

October 17, 2021, 21st Sunday after Pentecost

From the Pastor

Series on the Mass, Part 80: Placeat, conclusion

The Placeat prayer is an occasion for all who assisted at the Mass to also examine themselves on how they participated in the Sacrifice of the Mass and to make this beautiful prayer their own: "May the performance of my homage be pleasing to Thee, O Holy Trinity: and grant that the Sacrifice which I, though unworthy, have offered up in the sight of Thy Majesty, may be acceptable to Thee, and through Thy mercy, be a propitiation for me, and for all those for whom I have offered it. Through Christ our Lord. Amen."

This prayer has its origins in the 9th century in Gaul and eventually made its way into the Roman Liturgy by the end of the 11th century. It began as a private prayer of thanksgiving and then became a part of the Mass of the Roman Rite in the Missal of Pope St. Pius V.

Sincerely in Christ,



Rev. Charles Van Vliet, FSSP

Legion of Mary News

33-DAY EXERCISE FOR TOTAL CONSECRATION TO MARY BEGINS NOV. 5



The fall exercise to make or renew your consecration to Mary begins Friday, Nov. 5 and ends Wednesday, Dec. 8, the Feast of the Immaculate Conception. On Dec. 8, the consecration prayer will be recited after each Mass. Those who consecrated in the spring will renew their consecration next year on Mar. 25.

To save printing costs and make materials more accessible, the Legion of Mary is providing preparatory material and the guide to the 33-day exercise online. Please go to our parish website to access the materials (a link is on the homepage).

There is a signup sheet on the hall table for those who require printed copies of the material.

May Our Lady lead us closer to her Son.

Announcements

RELIGIOUS ITEMS TO BE BLESSED. Items will be blessed on the 2nd & 4th Saturday of every month, after the 7:30 a.m. Mass.

BOOKSTORE KIOSK. Open Sundays, 9:15-10:25 a.m. Located in the short hallway.

GROUPS MEETING WEEKLY. Legion of Mary, Mon., 7-9 p.m.; Tower of David, Tues., 8:30-2:20 p.m.; St. Philomena Toddler Group, Wed., 10-12:30 p.m.; Catechism in Spanish, Thurs., 8-9 p.m.; Junior Legion of Mary, Sat., 10-11 a.m.

2021 DSF CAMPAIGN, 60.6% FUNDED. PARISH GOAL: \$15,000; PLEDGED/GIFTED: 9,095.

Online donations may be made by clicking on the DSF link on the home page of our website or pick up a donation form off the hall table. Please specify Regina Caeli Parish when donating so the parish gets credit. If goal is not met, the parish pays the difference. Thank you for supporting DSF!

DRESS CODE REMINDER. Please keep in mind the dress code, written in English and Spanish, which is posted at the entrance to the chapel and on the bulletin board. It is also on the parish website. This is a place of worship where God is present. Our dress and demeanor should reflect this.



The Festival is Coming! The Festival is Coming!

Saturday, October 30, 12 noon - 6 p.m.

Pre-Buy Your Meal & Game Tickets Online

Meal Tickets \$10/each Game Tickets \$.25/each

Purchase at reginacaeliparish.org.

Want to help the Festival? Please consider sponsoring a booth. See the Festival Table in the hall to learn more.

Tues., Oct. 19, 7-8:30 p.m., Troops of St. George meeting. Open to fathers and their sons, ages 7-18 years. Learn more at www.reginatroops.org.

Fri., Oct. 22, 7-9 p.m., Women's Recollection. Holy Hour, confession, spiritual conference. Open to all women.

Sat., Oct. 23:

~ Blessing of religious items after the 7:30 a.m. Mass.

~ 9:30-11:30 a.m., Altar Server High Mass practice.

~ 10-11 a.m., Junior Legion of Mary meeting in large room. Open to youth who have received First Communion up to 17 years of age.

SAT., OCT. 30, FALL FESTIVAL/APOSTOLATE ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION.

Mon., Nov. 1: All Saints. Mass times: 6:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. The USCCB dispensed the obligation for this holy day because it falls on Monday; however, we encourage you to attend.

*** Mark your Calendar: Nov. 1-Nov. 8, Plenary indulgence for the Poor Souls in Purgatory. ** May be gained each day. ** More information on the website and coming bulletins. ***

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Liturgical Calendar & Mass Intentions

Oct. 17 – Oct. 23, 2021

Sun., 10/17, 21st Sunday after Pentecost

7:00 a.m. ("at risk" Mass, **masks mandatory**), Vu & Quyen Family

8:15 a.m., Private intention

10:30 a.m., (High), Pro Populo

2:00 p.m., Private intention

5:30 p.m., Rev. Charles Van Vliet

Mon., 10/18, St. Luke

6:30 a.m., Rev. William Rock

Tues., 10/19, St. Peter of Alcantara

* 9:20 a.m., Private intention

7:00 p.m., Rev. John Kodet

Wed., 10/20, St. John Cantius

6:30 a.m., David & Deanna Sneed

* 9:00 a.m., Private intention

Thurs., 10/21, St. Hilarion

* 6:30 a.m., Private intention

7:00 p.m., Benjamin Agana, Jr.

Fri., 10/22, Votive Mass of the Holy Cross

6:30 a.m., Rev. Michael Malain

Sat., 10/23, St. Anthony Mary Claret

* 6:30 a.m., Private intention

7:30 a.m., Jack Hoffart

* Mass is subject to cancellation if a second priest is not available. Advance notice will be posted in the bulletin whenever possible.



Parish Organizations

Altar Guild - Juana Maria Olvera

Meets third Saturday of month after 7:30 a.m. Mass
altarsoc@reginacaeliparish.org

Altar Servers - Wayo Dorsey

Training 2nd & 4th Saturday of month, 9:30-11:30 a.m.
altarserve@reginacaeliparish.org

CCD - Cheryl Hand; ccd@reginacaeliparish.org

Legion of Mary - Jerry Turner III

Meets Mondays, 7 p.m.
legionofmaryrcp@gmail.com

Little Flowers Girls' Group - Mary Catharine Maxian

mcmxian@gmail.com; see website for details.

Men's Schola - Kyle Lartigue

Practice Thursdays, 7 p.m.
schola@reginacaeliparish.org

Pro-Life - Melody Reece, pro-life@reginacaeliparish.org

St. Philomena Toddler Group - Amy Gorhum

Meets Wednesdays, 10 a.m.
Text or call 512-902-1427.

Youth Group - Rev. William Rock

Meets third Saturday of month, 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Welcoming Committee - Rae Bielakowski

welcome@reginacaeliparish.org

Work Crew - Matt Anderson

Saturday work projects at property
workcrew@reginacaeliparish.org

Contacts for other groups

Please check the bulletin boards or click Groups/Ministries on the parish website.

St. Joseph Hour for Holiness for men over 18 years struggling with sins against purity. Contact Fr. Van Vliet by email.

Tower of David - Amy Podraza,
director.towerofdavid@gmail.com.

Sacraments - Please see parish website.

Infant baptism—contact parish at least one month before due date.

Marriage—contact parish eight months before proposed date.

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Mass Schedule - *The Masses listed below are the public Masses. See full Mass schedule on back page.*

Sundays 7:00 a.m., 8:15 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 2:00 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

Mon., Wed., Fri. 6:30 a.m.

Tues., Thurs. 7:00 p.m.

Saturdays 7:30 a.m.

Adoration Wednesday, 6-8 p.m.

Confession 30 minutes before each Mass; ends 5 minutes before Mass starts.
Saturdays, 8:30-9:00 a.m. or until all confessions are heard

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena Wednesday, 6:40 p.m.