



31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Whoever exalts himself will be humbled;
but whoever humbles himself will be exalted.”

Matthew 23:12

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November 5, 2023 • Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Office Hours

Monday - Friday8:45 am-12:00 pm
1:00 pm-5:00 pm

Parish Staff

Pastor..... Rev. Patrick Knippenberg
Parish Secretary..... Sr. Valerie Janecka, OVISS
Bookkeeper Cindy Doyle
PCL/Safe Environment Coordinator.....Martha Nichols
PCL Tammy Fikac
Music Ministry.....Thomas Santos & Tracie Tibiletti

New Parishioners Welcome

Registration forms online at www.lourdesvictoria.org
or email: ollvic@lourdesvictoria.org

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil..... 4:00 pm
Sunday7:30 am and 10:00 am
Vietnamese Community Mass
(1st & 3rd Sunday of Every Month).....12:00 pm
Daily (Monday-Saturday)8:00 am

Confessions

Saturday 3:15 pm to 3:45 pm
..... Before Daily Mass

Faith Formation • Continuing Christian Education (CCE)

Sunday 8:30 am - 9:45 am (August through May)

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

First Friday8:30 am to 12:30 pm

Baptismal Instruction

First Sunday of Every Month

Mass Intentions

Sunday, November 5 Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 am Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Family
10:00 am † Billy & † Clarissa Wilson

Monday, November 6

8:00 am † Buddy Waida

Tuesday, November 7

8:00 am † Allan Berger
† Judge Whayland W. Kilgore

Wednesday, November 8

8:00 am † Reinhart & † Helen Schoener

Thursday, November 9

8:00 am † Helen Welfel

Friday, November 10

8:00 am Edward Moreno (Birthday)

Saturday, November 11

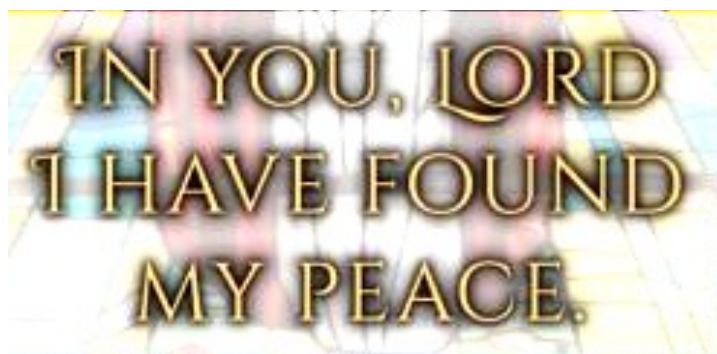
8:00 am † Victor Neisser, Sr.
4:00 pm † Janie Sandolovic
Msgr. Emil Wesselsky

Sunday, November 12 Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 am † Edward Simper
Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Family

Correction: The flowers on the Altar this past week were in memory of Franklin Sedlar through the generosity of Donna Maxey.

The flowers this week are in memory of Justin Cox through the generosity of Dr. Gary and Mary Cox.



Scripture Readings

For the Week of November 5, 2023

Sunday	Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time Mal 1:14b-2:2b, 8-10; Ps 131:1, 2, 3; 1 Thes 2:7b-9, 13; Mt 23:1-12
Monday	Rom 11:29-36; Ps 69:30-31, 33-34, 36; Lk 14:12-14
Tuesday	Rom 12:5-16ab; Ps 131:1bcde, 2, 3; Lk 14:15-24
Wednesday	Rom 13:8-10; Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9; Lk 14:25-33
Thursday	Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22
Friday	Memorial of Saint Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church Rom 15:14-21; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Lk 16:1-8
Saturday	Memorial of Saint Martin of Tours, Bishop Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27; Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 10-11; Lk 16:9-15
Sunday	Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Wis 6:12-16; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; 1 Thes 4:13-18 or 1 Thes 4:13-14; Mt 25:1-13

Questions of the Week

When do I fail to practice what I preach? What change must I make to do so as effectively as Paul and his fellow disciples?



Please Pray for Our Sick

Jason Berger
Tina Moya
Adam Michaelis
Cole Ohrt
Jimmy Whitaker
Eunice Dove
Marjorie Tasin
Wade Shumbera

Frank & Gloria
Wearden
Marjorie Anders
Kevin Tan
Frank Reyes, Jr.
Carly Walker
Keith Martin
Fr. Dominic Antwi-

Boasiako, VF
Patsy Bradicich
Robert Weitz
Mary Ellen Lara
Robert Molina
Mark Niemeier
Matt Alvarez, Sr.
Shirley Kirby
Bernice Drost
Jo Anne Hough
Lawrence Yanta

Patricia Pooley
Don Buethe
Samuel William Bek
Milton Greeson
Tula Filla
Ruben & Frances
Espino
Maria Garcia
Kevin Quinn
J. R. Morris
Larry Vitek

Lee Lasater
Pat Krenak
Joe Lara
Ralph & Lillian Lau
Johnny Garner

**Please contact the
parish office to have a
name kept on the list,
to remove names, or
to add names.**



In and Around Our Parish

Come Shop

St. Mary's Altar Society is hosting their Harvest Bazaar November 10th and 11th at Mary's Church Hall (401 S. Liberty Street). Friday = 9:00 am - 5:00 pm and Saturday = 9:00 am - 7:00 pm. Featuring: handmade items and baked goods. Homemade Potato Soup to-go (lunch) \$10.00.

ACTS Retreat

Amy Lara has been selected as the Director of the next OLV Women's ACTS Retreat scheduled for November 16-19, 2023, at Cathedral Oaks near Weimar. Amy's Co-Directors will be Valerie Buentello and Terry Olvera. Registration forms are now available on the parish website (www.olv cathedral.org) under the "ministries" link and at the Parish Office.

Quarterly Meeting

KJT Society # 115 Victoria, will be having a quarterly meeting at Holy Family Catholic

Church in Victoria, in the Bridal Room, following the 7:30 am Mass, on Sunday, November 19th, 2023. The Holy Rosary is prayed at 7:00 am before Mass. All members are invited to attend. For more information, please call Donald Dusek at 361-571-4777.

ONLY 1 SHORT WEEK TIL FALL FESTIVAL WEEKEND



November 12th

Call for Help

We are still short of workers for the festival. Please sign up. Howard Book's phone number is 361 550 3890. Please call if you can help out.

Raffle Tickets

Please turn in all sold tickets and money this coming week to the Parish Office or Sunday at the Community Center. DO NOT turn anything in the collection baskets because it will not make it into the raffle. The raffle will be drawn Sunday, November 12th at the Community Center following the live auction. Also, any unsold tickets can be returned. We will need them at the community center to continue to sell the day of the festival. Thank you so much for the continued support with selling tickets.

Dressing Workshop

The final workshop to prepare dressing for the Fall Festival will be on Friday, November 10. Volunteers are needed to measure salt and pepper and to cook celery, onions & meat. Activity will begin in

the Church Hall after the 8:00 am Mass. Workshop chairperson is Charlene Edwards at 361-571-8228.

Silent Auction

Donations of handcrafted items, seasonal autumn harvest and Christmas items, baked goods, baskets of homemade canned goods, and/or anything else you can think of would be greatly appreciated. Contact persons = Sherron Baker at 361-550-1556 and Elaine Mayer at 361-575-5040.

Live Auction

The Live Auction is back! If you or your business would like to donate an auction item, please contact Tammy Fikac at 361-649-3717. Auction items may include one-of-a-kind items, services, trips, seasonal items, antiques, etc.. Please consider donating an item to help make our long-awaited return of the Annual Parish Festival a success! Thank you for your continued support!

Cake Walk

The Cake Walk needs cake donations. The donated cakes may be brought to the Victoria Community Center by 10:00 am on Sunday, November 12th. Thank you, Helen John (Chairperson)

Mass Schedule on Fall Festival Weekend

On the weekend of the Fall Festival, two Masses rather than three will be celebrated at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish. You will have a choice to attend the 4:00 pm Vigil Mass on Saturday or the 8:30 am Mass on Sunday morning. There will not be a 7:30 am or a 10:00 am Mass on Sunday morning.

Ministry Schedule • November 11/12, 2023

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Saturday • 4:00 pm Liz Lemke, Laurie Bautista, Joe Ryan,
Sunday • 7:30 am Joy Loest, Martha Nichols, Janie Robles
Sunday • 10:00 am Geralyn Biediger, Martha Chandler, Cindy Mayer, Donna Maxey (Choir)

Lectors

Saturday • 4:00 pm Harvin Suggs
Sunday • 7:30 am Dennis Boehm
Sunday • 10:00 am David Keyser

Altar Servers

Saturday • 4:00 pm James Record, Suzie Ryan, Jonah H.
Sunday • 7:30 am Abby & Brady F., William J.
Sunday • 10:00 am Korbyn & Shaylee M.

Ushers • Door Monitors

Saturday • 4:00 pm Thomas Joost, John Novak, Norman Schoener, Von Tuch
Sunday • 7:30 am Mike Fikac, Gary Pribyl, Patrick Pribyl, Matt Warwas
Sunday • 10:00 am Gary Edwards, James Pooley, Kenneth Spann, Randy Chamrad



Our Stewardship

October 28/29, 2023

Count.....543
Total Operating Income.....\$ 3,133.00
2nd Collection • Mission Sunday.....\$ 1,272.00

Your Generosity is Greatly Appreciated.