

St. Mary Catholic Church Windthorst, TX

St. Mary / St. Boniface Vision Statement

To serve Christ and promote
His teachings
through Worship,
Education,
Training, Service,
and



Father Michael Moloney, O. F. S., PASTOR

"There's no such thing as a bad priest, just priests whose people don't pray enough for them." St . John Vianney

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BAPTISMAL PREPARATION

on the **3rd Sunday** of the month at 9:15 A.M. contact the office for dates and to register for classes

Marriage Preparation

contact the office at least <u>nine to 12 months prior</u> to wedding date

RCIA

contact Fr. Michael at 423-6687

Funerals

in the case of a death in the family, please contact the office as soon as possible.

Ministry to the Sick

contact the office immediately if you know of anyone who is sick, hospitalized or home-bound

Confession

Every Saturday Saturday 3:00 - 4:00 pm

At the Church Office

Hispanic Ministry

Tuesday & Thursday in Convent Call Oscar or Alma Contreras at 423-6918 or 940-224-8183

Protecting Our Children Sessions

Call Sharon Humpert @ 423-6283

Mass Schedule for the Week

Please wear a mask & practice social distancing at all Masses. Sunday & Wednesday services will be live-streamed.

Monday October 12 - St. Mary's

12:00 noon † Reinhold & Josephin Lindemann

by Mildred Lindemann

Tuesday October 13 – St. Mary's

Intentions of Fr. Michael

Wednesday October 14 - St. Mary's

6:00 pm Living & Deceased Members of 3rd Degree

K of C #1824 by K of C Council #1824

Thursday October 15 – St. Boniface

6:00 pm † Anton & Irene Laux by Bill Hemmis

Friday October 16 – St. Mary's

3:00 pm † Howard & Tina Neeb by Greg Stallcups

Saturday October 17 – St. Mary's

10:00 am † Mary Morbitzer Funeral

5:00 pm † Deceased Himmels Family Members

by Ann Veitenheimer

7:00 pm Parishioners

Sunday October 18 – St. Boniface

8:00 am † Shawn Sargent by Vivian Rice

Sunday October 18 – St. Mary's

10:30 am Intentions of CDA Court #296 on

National CDA Day by CDA #296

ST. MARY'S MINISTERS

Monday October 12th - October 18th, 2020

SATURDAY OCTOBER 17th

Lector - Jerry Anderle

Ushers – Roy & Julie Koetter, David Green, Doug Wolf **Eucharistic Ministers** – Debbie Schreiber & Betty Wolf **SUNDAY OCTOBER 18**th

Lector - Chuck King

Ushers – David McCann, Donnie Fleitman, Terry Schroeder Eucharistic Ministers- Craig Anderle & Dawn Vieth SUPPORT – Envelopes \$4330.00 Loose \$20.00

Children \$8.00

ST. BONIFACE MINISTERS Monday October 12TH - OCTOBER 18TH, 2020

SUNDAY OCTOBER 18TH

Lector - Pat Hemmi

Ushers — Kenneth Veitenheimer & Dan Smith Eucharistic Minister-Brad Wolf & Terry Berend SUPPORT — Envelopes \$2320.00 Loose \$25.00

ST. MARY'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

SANCTUARY LIGHT WILL BURN THIS WEEK for Peace & Unity of Our Country.

BAPTISMAL CLASSES are offered on the third Sunday of the month at 9:15 a.m. Classes need to be attended by Parents and Godparents. Baptismal classes need to be refreshed every three years. You may attend the class before the baby is born. Please call the office at 423-6687 or Diane Hubbard at 631-1803 to register. Thank you.

The next Baptism will be Nov. 22nd following 10:30 Mass.

ST. MARY'S WISHES TO WELCOME THE FOLLOWING INTO OUR CHURCH FAMILY:

Liam David Stallcup, the son of Dylann Randall Stallcup & Tawny Malaye (Richerson) Stallcup, Baptized September 27,2020.

Rhyan Olivia Berend, the daughter of Trey Berend & Jordyn Angela (Anders) Berend, Baptized September 27,2020.

Marlin Witt Wilson, the son of Bryan Marlin Wilson & Amanda (Schlumpf) Wilson, Baptized September 27, 2020.

Madeline Tris Jones, the daughter of Travis Jones & Mary E. Freeman, Baptized September 27, 2020.

WELCOME INTO FULL COMMUNION WITH THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

(Baptism, Confirmation & Eucharist) Heather Jade Skinner

Megan Elizabeth Ashlock

CONGRATULATIONS & THANKS TO BUTCH & DIANE

SCHROEDER---Butch & Diane Schroeder, have been named among the 2020 members of distinction by Dairy Farmers of America. In recognition of the Schroeder family's hard work, a donation has been made to St. Mary's Food Bank in their name and will help purchase dairy products and other food items for those in need. Butch & Diane are active members of St. Mary's Parish. St. Mary's would like to thank Butch & Diane for their generous donation to help others. We appreciate your kindness and would like to say congratulations to you for being named a member of distinction by Dairy Farmers of America. We are honored to have you as members of St. Mary's. May God continue to bless you and your family.

THANK YOU NOTE: St. Mary's would like to thank Larry & Peggy Berend Berend for their generous donation to St. Mary's Improvement Fund in memory of Gary Brewer

THANK YOU NOTE: St. Mary's would like to thank Jerry & Margaret Smith for their generous donation to St. Mary's Cemetery Fund in memory of Melvin Berend, James Wilde & Gary Brewer.

WINDTHORST SENIOR CITIZENS meet every Tuesday at 1 pm at the Berend Family Center for bingo & games. All are welcome for an afternoon of fun and socialization.

ST. BONIFACE ANNOUNCEMTENTS

SANCTUARY LIGHT WILL BURN THIS WEEK for all the sick especially all in my family and friends by Bertha Mae Schenk.

7-DAY LIGHTS: For Ernie Hoff & Ida Hoff for continued recovery, Special prayers for Debra Hoff & Jess Meurer successful surgeries & for all sick & hurting by Joyce Meurer

WEEKLY BULLETINS: Since the Church is locked most of the week days, the bulletins will be placed in the bulletin board at the entrance of Church after Mass each Sunday if you would like to pick one up.

THANK YOU NOTE: St. Boniface would like to thank Jerry & Margaret Smith for their generous donation to St. Boniface Cemetery Fund in memory of Steve Tisdale, Bill Vieth, Valera Churchman, Richard & Evelyn Krahl, Richard Vieth & Betty Vieth-Halencak.

THANK YOU NOTE: St. Boniface would like to thank James & Peggy Poirot for their generous donation to St. Boniface Cemetery Fund in memory of Valera Churchman.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR BOTH PARISHES

THE PILGRIM VIRGIN STATUE is in the home of Harold Stallcup Family the week of October 18th. They as well as all of us are asked to pray for world peace, military and vocations.

October 25th Bernice Hoegger

November 1st Bertha Mae Schenk

<u>Confessions:</u> Father Michael will be hearing confessions on Saturdays at the Church Office from 3:00 to 4:00pm. All parishioners of St. Boniface & St. Mary's please take note of the time and place.

ACTS OF CHARITY: Please wear a mask at all Masses and practice social distancing (3 ft. apart). This is an act of charity to our neighbors when we practice social distancing & wear a mask.

MASS TIME CHANGES: Friday Masses will be at 3:00 pm. Monday Masses will be at 12:00 noon except the 4th Monday of each month. PLEASE WATCH THE BULLETIN FOR MASS TIME CHANGES THROUGHOUT THE MONTH.

NOTICE: Due to the cornavirus surge, we would like to ask that you call the office to make an appointment for any type of transaction, such as a visit with Father Michael, book the hall (For the future), or any type of concern you might have at this time. First of all it is to make sure the person you would like to speak with is in the office the time you plan to come by. We also ask that you wear a mask, This is for the protection of all concerned..we have the health and safety of our visitors in mind. You may continue to drop off bulletin notices, requests for lighs in the slot of the office door. You may also drop off your stewardship donations if you would like. Even though the Church is serving a 50% capacity, the bills still continue. Thank you for your understanding.

IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO GIVE. All registered parishioners should have received a letter from Bishop Michael Olson with an invitation to participate in the Annual Diocesan Appeal "The Reason for Our Hope." Please respond generously. We count on every family to help our parish meet its goal. If your mail was misdirected, you may contact the parish office for a commitment form or donate online at bit.ly/ADADonate.

V.F.W. & V.F.W LADIES AUXILIARY – The Scotland-Windthorst Post #2676 will meet **Monday October 12**th 7:00 p.m

UPCOMING DATES: November 1st Visit to St. Mary's Cemetery at 1:00pm & St. Boniface Cemetery at 3:00pm. Transistus Service at St. Mary's 7pm & November 5th St. Boniface Transistus Service following 6:00pm Mass.

world Mission sunday is Next Week! We are called through our Baptism to be part of the Church's missionary efforts, through prayer, self-sacrifice, and support of the Mission Church through material aid. This year, Pope Francis asks us to respond to that call, saying, "Here I Am, Send Me!" To "send" ourselves, we can:PRAY for the Church's worldwide missionary work, OFFER financial HELP and CHARITY through the collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith for vulnerable communities throughout Asia, Africa, Latin America and the Pacific Islands. Giving is easy, participate during the special collection in our parish or give online at bit.ly/DioceseSpecialCollections.

La proxima semana es el Domingo Mundial de las Misiones. Estamos llamados a treves de nuestro Bautismo a ser parte de los esfuerzos misioneros de la Iglesia, a traves de la oracion, el autosacrificio y el apoyo de la Iglesia Misionera mediante la ayuda material. Este ano, el Papa Francisco nos pide que respondamos a ese liamado, diciendo: "Aqui me tienes, mandame a mi!" Para" enviarnos" a nosotros mismos, podemos: OPAR por la obra misionera mundial de la Iglesia OFRECER AYUDA financier y CARIDAD a traves de la Sociedad pata la Propagacion de la Fe par las comunidades vulnerables de Asia, Africa, America Latina y las islas del Pacifico. Dona res facil, participen durante la colecta especial en su parroquia o donen en linea en bit.ly/ColectasEspeciales.

WORLD WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER- "He dispatched his servants to summon the invited guests to the feast, but they refused to come." God invites your marriage to be filled with His graces. Accept His invitation by participating in a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next "virtual" Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekends is Nov. 13 -

website visit OUR apply, 15,2020. To information For more http://www.dfwme.org. apply@dfwme.org or call Brian and Tina Little 281-773-9014. "El envio a sus sirvientes a traer a los invitados a la fiesta, pero se negaron a venir." Dios quiere que tu matrimonio este lleno de Sus gracias. Acepta su invitacion participando en un fin de Para mas semand del encuentro Matrimonial Mundial. informacion de Encuentro Matrimonial en Espanol, escriba a emmdfw@gmail.com o visite http://www.emmseccion21.org/

CATHOLIC CHARITIES will have funds available soon from the Richardson Foundation for ouir rural parishes. If you have anyone or family that needs rental, utility or food assistance, please let us know. Also, counseling is always available through the St. Joseph's Fund. For questions or more information please contact CatholicCharitiesFortWorth.org or eklement@ccdofw.org.

SCOTLAND-WINDTHORST VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS(VFW) POST 2676 AND ITS AUXILIARY are announcing this year's VFW "Voice of Democracy and Patriot's Pen Schoarship Competitions" and the Citizenship Teacher of the Year award competition.

In the Voice of Democracy, high school students must write and record a 3 to 5 minute essay on the theme using an audio CD or flash drive and present their recording, typed essay and completed entry from to Scotland-Windthorst VFW Post 2676. The theme for 2020-21 is "Is This the Country the Founders Envisioned?" The Post winners Will earn scholarship money of \$300 for 1st, \$150 for 2nd & \$75 for 3rd. The Post winner then competes at the District level with the winner advancing to the state competition.

The Patriot's Pen essay competition is for students in grades 6-8. This competition challenges students to write a 300-400 word essay on a patriotic theme. The theme for 2020-21 is "What is Patriotism to Me?" Students begin at the local Post level where they can earn scholarship money of \$150 for 1st, \$75 for 2nd & \$50 for 3rd. The Post winner advances to District competition with the winner advancing to the state competition.

The Citizenship Teacher of the Year award recognizes elementary, junior high and high school teachers who teach citizenship education topics regularly and promote America's history/traditions effectively. Post 2676 will select one teacher in each category who will be awarded \$100 each. Winners will advance to district competiotion with the chance of earning state and national wards. Nominations can be submitted by fellow teachers, supervisors or other interested individuals (not relatives). Self-nominees are not eligible.

Official entry forms are due to Post 2676 by **November 15, 2020.** Eligibility requirements/official entry forms can be obtained from your school counselors or principal or by emailing the Post 2676 Program Chairman, David Teichman, at dateichman@gmailcom or by phone at 940-636-1566. Call or email the Program Chairman to obtain information on how to turn in your completed entries.

10 DAY IRELAND PILGRIMAGE HOSTED BY FATHER MICHAEL MOLONEY

October 18 - October 27, 2021

The dates for this trip have changed and we are now able to enroll more interested parties. Please contact Denise Cooper at 940-781-3931 for more details.

THE REASON FOR HOPE 2021 ANNUAL DIOCESAN

APPEAL: The Annual Disceasan Appeal inspires us to take up the call to generosity and to support the many programs that serve people throughout North Central Texas. When we make this commitment, we are responding to our call to witness to Christ, the reason for our hope. As we strive for 100 percent participation toward our parish goal of \$20,000.00, please prayerfully consider what your family will donate to support the needs of others. To learn more, please visit bit.ly/AnnualDiocesalAppeal.

Please return a pledge card even if you are unable to donate. We are striving for 100 % participation. Please help us reach both goals. There are pledge cards in the office & on tables in Church, in case you need one. Thanks.

LEAVE A LEGACY TO YOUR PARISH

When you designate your parish, a Cathoic school or the Diocese of Fort Worth in your will, or as a beneficiary of a life insurance policy, retirement planor bank account, you are leaving a legacy that will impact generation of Catholics long into the future. Please visit

http://advancementfoundation.planmygift.org/ for more information, including bequest and beneficiary designation language. Or, contact Renee Underwood, CFRE at advancement Foundation

runderwood@advancementfoundation.org or 817-533-7242.

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Thousands of faithful Catholics in the Diocese of Fort Worth will make commitments this weekend in support of the ministries of the Diocese of Fort Worth.

Can we count on your

FOR OUR HOPE 2021 ANNUAL DIOCESAN APPEAL

OUR CATHOLIC CHURCH

Our family is made up of every race. We are young and old, men and women, sinners and saints. Our family has spanned the centuries and the globe. With God's grace, we started hospitals to care for the sick. We establish ophanages and help the poor.

We are the largest charitable organization on the planet, bringing relief and comfort to those in need. We educate more childen than any other scholarly or religious institution. We developed the scientific method and laws of evidence. We fouded the college system.

We defend the dignity of all human life and uphold marriage and family. Cities wer neamed after our revered saints, who navigated a sacred path before us. Guided by the Holy Spirit, we compiled the Bible.

We are transformed by sacred Scripture and sacred Tradition, which have consistently guided us for two thousand years. We are the Catholic Church, with over one billion in our family sharing in the sacraments and fullness of Christian faith. For Centureis we have prayed for you and our wolrd, every hour for every day, whenever we celebrate the Mass.

Jesus, Himself, laid the foundation for our faith when He said to Peter, the firs pope, "You are rock, and upon this rock I will build My Church." For over two thousand years we have had an unbroken line of shepherds guiding the Catholic Church with love and truth in a confused and hurting world.

And in this world, filled with chaos, hardship, and pain, it's comforting to know that some things remain consistent, true, and strong---

Our Catholic faith, and the eternal love that God has for all creation.

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MILITARY PRAYER LIST - Charles Berend, Jr. (Navy), Fermin Estrada Jr., (Army), Sgt. Bill Foster, Capt. Sean Fuhrmann (Marines), Lt. Colonel Tony Garcia (Navy), Cpl. Kellen Green (Marine), Luke Grotelueschen (Army), Captain Brian Hoff (Marine), Tracey Hoff (Navy), Damian Hoffman (Army), Master Sgt. Nicholas Klein (Army), Stephen Koetter (Army), Adam Lambert (Army), James Devon Lindeman (Army), PVT Miguel Luna Jr., Jess Martinez (Army), Joshua Millican (Navy), Sgt. Kenneth (K.J.) Nichols (Army), Major David Ogura (Army), Kyle Page (Marine), Frank Prokop, (Colorado Air National Guard), Sgt. Robert Rhinehart, Private Trey Schenk (Marine), Tracy Hoff Schmitt (Army), 1st Class Craig Slaten (Air Force), Staff Sgt. Ricky Smith (Air Force), Judy Solorio (Navy), Staff Sgt. Matthew Tubbs, Sgt. Ann Schreiber Turner (Air Force), Cpl. Logan Veitenheimer (Marine) Josh Winter (Army), Major Audrey Wolf (Army), Zachary Zotz (Army). (If there are any changes or additions please call the office.) Dear Heavenly Father, please protect our troops as they protect us. Bless them and their families for all that they are doing for us in our time of need. We ask this in the name of Jesus. AMEN

REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING IN YOUR PRAYERS!

John Anderle Jr., Bob Baumer, Conner Berardi, Gerald Berend, Gus Berend, Nellie Berend, Patience Blake, J.C. Birkenfield, Teresa Lindeman Birkenfield, Mabel Bowlden, Mark Brockriede, Al Cabrera, David Carcaño, Jesús Colchado, John Deason, Brandy Evans, Danielle Mueller Fontenot, Emily Foster, Jeanne Fischer, Annette Fleitman, Rick Fleitman, Cindy Frerich, Kimberly Fulford, Tootsie Gardner, Beth Geis, Jerry Green, Louise Green, Sister Marie Green, Jerry Gibson, Judy Hale, Artie Hallenbeck , Gary Humpert, Pat Humpert, Billie Hoff, Debbie Hoff, Ernie Hoff, Frosty Hoff, Ida Hoff, JoAnn Hoff, Marvin Hoff Sr., Pauline Hoff, Willie L. Hoff, Myra Hoffman, Libby Ingram, C.D. Knoblach, Elsie Koetter, Misty Lindley, Dee Litteken, Agnes Loran, Karen Lowe, Louis Lowe, Brian Lucore, Kyler Marlar, Annette Meurer, Jess Meurer, Hans Skylar Mueller, Kim Nelson, Travis Meyer, Madi Scogin, Nelson, Jerry Ostermann, Rita Pearson, Nancy Pennartz, Colby Peterson, Gina Phillips, Phillip Rafferty, Dawson Reynolds, Bradley Rodgers, Carol Sales, Cassey Schenk, Frank Schenk, Grady Schenk, Sr., Leonard Schenk Sr., Paul Schenk, Roch Schenk, Rosalie Schenk, Vera Ann Schenk, Agnes Schreiber, Fern Schreiber, Gerald Schreiber, Nelda Schreiber, Roxanne Alex Schroeder, Ashley Schroeder, Bruce Schreiber, Schroeder, Carolyn Schroeder, Cyril Schroeder, Hans Schroeder, Lauren Schroeder, Linda Schroeder, Mary Lou Schroeder, Rosalee Schroeder, Ryan Schroeder, Helen Seigler, Henri Seto, Debbie Shifflett, Geneva Simpson, Jim Simpson, Lisa Smith, Weldon Snyder, Kate Talley, Margaret Green Tift, Trent Tipton, Randy Townsend, Ann Veitenheimer, Anna Mae Veitenheimer, John Veitenheimer, Ralph Veitenheimer, Gayle Vieth, James Vieth, Tim Vieth, David Williams, Debbie Williams, Charles Winkles, Sarah Witten, Jim Wolf, Kenny Wolf, Larry Wolf, Martha Wolf, Pauline Wolf, Alphonse Zotz Jr., Bruce Zotz, Chuck Zotz, Harola Zotz.

If you wish your name removed or there are any changes, please call the office. Prayer of the Faithful:

Lord Jesus, we lift those on our weekly list to you; You are the healer of the sick and we keep praying and hoping for those who are ill. May we continue to pray for all who are sick and hurting and may your peace come to each and every one of us. Amen

ST. MARY'S 7-DAY LIGHTS: Margaret Beaman, JoAnn Hoff, Carol Sales, Judy Hale, Gerald & Sherry, Ida, Ernie & Billie Hoff, Jess Meurer, Larry Wolf, Kenny & Martha, Paul & Rosalie Schenk, Gus & Nellie, Butch & Pat, Cindy & Donnie, Charles & Glenda, Misty Lindley, All the sick & shut-ins, My family, Special intention by Frances Hoffman; Ted Neeb, Vicky Neeb, Carol Sales, Bob Baumer, Terry Schroeder, President & Mrs. Trump, Misty Lindley, Cody Echols, Gerry Meurer, Jess Meurer, Aunt Agnes Schreiber, First Responders, Sick & Elderly, A good rain by Suzette & Richard; Complete healing for Gerald, Our family, Our Moms, Jim & Geneva Simpson, Gus & Nellie Berend, Safe & Sucessful school year for all students and staff by Gerald & Sherry; Healing for Linette & Cyril & Jim by Mom; Rick Fleitman by Grandma; Our Sick Members, For an Increase in Priestly & Consecrated Life Vocations, Students of WISD/CDA #296 Members by Catholic Daughters Court#296

YEARLY LIGHTS: Joe & Magdalena Lindeman by Family; For my family & in memory of +Henry & +Troy Pennartz by Hillary; For all battling cancer by Charles & Joyce Vieth; In Memory of +Janice, +Ed &+Catherine, Lois Luig,+ Nanci Luig Carr & +Geraldine Lindemann by Eddie Luig Family; For World Peace and safety of our Military, especially for Damian Hoffman (Army), David Ogura (Army), & Zachary Zotz (Army) by Grandmommy; For Jeanne & Family, Ray & Myra & Family, Chuck & Diane & Family, Terry & Kathy & Family, Dolores Sumbera & Family by Frances Hoffman; Living & Deceased Members of Catholic Life Insurance Branch #30; Our Family & For The Safety of Our Military by Ralph & Clara; For+Joe Schreiber & +Joseph Schreiber by Agnes Schreiber; For Mom by Johnnie & Alice; For Students of W.I.S.D. & C.D.A. #296 Members by C.D.A. #296; The Holy Spirit's Daily Guidance in Endeavors for each member of my family by Donor; For +Lawrence & +Helen Berend Family by Terry & Carol Sales; For Our Family by Joe & Lugenia Zotz; +Arnold & +Lillian Lindeman by the Family; +Thomas &+Leona Schlumpf by Danny Schlumpf Family; Ben's safety by Mom & Dad; For our Family by Frank & Joyce Wolf; For all our Family by Don & Benita Essler; For Our Family by Bernard & Pat Scheffe; Sick & Hurting of St. Mary's Christian Mother's Society by the Christian Mothers; For my Family & for Bruce by Anna Mae Veitenheimer; Safety of Volunteer Firemen, Safety of Ben Wolf, Gina Loran, Brett Hoff, Kevin Schroeder, Corey George, & Greg Schlumpf, Living and Deceased Members of Charles & Mary Lindemann family by Benny Lindeman; Thank you for all the graces & blessings received for our Country, Community & Family by Bert & Elizabeth Hoff; Living & Deceased Members of Alphonse & Caroline Zotz by the Family; For our Family by George & Juanita Martin; My Family by Margaret Beaman; My Family; Living & Deceased members of Himmels Family, For my family & For +Al Veitenheimer by Ann Veitenheimer; Dad & Mom by Nubbin & Angela; +Floyd & Betty Humpert by the Family; For Our Family & In Memory of +Alfred Berend by Cordella; Guidance & Protection for our Military Service Men & Women by V.F.W.

Sunday, Oct 11, 2020

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Seek wisdom's light

If we learned nothing else this year, it's that circumstances change. Societies come together and shatter apart. Wellness comes and goes. Markets rise and fall. War and peace exchange places. We climb up and down the ladder of success. If we're wise, we learn what Saint Paul observed: Spiritual flexibility beats insisting and resisting. Today the Rosary's Luminous Mysteries guide us to wisdom: Partner with the Holy Spirit, trust grace to supply what's needed, seek the Kingdom's paradox, recognize Jesus in the faces of the poor, and know that God is present at every table.

TODAY'S READINGS: Isaiah 25:6-10a; Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20; Matthew 22:1-14 (142). "I know how to live in humble circumstances; I know also how to live with abundance."

Monday, Oct 12, 2020

The past calls us to a more just future

Indigenous Peoples' Day is celebrated in many communities to honor Native Americans and their histories and cultures. Today is also a U.S. federal holiday, Columbus Day. Many want the former to replace the latter, while others are dismayed by the growing trend. We can acknowledge the complicity of colonial church leaders in the exploitation and abuse of native peoples (though there were notable exceptions like Bartolomé de las Casas). At the same time, we can work to right those wrongs in the present and forge a more just future together, building the reign of God here and now.

TODAY'S READINGS: Galatians 4:22-24, 26-27, 31—5:1; Luke 11:29-32 (467). "Just as Jonah became a sign to the Ninevites, so will the Son of Man be to this generation."

Tuesday, Oct 13, 2020

Ponder the mystery

For centuries the Catholic Church has honored Mary in both May and October. So perhaps it wasn't surprising that Our Lady of Fatima reportedly began to appear once a month to three children in Portugal in 1917—beginning on May 13 and ending on this day, October 13. On the last day, with more than 70,000 people gathered in anticipation, many reported seeing an unusual heavenly phenomenon that has been called the "dance of the sun." Ponder today what Pope John Paul II identified as Fatima's significance: "conversion and repentance, the nucleus of the message of the gospel."

TODAY'S READINGS: Galatians 5:1-6; Luke 11:37-41 (468). "Through the Spirit, by faith, we await the hope of righteousness."

Wednesday, Oct 14, 2020 MEMORIAL OF CALLISTUS I, POPE, MARTYR

Differences of opinion are nothing new

Callistus I was elected pope by the clergy and laity of Rome in 217. The election results did not sit well with that election's runner-up, Hippolytus. The two men disagreed on church doctrine and Hippolytus accused Callistus of leniency in enforcing church rules. Callistus' tolerance imitated Jesus' compassion but Hippolytus did not see it that way. He became the first anti-pope in church history, a schism that lasted 18 years. Eventually, Hippolytus reconciled with the church but not before Callistus I

was martyred in a local Roman disturbance in 222. This piece of history is a reminder that differences will occur among church leaders, but the promised Holy Spirit remains with us. Pray for peaceful resolution of differences, in church and in society.

TODAY'S READINGS: Galatians 5:18-25; Luke 11:42-46 (469). "If you are guided by the Spirit, you are not under the law."

Thursday, Oct 15, 2020

MEMORIAL OF TERESA OF JESUS, VIRGIN, DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH

Seek some mystic reform

Today we honor one of the great women of the church, Saint Teresa of Ávila, also known as Teresa of Jesus. Teresa's life seemed rather routine on the surface—she was a cloistered nun in the 1500s. But as her mystical encounters with Jesus emerged, along with her desire for a simpler, less "worldly" way of being, she began to write about the spiritual life and advocated for reform of her religious order, against strong opposition. Declared a doctor of the church in 1970, Teresa's reforms and enduring spiritual insights still carry weight. What reform, small or large, can you work toward today that can help bring about peace and spiritual growth for yourself and others?

TODAY'S READINGS: Ephesians 1:1-10; Luke 11:47-54 (470). "Woe to you, scholars of the law! You have taken away the key of knowledge."

Friday, Oct 16, 2020

MEMORIAL OF MARGARET MARY ALACOQUE, VIRGIN

Put your heart into it

From stained glass windows to tattoos, the Sacred Heart of Jesus has been an enduring, powerful symbol to many people from all walks of life. In the 17th century, particular attention to the heart of Jesus began to be promoted. Saint Margaret Mary Alocoque, a French Visitation nun, had a special tenderness for Jesus' Sacred Heart and often shared her prayers and visions of it. In the heart of Jesus—imaged as pierced with thorns, flames, and a cross atop—she experienced the burning love of Christ for all people and the trust that Jesus held all of our joys and suffering in his heart. With Margaret Mary, what joys and sufferings might we entrust to the Sacred Heart of Jesus?

TODAY'S READINGS: Ephesians 1:11-14; Luke 12:1-7 (471). "In Christ we were . . . chosen."

Saturday, Oct 17, 2020

MEMORIAL OF IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH, BISHOP, MARTYR

Journey with courage

Map the distance between Antioch, Syria, and Rome: 3,716 kilometers, 39 hours by car—without traffic. Now imagine traveling that distance in chains around the year 107, with hungry lions awaiting your arrival. Even with all that, Ignatius of Antioch, approaching a brutal martyrdom, writes from the road to the Ephesians: "I do not issue orders to you, as if I were some great person. For though I am bound for His name, I am not yet perfect in Jesus Christ." His focus is on the privilege of dying for God's glory: "Being blessed in the greatness and fullness of God," he sends readers "abundant happiness through Jesus Christ, and His undefiled joy." Call on Ignatius when you face the really frightful realities life confronts us with at times.

TODAY'S READINGS: Ephesians 1:15-23; Luke 12:8-12 (472). "I have heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and your love toward all the saints."

Invest just five minutes a day, and your faith will deepen and grow—a day at a time



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SECOND SUNDAY IS BACK!!!!!



Movie Night

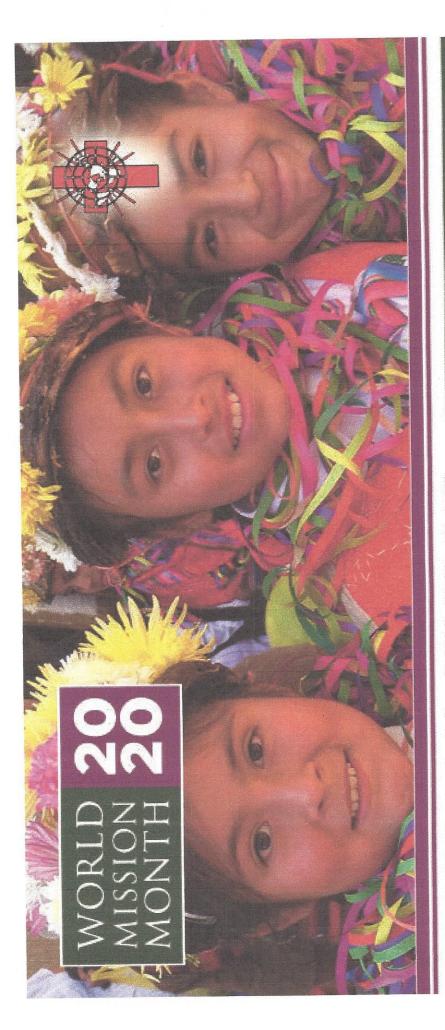
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PARISH HALL

SUNDAY, OCT 11 TH

INVITE YOUR FRIENDS AND JOIN US FOR THIS SECOND SUNDAY!

No food will be provided but bring your own drinks and mask.



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OCTOBER 18, 2020

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FRIDAY	FRIDAY OCT 16 Word & Worship St. Mary's 7:25 am Mass St. Mary's 3:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.	FRIDAY OCT. 23 Word & Worship St. Mary's 7:25 am Mass St. Mary's 3:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.	FRIDAY OCT. 30 Word & Worship St. Mary's 7:25 am Mass St. Mary's 3:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.	FRIDAY NOV. 6 Word & Worship St. Mary's 7:25 am Mass St. Mary's 3:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.
THURSDAY	St. Mary's Prayer 7:25am Mass St. Boniface 6pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.	THURSDAY OCT. 22 St. Mary's Prayer 7:25am Mass St. Boniface 6pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing	St. Mary's Prayer 7:25am Mass St. Boniface 6pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing	St. Mary's Prayer 7:25am Mass St. Boniface 6pm St. Boniface Transistus after Mass Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Food Distribution 9am-11am
	WEDNESDAY OCT. 14 CCD 7:25am CCD 7:25am K-12 Youth Mass St. Mary's 6:00pm Adoration 6:30pm Chapet 6:30pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Mass will be live-streamed. 3rd Degree K of C #1824 3rd Degree K of C #1715	WEDNESDAY OCT 21 CCD 7:25am K-12 Youth Mass St. Mary's 6:00pm Adoration 6:30pm Chapet 6:30pm Novena 7:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Mass will be live-streamed CDA #296 meeting after services	WEDNESDAY OCT. 28 CCD 7:25am K-12 Youth Mass St. Mary's 6:00pm Adoration 6:30pm Chapet 6:30pm Novena 7:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Mass will be live-streamed	WEDNESDAY NOV. 4 CCD 7:25am K-12 Youth Mass St. Mary's 6:00pm Adoration 6:30pm Chapet 6:30pm Novena 7:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Mass will be live-streamed Family Life & Mission Outreach 5pm
OCTOBER 10, 2020 – NOVEMBER 06, 2020 IONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY	TUESDAY OCT. 13 CCD 7:25am Mass St. Mary's Church Office closed St. Boniface Fatima Prayer Hour Sr. Citizens 1pm Berend Family Center	TUESDAY OCT. 20 Mass St. Mary's CCD 7:25am Church Office closed Sr. Citizens 1pm Berend Family Center	TUESDAY OCT. 27 Mass St. Mary's CCD 7:25am Church Office closed Sr. Citizens 1pm Berend Familly Center	TUESDAY NOV. 3 Mass St. Mary's CCD 7:25am Church Office closed Sr. Citizens 1pm Berend Familly Center
OCTOBER MONDAY	MONDAY OCT. 12 CCD 7:25am Mass St. Mary's 12:00 noon Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. VFW &VFW Ladies Aux. 7pm	MONDAY OCT. 19 CCD 7:25am Mass St. Mary's 12:00 noon Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.	MONDAY OCT. 26 CCD 7:25am Mass St. Mary's 6:00pm Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. 4th Degree K of C meeting after Mass	MONDAY NOV.2 CCD 7:25am Mass St. Mary's 12:00 noon Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.
SUNDAY	SUNDAY OCT. 11 28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME St. Boniface Mass 8:00 AM St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Both Masses live streamed Scotland Sr. Citizens 2nd Sunday Movie Night 5:00pm	SUNDAY OCT. 18 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME St.Boniface Mass 8:00 AM St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Both Masses live streamed 2nd Collection: World Mission Sunday (Propagation of Faith)	SUNDAY OCT. 25 30 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME St. Boniface Mass 8:00 AM St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Both Masses live streamed	SUNDAY NOV. 1 ALL SAINT'S DAY St. Boniface Mass 8:00 AM St. Mary's Mass 10:30 AM Please wear a mask & practice social distancing. Both Masses live streamed Visit to St. Mary's Cemetery 1pm Visit to St. Boniface Cemetery 3pm Transistus Service St. Mary's 7pm
SATURDAY	SATURDAY OCT. 10 Mass St. Mary's 8:00am Our Lady of Fatima Rosary St. Mary's' Mass 5:00PM Vedding at 5:00PM Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.	SATURDAY OCT. 17 Funeral Mass 10am Confessions 3:00 – 4:00 At the Church office St. Mary's' Mass 5:00PM Spanish Mass 7:00PM Live-streamed at 5 Please wear a mask & practice social distancing . 2nd Collection: World Mission Sunday (Propagation of Faith)	SATURDAY OCT. 24 Mass St. Mary's 12:00 NOON Confessions 3:00 – 4:00 At the Church office St. Mary's' Mass 5:00PM Spanish Mass 7:00PM Live-streamed at 5 Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.	SATURDAY OCT. 31 Mass St. Mary's 12:00 NOON Confessions 3:00 – 4:00 At the Church office St. Mary's' Mass 5:00PM Spanish Mass 7:00PM Live-streamed at 5 Please wear a mask & practice social distancing.