

November 7, 2021
Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

HOLY MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY 6

5pm Walter & Josephine Szulwach; daughter, Kathleen

SUNDAY 7

9am Dec mem of Fini & Leva family; Ines & Aldo Fini

10:30 Joseph & Marge Garvilla; family

Noon Kay Hurley; Hurley family

MONDAY 8

8am Luigi & Louis Zani; Carbonara family

TUESDAY 9

8am Lydia Olivar; Kurt & Veronica Grimm

WEDNESDAY 10

8am Maria Gabor; family

THURSDAY 11

8am Kay Hurley; Hurley family

FRIDAY 12

8am Maria Gabor; family

SATURDAY 13

8am Christopher De Paulis; De Paulis family

5pm Leo O'Grady; family

SUNDAY 14

9am Dec mem of Mastrantoni & Reali family;
Ines & Aldo Fini

10:30 Frank & Santa Fini; Salvatore & Concetta Fini

Noon Albert Fini; Natalie & Jlm

Weekly collection:	\$4390.00
We Share (online giving):	\$1940.00
Total:	\$6330.00

HORIZONS YOUTH GROUP
MEETING: SUNDAY, 11/7

All high school-aged students are welcome to the combined youth group meeting of St. Columba's & St. Mary's. Meeting is from 6:45 pm to 8 pm behind St. Mary's in Washingtonville by the sports fields. Please contact Alessandro D'Anselmi by email: stmaryshorizons@gmail.com for more information.

MEMORIAL CANDLES

This year St. Columba is pleased to offer "In Loving Memory Memorial Candles." These candles can be personalized for you with the name of your loved one.

The cost is \$10 for the first candle purchase and \$8 for each additional candle. Payments will be accepted at the parish office via cash or check. Envelopes with payment may be put in the collection baskets or returned to the parish office, clearly marked "Loving Memory Candle Order". Please include your name & phone number. Candles are available in the parish office.

Dear St. Columba Family,



November is fundamentally a month about remembrance. We begin the month focusing on all the heroes of our faith on All Saints Day. As much as this day is about honoring them and giving thanks to God for their lives and example it is also a reminder to us of the universal call to holiness. Our primary vocation, the call all of us have received from God at our baptism, is to be holy. God desires all of us to be saints and He desires this not so that we will all just "stay in line" or because He is interested in exercising some form of divine control but because the deepest desire of God's Fatherly heart is that we join Him forever in Heaven. A saint, very simply, is someone in Heaven. As we work out our sanctity on earth, as difficult as this can be at times, we will find a deeper sense of joy as well by doing the will of God. So our path to heaven, and our path to eternal happiness, begins in this life as we have our eyes fixed on the life to come. We then celebrate All Souls Day as we pray for those faithful departed who are still on their journey to Heaven. These are those souls that although in friendship with God, are not yet ready for the full life of heaven, and so we pray for them on this day remembering the beautiful doctrine of Purgatory. The saints and mystics tell us that our prayers are so powerful to assist these souls on their journey to Heaven.

In a secular sense, every November 11th, we honor all those veterans who have given so much in defense of our country. Unlike Memorial Day, where we honor those that have died in service to our nation, this day we honor those that are still alive and deserve our deepest sense of gratitude for the sacrifices they have made on behalf of our country and our freedom. The fourth Thursday of November of course is Thanksgiving. We remember the pilgrims that came here in 1620 and their relationship with the Wampanoag Native Americans and the first harvest celebration that took place after the harsh winter before. We give thanks to God that day as we recall all His blessings throughout the year. We then end the month with the feast of Christ the King and the beginning of Advent remembering our Lord's first coming in lowliness as we look forward to His Second Coming in glory. In all these ways we remember so that we know and appreciate where we have come from as to be guided for the journey that still lies ahead.

Fr. Chris

WE PRAY FOR THOSE SERVING OUR COUNTRY FROM
OUR COMMUNITY IN THE MILITARY,
BOTH HERE AND ABROAD

SAINT MICHAEL . . . PLEASE KEEP THEM SAFE.



Siobhan Higgins, Vincent, Pungello, James Davis Jr., Rocco Church, Tyler Correa, Alex Davis, Mark Gonzalez, Michael Grasso, Erin Johnson, Alex Kaczor, Kayla Marion Katt, Mark Lawlor, Lauren Lucena, Matthew Mackay, Draven Mena, Ryan Michaels, Evan Pacer, Michael Polanski, Cory Seipp, Josh Truman

LADIES AUXILIARY BAKE SALE

Saturday & Sunday, November 20 & 21
We have many great bakers in our parish. Please consider donating to the Bake Sale.

The pies (from Soon's Orchard) ordered in advance will be ready for pick up at the Bake Sale. (see order forms below)



LADIES AUXILIARY TAKING PIE ORDERS

Everyone likes "Scotties Pies" from Soon's Orchard
Order for your "Thanksgiving dinner."

ORDER FORM: **APPLE, APPLE CRUMB, PUMPKIN, PEACH CRUMB, BLUEBERRY CRUMB**

PRICE: \$18.00 each (payable in advance)

IN NOVEMBER, SANCTUARY LIGHTS ARE BURNING IN LOVING MEMORY OF:

Red: **Angelina & Joseph Fariello**; Jim & Terry Miner
White: **Steven Sloan**; Joe & Jerry Furey
Blessed Sacrament: **Florence & Kelly Petrocelli**;
daughter, Susan

MEMORIALS & SPECIAL INTENTIONS:

ALTAR CANDLES are burning in loving memory:
Anne E. Butindaro; req: family

HOST & WINE are dedicated this week in loving memory:
Verna Talarico; req: Talarico family

ST. COLUMBA KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ARE SELLING RAFFLE TICKETS TO BENEFIT THE CHARITABLE & BENEVOLENT PROGRAM AFTER MASS

For information on joining the Knights of Columbus contact local Membership Director **Larry Rosen 917-747-0558**
ljrosen2016@aol.com

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Jim Swyrt, Pamela Rosen, Natacha Porchette, Michael Burke, Fr. Tom Lynch, Bennet Berry, JoAnn Traina, Anthony Pastore, Thelma Figueroa, Carmen Tumbaga, Tom Jimenez, Olivia Picnicky, Mary Luciana, Janet Begnoche, Moquete, Christianna Scrobe, Maritza Montes, John Mattera, Connie Yacenda, Carmen Almirol, Daria Bekersky, Katie Rogan, Joan Bonomi, Teresa Patrino, Mila Werlitz, Andrew Upson, James Fox, Nancy Rhodes Mayo, Justin Holland, Patrick Finley, Marie Tobin, Jon Sezack, Ruth Rivera, Vilma Rosario, John Schiano Jr, Claire Scunziano, Sean Devlin, Robert Scunziano, Brenden Hedding, Lorraine Kalafut, Gabe Fritz, Laura Favorule, Susan Zikoyanis, Mary Ackerman, Valerie Moore, Sylvia Muccio, Joe Kennedy, Allison Florio, Charles Youngberg, Alice Verlizzo, Cecilia Rivera, Vinnie Greco, Donna Fagan, Nikita Zanichkowsky, Karlene Gray, Rosa Maria Ramos, Ricky Calderin, Bob Gatt, Emily Scrobe, Marian McDonald

FAITH FIRST ENJOYS PUMPKIN PICKING AND HALLOWEEN



TWO GRAND CLUB
The winners for this week:
#6 D. & C. Fini and #183 Marie Dutra