

October 10th, 2021
28th Sunday Ordinary Time

The Gloria:

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will.

We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Liturgy of the Word

First Reading

Wisdom 7: 7-11



I prayed, and prudence was given me; I pleaded, and the spirit of wisdom came to me. I preferred her to scepter and throne, and deemed riches nothing in comparison with her, nor did I liken any priceless gem to her; because all gold, in view of her, is a little sand, and before her, silver is to be accounted mire.

Beyond health and comeliness I loved her, and I chose to have her rather than the light, because the splendor of her never yields to sleep. Yet all good things together came to me in her company, and countless riches at her hands.

The Word of the Lord. . . Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 90

R. Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!

Teach us to number our days aright, that we may gain wisdom of heart. Return, O LORD! How long? Have pity on your servants! R.

Fill us at daybreak with your kindness, that we may shout for joy and gladness all our days. Make us glad, for the days when you afflicted us, for the years when we saw evil. R.

Let your work be seen by your servants and your glory by their children; and may the gracious care of the LORD our God be ours; prosper the work of our hands for us! Prosper the work of our hands! R.

Seconds Reading: Hebrews 4: 12-13

Brothers and sisters:

Indeed the word of God is living and effective, sharper than any two-edged sword, penetrating even between soul and spirit, joints and marrow, and able to discern reflections and

thoughts of the heart. No creature is concealed from him, but everything is naked and exposed to the eyes of him to whom we must render an account. The Word of the Lord. . . Thanks be to God.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

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Gospel:

Mark 10: 17-27

As Jesus was setting out on a journey, a man ran up, knelt down before him, and asked him, "Good teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?"

Jesus answered him, "Why do you call me good?"

No one is good but God alone.

You know the commandments: *You shall not kill; you shall not commit adultery; you shall not steal; you shall not bear false witness; you shall not defraud; honor your father and your mother.*"

He replied and said to him, "Teacher, all of these I have observed from my youth."

Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said to him, "You are lacking in one thing.

Go, sell what you have, and give to the poor and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me."

At that statement his face fell, and he went away sad, for he had many possessions.

Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, "How hard it is for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!"

The disciples were amazed at his words. So Jesus again said to them



in reply, "Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for one who is rich to enter the

kingdom of God."

They were exceedingly astonished and said among themselves,

"Then who can be saved?" Jesus looked at them and said,

"For human beings it is impossible, but not for God.

All things are possible for God."

Peter began to say to him,

"We have given up everything and followed you."

Jesus said, "Amen, I say to you, there is no one who has given up house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or lands for my sake and for the sake of the gospel who will not receive a hundred times more now in this present age: houses and brothers and sisters and mothers and children and lands, with persecutions, and eternal life in the age to come."

The Gospel of the Lord. . . Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ!



Year of the Eucharist

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Holy Hour for Peace in our World

The next Holy Hour will be **Sunday, October 31, 2021** from 8:45 to 9:45am in the church. The hour will end with Rosary at 9:30am followed by benediction.



All Souls Day Novena of Candles

Tuesday, Nov. 2nd is the Feast of All Souls. This Feast asks us to remember all the souls of our beloved dead. Those who have gone on before us who have been profound witnesses to the Faith. The Feast will be celebrated Sunday, Oct. 31st. We will remember those who have passed during the last year as well as all our deceased parishioners, family members and friends. If you would like someone to be remembered in the Novena of Candles and Masses, please make use of the envelopes on the info table. Please give the name of the person you want us to remember and a candle will be prepared. Donation **\$3.00**. One name per envelope please. May they rest in peace! Please ask the Ministers of Hospitality for envelopes or email Barbara at bbrown@saintambrose.com One name per envelop.

We remember those who passed during the last year: Wanda Allison, Robert Bruce, Barry Jenifer, Veral Jackson, Errol Gomez



Mary Adderly, Helen Augins, Karen Brown-Berkley, Wanda Brewton, Renee Bruce, Kathy Burundi, Fred Buchanan, Al Butler, Anita Cole, Patricia Cullings-Dix, Linda Davis, Dale Dyson, William Ford III, Phyllis Ford, Sarah Gamble, JoAnn Glenn, Fr. Bill Graham, OFM Cap., Cornell (Nelson) Johnson, Joseph Jones, Sheila Leary-Smith, Alice Manns, Charles Manns, III, Kimberly Merrill, Deacon Seigfried Presberry, Rhonda Rumbra, Sr. John Francis Schilling, OSP, Carl & Bernice Shrieves, Daniel Smith Sr., Dorothy Spriggs, Augustine and Archie Stith, Rosalita Stone, Alease Stokes, Gloria Tate, Ernest Thames, Jean Thomas and Alice Zaborowski.

Catholic Daughters Winter Gear for Kids



St. Ambrose CDA is hosting a winter clothing drive to help students at Park Heights Academy Elem/Middle School (formerly Edgecombe Circle Elementary) Please help us by donating new hats, gloves, mittens and scarfs to this

cause. Donations are now being accepted and will continue until December 12th. Please place your items in the boxes located in the back of the church Thank you for your support.

Weekly Mass Intentions

- Oct. 10th, Mr. Anatole Tolo, deceased father to our Mrs. Colette Attenoukon, on the 4th anniversary of his passing.
 - Oct. 17th. Mrs. Gertrude Lewis-Ashby, deceased mother to our Mrs. Paula Cullings.
 - Oct. 24th, Leanna Pinkney, Margaret Allen, Howard Pope, Alfred Pope and Alfred Rogers, deceased siblings and uncle of Mrs. Deborah Young.
 - Oct. 31st, Mass for the All the deceased of the parish, especially those who died last year.
- Eternal Rest grant unto them O Lord and let your perpetual light shine upon them, may their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace, Amen

Confirmation Preparation Class

Classes have begun, after mass each week in the rectory. Erica Nelson, Felicia Fleming and Shelley Tyler are conducting the classes from **11:45am to 1:45pm**. The program is a two year program with required regular attendance and required service hours.



Tithe Update

10/03/21: \$4,726.00
 Capuchin Friars Sick & Elderly: \$358.00
 Continuing the Mission Campaign: \$885.00
 Continuing the Mission Total: \$89,815.00

Thursday, November 25th Thanksgiving Day.

NOTE: Mass offered at 9:30am



We invite you to bring a bottle of wine and/or a loaf of bread or your favorite dinner rolls to be blessed. You in turn can take them back home to share at your Thanksgiving table.

The collection that day will go to support the Oblate Sisters of Providence. Join us in giving Thanks!



A Good Laugh cures everything

“A joyful heart is the health of the Body” Proverbs 17:22

Humor, Laughter: How It Affects Our Health

Presented by: **Sister Marie Seton Walsh**, a School Sister of Notre Dame, RN, BSN, BA Educ., works for Life Bridge based at Northwest Hospital for 42 years and a member of St. Dominic’s Parish.

Sister Marie Seton will help us examine how:

- **Laughter promotes physical, mental & spiritual health**
 - **Laughter can tie people together**
 - **Helps us to Cope**
 - **Affects our immune systems**

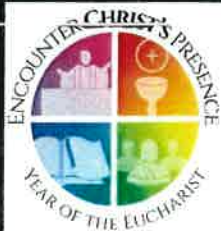
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THE PRESENCES OF CHRIST

Assembly, Minister, Word and Sacrament

During the celebration of the Eucharist, Jesus is present in several important ways. He is present in:

THE PRIEST

Christ is present in the person of the priest who leads the celebration of Mass, who proclaims the Gospel, preaches and during the Eucharistic Prayer offers praise and thanks to God and does what Jesus did at the last supper. Through the Holy Spirit he brings about the presence of Christ in the elements of bread and wine.

THE SCRIPTURES

Christ is present in the readings from Scripture proclaimed at Mass. When the Scripture is proclaimed at Mass it is the Lord who speaks to us through those words. The gospel especially is received with special ceremony. All stand and sometimes the presence of Christ in his word is honoured with candles or incense.

THE ASSEMBLED PEOPLE

Christ is present in the group of people who gather to offer the Mass. Not only did Jesus promise to be with his followers whenever they gathered in his name, but the people who gather at Mass are members of the Church, the Body of Christ, his continuing presence in the world.

THE BREAD AND WINE

Christ is present in the elements of bread and wine which become his body and blood. This is the most intense mode of the presence of Christ in the Eucharist. When we eat this Bread and drink from the Cup we enter into communion with his Body and Blood. We share the very life of Jesus himself and open ourselves to living and loving as he did.



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We Congratulate

Mr. Jamal McNeil & Ms. Keisa Felder



*who will be married
next Sunday, October
17th, 3pm here in
St. Ambrose*

Congratulations!

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Covid Precautions in the Rectory

Various groups and ministries are welcome to meet in the rectory but we ask that you keep a few things in Mind: 1. No more than 25 can meet in the St. Augustine Room and they must observe social distancing. 2. Smaller groups of 6-8 may use the conference room on the first floor of the rectory but again, try to observe social distancing. 3. With no receptionists, you must call Barbara to let her know when you will need to be in the rectory. Don't assume Fr. Paul is home to answer the door. Always wear a mask and keep social distance. Please note who is present so we can follow up.