

INTRODUCTION TO LITURGY OF THE DAY

Interspersed throughout the Church year are Sundays that remind us that the most important thing is love - love of God, love of neighbor. Today is one of those Sundays. You know how much you want for yourself in this life. You know the way you want to be treated. That's how much you must love your neighbor, so that they can have those things and be treated that way - especially your neighbor who acts, speaks, or looks different from you. Let our prayer today be for the grace to share God's love equally and unstintingly.

INTRODUCTION TO THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Exodus 22:20-26 God hears the cry of the oppressed.
Psalms 18 "I love you, Lord, my strength."
1 Thessalonians 1:5c God's people are renowned for their conversion and love of God.
Matt 22:34-40 The greatest law is the law of love.

In today's Gospel Jesus is challenged about the greatest commandment. Listen carefully to the language in today's first reading from Exodus, which prepares us to hear Jesus' answer. The first reading addresses some of the political situations in our own nation, in our world today. Jesus' simple reply, rooted in this Old Testament mandate, is a challenge to all of us. Love of God and love of neighbor have not changed in two thousand years.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday	October 28, 30th Sunday
4:00 PM	Parishioners Intentions Rosary
Sunday	October 29, 30th Sunday
8:30 AM	Parishioners of Rosary
10:30 AM	Parishioners of Peace
Monday	October 30, Weekday
8:30 AM	No Intentions
Tuesday	October 31, Halloween
8:30 AM	No Intention
Wednesday	November 1, All Saints Day
8:30 AM	Holy Day of Obligation Rosary
6:00 PM	Holy Day of Obligation Rosary
10:00 AM	Holy Day of Obligation Peace
Thursday	November 2, All Souls Day
8:30 AM	Parishioners intentions
Friday	November 3, Weekday
9:00 AM	Parishioners of Peace

**Daylight Saving Time ends Sunday,
Nov. 5th: Set your clocks back 1 hour.**

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Because we only love God as much as the neighbor we love the least, whom do I need to look at differently this week if I hope to look more like God?

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND SHUT-INS

Marianne Foreman, Peggy Ostertag, Richard Lawrence, Sig Mueller, Roberta Micele, Linda Warburton, Barbara Roben, Mona Fike, Jody Corroero, John Nicholson, Curtis Jackson, Danny Somers, Greg Warner, Kelly Lightsey, Margi Bockweg, Cathy Banks, John Loria, Nathan Collins, Barbara Northrop, Susan Tanney and Peyton Meyers. Please see Father Brown to update the list or to arrange for a visit to a homebound or hospitalized.

ADULT EDUCATION A SURE PATH TO HOLINESS FALL OF 2017

BOOKS HAVE NOW ARRIVED!!!

Michael Gaitley, MIC< has given us a very special gift in his thoughtful and prayerful

"Do-It-Yourself Retreat."

He brings together several spiritual traditions and blends them in the pattern of the

Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius.

We will find inspiration in the quotations from the saints that he gathers carefully and in his deep, but humble, understanding of the principles of holiness that they proclaim. This is a good way for a soul to begin the journey in responding to the call to embrace the Divine Mercy of the Lord.

The books have now arrived, and are on sale now.

Our facilitators for this event will be Gloria Tipton, Donald Lourcey, Janet Gladis and Don Edgerton!

**Session #7 will be this Tuesday
at 6pm**

on

October 31st.

**Rain or shine, hurricane or no
hurricane!**

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY

OFFERTORY	\$2,896.00
BUILDING FUND*	<u>\$ 37.40</u>
TOTAL	\$ 2,933.40

BUILDING FUND TO DATE

\$2,163.00

*Note: "Building Fund" refers to anything with interest that we are paying on. In this instance, we are paying off a 3 year mortgage on the parking lot.

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE

TOTAL OFFERTORY	\$ 691.00
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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST

The Knights of Columbus Breakfast will be served immediately following mass and will consist of pancakes, scrambled eggs, link sausage, milk, juice and coffee. The cost will be \$5 per breakfast and the proceeds will go towards the Knights of Columbus Council 3599 Seminarian Fund. Tickets will be on sale at the door.

MEETINGS

Finance Council and Parish Council meetings will be postponed until:
November 8th 6:00 PM and 7:00 PM

ALL SOUL'S DAY

Often overshadowed by the two days preceding it, Halloween and All Saints Day, All Souls Day is a solemn celebration in the Roman Catholic Church. It commemorates those who have died and are now in Purgatory atoning before entering fully into Heaven. They are being cleansed of their venial sins and the temporal punishments for mortal sins they confessed.

On All souls Day, we not only remember the dead, but we apply our efforts, through prayer, almsgiving, and the Mass, to their release from Purgatory. There are two plenary indulgences attached to All Souls Day, one for visiting a church and another for visiting a cemetery can also be obtained every day from November 1-8, and as a partial indulgence on any day of the year. While the actions are performed by the living, the merits of the indulgences are applicable only to the souls in Purgatory.

November - Month of the Dead

During this month we remember the faithful departed. They are members of the Christian Family of God, never to be forgotten. We can assist them by our prayers, just as we can assist the living by our prayers. The preface of the Mass for the dead says: "For those who have faith in you, O Lord, life is not ended, but merely changed." When the abode of our earthly dwelling is taken away, we find an eternal dwelling place in heaven. Let us especially pray for our parishioners who died this past year.