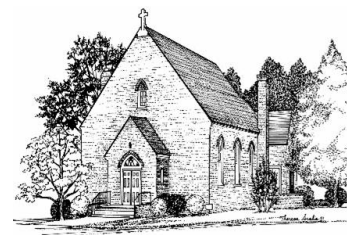




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27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 8th, 2023

Reflection by St. Michael's Parishioner
Betty Lindsay

When Fr. Flum started daily Adoration at St. Michael's, we were all asked to sign up, and my husband who was a convert asked, "What is Adoration?" It's visiting God in His Real Presence in the Holy Eucharist. "But I visit Him like that every time I go in a church. He is always there in the tabernacle, right? What is the difference?" Because you can actually see Him in the Host and talk to Him. "I do that anyway." Ok, are you going to sign up? "I will think about it." We both signed up and fell into the routine of weekly Adoration.

For me, some Holy Hours were good, but most were full of the distractions of everyday life. I tried not to be a Martha, worried about the daily business of living instead of spending my holy hour worshipping and listening to Jesus like Mary. I am still a Martha, but I am trying, and I do find a peace in the church there alone, but my mind wanders all over, more like my thoughts are all in a tornado.

Kenny would come home and say, "I had a great holy hour!" But occasionally he would have a distracted one, and he would be worried that God was not pleased with him. I could only think of my own holy hours with my mind wandering to every subject under the sun, and it still does. But I will keep going, keep trying to concentrate on my prayers, and hope God will accept my weak effort at sincere worship. I am always happy when I leave the church. Holy Hour is worth the effort, even when you have a wandering mind.

Daily Gospel Readings for this Week



Monday – Lk 10:25-37
Tuesday – Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday – Lk 11:1-4
Thursday – Lk 11:5-13
Friday – Lk 11:15-26



EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL CONTINUES

2 Nights of Recollection Remaining on the Most
Holy Eucharist
at St. Michael's



7 PM Wed., Oct. 11 – THIS WEEK!

Rev. Samuel Plummer

7 PM Tues., Nov. 14

Rev. Dan Leary



These Nights of Recollection will include Adoration, a talk by the priest listed, benediction, and the opportunity for confession. All are invited!



TODAY – Sunday, October 8th

Coffee, Donuts, and Miracles!

The Eucharistic Revival Team is hosting Coffee and Donuts after the 8 AM and 11:30 AM Masses this weekend. They have also prepared a display on one of many Eucharistic miracles to help us all to grow in faith in the True Presence of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist at every Mass, in every tabernacle.

So please come on over to the hall after Mass, have a donut and a cup of hot coffee, share good company, and learn about these amazing miracles. We look forward to learning about these miracles and deepening our belief in the Real Presence of Jesus in the Holy Eucharist.



October 9th – Columbus Day

Office Closed & No Adoration

On Monday, October 9th, the Office will be closed for Columbus Day and there will be no Adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

FORMED Recommendation



John XXIII: The Pope of Peace

Feature Film

An inspiring feature film on Saint Pope John XXIII,

starring Edward Asner in an acclaimed performance as the beloved pontiff, who came from common stock and was known for his simplicity, courage, and love for humanity. Shot on location in Rome and Italy, and produced by the Italian film company Lux Vide, makers of Pope John Paul II and Saint Rita, this movie tells the whole life story of John XXIII from his youth through his young priesthood, episcopacy, life as cardinal, and eventually his life as Pope. Elected supposedly as an "interim Pope" who would just keep the status quo and listen to the advisers around him, John XXIII proved to be his own man when he surprised the Church and world by calling for the Second Vatican Council. This film also underscores his wonderful sense of humor and great charity towards others, especially the poor, downtrodden, and the outcast. Shot in widescreen, with excellent acting and beautiful cinematography, the film also stars Claude Rich, Sydne Rome, Massimo Ghini, and Franco Interlenghi. *Pope St. John XXIII's feast day is October 11th.*



Please join us next weekend, October 14th & 15th to hear Rev. Clifton Harris, O.P. speak at all Masses about the FFTP, Food For The Poor, ministry providing direct relief to the poor throughout Latin America and the Caribbean. Fr Harris will share personal witness about Food For The Poor's mission to care for the destitute as a means of living out the Gospel mandate to love one another. *Father Harris was ordained in 1996. He has a B.A. in Theology and a master's degree in Pastoral Theology. He has served in the Diocese of St. George in Grenada as Pastor, University Chaplain and Vicar General for seventeen years. He is now the pastor of Christ The King and St Thomas Aquinas church in Kingston, Jamaica.*

Food Pantry Wish List



Jiffy mix, canned pumpkin pie filling, canned cranberry sauce, boxed mashed potatoes, packaged stuffing, gravy mix, and cold cereal.

Please leave your donations in the food pantry donation closet in the vestibule of St Michael's.

Thank you!

Mass Times

Saturday: 5:00 PM St. Michael
Sunday: 8:00 AM & 11:30 AM St. Michael
10:00 AM St. Dominic

Tues - Fri 8:00 AM, 1st Fri 7:30 PM,
First Sat 9:00 AM, all at St. Michael

Confession Times

Sunday: 7:30 AM
Wednesday: 7:00 PM
Saturday: 4:00 PM

Daily Adoration

Visit our [website](#) for the full schedule



Please PRAY for our SICK

(Please notify us if you or your family member should be removed)

Brenda Baden-Ritter, Joe Bauer, Joanne Butler, Gavin Birl, Arlene Bloom, Arlene Bonds, Grayson Bowling, Madison Brady, Flossie Brown, James Brown, John Brown, Jr., Lynn Brown, Thomas Canavan, Ann Canter, Larry Canter, Sr., Richard Canter, Sr., Charlene Cardwell, Tom Cardwell, Andrew Catterton, Joyce Chambers, Thomas Chambers, Mary Connick, Finn Cusick, Stacey Danielson, Judy Dement, Diane DiSandro, Leo Dixon, Marysa Dixon, Shaun Donnelly, Kathy Fisher, Rosemary Flum, Foley Family, Gloria Foley, Bert Hall-Foxwell, Mike Frisby, Jerry Frisby, Don Gardiner, Gerald Gray, Glenn Hale, Mabel Hamilton, Barbara Harding, Randy Herriott, Larry Horton, Crystal Johnson, Kathy Johnson, Margaret Kramer, Wanda Langley, Betty Lindsay, Adam Lumpkins, Jackie Markam, Mike Mohun, John Martone II, Teddy Miller, Neal Myers, Ralph & Regina Nasatka, Fannie Newman, Thomas Pancamo, Yvette Parker, Carolyn Parson, Lena Pettit, Joyce Pickeral, Donald Prather, Michael Proctor, Betty Proctor, Gary Reinhardt, Marsha Reinhardt, Shawn Reinhardt, Paul Richards, Ann Bowie Rice, Lorrie Riess, Dawn Russo, Mary Savoy, Blanche Simms, Dee Smith, Dave Spadaro, Savannah Stuart, Robin, Patricia & Thomas Stuart, Fr. Larry Swink, George Thomas, Bernard Torreyson, Doug Walker, Raymond Washington, Jackie Weaver, Joseph & Patricia Welch, Jim Williams, Bonnie & Rick Wilson, Ken Wilson, Terry Wilson, Cheryl Young, Dean R. Young, Lewis Young, and Theodore Young.

Jesus, Divine Mercy, heal and console us! Jesus, I trust in You!

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday	10/07/23	5:00 PM	Parishioners
Sunday	10/08/23	8:00 AM	Leo & Kolbe Johnson
Sunday	10/08/23	10:00 AM	The Welch Family
Sunday	10/08/23	11:30 AM	Parish Dinner Volunteers & Patrons
Tuesday	10/10/23	8:00 AM	Mark Hefner +
Wednesday	10/11/23	8:00 AM	Harold Candee +
Thursday	10/12/23	8:00 AM	Rev. Roderick McKee +
Friday	10/13/23	8:00 AM	CDL 4 Less Staff
Saturday	10/14/23	5:00 PM	Amy Zager & Family

YOUR SACRIFICIAL OFFERINGS - October 1, 2023

St. Michael	Offertory Collection	\$ 5124.00
St. Dominic	Offertory Collection	\$ 902.00

May God reward your generosity!