

To the Parishioners of St. Mary the Virgin

Before all of November goes by, it is important to notice that by tradition, the Catholic Church dedicates each month of the year to a certain devotion. In November, it is the Holy Souls in Purgatory; those faithful Christians who have died and gone before us but who still must atone for their sins. The time they spend in Purgatory cleanses them so that they may enter Heaven free from all effects of sin. This year the secular day of Thanksgiving is very late in the month. It may seem odd to mention Purgatory and Thanksgiving in the same breath. Yes, there are many things to be thankful for; I hope we can easily recite the list. We are also called to contemplate our thanks for the "not-very-good-stuff" that happens, so long as we seek to prayerfully consider the good that may come of it. But also, what about those that we have known who have died and deep down we know they did not lead the best of lives and perhaps they should have gone to confession more; however they *seemed* to be good to be around. We give thanks to God for those who were among us, who, though imperfect, left some goodness and memories behind, and we will miss them when family gathers in the coming weeks. While we are together, say a prayer for them; thank God for the gifts of their talents and love they shared, and may we follow the example of the goodness of their gifts. As Catholics it is good, right and proper to pray for the dead, especially for those we have known. In fact, it is a requirement of Christian charity. Our own prayers and sacrifices can be offered up to relieve their suffering so that they can enter more quickly into the fullness of heaven. Let us not forget this week to say the Prayer for Eternal Rest. In the past it was one of the most commonly recited of Catholic prayers, but, this prayer has fallen into disuse in the last few decades.

"Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

Christ's mercy encompasses all men. He desires the salvation of everyone, and so we approach Him with confidence that He will have mercy on the Holy Souls in Purgatory, who have already proved their love for Him. Here is another Prayer for the Holy Souls in Purgatory:

"O Lord, who art ever merciful and bounteous with Thy gifts, look down upon the suffering souls in purgatory. Remember not their offenses and negligence's, but be mindful of Thy loving mercy, which is from all eternity. Cleanse them of their sins and fulfill their ardent desires that they may be made worthy to behold Thee face to face in Thy glory. May they soon be united with Thee and hear those blessed words which will call them to their heavenly home: "Come, blessed of My Father, take possession of the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world."

A Catholic blogging priest when ruminating on the last four things said, here are "4 Things to Remember in November (and at all other times)"

1. I am going to die some time in the future.
2. Immediately after that happens, I am going to be judged by Jesus Christ.
3. If I am in a state of mortal sin, I will immediately go to hell for all eternity.
4. If I am in a state of grace, I will go to heaven for all eternity (immediately if I am a saint, after some painful purification if I am not.)

When we give Thanks this Thanksgiving, let us remember and pray for those before us and may we be good and do good for others.
Fr. Dean

Prayer for Vocations

Priest: Please kneel for our prayer for vocations. Let us ask God to give worthy priests, brothers and sisters to His Holy Church.

All: O God, / we earnestly beseech Thee / to bless this Ordinariate / with many priests, / brothers / and sisters, / who will love Thee with their whole strength / and gladly spend their entire lives / to serve Thy Church / and to make Thee known and loved.

Priest: Bless our families. / Bless our children.

All: Choose from our homes / those who are needed for Thy work.

Priest: Mary Queen of the Clergy!

All: Pray for us. Pray for our priests and religious. Obtain for us many more. Amen.

Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam

(For the Greater Glory)

Flowers: SMV for the people of the parish.

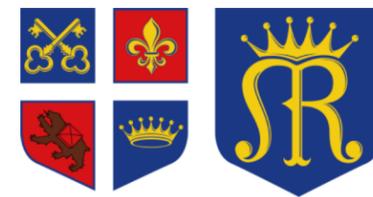
Sanctuary Light: The Oliver family in loving memory of Eugene Boyd's birthday.

Lamp at the Shrine of Our Lady: The Brignac family in celebration of Don's birthday.

Lamp at the Shrine of Joseph: Bella Kaplan in loving memory of Mike & Pat Squicciarini's anniversary.

Lamp at the Shrine of St. Therese: The Oliver family in loving memory of Arvil Boyd.

Lamp at the Shrine of Blessed Charles I: The Brignac family in celebration of Carol's birthday.



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Welcome to The Catholic Church of St. Mary the Virgin. We are a parish of the Personal Ordinariate of the Chair of Saint Peter authorized by Pope Benedict XVI in 2012 for Anglicans seeking to become Catholic. Ordinariate parishes are fully Catholic, while retaining elements of their Anglican heritage and embracing the roots of the Catholic faith's rich tradition through reverent liturgy and historical music. All Catholics are invited to participate in our Divine Worship liturgy and receive communion by kneeling (if able) at the altar rail and receiving our Lord on the tongue.

Sacrament of Marriage

Please contact the parish for details regarding the preparation program. Under Ordinariate policy, couples should contact a member of the parish clergy at least six months prior to their proposed wedding date.

Liturgical Ministers

November 17, 2019

- 8:00 a.m.** Altar Server.....Jon Carr
UshersNance FitzGibbon & Eli Castro
- 10:30 a.m.** Master of Ceremonies.....Brian Jones
ThuriferLuke Vina
CruciferAnthony Short
TorchbearersPaul Vina / John Paul Morris
Boat Boy.....Anthony Kruzik
First ReadingAndrew Glicksman
Intercessory PrayersDorothy Ortiz
Ushers.....Stephen Schmitt / Walter Crawford
- 6:00 p.m.** Altar Servers ...Derek Histen / William Harvey (C)
Ushers.....Sam Stauffer / Ken Manichi
Office Help.....Chuck Lynk / Terry Southard

Divine Worship Order of Holy Mass

The Twenty Second Sunday After Trinity

November 17, 2019

Music of the Mass

Music is in the red or blue hymnal or in the tabs of the Divine Worship notebooks indicated in bold.

- Prelude.....*Sing My Tongue Thy Glory* by Flor Peeters
Entrance Hymn.....**Hymnal** Page 615
Kyrie,Gloria.....**Mass Settings Tab** Page 4
Sanctus, Agnus Dei.....**Mass Settings Tab** Page 4
Offertory Hymn.....**Hymnal** Page 598
Mysterium Fidei.....**Mass Settings Tab** Page 14
Amen.....**Mass Settings Tab** Page 15a
The Lord's Prayer.....**Mass Settings Tab** Page 16
Communion Hymn.....**Hymnal** Page 665
Communion Anthem.....*Locus Iste* by Anton Bruckner
Recessional Hymn.....**Hymnal** Page 635
Postlude.....*Toccata 18th century Italian*

Adult Choir meets on Thursday at 7:00 p.m.
Youth Choir meets after the 10:30 a.m. Mass
today for 45 minutes.

Collect

Lord, we beseech thee to keep thy household the Church in continual godliness: that through thy protection she may be free from all adversities, and devoutly given to serve thee in good works, to the glory of thy Name; through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end. Amen.

Scripture of the Mass

First Reading

Malachi 4:1-2a

Behold, the day comes, burning like an oven, when all the arrogant and all evildoers will be stubble; the day that comes shall burn them up, says the Lord of hosts, so that it will leave them neither root nor branch. But for you who fear my name the sun of righteousness shall rise, with healing in its wings.

8:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m. Masses said by lector and people after the First Reading. Chanted by the choir at the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

Gradual

Behold, how good and joyful a thing it is: brethren, to dwell together in unity.

V. It is like the precious ointment upon the head: that ran down unto the beard, even unto Aaron's beard.

Second Reading

2 Thessalonians 3:7-12

You know how you ought to imitate us; we were not idle when we were with you, we did not eat any one's bread without paying, but with toil and labor we worked night and day, that we might not burden any of you. It was not because we have not that right, but to give you in our conduct an example to imitate. For even when we were with you, we gave you this command: If any one will not work, let him not eat. For we hear that some of you are walking in idleness, mere busybodies, not doing any work. Now such persons we command and exhort in the Lord Jesus Christ to do their work in quietness and to earn their own living.

8:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m. Masses chanted by priest and people. Chanted by the choir at the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

Alleluia

Alleluia. Alleluia.

Out of the deep I have called unto you, O Lord: Lord hear my voice.
Alleluia.

The Holy Gospel

Luke 21:5-19

At that time: As some spoke of the temple, how it was adorned with noble stones and offerings, Jesus said, "As for these things which you see, the days

will come when there shall not be left here one stone upon another that will not be thrown down."

And they asked him, "Teacher, when will this be, and what will be the sign when this is about to take place?" And he said, "Take heed that you are not led astray; for many will come in my name, saying, 'I am he!' and, 'The time is at hand!' Do not go after them. And when you hear of wars and tumults, do not be terrified; for this must first take place, but the end will not be at once."

Then he said to them, "Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be great earthquakes, and in various places famines and pestilences; and there will be terrors and great signs from heaven. But before all this they will lay their hands on you and persecute you, delivering you up to the synagogues and prisons, and you will be brought before kings and governors for my name's sake. This will be a time for you to bear testimony. Settle it therefore in your minds, not to meditate beforehand how to answer; for I will give you a mouth and wisdom, which none of your adversaries will be able to withstand or contradict. You will be delivered up even by parents and brothers and kinsmen and friends, and some of you they will put to death; you will be hated by all for my name's sake. But not a hair of your head will perish. By your endurance you will gain your lives."

Titus Destroying Jerusalem by Kaulbach



The Prayers of the People

Intercession (Form 3 on Page 25)

For Those in Special Need

John; Juan Pablo; Dominic; Robert; Landaver Family; Frank; Nina; Soan; Chiem; Donald; Peter; John; Isabella; Ronald; Carol; Beverly; Shelli; Echo.

For Those Serving in the Armed Forces

Pierson; Lucas; Patrick; Richard; Victor; Byron; Luke; Tommy; Christian; Chelsey; Dillon; Mathew; Alton; Annie; Josh; Sebastian; Brandon; James; Jacob.

For Those Expecting Children

Rebecca & Brinton; Lisa & Chris; Alice & Joseph; Lisa & Adam; Colleen & Rafael.

For the Faithful Departed

On the Anniversary of Their Deaths

Sunday: Hugh Foley; Clarence McCormac Needham; Monday: Elmer Reichert; Tuesday: Shirley McCracken; Ross Hilton Faulkner; Wednesday: Maria Felisa Chaires; Thursday: Stanislaus Manuelpillai; Saturday: Benedict Aloysius Cain.

For those Celebrating Birthdays & Anniversaries

Sunday: Emily Brinkley (B); John Allemang (B); Monday: Carol Brignac (B); Tuesday: Mark & Valerie Murphree (W); Wednesday: Don Brignac (B); Rose Rodriguez (B); Thursday: John Hargis (B); Rebecca Smith (B); Jonathan Gilliland (B); Daniel Refi (B); Friday: Tess Reiter (B); Saturday: Marthe Winward (B); Sophia Muller (B).

This Week at St. Mary the Virgin

Sunday, November 17

Masses at 8:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 6:00 p.m.
Religious Ed class at 9:15 a.m.

ENDOW class at 9:15 a.m. in the parish office
SMV Country Store and Luncheon at 12:30 p.m.

Monday, November 18

Mass at 12:00 p.m.
(Mass Intention: John Hargis)

Tuesday, November 19

Mass at 7:00 p.m.
(Mass Intention: John Hargis)

Wednesday, November 20

Confessions at 11:00 a.m.
Mass at 12:00 p.m.
(Mass Intention: Albert Johannesson, RIP)

Thursday, November 21

Men's Examen Group at 10:30 a.m.
Mass at 12:00 p.m.
(Mass Intention: Stanislaus Manuelpillai, RIP)

Friday, November 22

Mass at 9:00 a.m.
(Mass Intention: Eugene Boyd, RIP)
Adoration 10:00 a.m. — 6:00 p.m.
Evening Prayer at 6:00 p.m.

Saturday, November 23

Mass at 9:00 a.m.
(Mass Intention: Jaime Rivas, RIP)
Confessions at 10:00 a.m.
Martyrs Men's Group at 8:00 a.m.

News and Notes

Ad Majorem Dei Gloriam

(For the Greater Glory)

The information that appears on the A.M.D.G. list on the back page of the bulletin is taken from the sign up sheets that are on the bulletin board in the Narthex of the church. If you would like to purchase the lighting of one of the lamps or altar flowers for your intention, please fill in the appropriate box on the list for the date you desire.

Please use the envelopes that are on the table below the bulletin board to submit your payment. You may drop it in the collection basket during the Mass or you may bring it to the parish office during the week between the hours of 9:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

The Saturday Morning Martyrs

The Saturday Morning Martyrs is a men's bible study that meets on Saturday mornings beginning at 8:00 a.m. in the parish hall. Men of the parish are

welcome to join for spiritual renewal through fellowship and engagement with God's Word.

Find refreshment in the company of your friends and brothers in Christ before your family even knows you're out of the house—coffee is provided! For more information, contact the parish office.

Procession for Christ the King

Next Sunday is the Solemnity of Christ the King. Weather permitting, there will be a procession that will start at SMV and process around the entire block. This will be at the conclusion of the 10:30 a.m. Mass followed by Benediction.

The Parish Offering

Weekly Offering Forecast.....\$6,000.00
Actual Offertory Collected.....\$5,529.00
Variance.....—\$471.00

Thank you for your generosity