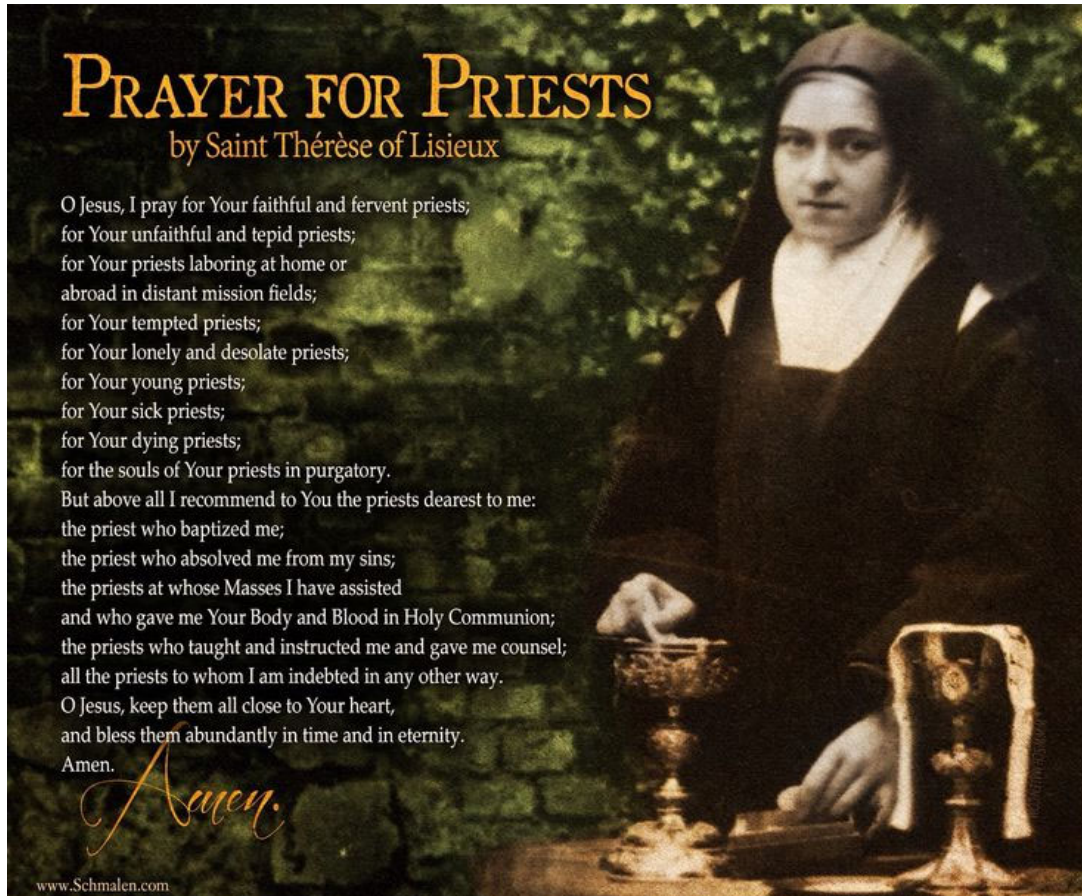


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MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY: SEPTEMBER 25

8:30AM Christy Jose

5:00 PM Maritza Diaz - Reyes

SUNDAY: SEPTEMBER 26

9:00AM Christy Jose

11:00AM Spanish Mass Intentions

1:00 PM Spanish Mass Intentions

6:00 PM Anthony Bobat

MONDAY: SEPTEMBER 27

8:30AM Lena Youm (living)

TUESDAY: SEPTEMBER 28

8:30AM Dominic Jose

WEDNESDAY: SEPTEMBER 29

8:30AM Dominic Jose

THURSDAY: SEPTEMBER 30

8:30AM Dominic Jose

FRIDAY: OCTOBER 1

8:30AM For the People of St. Cecilia

7:30 PM Fr. Robert Wolfe, O. Carm.

SATURDAY: OCTOBER 2

8:30AM Kenneth Whitney

5:00 PM Ralph Louis Spatafore, Jr.

SUNDAY: OCTOBER 3

9:00AM Sr. Jean McLaughlin

11:00AM Spanish Mass Intentions

1:00 PM Spanish Mass Intentions

6:00 PM Fr. Anthony J. Palo, O. Carm.

EXCLUSIVE MEMBERSHIP

The first reading might be what Jesus was talking about when he scolded the disciples. They wanted to stop an exorcist whom they didn't know. In both cases, whether prophesying or driving out demons, someone wanted them to stop. The persons doing those things were not members of the group. In the gospel, the disciples objected simply because they didn't know the ones who were casting out demons. Back in Moses' days, the two "renegades" were actually on the list, they just weren't present with the rest gathered around Moses. Both Joshua and the disciples of Jesus thought they should control who could do God's work and who couldn't.



The temptation to control things is pretty common, but we can't be truly at peace till we allow God to be the one in control. God loves all people, even those who don't know him. So if we see someone who has a spiritual gift, it could be God's way of helping that person to know about His love. There are many non-Christians who are very generous or patient or wise, who could come to faith if they realized that God was acting through them. You don't have to bowl them over with evangelistic fervor. Just the observation that you see God's love in them might get them thinking about their faith.

The Apostles Creed reminds us that the Church is catholic, or universal. All are welcome, because Jesus died for everyone. As Moses said in the first reading, wouldn't it be great if God sent his gifts of the Spirit to them all?

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MASS SCHEDULE



Daily
Sunday

8:30 AM

5:00 PM Vigil

9:00 AM

11:00 AM Spanish

1:00 PM Spanish

6:00 PM

Reconciliation

Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 PM

Adoration Wednesdays

Bilingual 7:00 AM

7:00 PM Vespers

We have listed
several resources on
our website for
those who have
been impacted by
Hurricane Ida.

Please visit
www.stceciliachurch.com

*Let us pray for those
affected by the storm.*

*"Anyone who gives you a cup of water to
drink because you belong to Christ,
amen, I say to you, will surely
not lose his reward."*

MARK 9:41

We are made in God's image and likeness. We tend to forget this. When you look at others, do you see the face of Jesus in them? When others look at you, do they see the face of Jesus in you? When we realize that all lives matter to God, then gratitude and generosity become easier. Why? Because that's the way we are made! We are one Body of Christ; When one of us is hurting, all of us free the pain.

David Baranowski

CARMELITE SEMINARY COLLECTION

This weekend is the annual collection for the Carmelite Formation Program. This collection helps to educate men preparing for ministry within the Church as Carmelites. If you are able to contribute spiritually or financially, we thank you for your support!

DIAPER DRIVE: OCTOBER 2/3

To benefit the Office of Concern at
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*Please leave your donations at Mary's Altar before
and after masses next weekend, October 2/3.*

1 in 3 American families struggle to afford diapers, and parents will often forgo their own necessities to provide for their children. Babies require up to 12 diapers per day, which adds up to \$70-\$80 per month per child - a cost many struggling families simply cannot afford. In addition, diapers are not covered by most federally funded public assistance programs such as SNAP (formerly food stamps) or WIC because they are not food items. Simply put, no parent should have to make the impossible choice between food and diapers for their child.

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Friday, October 1st
5 to 8:30PM

RETREAT
5:00 to 6:30PM - Fr. Agung

PRAYER
6:30 to 7PM - Br. Manny

EUCCHARIST
7:30 to 8:30 - Fr. Herman

*Miss no single opportunity of making some
small sacrifice, here by a smiling look, there
by a kindly word; always doing the smallest
right and doing it all for LOVE."*
St. Therese of Lisieux

Virtual Lectio Divina



Join Br. Manuel
for weekly, *virtual*
Lectio Divina (in English)
every **Thursday** at 7:30 PM

Lectio Divina is a form of prayer in which we can learn to become more aware of the presence of God in everyone and everything. It is an ancient practice of reflection and sharing on the scriptures.

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and click on the link

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FRANCIS**
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annual
blessing of the
animals



Blessing of
the Animals

**Saturday, October 2nd
between 10AM and 2PM**

Come to the Rectory across from the
church and ring the bell.

Masks must be worn by humans.

*All of God's creatures are welcome
...except snakes!*

Without love, deeds, even the most brilliant, count as nothing. St. Therese of Lisieux

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