to join.

## SPX Fall Raffle Tickets

Fall Raffle Tickets have been delivered by school parents to all of our parishioners. Raffle Ticket sales are an easy and fun way to help our parish and school. Because we will not be able to have our Fall Festival this year, we are depending on each of you to help in any way possible to help us. Please do your part to support this effort! Drawings will take place on Friday, November 20. Good luck!



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## St. Pius X's Giving from the Heart Program



This week you will receive a brochure introducing our Giving from the Heart Program. Our community spent the last several months responding to the historical crisis in so many ways. I'm proud to be part of the St. Pius X Catholic Church community. On Commitment Sunday, November 1, I invite everyone to join together and participate in securing our parish's future. I ask that you please review this brochure and prayerfully consider how you and your family can help St. Pius X Catholic Church by financially supporting our ministries, furthering our mission, and reinforcing our future.

We ask that all faithful parishioners complete a Commitment Card. A card will be included in the brochure mailing for you to:

mail to the church using the pre-addressed envelope included in this mailing.

or bring your card to Mass next Sunday.

or you may visit our parish website at [www.stpiusxnola.org](http://www.stpiusxnola.org) and complete an electronic Commitment Card.

The back of the Commitment Card has a place for you to include any prayer intentions you wish to share. We welcome all intentions and they will be prayed over during Prayer of the Faithful at Mass.

Our goal is 100% participation! Thank you for your generosity and support of St. Pius X Catholic Church!

## Archdiocese of New Orleans Event

### Catholic Lens Series: Living the Gospel in a Fractured Culture

Join us! The Catholic Community Foundation and Notre Dame Seminary are co-hosting the Fall 2020 Catholic Lens Series: Living the Gospel in a Fractured Culture. In the four-part series, speakers will explore the foundational principles that guide our Catholic mission of unity in the world and bring a message of hope and encouragement. Dr. Susie Veters will lead part three of the series, The "Third Way": Catholic Social Teaching in a Polarized Society, on Wednesday, November 4, from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. You may attend the series in-person or virtually. In-person events will be held at Schulte Auditorium at Notre Dame Seminary, and they will be socially-distanced with a 100 attendee maximum per event. Please see this flyer for more details. Registration is required. The registration deadline for The "Third Way" is by 5 p.m. on November 3. Click here to register for the event. Questions? Please contact Dr. Susie Veters at [sveters@ccfnola.org](mailto:sveters@ccfnola.org) or 504.596.3042.

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