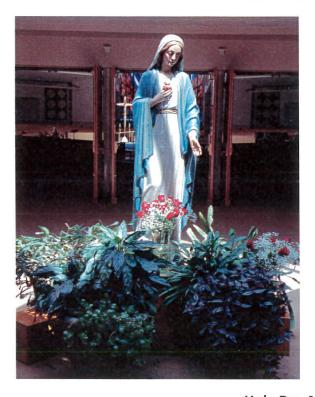
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IHM Eucharistic Adoration

Every Friday of the month we will have Adoration in the Chapel following the 8 am mass until 5:00 pm. There is a signup sheet in the Narthex. We are asking for at least 3 people per hour, so the

Blessed Sacrament is Never left alone. You can sign up for as long as you want, for one time a month, or every Friday. All are invited to come and spend time with our Lord! Contact Anna Neam at 970 424-0546 or Vince Stone at 720 936-1996 for questions.

Immaculate Heart of Mary Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:00 pm

Sunday Masses: 7:30 am, 10:00 am & 6:00 pm

Monday-Saturday: 8:00 am Holy Days: Anticipated Mass, 6:00 pm

Holy Day Masses 8:00 am & 6:00 pm

Reconciliation: Saturday: 2:00 pm — 3:30 pm or by appointment Adoration: Every Friday of the Month Office hours: M-F 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

St. Ann, Palisade Sunday Mass: 9:15 am Holy Days: TBD



Thanksgiving is coming! You can bring the Spirit of Thanksgiving to Local Families!

The 2022 Thanksgiving Box Program is upon us again. Now through November 20th we will be taking donations. Last year our parish supplied our community with over 120 boxes that included ingredients for a Thanksgiving dinner plus some basic grocery staples. You can donate money, food, or your time! A complete list of food items needed is included in this bulletin. Additional copies can be found on the table in the Narthex. If you would like to volunteer your time to assist with this ministry, you can access the signup sheet from the IHM Website homepage, or the signup sheet in the Narthex. If you have any questions please reach out to Chrissy Wesolowski, ced0721@gmail.com or 520-591-7057.

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To register as a parishioner at IHM, please stop by the Parish Office.

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Lee Byram, Juli, Alex & Ashlynn Kirstatter, Chuck Rosa, Bob Ferencsik, Richard Hopkins, Olivia, Stephanie Lane, Marty Olesky, Tom Graves, Charles Chisholm, Tim Allons, Nikki Allons, Kim B. and for all those written in the Red Book of Prayer



Weekend Mass Schedule

We would like to welcome you to Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish! 4:00 pm on Saturday, 7:30 & 10:00 am and 6:00 pm Sunday St. Ann's in Palisade 9:15 am Sunday

Bible Study

BIBLE STUDY

This study will include the history of the Mass and why it is imperative that we as Catholics fully understand Mass and be active participants. The Mass is a call to

each of us personally from Jesus Christ. It is our mission as disciples to respond as a community to this most privileged and intimate encounter with our Lord Jesus Christ this side of Heaven.

Join us, All are welcome! Wednesdays 6:00 pm



THIRTY FIRST SUNDAY OF THE YEAR: C: "UNIVERSAL SALVATION"

(Wis: 11: 22 to 12:2; 2 Thess: 1: 11-22; Lk: 19: 1-10)

Dear friends in Jesus Christ,

I am very happy to see you all through this homily. The Holy mother Church invites you and me to reflect on "UNIVERSAL SALVATION". Today's first reading is from the book of Wisdom. This passage expresses the greatness and love of the Lord God towards the whole creation. It was out of love that the Lord God created the world and everything in it. Therefore He does not desire the destruction or the death of the humankind. The Lord God is always ready to pardon the sins of those who repent and return to Him.

The second reading is from the second letter of St. Paul to the Thessalonians. In this passage Paul urges the Thessalonian Christians to be worthy of their call and assures them that God will help them to be true to it. Paul explains to them that their salvation would be glory both for them and for Jesus Christ. At the same time he asks them not to be too anxious about the second coming of Christ. He urges them to continue to live a good Christian life everyday, allowing God to work in their lives.

Jesus meets Zacchaeus the tax collector

Today's Gospel reading is from St. Luke. In this passage we have a graphic description of Jesus' meeting with Zacchaeus, the chief tax collector of Jericho. After meeting Jesus, Zacchaeus responded to the invitation of Jesus in a wholehearted way. That day in Jericho there were large crowds. On inquiry Zacchaeus came to know that Jesus the miracle worker was passing by. He desired to see Jesus just once. Since he was short in stature he climbed a sycamore tree on the road side and sat on one of the branches. Jesus along with His disciples came that way.

Then the most unexpected and amazing thing happened in the life of this little rich man. Jesus looked up and said,"Zacchaeus, come down, for I must stay at your house today." Zacchaeus was very thrilled but was also confused. So he came down from the tree and took Jesus to his house. Till he met Jesus, Zacchaeus wanted only money and more of it. But that chance encounter with the Lord changed everything in his life. He knew very well that the riches he amassed were accumulated dishonestly. So he gave half of what he owned to the poor and declared that he would repay in fourfold anyone he cheated. Jesus' presence totally and irrevocably changed this man. No wonder Jesus said, "Today salvation has come to this house."

Today Jesus is passing by and inviting each one of us to come down from the tree where we are sitting. Let nothing stand between us and Jesus.

"The first step in a person's salvation is knowledge of his sin." - L. A. Seneca.
"Human salvation demands the divine disclosure of truths
surpassing reason-" Thomas Aquinas.

I wish you all Blessed Sunday and lovely weekend. God Bless you all. Fr.Selva.

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"Mother Theresa NO GREATER LOVE"

will be showing at the Regal Theater for one night only, November 2, 2022. Get your tickets early at Regal Theater!



If you have recently joined IHM, or are thinking of joining our parish, we invite you to a welcome dinner hosted by IHM in your honor. All current parishioners are welcome and encouraged to attend! The last several

years have made it more difficult to gather as a community and create the bonds that will ultimately help to build and strengthen God's Holy Church. Please join us on Saturday, November 12, after the 4pm Mass in Friendship Hall for food, drinks, and fellowship. In order to get an accurate head count for food service, kindly RSVP to ALRastrelli@gmail.com by November 6 if you are able to attend. See you there!**



Catholic Daughters First Saturday Mass will be at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church on 11/5/22 at 8 a.m.

Catholic Daughters Court #941 will be collecting hats, gloves, socks and toiletries for the Catholic Outreach Day Center 11/5–11/30/22. Look for boxes in the Narthex.



IHM would like to decorate
the church for Fall!

If you would like to donate a pumpkin,
gourds, Indian Corn etc. please drop
off to the Parish office before
November 1.

Coffee & Donuts

will be served on the 4th Sunday of every month after the 7:30 & 10:00 am masses.

Please thank St. Bridget's Circle &

Ladies Auxiliary for their joint effort to bring back this ministry. December will be excluded from this as

Christmas falls the 4th weekend.

Diocese of Pueblo

Our Diocese is seeking a Chief Financial Officer. If you or anyone

you know is interested please complete a Diocese of Pueblo application and send to: Nancy Martinez, HR Department, 101 N. Greenwood, Pueblo, CO 81003, or email nmartinez@dioceseofpueblo.org A job description is available in the Parish office.

Masses for All Saints Day



JOB OPENINGS

Tuesday November 1, 8:00 am with Holy Family School & 6:00 pm St. Ann's Palisade 10:30 am

All Souls Mass Schedule

8 am, 12 noon & 6 pm St. Ann's Palisade 5:30 pm

IHM is happy to announce Deacon
Luke Konantz will be hosting the
Parish Thanksgiving Dinner on
Thanksgiving Day at 11:30 am after the
10:00 am Mass. All are welcome!

VICTORY!



Through the intercession of Our Blessed Mother we can now announce that the Women's Clinic off 8th Ave. is no longer performing abortions!

They have merged with

St. Mary's Hospital. Count one battle won, but the war is still on against the innocent baby in the womb. We are now praying the Rosary every Wednesday at 10 am in front of St. Joseph's Church facing Grand Ave.

Come and join us! call Patti Brown 970-241-6266 with any questions.

St. Michael's Church Delta

Annual Fall Bazaar



Will be held November 4th, 5th & 6th. IHM is assisting in selling Raffle Tickets \$5 Each;

\$25 for 6. <u>RAFFLE PRIZES</u>:\$500 HOMESTEAD MEATS, \$500 VISA GIFT CARD, \$500 MODERN APPLICANCE GIFT CARD, \$300 CASH/GIFT CARD, \$250 ACE HARDWARE GIFT CARD, \$200 CASH/GIFT CARD **Drawings to be held on November 6,**2022. Need NOT be present to win.

Minister Schedule for Nov. 5/6,2022 All who are on this schedule have chosen to serve.

8:00 am Nov. 5 (†) All Souls Presider: Fr. Chrysogonus Nwele

4 pm Nov. 5 (†) All Souls

Presider: Fr. Selvanathan

Eucharistic: T. Bianchi, M. Meyers, D. Schmitz, L. Watson

4 Volunteers

Hospitality: A. Davis **Servers:** 2 Volunteers

Lector: J. Rau

7:30am Nov. 6 (†) All Souls

Presider: Fr. Chrysogonus Nwele

Eucharistic: M. Kiser, J. Snoddy & 6 Volunteers

Hospitality: L. Duncan, D. Lytle, G. Watts & 1 Volunteer

Servers: E. Scott & N. Scott

Lector: M. Katzer

9:15 am Nov. 6, St. Ann's Palisade

Presider: Fr. Selvanathan

10:00 am Nov. 6, (†) All Souls

Presider: Fr. Chrysogonus Nwele

Eucharistic: J. Peugh, D. Peugh & 6 Volunteers

Hospitality: E. Bergethon, J. Nasalroad & 2 Volunteers

Server: 2 Volunteers

Lector: K. Bergethon & T. Cooper

6 pm Nov. 6, (†) All Souls

Presider: Fr. Selvanathan

Eucharistic: J. Downing, A. Rubalcaba & 6 Volunteers

Hospitality: C. Morelli & 3 Volunteers

Server: 2 Volunteers Lector: P. Hall & N. Hall

Readings for the Week of October 30, 2022

Sunday: WIS 11:22-12:2 2 THES 1:11-2:2 LK 19:1-10

Monday: PHIL 2:1-4 LK 14:12-14

Tuesday: RV 7:2-4, 9-14 1JN 3:1-3 MT 5:1-12a **Wednesday:** WIS 3:1-9 ROM 6:3-9 JN 6:37-40

Thursday: PHIL 3:3-8A LK 15:1-10 Friday: PHIL 3:17-4:1 LK 16: 1-8 Saturday: PHIL 4:10-19 LK 16:9-15

Prayer Opportunities:

Morning Prayer: Monday-Friday 7:30am in the Sanctuary Morning Mass: Monday-Saturday 8:00am in the Sanctuary

Sunday, Oct. 30	7:30 am Mass Guadalupe Shrine Fundraiser after Mass 9:15 am St. Ann's 10:00 am Mass Guadalupe Shrine Fundraiser after Mass 11:30-12:30 Confirmation, Sac Prep, & RCIC 6:00 pm Mass
Monday, Oct. 31	8:00 am
Tuesday, Nov. 1	8:00 am Mass 6:00 pm All Saints Mass 7:00 pm Centering Prayer 6:30-8:30 Knights 6:30-8:30 Ladies Auxiliary
Wednesday, Nov. 2	8:00 am Mass 12:00 pm All Souls Mass 6:00 pm All Souls Mass NO CLASSES NO BIBLE STUDY
Thursday, Nov.3	8:00 am Mass 9-11:00 am Mary's Moms 1:30-2:30 Silent Prayer
Friday, Nov. 4	8:00 am Mass 9 am - 5 pm Friday Adoration in Chape
Saturday, Nov. 5	8:00 am Mass 1st Saturday Rosary 7:00 am -Noon HFS Cookie Harvest 2:00 - 3:30pm Confessions 4:00 pm Mass 2:00 am Set Clocks Back 1 Hour

Mass Intentions

Sunday Oct. 30 2022

7:30 am - (†) Brenn Luff by Luff Family

10:00 am - (†) Richard Kersey by Jeanine Linster

6:00 pm-(I) IHM Parishioners

Monday Oct. 31 2022

8:00 am - (†) Patrick Rousses by Pat Kimbrell

8:00 am- (†) Matilde Lacap & Bryan Cabradilla by Michael & Maria

Tuesday Nov. 1, 2022

8:00 am - (†) Allen & Yvonne Beuerle by Judy Blevins &

Carroll Multz

6:00 pm - Joseph Risi by McWilliams Family

Wednesday Nov. 2, 2022

8:00 am-(†) All Souls

Thursday Nov. 3, 2022

8:00 am- (†) All Souls

Friday Nov. 4, 2022

8:00 am- (†) All Souls

Saturday Nov. 5, 2022

8:00 am - (†) All Souls

4:00 pm - (†) All Souls

Called To Worship As One

I have heard it said that whoever leaves the Catholic Church for another denomination was not a Catholic in the first place. This statement is not born of arrogance nor based on lack of compassion for those who exited Church but based on the aim, nature and mission of the Church. You will agree with me that if a Catholic understands the nature, aim and mission of the Church, he will not leave the church for any reason. Like Peter, (Jn. 6:60-71) every catholic will work hard to amend the human face of the church while nurturing the divine face therein. The Church is an organization of the worshippers of God who use the sacraments to grow in their salvific journey. The Church is the people of God, the body of Christ, and the temple of the Holy Spirit established by Christ to announce the kingdom of God.

Christ the Lord has charged all his disciples (i.e. you and me) to "go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age;" Matt, 28:20. Make disciples for what? St. Ignatius of Loyola and the Baltimore Catechism provide a clue why Christ sent us on mission. It is found on God's reason for creation; namely: "God freely created us so that we might know, love, and serve him in this life and be happy with him forever. God's purpose in creating us is to draw forth from us a response of love and service here on earth, so that we may attain our goal of everlasting happiness with him in heaven." However, there is a greater question: while we are on the earth, how can we express our love and service to God? by being dedication God, Duet. 6:5 and express such dedication to God in our care for one another Lev. 19:18.

How can we be dedicated to God? The Bible from Patriarchs to John's revelation tells what the Lord wants from us: to worship HIM. The first time God called his people as a community to worship was in Egypt when he told Pharaoh, "Let my people go, that they may worship me in the wilderness" Ex. 5:1. They traveled for three months in the wilderness from Goshen to Sanai, Ex. 19:1. then God said "I shall come to you in a dense cloud ... warn the people so they do not force their way through to see the LORD and many of them perish." So the Lord appeared in thunder and lightning, with a thick cloud over the mountain, and a very loud trumpet blast. Everyone in the camp trembled. Ex, 19:16-21. So they made a promise in fear: "all that the Lord has said we shall do."

Granted that the Lord wants to be worshiped; in the Old Testament, we were to worship him from a distance. This distance was created when Adam was expelled from Eden, Gen. 3:24. From then onwards, the people of God were to pray and offer their various prescribed offerings. But the center of the Old Testament liturgy was to "worship God from a distance." Ex. 19 14-21; 24:1. "The message of all of this is clear: God is holy and can in no way have fellowship with our wretched sinful race unless the sin is atoned for, effectively covered in some way." The worship God sought from the human being was to be celebrated only from a distance. Then came Jesus. In Christ Jesus, worship became complete and fulfilling "when he offered himself once for all to God in the true heavenly temple, and opened for us an eternal passageway into the very presence of God by His body and His blood (Heb. 10:19-22). With that New Covenant comes a command from God "Let us draw near to God!!!" With the new Eucharistia and new koinonia comes the new prayer for perfect unity with God as Jesus prayed to the Father: "I in them and you in me - so that they may be brought to perfect unity. Then the world will know that you sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me" Jn. 17:23. The Holy Eucharist is the celebration of this Perfect Unity with God and human and everything that is. With Christ the vail of division has been torn from top to bottom, Matt. 27:51

Brothers and sisters, it is into this new perfect unity with God that you have been called not as an observer but as true participant. In the Eucharist, we are called to be one with God in the one unity of fellowship. Here there is no Jew nor Gentile. No slave nor free. No man nor woman. But all is one in Christ Jesus the Lord. Gal. 3:24. The Eucharist is the source and summit of God's grace and this grace flows from the Church. The aim and mission of the Church is that she should draw us in and we are reborn as God's children to take the Eucharist as a mission to the ends of the earth. It is the Eucharist that holds the Church together as inclusive and Catholic. Peace.

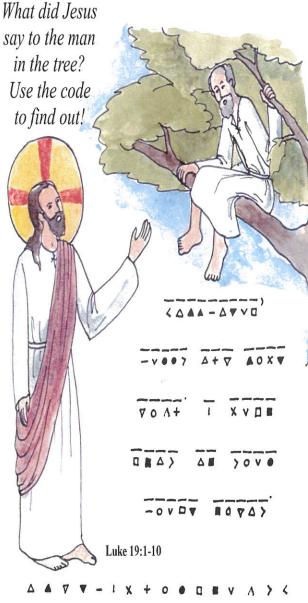
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Kids Corner-Thirtieth Sunday of Ordinary Time

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time October 30th, 2022



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Answer: Zacchaeus hurry and come down. I must stay at your house today. Answer Word Find: Be a Saint



All Saints Word-Find

The Feast of All Saints is November 1st.

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This list has the names of just some of the many saints in heaven. Do you have a saint name? If you don't, maybe you can become the first saint with your name!

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Please join us at Mass! All will resume Nov.9.



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