

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
October 27th, 2019

**MASSES FOR THE NEXT WEEK**

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27TH**

8:30 A.M. Beverly Lagoniokos  
10:30A.M. Doris O'Rourke  
12:00P.M. Joseph Endlicher

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 28TH**

8:00 A.M. Intention Rita & Cliff E. Nwokeji

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29th**

8:00 A.M. Mary Daly

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 30TH**

8:00 A.M. Annmarie Macacian

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31ST**

8:00 A.M. Communion Service

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST - ALL SAINTS DAY**

8:00 A.M. Robert & William Rech  
10:00 AM Jody Telmosse  
7:30 P.M. Ida Demasi

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND - ALL SOULS**

9:00 A.M. Special Parish Memorial Mass  
5:00 P.M. Rose Bochicchio

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3RD**

8:30 A.M. Sister Martinette  
10:30A.M. People of the Parish  
12:00P.M. George Amabile

**SCRIPTURES:**

**NOVEMBER 3rd- 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**First Reading:** IN THIS READING, WE ARE REMINDED OF THE LOVE GOD FEELS TOWARD EVERY CREATURE, OR ELSE HE WOULD NOT HAVE CREATED THEM. GOD SHOWS MERCY ON OUR SINS AND HOPES WE WILL REPENT AND HAVE FAITH IN HIM. (WISDOM 11: 22—12:2)

**SECOND READING:** PAUL TELLS THE THESSALONIANS THAT GOD WILL MAKE THEM WORTHY OF HIS CALL, SO THAT THEY CAN BE GLORIFIED IN CHRIST. PAUL ALSO TELLS THEM HE IS UNSURE WHEN CHRIST WILL COME AGAIN, BUT URGES THEM NOT TO BELIEVE PEOPLE WHO FALSELY STATE THAT JESUS HAS RETURNED. (THESSALONIANS 1: 11—2:2)

**GOSPEL:** ZACCHAEUS, THE WEALTHY CHIEF TAX COLLECTOR IN JERICO, WAS VERY EXCITED WHEN JESUS CAME TO TOWN AND ASKED TO STAY WITH HIM. PEOPLE WERE ANGRY THAT JESUS WOULD GO TO A SINNER'S HOME. ZACCHAEUS THEN TOLD JESUS HE PLANNED TO GIVE HALF HIS BELONGINGS TO THE POOR, AND REPAY ANY PERSON HE HAD CHEATED. JESUS WAS DELIGHTED SINCE HIS MISSION WAS "TO SEARCH OUT AND SAVE WHAT WAS LOST." (LUKE 19: 1-10)

**STEWARDSHIP by the BOOK- October 27th, 2019**

Both the first reading and today's Psalm say clearly that the Lord hears the cry of the poor. Have I been given the gifts-of time or money or abilities-to be the means by which God answers their need?

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**ALL SAINTS DAY, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1st is a HOLY DAY of Obligation. Masses will be celebrated at 8AM, 10AM & 7:30 PM. Come and worship with us .**

**MASS CARDS** We are asked to pray for the dead. The best way to do this is to have a mass celebrated in memory of a loved one. Call the rectory 973-663-0211. **Please note-** offering is \$15. **NOTE:** Mass of Living Intention & Healing Mass Cards are available for weekday masses.

**RCIA** The RCIA process for 2019-2020 Next meeting is Tue. October 29th at 7:15pm in the Rectory.

**BAPTISMS** are usually performed on the First Sunday of the month at 1pm. To arrange for a Baptism please call the Rectory - 973-663-0211. Next Baptism Prep Monday, October 28th at 7:15pm in the Rectory. Next Baptisms will be celebrated Sun. November 3rd at 1pm.



**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**   
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**ELEMENTARY SCHOOL -PRE-K-Grade 5**

Sunday, October 27th - 8:45AM - (Pre-K-5)

**MIDDLE SCHOOL -GRADES 6-8**

Sunday, October 27th - 6:30-8PM - class  
Pumpkin Prayer Service -- Grade 7

**HIGH SCHOOL - GRADES 9-10**

Sunday, October 27th- 6:30-8:00PM -classes

**NO RELIGIOUS ED CLASSES SUNDAY NOVEMBER 3RD**



**RELIGIOUS ED HALLOWEEN PARTY - SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27th at 2pm.**

We invite the children of the parish

to a fun-filled afternoon. There will be a costume parade in the parish parking lot (weather permitting), followed by games, crafts and refreshments in the Church Hall.



**CHOIR** Adult practice

is Thursday evening at 7pm. If you would like to join the adult or

children's choir please contact our Choir Director Mrs. Therese Butler at [musicministry.olsos@gmail.com](mailto:musicministry.olsos@gmail.com).



**Please remember in prayer those who are sick:** Fr. Tim Ryan, Fr. Dan Kelly, Marilyn DiGennaro, Anne Nichols, Annette Maratta, Fr. Jude Salus, Jennifer Delaney, Gloria Nolte, Mary Lavin, Dora Lavin, George Kapetaneas, Lisa Ann Fisher, Chris & Barbara Young, Robin Wright, Christine Profaca, & all who are ill at this time. **We also pray for the recently deceased:** Frank Giaquinto, Nuala Naughton, Mary Daly, Christine B. Smith, Msgr. Brendan Madden, Nicola Caruso, Aidan Di Bernard, Abbot Brian Clarke.



**CYO BASKETBALL** practice is on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday evenings. Times to be determined by coaches. For more detailed information & to be put on an e-mail distribution list, please e-mail CYO Athletic Director, Steve Niziol [StaroftheSeaAD@gmail.com](mailto:StaroftheSeaAD@gmail.com)

**FLOWERS:** If you would like to donate altar flowers in memory of a loved one, or in honor of an occasion e.g. anniversary; please call the Rectory 973-663-0211. \$60-\$75.



**ALL SOULS DAY**



**NOTE: On Saturday, November 2nd, the Feast of All Souls, a special liturgy is planned to honor our deceased loved ones.** Our Liturgy will include hymns, prayers and the lighting of candles to honor those family members who have recently died. **Please plan to join us at 9:00 AM** for this

very special remembrance of our loved ones.

**SHOPRITE CARDS** available. Why purchase them? **For every \$100 you spend on cards our Church makes \$5.** Use cards like cash. Balances remain on them. Please help us out by buying these cards. Thank you.



**PANCAKE BREAKFAST hosted by the Sophomore confirmation class will be held Sunday, November 17th**

after 8:30 AM and 10:30 AM Masses. Please come out and enjoy the morning with our "Award Winning" pancakes and friendly service. **\$7.00 adults, \$4.00 children.** If you are able to help with preparing, serving, etc. please call Susan Lavin at the Religious Ed office - 973 -663-0124, Ext. 1. Thank you!



# CELEBRATING ALL SAINTS & ALL SOULS

On the first two days of November, the Church invites us to reflect that we are part of a faith tradition which builds on the lives of earlier generations. We celebrate our known and unknown ancestors whose handing on of the faith from generation to generation is responsible for our faith today.

In the Apostle's Creed we profess our belief in the Communion of Saints. We believe that through our Baptism all people are called to be saints. We believe that the saints in heaven can intercede for us; that the souls in purgatory will eventually enter heaven and that our prayers can help them get there. We believe that there is a communion among all these groups - the saints in heaven, the souls in purgatory and those of us still living on earth. The Communion of Saints offers us a vision of Christian hope in our world today.

The Feast of All Saints recalls the Catholic tradition of looking to the saints as models and intercessors for us on our faith journey. Pope John Paul II called them the Church's "greatest treasure." They were people who experienced the same feelings of love, joy, suffering, doubt and hope that we do today. They loved God and placed the message of the Gospel first in their lives. We recall the lives of the saints because we can learn from them how to face the up's and down's of our daily lives with the same love and trust in a Loving Father. For just as they walked in the footsteps of Jesus, so also can we.

The commemoration of All Souls Day reminds us that the life of those who are faithful to the Lord is but changed not ended by their passing from this life. Death is a reality we all face; a mystery we confront. As believing Christians we rejoice in Christ's triumph over death and remember those who have gone before us with the sign of faith and who now rest in His presence.

This week we honor and remember all those men and women who faithfully followed the Gospel and call upon them to intercede for us as we continue our Faith Journey. May we also be grateful for those who have gone before us and who helped to establish and strengthen our Community of Faith here at Our Lady Star of the Sea.

*Sincerely in Christ,  
Fr. Chris*



**MORRIS COUNTY RIGHT TO LIFE RAFFLE**  
Chances for 2020 - Volvo XC40 AWD SUV valued at \$42K. 2nd, 3rd and 4th place prizes are ShopRite gift cards for \$1,000, \$750 and \$500.

**Tickets are being sold after all masses**

**October 26 & 27. \$10 each.** Drawing will be held at Fair Bridge Hotel, Somerset, Friday, November 22nd at 10pm. Winner need not be present. 18 and over only. Car color subject to change. Proceeds benefit NJ Right to Life, NJ's oldest and largest pro-life organization.

**Diocesan Silver & Gold Wedding Anniversary Mass-Sunday, November 3, 2019 4pm** at St. John's Cathedral in Paterson **for couples married in 1994 and 1969.** Couples must assemble by 3:30pm.

## Bishop's Annual Appeal -2019- "For I Was Hungry..."

The Bishop's Annual Appeal helps support the significant cost associated with the education of our seminarians preparing for the priesthood in our Diocese—such as years of room, board, tuition and other related expenses. Your gift today helps prepare our seminarians for the future. For your convenience you can make an online gift or pledge at [www.2019appeal.org](http://www.2019appeal.org). May God bless you for your support.

## FOOD PANTRY

**TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS 1:30-3:30PM.**  
Please call 973-663-0211 to set up an appointment.  
Coordinator is Toni Tarighi.



Items needed: **CEREAL, SOUPS, PASTA SAUCE, STEWS, HASH,** Potato Buds, **RICE, CANNED PASTAS,** canned fruit, *Manwich*, spinach, carrots, beets, peas, red, black & white beans, cranberry sauce, stuffing, gravy.  
**Toiletries: 2-in-1 shampoo,** tooth paste, deodorant, detergent.  
**Refrigerator:** milk, yogurt, OJ, frozen foods- all types.  
**Thanks to the Bolcar & Helenek families** for their donations.  
NOTE: Shoprite gift card donations are also accepted.

## Painting with Claudia Dungan



**Art Course continues on Sundays in Rm. 020, 2-5 PM. \$30 per class.** Each class will be about 2-1/2-3 hrs. Fee includes acrylic paint/brushes, easels, step by step

instructions. Additional fee-\$3 each canvas. **Classes- Oct. 27, Nov. 3, 17, 24, Dec. 1. (Sat., Dec 14 - make up class if needed).** Contact **Claudia 973-663-4287** if interested.

**"Harvest Apples" Paint & Sip-Fri. Nov. 15th-6:30-9:30pm-\$25.**

**PARISH MEMBERSHIP:** Parish Registration is necessary to a meaningful participation in the Real Life of the Parish. **Please call the Rectory. If a parishioner is not registered,** it is difficult for us to issue references, testimonials, sponsorships, etc. Also, if you move/change address, please call the Rectory 973 663-0211).



## WE NEED YOUR HELP

**2 to 4 people to coordinate our Family Promise of Morris Program who are with us 4 weeks each year.** This program provides

families with shelter and food while they work toward securing a new home for themselves. Family Promise has been in place at Our Lady Star of the Sea since 2003. **It would be a true hardship on the less fortunate if we were unable to continue to assist this Program, so please pray and search your hearts, and if you can see your way clear to help in any way please call Fr. Chris at 973-663-0211. Thank you.**

**GETTING MARRIED IN 2020?** Call the rectory 973-663-0211 to arrange your wedding at Star of the Sea Church.



## SATURDAY NIGHT, NOVEMBER 2ND Turn your



**clocks BACK one hour** to return to Eastern Standard Time. One extra hour of sleep! If you forget you will be an hour **early** for Sunday Mass!

## HOLY HUMOR

On a beautiful Sunday morning Fr. Jones called his associate pastor asking him to celebrate Mass for him as he wasn't feeling well. Fr. Jones then got his golf clubs, drove 50 miles away so as not to be spotted by any of his flock and set up at the 1st tee. St. Peter said to God, "You're not seriously letting him get away with this?" God said, "Patience, Peter." Fr. Jones swung and hit a 220 yard hole-in-one. St. Peter looked at God and said, "Why would you let him do that?" God looked at Peter and said "Who is he going to tell?"



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