



The Parish of the Holy Family *ALL ARE WELCOME*

Growing in Faith Together

Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 6, 2022

Eucharistic Revival: The Communion of Saints—by Fr. Steve Lape

As we continue to celebrate our Church's Eucharistic Revival thru 2024, it's important to reflect on why celebrating Mass is so central to our Catholic life. Considering that the month of November is a special time of awareness of loved ones who have died, especially mindful that we just celebrated All Saints Day on Nov. 1st and All Souls Day on Nov. 2nd, it's fitting to think about the Eucharist in terms of being a "communion of saints." It's an expression found in the Apostles Creed, which is shorter and sometimes used in place of the Nicene Creed, which is what we usually say after the homily at Sunday Mass. (You can compare the two in the Gather hymnals at #174 & #175 in the "Order of Mass" section).

Whenever we celebrate Mass together—to be nourished by God's inspired words from the Bible, by receiving Jesus' Body and Blood, and by the encouraging presence of our brothers and sisters in Christ who gather with us for worship and praise as One Body of Christ—we are not the only ones present for this celebration. The saints in Heaven also celebrate with us! Every Mass on Earth points to the eternal banquet we long to share with the saints in Heaven. Thus, we are being given a taste of Heaven on Earth in every Mass! Although we cannot see or hear them, the heavenly saints are worshipping and praising God right along with us as we pray, sing and rejoice in God's eternal love & mercy. We are all one family in Christ, as we hope to someday be forever where these saints are (in Heaven with God), and as the saints in Heaven pray for us to stay close to Christ & join them.

As St. Bernard, the 12th century abbot, once said in a sermon: "Calling the saints to mind inspires, or rather arouses in us, above all else, a longing to enjoy their company, so desirable in itself. We long to share in the citizenship of heaven, to dwell with the spirits of the blessed, to join the assembly of patriarchs, the ranks of the prophets, the council of apostles, the great host of martyrs, the noble company of confessors and the choir of virgins. In short, we long to be united in happiness with all the saints... Therefore, we should aim at attaining this glory with a wholehearted and prudent desire." (from The Liturgy of the Hours, Vol. 4, p.1526-27)

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Mission Statement:

The Parish of the Holy Family is devoted to sharing the kingdom of God: making disciples through word, worship, fellowship, service, and love.

Weekday Mass Times:

Monday thru Friday 9:00AM

Vietnamese Mass Times:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
6:00PM

Weekend Mass Times:

Saturday 8:00AM Vietnamese
4:00PM
Sunday 9:00AM
11:30AM Vietnamese
5:00PM

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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday/Sunday, November 5/6

8:00AM Vietnamese Mass
 4:00PM +Antonio Cifarelli by Wife & Children
 +Jim & Dorothy Papineau
 by Steve & Debbie Boscoe
 +Mary Jo Mattle by Rick & Diane Cook
 9:00AM +All Parishioners
 11:30AM-FM Vietnamese Mass
 5:00PM +Giuseppe & Christopher Arena by Family
 +Sally Costa by Barbara Entress
 +Caterina Zoffranieri by Mr. & Mrs. John Pisaturo

Preacher: Fr. Martin- 4PM, 9AM, 11:30AM, 5PM

Monday, November 7

9:00AM +Birthday-Mary Martini by Daughter Peggy Brown
 +Healing-Hap Kluq by Anita
 6:00PM - Vietnamese Mass

Tuesday, November 8

9:00AM +Joseph J. O'Connell by Jean Black
 + Eugene Coppola
 by Gerald & Marilynne Santangelo
 +Benito Antinarella by Wife Mirella
 6:00PM +Vietnamese Mass

Wednesday, November 9

9:00AM +Deceased Members of Schiano & Mickelson Families
 by Bill & Dodie

Thursday, November 10 St. Leo the Great

9:00AM +Rosemary Petote by Lisa
 +Elena Dicesare by Daughter Mirella
 6:00PM Vietnamese Mass



Friday, November 11 -St. Martin of Tours

Veterans Day-Office Closed

9:00AM +Dan Halloran by Don Ioannone
 +Evelyn Genga by Sal & Linda Sorbello
 6:00PM Vietnamese Mass



Saturday/Sunday, November 12/13

8:00AM Vietnamese Mass
 4:00PM +Our Parishioners
 9:00AM +Doris & Charles Male by Robert & Susan Male
 +Giuseppe & Concetta Inglima by Family
 +John Zeppetella by Muscatella Family
 11:30AM-FM Vietnamese Mass
 5:00PM - +Mary Ann Mills

Preacher- Fr. Steve 4PM, 9AM, 5PM.

OFFICE CLOSED

Our parish office will be closed on Friday, November 11, in observance of Veteran's Day. Our office will reopen at 9AM on Monday, November, 14.



Sanctuary Lamp



Sanctuary Lamp

In Loving Memory of:
+Josephine Bonacci
by Mancini Family



In Loving Memory of

VETERAN'S DAY
LIVING AND DECEASED MEMBERS
OF OUR MILITARY SERVICES

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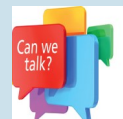
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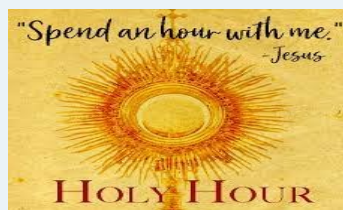
The Catechism of the Catholic Church sums it up this way: “Communion of saints...refers first to the ‘holy things’, above all the Eucharist, by which ‘the unity of believers, who form one body in Christ, is both represented and brought about.’ ‘Communion of saints’ refers also to the communion of ‘holy persons’ in Christ who ‘died for all,’ so that what each one does or suffers in and for Christ bears fruit for all. We believe in the communion of all the faithful of Christ, those who are pilgrims on earth, the dead who are being purified (in purgatory), and the blessed in heaven, all together forming one Church...” (#960-962) Thus, our main purpose in life should always be to become a heavenly saint. May our words & deeds always be clear in showing that desire!



Veterans Appreciation Dinner

The POTHF Men's Club will be having its annual Veterans Appreciation dinner on November 16th. **All Veterans** in the parish are invited at no charge to a delicious dinner featuring stuffed cabbage.

Please notify Bob Capellazzi (585) 738-8846 or, rpcapellazzi@rochester.rr.com if you wish to attend. All men of the parish are invited to attend the meeting, (meal cost for non-veterans is \$15.00) and learn more about our organization. We look forward to meeting new faces. Doors will open at 5:45 and dinner to be served at 6:15.



HOLY HOUR IN NOVEMBER

Join us for our next monthly Holy Hour, which will be on Friday, November 11th, from 7 to 8 p.m. in the church. The Holy Hour will include the recitation of the Rosary (you can bring your own rosary or you can ask for one), Evening Prayer from the Liturgy of the Hours, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, music, and a period of quiet for personal prayer. Come, relax, and be refreshed with the Lord's Holy Presence!



Two additional deceased members of our Parish we remembered on All Souls Day:

Tom Hosie & Jacklyn Feeney

WOMENS FAITH SHARING



Women's Faith Sharing will begin reading the book "Gaze Upon Jesus: Experiencing Christ's Childhood Through the Eyes of Women" by Kelly Wahlquist. The book is centered on Advent. If you would like to order a copy or would like more information on Women's Faith Sharing, please contact Rochelle at 585-764-7123 or rochelleb@frontiernet.net



CALLING ALL COOKIE BAKERS

We are looking for volunteers to bake their favorite holiday cookies for this year's Glimmers of Love event on Friday December 2nd. Please consider sharing your favorites at the cookie reception following the tree lighting.

Cookies can be dropped off at the Parish Life Center on **Thursday Dec. 1st 2PM-6PM**, and **Friday Dec. 2nd 9AM-12PM**. We can never have too many cookies!! Start warming the ovens and let's BAKE!



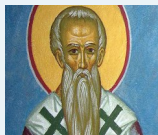
Coffee Hour

Please join us for our next Coffee hour on **November 20 in the Parish Life Center after the 9:00am Mass**.

If you are able to bake something for our coffee hour, please contact Sharon Westbrook by phone at, 426-1287, or email at, gwestbro@frontiernet.net

Thank you for your help!

Quote of the Week



"Through the sacrament of baptism, you have become a temple of the Holy Spirit. Do not drive away so great a guest by evil conduct and become again a slave to the devil, for your liberty was bought by the blood of Christ." (from St. Leo the Great, c.400-461, served as pope from 440 to 461, considered one of the greatest popes in the Church's history, Doctor of the Church, memorial feast day: Nov. 10th)



GLIMMERS OF LOVE

Please join us for the 27th annual Glimmers of Love event on **Friday, December 2nd**. The ceremony, tree lighting, and cookie reception begin at 7:00 PM in Church.

You are invited to obtain a Glimmer of Love as a gift for family and friends. Each Glimmer of Love remains lit throughout the Christmas Season. Glimmers of Love allow us to honor our loved ones, living & deceased, and provides an opportunity for us to help others.

This year, the donations will be given to Family Promise of Greater Rochester. The focus of Family Promise of Greater Rochester is to assist families with services such as eviction prevention and temporary shelter.

Each Glimmer of Love light is \$5.00. Order forms will be available at each Church entrance.

PRO-LIFE REFLECTION



To posit a right to abortion, infanticide and euthanasia, and to acknowledge it by law, is to give human freedom a perverse and wicked meaning: absolute power above and against others. At that point, authentic freedom dies.

-The Gospel of Life, 20

Reflection.

Freedom has a meaning and a consistency; it never destroys in others what it claims for itself. So much oppression masquerades as "freedom of choice."

Prayer.

Lord, only in You and in Your Word do we discover the power of freedom.

2nd Collection this weekend

We're asking for your help in our special 2nd collection this weekend at all Masses to support the Archdiocese for the U.S. Military Services. This important ministry provides pastoral care and services to Catholics & their families currently serving in various ways in our nation's Armed Forces. It also gives critical aid to veterans undergoing medical treatment. This Archdiocese for Military Services receives no federal or military monies for its programs & services, so our contributions are necessary to keep alive this ministry in our military. Please give what you can. Thanks for considering this great need!



HOLY GHOST CEMETREY

Please be advised that Holiday Decorations may be placed at the cemetery between the dates of **November 1, 2022** & **April 1, 2023**.

Please be sure to remove all decorations before **April 1, 2023**.

Thank you for your cooperation.



2023 SAVEAROUND ROCHESTER Books

Makes a perfect Christmas Gift!

Books are \$25. \$5 for every book sold comes back to our Parish. Books will be available for sale after Mass, the weekend of November 5/6 and will be available in the Parish Office, starting the week of November 7th.

ROSARY AFTER MORNING MASS



When we pray the Rosary, we approach Christ through Mary – His Mother and our Mother because of her special connection with Him and with us. The rosary is just one of the beautiful devotions to Mary that we as Catholics practice. We will pray the Rosary **after our 9:00 Morning Mass**. Please join us. All are welcome!

SATURDAY BEFORE MASS

We will also be praying the Rosary to prepare our spirit and mind for **Mass on Saturdays before the 4PM Mass**. We start promptly at 3:15PM. We will meet in the Chapel. If the Chapel cannot accommodate us, due to overcrowding, we will move to a section of the Church. All are welcome to come and pray.



Sisters in Christ

Sisters in Christ Ministry

Women of the parish gather together to go wherever the Spirit leads them. We pray together, discuss women's issues and daily challenges, extend assistance to those in need in our local community and have fun together.

Our next meeting will be **Tuesday, November 8, 6PM in the Main Hall of the Parish Office**.

Lord, hold our troops in Your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. Amen.

Aiden Bertino, Army	James Calamita, Army
Anthony Calamita, Army	Daniel Davis, Army
Martin DeBock, Army	Antonio Garbanzo, Marines
Russell Montante Jr., Air Force	Aimee Muscato-Bateman, Army
Michael Rigoni, Navy	Michael Shott, Army
Ethan Stott, Army	Evan Stott, Navy
Jason Bosch, Navy	Andrew Zani, Army
Christopher Decker, Navy	Anthony Gionta, Army
Quinn Calder, Army	Ryan Principi, Air Force
Jason Mickelson, Navy	



If you have someone in the Military, please send their name to Paul Lobene at: Paul.Lobene@dor.org and they will be added to our list.

WEEKLY EVENTS

November 6-13, 2022

SUNDAY 6

10AM Jr./Sr. High Faith Formation-PLC
1PM VCC-Church

MONDAY 7

3PM Rosary-(Italian) Madonna Room-CH

TUESDAY 8

6PM Sisters in Christ-LLMR
7PM Bible Study-PLC/LIB

WEDNESDAY 9

6:15PM Men's Club Dinner-PLC

THURSDAY 10

1PM Women's Faith Sharing-LLMH
7PM Blue Army -CH

FRIDAY 11

10AM-Glimmers of Love Meeting--MH
7PM Holy Hour-CH

SATURDAY 12

9AM-Second Saturday Devotions-CH

SUNDAY 13

10AM Jr./Sr. High Faith Formation-PLC
1PM VCC-CH

Church-CH
Parish Life Center-PLC
Parish Life Center/Library-LIB
Office Building-Upper Level
Conference Room-ULCR
Office Building-Lower Level
Main Hall-MH
Office Building-Lower Level
North Room-LLNR
Office Building-Lower Level
South Room-LLSR



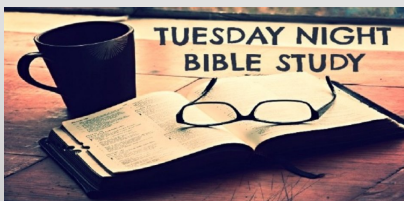
FOOD CUPBOARD -This weeks needs:

- Please see Thanksgiving items needed.



Food Cupboard hours:

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
from 10 a.m. to Noon
or by appointment



EVERY TUESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY will meet at 7PM in person in the Library . No previous Bible Study experience is required. Feel free to join us any evening and see if it meets your needs.



If you give some of your own food to [feed] those who are hungry and to satisfy [the needs of] those who are humble, then your light will rise in the dark, and your darkness will become as bright as the noonday sun.

~ Isaiah 58:10

A single, vibrant orange maple leaf with a serrated edge and a prominent central vein, set against a plain white background.

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Week's Collection

Unavailable before going to press.

Budget: \$
 Total \$
 Variance \$
 YTD Budget: \$
 YTD Actual: \$
 YTD Variance: \$
 Attendance:



BLUE ARMY PRAYER GROUP

The Blue Army Prayer Group meets at 7PM in Church every Thursday. All are welcome to attend.



PRAISE GOD FROM WHOM ALL BLESSINGS FLOW

*Thanksgiving is a time for family, friends . . . food.
 For those less fortunate, it can be a difficult time.*

Filled Thanksgiving baskets are given out with donations generously provided by our parish family. Please bring your food items listed below and leave them in the baskets provided in the gathering area. Turkeys are gratefully accepted. We ask that donations be turned in by Noon on Monday, November 14th, so that baskets can be assembled. If you would like to contribute a whole basket, please call Anita, at 309-1498 or Diane, at 489-7662

Turkey (8-15lbs)	Canned Fruit	Pie Crust Mix	Canned Pie Filling
Milk	Brown Sugar	Eggs	Boxed Potatoes
Stuffing Mix	Corn	Canned Yams	Cranberry Sauce
Green Beans	Jell-O	Muffin Mix	Gravy
Mini Marshmallows	Soup	Butter	

If you, or someone you know, are in need of a Thanksgiving basket, please contact the office, 247-4322. All information is kept confidential.

Chúa Nhật 32 Thường Niên Năm C

Thiên Chúa của kẻ sống

Con người sẽ sống lại, đó là một niềm tin đã có nơi phần đông người Do Thái. Thực vậy, anh em Macabê đã thừa lên với vị vua đang tính giết hại họ như sau: Vua chỉ cắt được mạng sống chúng tôi ở đời này, nhưng Vua vũ trụ sẽ làm cho chúng tôi là những kẻ đã chết vì lề luật của Ngài, được sống lại trong cuộc sống đời đời. Vào thời Chúa Giêsu, người biệt phái cũng tin như vậy. Tuy nhiên cũng có một số người thuộc phái Saducêô, gồm những nhà quý tộc hoặc tầng lớp cao trong hàng tư tế, lại không tin có sự thưởng phạt đời sau, không tin có sự sống lại. Đối với họ việc con người sống lại chỉ là chuyện khôi hài.

Đoạn Tin Mừng cho thấy họ đã tìm cách tranh luận với Chúa Giêsu về vấn đề này vì biết rằng Chúa Giêsu rao giảng sự sống lại. Để chống lại niềm tin tưởng ấy, họ đã đưa ra một thí dụ tiêu biểu từng được sử dụng trong các cuộc tranh cãi để học quê đối phương. Câu chuyện được đưa ra hẳn không phải là một sự thật cho bằng một giả thuyết: Một người phụ nữ có tới bảy đời chồng hợp pháp, và cuối cùng thì người phụ nữ ấy cũng chết. Nếu như có sự sống lại, thì người phụ nữ ấy sẽ là vợ của ai đây? Chúa Giêsu đã trả lời: Nếu Thiên Chúa đã làm bạn với các tổ phụ như Abraham, Isaac và Giacóp, thì không phải chỉ là làm bạn trong chốc lát mà là đời đời. Thiên Chúa không phải là Thiên Chúa của kẻ chết mà là Thiên Chúa của kẻ sống.

Thực ra ở đây Chúa Giêsu không tỏ rõ sự sống lại như thế nào, điều Ngài muốn khẳng định đó là Thiên Chúa là Thiên Chúa của kẻ sống. Và trong suốt cuộc đời, qua những lời giảng dạy nhất là qua thái độ cư xử, Ngài muốn cho người ta hiểu rằng Thiên Chúa là Đấng ban sự sống, là Đấng làm cho sống. Và ngay cả những kẻ tội lỗi, Ngài cũng không muốn họ phải hư đi, trái lại, Ngài muốn họ hối cải để được sống và sống một cách dồi dào. Những phép lạ chữa lành bệnh tật, làm cho kẻ chết sống lại có thể được coi là dấu chỉ về một Thiên Chúa yêu chuộng sự sống. Và khi Chúa Giêsu đón nhận cái chết trên thập giá, thì cũng chính là lúc Ngài chiến thắng sự chết để cho sự sống được lên ngôi.

Là kẻ sống thực ra không phải là chuyện dễ. Bởi vì có những kẻ hiện còn đang thờ, đang ăn, đang sống nhưng thực ra họ đã chết, bởi lẽ họ đã không thể có một phản ứng gì mới mẻ. Những kẻ sống rập theo chữ viết, rập theo những điều đã quy định từ ngàn xưa đến độ không còn thấy những gì xảy ra trước mắt. Như thầy Lêvi vì mãi mê tuân giữ một nghi tiết của lề luật, nên đã làm như thể không có người bị cướp đánh trọng thương và vấp bèn lề đường, hay nói cách khác đã không có được một phản ứng thích hợp với hoàn cảnh hiện tại. Những kẻ ấy không còn là những người sống. Còn chúng ta thì sao. Là những người còn đang sống, chúng ta có biết phản ứng và thích nghi với hoàn cảnh hay là chúng ta cũng chỉ là một thây ma đã chết từ lâu.

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November 13, 2022 - Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Malachi 4:1-2 (3:19-20 NAB) /2nd Reading: 2 Thessalonians 3:7-12 Gospel: Luke 21:5-19

Saint John Paul II, early in his ministry as Pope, offered us the admonition, "Be not afraid." During these days of riots, pandemics, terrorist attacks, military mobilization, and impending economic fall-out, there seems to be much of which to be afraid. "...the words, 'Be not afraid' were doubtless addressed to a world in which man fears man, fears life as much as, if not more than, death, fears the savage forces he holds prisoner, fears everything, nothing and sometimes even his own fear; but they were also, or might have been, the exhortation of a disciple in the dawn of Christianity to his brothers called to bear witness ..." (*Be Not Afraid* by André Frossard) Next week's Gospel is a pertinent passage that reinforces the same message for our troubled times.



The "good old days" had their share of the not so good also. Even a superficial study of history will reveal that every generation has experienced their own version of man's inhumanity to man. Jesus knew what we would face throughout history. Yet, He too admonished, "Do not be terrified." How can we remain calm and at peace in the midst of such horrendous events?

Peace comes from the assurance that God is in control of history, working God's will even in the face of man's inhumanity to man. God has our eternal welfare within God's control. Thus, we need not fear death or eternity. In this passage, Jesus warns, "some of you they will put to death ... but not a hair of your head will perish." This seemingly contradictory statement can comfort us and give us peace only if we believe in the resurrection, and Jesus' power to preserve us for eternity even in death. He promises that, in heaven, we will be given a new body, wherein dwells righteousness. **If we see this temporal life as all-important, we will be terrified of losing it. If we see it as a stepping stone to eternity where life becomes full and complete, we will not live in terror.**

In the midst of terrifying events, people, especially those who do not have a relationship with the Father through Jesus Christ, have a heightened awareness of their vulnerability and the fragility of their existence. Consequently, Jesus saw history's turmoil as a "time for you to bear testimony." A heart free from hatred, calm and at peace in the midst of rampant fear, stands out like a lighthouse of refuge in the midst of a raging storm. That person's peaceful countenance will attract wonder and provide occasion for a verbal explanation of its reason for hope.

Do not be afraid that you are ill-equipped to provide an answer for your calm and peacefulness. Jesus will "give you a mouth and wisdom" to share with others how they can experience peace even as he did for these first-century Christians. With loving grace He will give us words to assure them that they need not fear death either. If people will turn to God and be reconciled to him through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, they will receive powerful resources for being unafraid in the face of terror.

He has given us the Holy Spirit, the Comforter, who ever dwells with us providing peace and guidance.

As children of God, we can find comfort in prayer, where we can pour out our heart before God and find that God will become a "refuge for us." (Psalm 62:8)

God has given us sacred Scripture which will provide strength and encouragement to endure with joy, and provide guidance how to live and respond to every kind of difficulty, even in these perilous times.

Listen to the message of Pope John Paul II, "Be not afraid." Listen to Jesus' message, "Be not terrified." It is a choice we face. We need not be victims, losing control of our spiritual and psychological emotions to the will and whim of the terror we face. We can choose to believe Christ and fasten our thoughts on Him and His promises, or we can choose to fasten our thoughts on that which we fear. In evaluating our level of anxiety, it would be interesting to compare the amount of time we choose to spend listening to the television and radio programs that breed anxiety, with the amount of time we spend listening to Christ's voice of peace through His Word and through prayer. **Choose to "be not afraid."**