

September 27, 2020

Twenty-Sixth Sunday in
Ordinary Time

St. Columbanus Parish

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MASSES - St. Columbanus

Saturdays: 8:30 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.
(5 p.m. satisfies Sunday Obligation)
Sundays: 8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m. (TLM), 12:00 noon
Weekdays: M - F 9:00 a.m.
Eve of Holy Day: 6:00 p.m.
Holy Days: 7:30 a.m., 12:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.
** Handicapped Accessibility **

St. Columbanus School

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Church of the North American Martyrs

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MASSES

(Currently under repair)

Saturdays: 4:00 p.m. (satisfies Sunday Obligation)
Sundays: 11:00 a.m.
Holy Days: 11:00 a.m.

CONFESSIONS

1/2 hour before each Mass

Religious Education

Isabel Arroyo, Coordinator (914) 739-2441
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Sat. 8:50 a.m.-10:30 a.m.; Sun: 10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m., then
Family Mass 12:00; Mon 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

CONFESSIONS (St. Columbanus)

Confessions are heard on Saturdays from 4 to 4:45 p.m. and Mondays during Holy Hour: 7:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m.

MARRIAGES: *Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance of desired wedding date.*

BAPTISMS: *There is a mandatory Baptism class for the parents. Call the rectory to register.*

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY ~ September 27

8:00 a.m. For Our Parish & Parishioners
 10:00 a.m. Joji Thumma
 12:00 noon Mary Coppola

MONDAY ~ September 28

*St. Wenceslaus, martyr;
 St. Lawrence Ruiz and Companions, Martyrs*

9:00 a.m. Mary J. McKernon

TUESDAY ~ September 29

Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels

9:00 a.m. Vinny Camastro (living)

WEDNESDAY ~ September 30

St. Jerome, Priest and Doctor of the Church

9:00 a.m. Barbara Reger

THURSDAY ~ October 1

*St. Theresa of the Child Jesus,
 Virgin & Doctor of the Church*

7:30 a.m. Leonard Puglia
 9:00 a.m. Peter Rosas

FRIDAY ~ October 2

Holy Guardian Angels

9:00 a.m. Thomas & Richard Jennings and
 Patricia Ciccarone

SATURDAY ~ October 3

Blessed Virgin Mary

8:30 a.m. Ronald Powe
 5:00 p.m. Rosann Lanzisera



Pray for children hidden from sight,
 But not from God.



SUNDAY'S READINGS



1st Reading: By Turning from wickedness, a wicked person shall preserve his life. (Ezekiel 18:25-28)

Psalm: *Remember your mercies, O Lord.* (Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9)

2nd Reading: *Have in you the same attitude that is also in Jesus Christ.* (Philippians 2:1-11)

Alleluia: *My sheep hear my voice, says the lord; I know them and they follow me.*

Gospel: *He changed his mind and went. Tax collectors and prostitutes are entering the kingdom of heaven before you.* (Matthew 21:28-32)

Pray for a strengthening of families and family life.



WINE, HOST, AND TABERNACLE CANDLE



The wine, host at this weeks masses are offered and the Tabernacle Candle is lit for the Hayden Family, as arranged by Joan and Kevin. Please keep the Hayden's in your prayers.

September 22, 2019 \$6,154.30
 September 20, 2020 \$_____



This COVID-19 Crisis continues to take such a heavy toll on everyone. Our priests pray for a quick end to this struggle as well as for the health and safety of our parishioners. Thank you to those who have been able to send in their tithing. It is truly needed. We are sincerely grateful; God bless you.

Names of the sick are listed for six months from the date of the initial request. Contact the rectory to add someone.

Ann Marie & Patricia Barber, Virginia Capodieci, Thelma Doebbler, Juliet Epasmo, Justin Fedele, Richard Funari, Carmen Gray, Matthew Hempel, Alex Hetsko, Tom Kemple, Colleen Kennedy, Kevin Kolosky, Vincent McKenna, Robert McLoughlin, Roselea Megna, Robert Modena, Vivian Pabon, Doreen Robinson, Jake Reyes, Patricia Salvador, Fr. Frank Samoylo, Gertrude Selleck, Joan Schneider, Gertrude Selleck, Aurea Simbulan, Kelly Small, Rosamma Thomas, Brigidd Velluzzi, Ann Waterhouse, Deborah Zolluccio
 And all those effected by the COVID-19 virus.



Pray For The Sick

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CONGRATULATIONS

To the 2020 Confirmandi who received the sacrament of Confirmation on September 19th. May the Lord watch over them and keep them strong in their faith.

- Gabriela 'Anastasia' Alvarez
- Nicholas 'Juan Diego' Gutierrez
- Jake 'Anthony' Arraiano
- Emily 'Jordan' Jankowski
- Kirsten 'Catherine' Balancio
- Nicholas 'Joseph' Keeler
- Tiara 'Theresa' Balancio
- Doriann 'Elizabeth' Kerr
- Sofia 'Anne' Bruno
- Amber 'Joan' Korcz
- Luke 'James' Cahill
- Aralynne 'Rose' Lopez
- Oliver 'Nicholas' Camilleri
- Isabella 'Anastasia' Lukic
- Joseph 'Joseph' Carlos
- Sebastian 'Sebastian' Marcaida
- Emilia 'Alexandra' Cascapera
- Keara 'Gianna' Mule
- Theresa 'Frances' Collorafi
- Aidan 'Thomas' Neville
- Kalea 'Rose' Crawford
- Joseph 'Michael' Onate
- Rihanna 'Lucy' DeFreitas
- Stefano 'Peter' Paonessa
- Reece 'Mary' Emery
- Nicole 'Mary' Pena
- Alex 'Christopher' Enea
- Jonathan 'Gabriel' Perez
- Christopher 'John' Gallelo
- Matteo 'Anthony' Ramos
- James 'Francis' Gallo
- Daniel 'Francis' Ribeiro
- Charles 'Charles' Garcia
- Jaiden 'Anthony' Rivera
- Alexander 'Nicholas' Gecaj
- Evangeline 'Katherine' Spiliotis
- Eugene 'John' Gorman
- Neil 'Dominic' Thumma
- Joseph 'James' Gorman
- Mayra 'Abigail' Torres
- Emilio 'Peter' Granados
- Michael 'Thomas' Venezia
- Danalee 'Natalia' Gutierrez



Please welcome the following new parishioners who recently joined our parish:

M/M Cranston and family

M/M Estevez and family

M/M Hernandez and family

May the Lord watch over them and keep them strong in their faith.

WEDDING BANS I



Anthony Imbesi
and
Kristen Macher

SCHOOL'S CORNER

St. Columbanus School is in full swing. To accommodate all its families during this Pandemic it has some students in 5 days a week, some in 3 days and home 2 days and some students fully remote. All remote students are "in class" with their classmates via video conference. Students and teachers have adjusted well and the school year is in full swing. May the Lord watch over St. Columbanus School's students and staff this year. St. Columbanus, pray for us.



THE CLOTHING SHED

The Clothing Donation Shed is temporarily closed due to economic situations related to the Pandemic. We will advise you when it reopens.

BINGO IS CANCELED

~PASTOR'S NOTES~

September 27, 2020



Baptism of Christ—Fra Angelico (1395 - 1455)

A priest in Dearborn, Michigan found out he wasn't a priest and in fact hadn't validly received any valid sacrament because the words used for his baptism were not valid. So he had to be validly baptized and receive all the other sacraments including ordination. Such invalid baptisms are not a rare due to bogus theology and training. Below is an explanation from the Liturgy Office of our archdiocese concerning valid baptism.

The Congregation for the Doctrine of the Faith publishes the following response to a dubium concerning the baptismal formula: Whether the Baptism conferred with the formula "We baptize you in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit" is valid? - Response: Negative [i.e., it is not valid to use this formula] Whether those persons for whom baptism was celebrated with this formula must be baptized in forma absoluta? - Response: Affirmative [i.e., such persons must be baptized in forma absoluta] This response was accompanied by a doctrinal note, in which the Congregation explained that the erroneous and "deliberate modification of the sacramental formula was apparently introduced to emphasize the communitarian significance of Baptism, in order to express the participation of the family and of those present, and to avoid the idea of the concentration of a sacred power in the priest to the detriment of the parents and the community that the formula in the Roman Ritual might seem to imply." However, the Congregation noted that, according to Vatican II's Sacrosanctum concilium, "when one baptizes it is really Christ himself who baptizes... the Lord has the

principal role in the event being celebrated(...). When the minister says "I baptize you..." he does not speak as a functionary who carries out a role entrusted to him, but he enacts ministerially this sign-presence of Christ, who acts in his Body to give his grace." The Congregation affirmed that "the parents, godparents and the entire community are called to play an active role, a true liturgical office" — nevertheless, "each person, minister or layman, who has an office to perform, should do all of, but only, those parts which pertain to his office by the nature of the rite and the principles of liturgy (Sacrosanctum concilium, 28)." The Congregation's doctrinal note concluded by noting that arbitrary changes to sacramental formulae inflict a "wound" on the ecclesial community and show a "lack of an understanding of the very nature of the ecclesial ministry that is always at the service of God and His people and not the exercise of a power that goes so far as to manipulate what has been entrusted to the Church in an act that pertains to the Tradition."

Unfortunately, the touchy feely false compassion and charity has overtaken not just the sacrament of Baptism but other areas of worship including Mass and funeral Masses. I've heard a bishop change the words of consecration, probably not intentionally, but nevertheless, if he didn't say the essential words of, "this is my body," the consecration would have been invalid.

Funeral Masses also play loose with the reverence due at Mass when they have non-Catholics, lapsed Catholics, or those living lives contrary to the moral precepts of the faith, do readings or give eulogies, and receive unworthy communion. This is done in the sanctuary—the most sacred place in the church—that borders on being sacrilegious.

It is time for our church leaders to return reverence and respect to the sacred actions in our churches and to teach boldly the truths that must be believed and held in order to attain eternal salvation.

In Jesus and Mary,
Fr. Frank Samoylo

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS RAFFLE

The N.Y.S. Chapter of the Knights of Columbus is holding their annual Charitable & Benevolent (C&B) raffle. Our St. Columbanus Council # 14991 is participating. Tickets are \$2.00 each or a book of 6 for \$10.00.

The prizes are:

Grand Prize	\$25,000
2nd Prize	\$10,000
3rd Prize	\$ 5,000
4th Prize	\$ 1,000 (there are 10 4th place winners)

The money raised will go to Catholic Education, Catholic H.S. Scholarships, Children with Special Needs Programs, St. Mary's Hospital, Special Olympics, Coats for Kids, Food for Families; just to name a few.

If you are interested in purchasing tickets please call or stop by the rectory and ask for Sean, M-F, 9am—4pm.

**THIS WEEKS EVENTS**

Monday ~ Adoration 7:00 p.m.

Monday ~ Confession 7:00 p.m.

Saturday ~ Confession 4:00—4:45 p.m.

UPCOMING**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

Is still accepting applications. Please see the link on the Parish website. Please contact Isabel Arroyo with any questions: (914) 739-2441

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SECOND COLLECTION

Today we will have a collection for St. Joseph's Seminary. Please be as generous as your means allow.