

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Saturday, October 28, Sts. Simon & Jude, Apostles

8.30AM Anna Dicario by Mary Meyer
4.00PM Elizabeth Walsh by Pat Newman

**Sunday, October 29, Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary
Time**

9.00AM People of the Parish
11.15AM Pamela DeFeo by Anthony & Ruth-Ellen LaRuffa

Monday, October 30

8.30AM Sick People of our Parish

Tuesday, October 31

8.30AM Our Own Intentions
7.00PM People of the Parish

Wednesday, November 01, All Saints Day

8.30AM For Our Family Members
7.00PM Kenneth Byrne by Rosemary & Bob Bailey

Thursday, November 02, All Souls Day

8.30AM Deceased Members of Giordano Family by Kay
Byrne

Friday, November 03, St. Martin de Pores, Religious

8.30AM

Saturday, November 04, St. Charles Borromeo

8.30AM Devotees of Mary
4.00PM Pamela Defeo by Rosemary & Bob Bailey

**Sunday, November 05, Thirty First Sunday in Ordinary
Time**

9.00AM People of the Parish
11.15AM

PARISH PRAYER LIST

Please Pray for Don Tedesco, Marilyn Pizzonia, Michael Dean, Kyle Graham, Michele Griesbaum, Lisa Donohue, James Valenti, JJ Hanson, Kathleen Quinn, Vincent Russo, Aliya Rachlin, Tara Byrne, Anthony Giordano, Betty Fok, Bob Einterz, Andrea Fedoruk, Nicky Castagna, Jane Schneider, Michael and Matthew Mclean, and Samantha. For Our Military Personnel: Michael Donnelly, Matthew Counts, Joseph Counts, Vaughn Schlott, Michael Walsh, Ana Lucia Teran-Stasilli, Arianar Severf, Larry Weiss, Martin Kamen, Rev. Roderic Petrie, Gale Kaufman and Peggy Connolly.

NOTIFY US OF CHANGES AND ADDITIONS

**THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME**

First Reading: Exodus 22:20-26

This passage from the book of Exodus enjoins all to adhere to specific religious and social laws. It urges all to act with justice and compassion towards others.

Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1:5c-10

Paul praises the Thessalonians for receiving the word of God so eagerly and totally. Word of their faithfulness has spread throughout Macedonia and Greece; they have become a model for all Christians.

Gospel: Matthew 22:34-40

Matthew recounts the incident in which a lawyer, seeking to entrap Jesus, asks, "Teacher, which commandment of the law is the greatest?" With simplicity and authority, Jesus responds that the first commandment is to love God with one's entire being; the second is to love one's neighbor as oneself.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday Collection \$ 1487.00
Barn Dance \$ 366.00
Thank you for your continued support and generosity

FOOD PANTRY

The food pantry is always in need of food stuffs and/or monetary donations! Please be generous. Thank you for your increased giving to the food pantry.

PRAYER FOR ALL SOULS

Lord, we ask your mercy for all our departed brothers and sisters. Welcome them into your love and forgive whatever sins they may have committed during their life on earth. Free them from the chains of death and let them enter into life.

**GRANT THEM ETERNAL REST O LORD AND
MAY YOUR PERPETUAL LIGHT SHINE ON
THEM.**

WHY DO CATHOLICS DO THAT? WHY DO CATHOLICS SIT, STAND, AND KNEEL DURING MASS?

We adopt different postures throughout the Mass to help us focus, and each posture means something different. We sit during the homily and the readings to help us listen. We stand during the Gospel, and when the priest enters and leaves, to show him honor and respect when he represents Christ. Finally, we kneel at the Consecration in adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, because Christ, himself, is present. These actions are intended to engage both our bodies and our minds in prayer.

LECTOR SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28

4.00 PM Rose Paolini

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29

9.00 AM Marsha Sereno

11:15 AM Ed Kennedy

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31

7.00 PM Kathleen Johnson

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 01

8.30 AM Jim & Nancy Rizzi

7.00 PM Ed Kennedy

SATURDAY 04

4.00 PM Kathleen Johnson

SUNDAY 05

9.00 AM Ed Kennedy

11:15 AM Joann Girardi

ALL SAINTS DAY – HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION MASS SCHEDULE

October 31 – 7.00 PM

November 01 – 8.30 AM & 7.00 PM

ALL SAINTS DAY

All Saints Day is when the Church celebrates every saint, known and unknown, on one single day. The eve of this festival is known as All Hallows Eve, or Halloween.

ALL SAINTS DAY PRAYER

**Father, All-Powerful and ever-living God,
today we rejoice in the holy men and women
of every time and place.**

**May their prayers bring us your forgiveness and love
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.**

MESSAGE FROM FR. JOSELIN

Dear Parishioners,

It was a great blessing that we had Franciscan missionaries serving most of the parishes in Sullivan County for many years. People loved them and they did a tremendous work in bringing people close to God. One of the reasons for their successful ministry was their community life. Even though they were taking care of many different parishes they lived in one community, prayed together, ate together and discussed things together. As many of you know, Fr. Joseph, Fr. David and I are from a Religious Order called the Missionaries of Mary Immaculate (MMI) and the community life is the essential part of our Religious Order. With your prayer and support we are also planning to lead a community life here in Sullivan County.

As a first step to this we had a meeting with Bishop Dominick Laganegro and discussed about reshuffling Mass Schedule in our Parishes and we came up with the new weekday mass schedule. The new weekday mass schedule is given below. If you have any questions, suggestions and comments please feel free to call me at any time. Your ideas are welcome.

Last week on Wednesday 18th we had calendar meeting in our Parish and we discussed about our parish programs for the year 2018 and it was a great meeting. From January 2018 at the beginning of every month we will be updating the program for the month. Thanks to all for your prayers and support for the improvement of our Parish. Special thanks to our Parish Council members for your hard work, ideas, time and energy.

God bless you!

Fr. Joselin Berkman

NEW WEEK DAY MASS SCHEDULE

(From 2nd Week of November)

Monday	- 8.30 AM
Tuesday	- 8.30 AM
Wednesday	- No Mass
Thursday	- 7.00 PM
Friday	- 8.30 AM
Saturday	- No Mass
First Saturday	- 8.30 AM

ALL SOULS DAY MASS

All Souls Day mass will be celebrated on November 2nd at 8.30 AM. The souls of your loved ones will be remembered specially on that day. Please come and pray for the departed soul of your loved ones.
