

Mass Intentions
17 October - 24 October 2020

17 October 2020 – Saturday- Weekday

8.30 am:

4.30 pm:+ James J King *by the King's family*

18 October 2020 - Sunday - Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8.30 am: Frank Geosits Jr (good Health) *by Franck & Kathleen Geosits*

11.00 am: + Conor Semple *by Emily & Roger Dannic*

19 October 2020 - Monday - St. John de Brebeuf and Isaac Jogues,
 Martyrs

8.30 am:

20 October 2020 -Tuesday - Weekday

8.30 am:

21 October 2020 -Wednesday - Weekday

8.30 am:

22 October 2020 - Thursday - Weekday

8.30 am:

23 October 2020 - Friday - Weekday

8.30 am:

24 October 2020 - Saturday - St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop

8.30 am:

4.30 pm:+ Walter & Florence Hubert *by the their Children*

25 October 2020 - Sunday - Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8.30 am: Baby Alexian (good health) *by Franck & Kathleen Geosits*

11.00 am: + Elizabeth Schick *by the family*

PRAY FOR THE SICK

J. Gottesmann, W. Rieger, K. Eschenberg, J. Feeley,
 R. Knack, Ron Rhodes JR, Dan Buddenhagen, Bren-
 da Long, Mary Ann, Eileem Ohman, Madeleine
 Wootan, Olga Viruet, Anita Robertson, Linda Roche, Gloria
 Grunn, Marcia Bauer, Frank M Geosits Jr, Baby Alexian, Shirley
 Rangaves, Jerome Bauer, Josephine, Danny Andrews, Dr.Kuncar
 and all sick and needy.

To submit a name please call the Rectory



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29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Render to

Caesar

**the things
 that are**

Caesar's



And to

**God
 the**

**things
 that are**

God's

Regular Mass with Social – Distancing

Saturday: 4.30 pm — Holy Cross Church

Sunday: 8.30 am —St. Patrick's Church

11.00 am —Holy Cross Church

**The greatest gift you can give someone is your time.
 Deepen your relationships by investing TIME in them**



Be Happy Right Now

Every living creature wants to be happy. And to be happy, people seek something: money, power or sex, but often even after getting it, they are not happy. Or happiness is very short-lived.

A child thinks he will be happy once he goes to college. Once in college, he thinks he will be happy when he starts earning. Then he thinks he will be happy once he is married. And the story goes on but that special day never comes!

You postpone your happiness until some perfect day in the future, but it never arrives. It's like making a bed all night but having no time to sleep. Creation wants to see you happy, yet you keep on postponing your happiness.

There are two ways of looking at life. One is where you say, "I will be happy after achieving a certain objective." The latter being, "I am happy, come what may!" **Which one of these do you want to follow?**

**"Nothing stays forever.
Good as well as bad
times go away.
Be happy!"**

Stewardship October 11, 2020

Sunday Collection	\$ 1379.90
Candle	\$ 25.10
Poor Box	\$ 47.00
Donation	\$ 50.00
Religious Ed	\$ 40.00

Knight of Columbus

Knights of Columbus Delaware Valley 4478 is sponsoring a **TRUNK A TREAT on Sat Oct 31**

At 12 Noon - at Holy Cross Church Rt 97 Callicoon

If you would like to do a trunk please call Grand Knight James (Teddy) Laffin 570-493-1660 for more information

LITURGY OF WORD

First Reading: Isaiah 45:1, 4 - 6

Second Reading: 1Thes 1:1-5b

Gospel Reading: Matt 22:15 -21

In the first reading, Isaiah the prophet foretells how, unintentionally, the policies of the great Persian Emperor Cyrus will be made part of God's saving plan for His chosen people. Today's Responsorial Psalm (Ps 96) reminds us that when people put God's Kingdom first, everyone benefits. In the second reading, Paul praises his converts in Thessalonica for their fidelity to God and to Christ His Son, "*our Lord Jesus Christ,*" and for their practice, with the help of the Holy Spirit, of the Theological virtues of Faith, Hope and Charity. In the Gospel, Jesus escapes from the trap in the question, "*Is it lawful to pay the census tax to Caesar or not?*" by stating, "*Repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God.*" With this answer, Jesus reminds his questioners that, if they are so concerned and careful about paying taxes to the state, they should be much more concerned and careful about their service to God and their obligations to Him as their Creator and Lord. We fulfill our duties to our country by loyally obeying the just laws of the State and working for the welfare of all citizens. We become good Heavenly citizens by obeying God's laws.



During month of November, we are called in a special way to remember and pray for our brothers and sisters who have fallen asleep in the hope of resurrection. So, we are invited to pray and offer Mass for our departed brethren

**With Prayers & Blessings of God the Father
Fr. John Kennady MMI
Dn. John Lyttle
18 October 2020**