



They tie up heavy burdens hard to carry and lay them on people's shoulders, but they will not lift a finger to move them (Gospel).



Saturday, November 4

4:00 PM All Souls' Day Novena

Sunday, November 5

8:00 AM Pro Populo

10:30 AM All Souls' Day Novena

12:15 PM Novenario

Monday, November 6

8:00 AM All Souls' Day Novena

Tuesday, November 7

8:00 AM All Souls' Day Novena

Wednesday, November 8

8:00 AM All Souls' Day Novena

7:00 PM Confirmation Mass

Thursday, November 9

8:00 AM All Souls' Day Novena

7:00 PM Confirmation Mass

Friday, November 10

8:00 AM All Souls' Day Novena

Saturday, November 11

4:00 PM All Soul's Day Novena

Sunday, November 12

8:00 AM †Trisha Willy by Paul Willy

10:30 AM Pro Populo

12:15 PM †Martin Bailon Jr. Int. de sus Padres y Hermanos

Sound Catholic practice encourages us to offer the Mass for the departed and for those in any need. To request a Mass to be offered, please visit the parish office or return to the office a completed Mass intention card. Available cards are located in the foyer of the church.

Knights of Columbus



Meeting

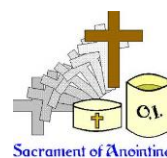
The Knights of Columbus will meet **Thursday, November 9th** at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall.

Coffee and Donuts

Please join us for coffee and donuts on Sunday after the 8:00am Mass in the Parish Hall.



We are still collecting for the Thanksgiving Food Drive. Students are encouraged to bring a canned and boxed Food items. Your participation is greatly appreciated. All food will be distributed the Sunday before Thanksgiving to families of the parish who could use a little help at this time of year. Families must sign up ahead of time. Please contact the church office to fill out a request form.



Because of the Privacy Act, hospitals and nursing homes are no longer able to provide a list of the Catholic patients/residents for the Churches use in order to visit and administer the Sacraments of Holy Communion or Anointing of the Sick. Therefore, I need your assistance when you have a family member who is hospitalized or in a nursing home. Please call Fr. Orosco at the Church Office at (972) 563-3643 so that I may be of assistance.

Prayer Requests



Richard Collier
 Richard Lozano Sr.
 Mike Gonzales
 Nancy Bardsley
 Curtis Rushing
 Deacon Leo Renner
 David Salinas
 Paul Gumler
 Olivia Nicole Yates
 Stanley Quist
 Sonia Rodriguez Cadena
 Brenda Larsen
 Carol Dossey
 Cindy Kinkaid
 Rosann Kinkaid
 Juan Cleto Castillo
 Patti Sikors Garrett
 Angel Gabriel Godinez
 Tomas Samuel Garcia
 Barbara Sikors Hendricks
 Becky Caballero
 Ma. del Refugio Mendoza
 Marianne Marsden
 Connie Schroeder
 Casandra Lopez Ramirez
 Luisa Regina Ramirez Pérez
 Jovita De la Garza
 Leslie Erickson
 Judy Aloï
 Bob Harris
 Juanita Ruiz
 Felipe Caballero
 Maria Guillen
 Carol Lipe
 Matt Harris
 Oscar Ramirez Robles
 Bacilisa Garcia

Nick Morales, Sr.
 Lee Wilde
 James Dean
 Brenda Newburn
 Henry Taft
 Jesus Arteaga
 Jose Ivan Ramirez
 Mason Gumler
 Lois LaDay
 Joe Wages
 Erica Vargas
 Margaret Wages
 Sheila Wages
 Kevin Huggins
 Johnnie B. Malouf
 Pascual Meza
 Robert Repka, Sr.
 Michelle Elliott
 Crystal Sanchez
 JoAnn Martinez
 Warren Terry
 Elmer Marsden
 Odin Kizer
 Claire Taft
 Jackie Petricka
 Claudia Aronoff
 Efrain Valenzuela
 Colleen Eldred
 Shirley Taft
 Jose Aramil
 Cameron Sutton
 Luz Godinez
 Daniel Guillen
 Blaine Miller
 Darlene Blankenship
 Bruce Leleux
 Consuelo Luna

**Ministry Schedule for the Weekend of
 November 11/12**

Lectors:

Sat. 4:00pm Suzy McCook/Melody Zimmer
 Sun. 8:00am Gerald Garcia
 Sun. 10:30am Bud McClure/Tammy Guerra

Extraordinary Ministers

Sat. 4:00pm Suzy McCook/Karen Mathers/Michael Gumler
 Sun. 8:00am Melinda Sanchez/Paul Willy
 Lou Roberts/Donna Roberts
 Sun. 10:30am Karie Hammond/Bud McClure
 Bill Bedrick/Argie Benavidez

Ushers:

Sat. 4:00pm Sherry Goelden*/Steve R./Debbie P./Paul M.
 Sun. 8:00am Conrado Aramil*/David B./Cindy K./Abby H.
 Sun. 10:30am Dennis Connolly*/Steven H./Kevin P./Erik A.

This Week in our Parish

Sunday, November 5

9:15 AM R.E. classes

Monday, November 6

1:00 PM Crochet Ministry @ Casa St. John
 6:30 PM Rehearsal for Confirmation (Nov. 8th)
 7:00 PM Grupo de Oración en la Casa St. John

Tuesday, November 7

8:00 AM Daily Mass
 6:30 PM Rehearsal for Confirmation (Nov. 9th)
 6:30 PM R.E. classes

Wednesday, November 8

8:00 AM Daily Mass
 6:30 PM **NO** R.E. classes
 6:45 PM **NO** tendremos Hora Santa
 7:00 PM Confirmation Mass

Thursday, November 9

8:00 AM Daily Mass
 7:00 PM RCIA @ Parish Center
 7:00 PM Knights of Columbus meeting in Parish Hall
 7:00 PM Confirmation Mass

Friday, November 10

8:00 AM Daily Mass



Calendar for November:

Sunday Classes: 5, 12 (No classes on 19th & 26th)

Tuesday Classes: 7th & 14th (No classes on 21st & 28th)

Wednesday Classes: 15th (No classes on 1st, 8th, 22nd & 29th)



VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED FOR THE RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM. IF YOU CAN HELP PLEASE CALL MICHELLE AT 972-563-3643.



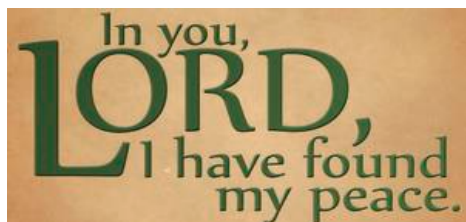
The Thirty-First Week of Ordinary Time

Jesus calls us to humility on the **Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time** as he says in the **Gospel of Matthew**, “Whoever exalts himself will be humbled; but whoever humbles himself will be exalted.” He encourages us to turn away from honors and titles and to take the lowest place at the banquet.

We celebrate the **Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome**; the **Memorial of Saint Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church**, and the **Memorial of Saint Martin of Tours, Bishop**.

During the regular readings this week, we conclude a four-week series of first readings from **Paul's Letter to the Romans**. He reminds us, “Who has known the mind of the Lord?”

In the **Gospel according to Luke** we see Jesus living out his daily life with challenging honesty. He calls us to extend an invitation out of our hearts, not with an eye on an invitation in return: “invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind.” Then Jesus tells the parable of the invited guests who made excuses to decline the invitation. He sends his servants to invite everyone. Jesus tells a crowd that they have to renounce their possessions to be his disciple and that to do something really important, we have to prepare and be ready. When the religious leaders complain, “This man welcomes sinners and eats with them,” Jesus tells parables of the man who finds his lost sheep and the woman with the lost coin, both of whom rejoice in finding what was lost. A steward protects himself by pardoning those who owe his master. We end the week with Jesus asking which is more important, God or money? “No servant can serve two masters.”



Daily Prayer This Week

This week guides us deep into our faith in several ways.

As we go about our very busy lives this week, we can continue to practice focusing our attention on an ongoing conversation with our Lord throughout the day. Our desires - for union with our Lord, to know God's love for us, to become more aware of our failings, to become more generous with our family and friends, to be more patient and forgiving, to love as we have been loved - can be expressed in these simple expressions. These expressed desires will naturally interact with the real events of our day.

The gospels this week will draw us into desiring to be more merciful and to not let money or pride dominate our behavior. We won't be “unprepared” if we keep making openings for our Lord to enter the ordinary moments of our days. In repeated moments, we can simply open our hearts and ask God for the desire to have our lives focus on God's desires for us, rather than what our culture wants us to focus on so constantly.

Jesus welcomes us - even as sinners - and eats with us. He is the one who invites us to be like him in seeking out the lost, to growing in compassion. We can reflect all week on that call, in concrete terms in relation to the people in our lives and throughout the world.

Of course, we can prepare for Sunday by reflection on how we are prepared with oil in our lamps - and what that might mean for our "readiness" for the calls we are receiving from the Lord.

Each night, let's look back over the day briefly, and give thanks for a God who listens to our desires.



Hacen fardos muy pesados y difíciles de llevar y los echan sobre las espaldas de los hombres, pero ellos ni con el dedo los quieren mover. (Evangelio)

Clases Pre-Bautismales

El Padre Orosco ofrece las Pláticas Pre-Bautismales cada primer sábado del mes a las 6:00 pm. Favor de llamar a la oficina (972-563-3643) para obtener la Solicitud para Bautizar.



NO TENDREMOS LAS PLATICAS EN EL MES DE DICIEMBRE.

Lecturas para la semana del 5 de noviembre, 2017

Domingo	Trigésimo Primero Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario Mal 1, 14—2, 2. 8-10; Sal 130, 1. 2. 3; 1 Tes 2, 7-9. 13; Mt 23, 1-12
Lunes	Rom 11, 30-36; Sal 68, 30-31. 33-34. 36-37; Lc 14, 12-14
Martes	Rom 12, 5-16; Sal 130, 1. 2. 3; Lc 14, 15-24
Miércoles	Rom 13, 8-10; Sal 111, 1-2. 4-5. 9; Lc 14, 25-33
Jueves	La Dedicación de la Basílica de Letrán Ez 47, 1-2. 8-9. 12; Sal 45, 2-3. 5-6. 8-9; 1 Cor 3, 9-11. 16-17; Jn 2, 13-22
Viernes	San Leon Magno, Papa y doctor de la Iglesia Rom 15, 14-21; Sal 97, 1. 2-3ab. 3bc-4; Lc 16, 1-8
Sábado	San Martín de Tours, obispo Rom 16, 3-9. 16. 22-27; Sal 144, 2-3. 4-5. 10-11; Lc 16, 9-15

NO IMITEN SUS OBRAS

A semejanza de los escribas y fariseos, todos podemos caer -y tal vez lo hacemos- en decir una cosa y hacer otra, en poner cargas pesadas a los demás, que nosotros mismos no seríamos capaces de llevar.

- En ocasiones podemos ser presumidos y buscar hacernos notar en público, para que nos alaben y nos tomen en cuenta.
- Pero los criterios de nuestro único Maestro distan de los nuestros, porque el egoísmo y la vanagloria aun nos mueven.

El Señor nos dice que, para ser grandes a sus ojos, tenemos que servir a los demás, a nuestros hermanos. **“porque el que se enaltece será humillado y el que se humilla será enaltecido”.**

LA DOCTRINA...

Calendario del Mes de Noviembre

Clases de Domingo: 5, 12 (No hay clases el 19 y 26)

Clases de los Martes: 7 y 14 (No hay clases el 21 y 28)

Clases de los Miércoles: 15 (No hay clases el 1, 8, 22 y 29)

Campaña de Comida para Acción de Gracias



Estamos colectando para la Campaña de Comida para Acción de Gracias. Se les pide a los estudiantes que traigan comida enlatada o en caja. Su participación es apreciada. La comida será distribuida el domingo antes de Acción de Gracias a las familias de la parroquia que podrán usar una poquita ayuda en este tiempo del año. Las familias deben inscribirse con anticipación en la oficina de la Iglesia para llenar un formulario de solicitud.

