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**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2020
The Solemnity of All Saints**

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Pastor**

The Reverend Edwin Ezeokeke, Parochial Vicar

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PARISH OFFICE

Monday-Friday: 8:30am-5:30pm

**The Catholic Faith Community
of
Our Lady of Victory
and the
Church of St. Andrew
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OUR LADY OF VICTORY

MASSES

Sunday: 12:15pm, 5:15pm

Mon. - Fri.: 8:15am, 12:15pm*

*** (All in Upper Church.)

* Following the 12:15, the Novena of the day follows.

Holidays: 8:15am, 12:15

Holy Day Vigil: 5:15pm

Holy Days: 7:15, 8:15, 11:45am

12:15, 1:15, 4:45, & 5:15pm

CONFESSIONS

Mon. - Fri.: 12:45-1:15pm

NOVENAS & DEVOTIONS

Mon.: Miraculous Medal

Sat.: The Rosary

Tues.: St. Anthony

1st Fri.: Sacred Heart

Wed.: St. Jude

Novena

Thurs.: The Holy Spirit

Fridays of Lent:

Fri.: The Rosary

Stations of the Cross

BAPTISMS: Please call the rectory for information.

ST. ANDREW'S

MASSES

No Mass at Saint Andrew Till Further Notice

PARISH ACTIVITIES

Monday: 5:45pm – Legion of Mary (OLV)

4th Friday: 5:45pm – Patrician Catholic
Discussion Group (OLV))

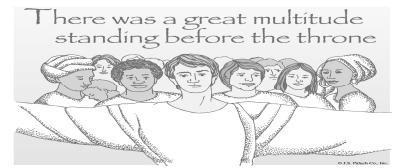
As Announced: FiDi Catholic Young Adults

November 1, 2020 The Solemnity of All Saints

OUR HOPE AND GOD'S PROMISE

The Church uses these waning November days and darker skies as the season to remind us of the last things. Today's feast, the Solemnity of All Saints, is the centerpiece of three days that point to doctrines we proclaim each time we say the Apostles' Creed: "We believe in the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and life everlasting." And while the days and our hearts may be dark, the readings today are bright with the light of faith. John's vision in the book of Revelation reveals dazzling angels and white-robed saints gathered in triumph around the throne of God. In the responsorial psalm we sing our longing to see God's face, and in the second reading John writes that we are God's children and will, in fact, see God "as he is" (1 John 3:2). This is our hope. This is God's promise. Today we celebrate the triumph of those who already gaze on the face of God. Tomorrow we cry out for mercy with those in purgatory, who, like us on earth, still long to see God's face.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — John's vision of a vast throng from every nation and people, whose robes had been made white in the blood of the Lamb (Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14).

Psalm — Lord, this is the people that longs to see your face (Psalm 24).

Second Reading — By God's love, we may be called God's children (1 John 3:1-3).

Gospel — The Beatitudes: your reward will be great in heaven (Matthew 5:1-12a).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9;

Jn 6:37-40, or any readings from no. 668 or from Masses for the Dead, nos. 1011-1016

Tuesday: Phil 2:5-11; Ps 22:26b-32; Lk 14:15-24

Wednesday: Phil 2:12-18; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Lk 14:25-33

Thursday: Phil 3:3-8a; Ps 105:2-7; Lk 15:1-10

Friday: Phil 3:17 — 4:1; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 16:1-8

Saturday: Phil 4:10-19; Ps 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a, 9; Lk 16:9-15

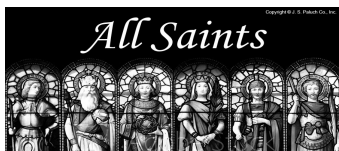
Sunday: Wis 6:12-16; Ps 63:2-8; 1 Thes 4:13-18 [13-14]; Mt 25:1-13

The Solemnity of All Saints

November 1, 2020

See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God.

— 1 John 3:1



TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Today we celebrate the saints who live in glory, and the vast number of people who have gone before us in the Christian life as "works in progress." Reading any saint's biography, you quickly become aware that they were persons singularly aware of their faults and sins, their human propensity to miss the mark. Penance is a recurring theme in their lives, and many found a "confessor" who coached them in the spiritual life.

Today, a new form of penance can coach us in our journey, because the setting is an assembly of the faithful. In this form, there is time given for people who wish to confess and be absolved to meet privately with a priest for a few moments. Before the community is dismissed, everyone joins in an act of praise for God's mercy, usually by singing a hymn together. The individual part is not compulsory, and you can certainly participate fully and fruitfully without the individual confession. The joy of this liturgy is itself an impetus to change and to open up more fully to this wonderful gift of our faith. You have already been forgiven, of course. That was accomplished for you on the cross. It is the Christian task to open ourselves up, as did the saints, to the reality of that gift.

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SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: All Saints; Daylight Saving Time ends; National Vocation Awareness Week

Monday: Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)

Tuesday: Thirty-first Week in Ordinary Time; St. Martin de Porres; Election Day

Wednesday: St. Charles Borromeo

Friday: First Friday

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary; First Saturday

IMPORTANT AND PLEASE NOTE...

**CORONAVIRUS SURVIVAL RATES
AS RELEASED BY...
THE CENTER FOR DISEASE CONTROL
(CDC) AS OF SEPTEMBER 24TH**

0-19 YRS OLD 99.997%	20-49 YRS OLD 99.98%
50 - 69 YRS OLD 99.5%	70+ YRS OLD 94.6%

**Friday, November 20th 8:00 to 9:30 PM
MGN Online Support Group**

Join us for the NY Chapter online Maria Goretti Network (MGN) support group for all those in any way affected by abuse (physical, sexual, mental, emotional, financial, etc) to experience healing in God's love and freedom through forgiveness. Abuse is never your fault and you are not alone.

Contact nyc@mgoretti.org for more information or visit www.mgoretti.org
Join Zoom Meeting
<https://zoom.us/j/96398316892>

**Daylight Savings Time Ends
November 1, 2020**

If you are reading this on Saturday:

Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour before going to bed! (Although many clocks reset automatically these days . . .)

If you are reading this on Sunday:

Did you remember?
Or did you get to Mass early?
There's nothing wrong with a little extra prayer time!



**All Souls Day
Praying For And
Remembering Our
Beloved Dead**

Monday, November 2nd

**MASSES AT:
8:15 & 12:15 P.M.**

**Note: All Masses will Be In
The Upper Church**

**Confessions:
12:45 TO 1:15**

**PRAYING FOR AND REMEMBERING
THE DECEASED**

-MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND IS ALL SOULS DAY OR THE COMMEMORATION OF THE FAITH DEPARTED. IF YOU WOULD LIKE YOUR DECEASED LOVED ONES TO BE REMEMBERED AT MASSES ON ALL SOULS DAY AND DURING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, YOU WILL FIND ENVELOPES IN THE BACK OF THE CHURCH FOR YOUR USE.

PLEASE FILL OUT AND RETURN W/DONATION.
ENVELOPES WITH NAMES OF YOUR LOVED ONES WILL BE PLACED ON THE ALTAR DURING THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER.



6-DAY CANDLES AVAILABLE

You can now light a candle in the church and have it stay lit for almost a week for your prayer intentions, in thanksgiving to God or in memorial of a loved one!

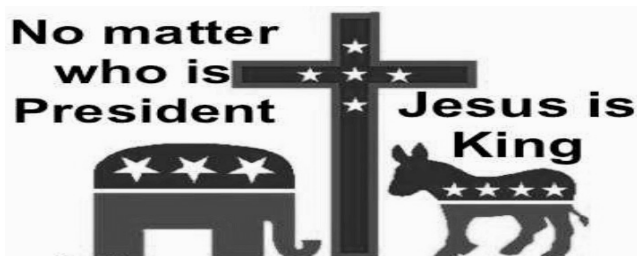


These special votive candles have clear covers decorated with a cross design and can be placed inside one of the glass holders provided before the statues of Christ the King, Our Lady of Fatima, the Sacred Heart of Jesus, Divine Mercy, Our Lady of Victory or Saint Anne, the Mother of Mary in the Upper Church only. Once lit, the candles will stay burning for your intention for about a week.

They are available for purchase from the parish office downstairs or from Carlos, our Sacristan, if you see him in the Upper Church.

If you wish, you can also purchase the candle and light for your home. The protective glass containers are also available for purchase.

The lighting of candles for your prayer intentions is a time-honored tradition in the Catholic Church that we are happy to provide at Our Lady of Victory and St. Andrew.



POLITICAL ONE-LINERS

I remember when Halloween was the scariest night of the year. Now, it's Election Night. —*Unknown*

'In politics, absurdity is not a handicap'.
—*Napoleon Bonaparte*

I don't approve of political jokes...I've seen too many of them get elected. — *Unknown*

The word 'politics' is derived from the word 'poly', meaning many', and the word 'ticks', meaning 'blood sucking parasites'. —*Larry Hardiman*



MASS INTENTIONS

*** Indications "for the intentions of"

OUR LADY OF VICTORY ST. ANDREW CHURCH

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1

ALL SAINTS DAY

12:15 pm: Giovanna, Anna &
Nicola Lucignano

5:15 pm: The Seniors of
Southbridge Towers ***

*No Weekend Mass at
St. Andrew's location*

*No Weekday Masses at
Saint Andrew Till Fur-
ther Notice*

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 2

ALL SOULS DAY

8:15 am: All Souls Novena

12:15 pm: The Clerveaux
Family

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3

8:15 am: All Souls Novena

12:15 pm: Brenda & Margaret
Kane

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4

8:15 am: All Souls Novena

12:15 pm: Anthony DelGaudio

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5

8:15 am: All Souls Novena

12:15 pm: Peter Frattini

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 6

8:15 am: Carl Turziano

12:15 pm: All Souls Novena

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8

12:15 pm: Carma Lynn
Nucifora

5:15 pm: All Souls Novena