

October 25, 2015

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASSES for the WEEK

*"It is a holy and wholesome thing to pray for the living and the dead." (II Mac. 12:46)*Sunday, October 25, 2015

7:00 AM Mr. & Mrs. S. Mikus
Req. The Mickus Family

8:30 AM Edmund J. Polakowski
Req. John and Rosalie Decker

10:00 AM Gogan & Dobrinski Families
Req. Mr. & Mrs. Peter Borino

11:30 AM Thomas and Mary Riccio
Req. Patricia Guerin

1:00 PM Vincent Sergi
Req. Millie, Sister and Nephews

Monday, October 26, 2015

7:00 AM Lena Anderson
Req. Husband, Frank

8:30 AM Sadie "Bunny" Luzzi
Req. Husband, Lou and Children

9:30 AM Multiple Intention Mass

Tuesday, October 27, 2015

7:00 AM Thomas V. Gradler
Req. Patrick Severe

8:30 AM Richard Beeh
Req. John and Joan

Wednesday, October 28, 2015

7:00 AM Barry Van Horn
Req. Ethna Archer

8:30 AM John Paul Pedagna
Req. Diane Santomauro

10:00 AM The Polish American Club Mass

Thursday, October 29, 2015

7:00 AM Rafael Suarez
Req. Wife and Children

8:30 AM Paul Raabe (4th Anniversary)
Req. Wife, Jill

Friday, October 30, 2015

7:00 AM Eufronia P. Odchigie
Req. Nita P. Odchigie

8:30 AM Joseph A. Pace
Req. Children & Grandchildren

Saturday, October 31, 2015

7:00 AM Phillip Nardone
Req. Wife, Dolores

8:30 AM Joan Ann Fitzsimmons
Req. Husband, Patrick

4:00 PM All Parishioners
Living and Deceased

5:30 PM All Parishioners
Living and Deceased

Sunday, November 1, 2015

All Saints Day

7:00 AM All Parishioners
Living and Deceased

8:30 AM All Parishioners
Living and Deceased

10:00 AM All Parishioners
Living and Deceased

11:30 AM All Parishioners
Living and Deceased

1:00 PM All Parishioners
Living and Deceased

**Multiple Mass Intention
Monday at 9:30 AM
October 26, 2015**

In Memory of: Rev. Francis E. Santitoro
 The Santitoro Family (*Living & Deceased*)
 Rev. Frank Porazzo, & Porazzo Family
 Kathleen & Anthony Jackomin
 Joseph P. Flaherty
 Steven Kilianski (Speedy Recovery),
Req. Grandmother
 Frances & Harold LaSalle,
Req. Patricia Guerin
 Patrick Mackin, *Req. Wife,*
 Madeline
 Frank Albanese, *Req. Wife,*
 Virginia
 Frank Irilli, *Req. Elinor Combs*
 Terry Ryan (2nd Anniversary),
Req. Mom
 Carolyn & Vito Quagliero,
Req. Joseph & Mary Ellen Quagliero
 Helen Dabros, *Req. Marie & Helen's*
 Great Grandchildren
 Mother of Linda Niestemski,
Req. Shirleyan Emmons
 Anna Durner (98th Birthday-Living),
Req. Robert & Rosemarie Durner
 Favorable Case Settlement,
Req. Denise Gungon
 Raul Buenavides, *Req. Family*
 Thomas Nolz, *Req. Patricia,*
 Sister
 Daniel & Jennie Iacullo, *Req. Ann*
 Iacullo

Dominic Carrino, *Req. The Carrino*
 Family
 Virginia DellaFave, *Req. Friend*
 Ethel Richards, *Req. Son*
 Jerry Gionattasio (Speedy Recovery),
Req. Millie Tulodsecki
 Dorothy Murphy, *Req. Cousins,*
 Mary and Lil
 Robert LoPiccolo, *Req. Dolores & Al*
 VanSplinter
 Jerry Femano, *Req. Gwen & David*
 Reisman
 Marie Stapleton, *Req. Mike Lorusso*
 Jan J. Wolek, *Req. Josephine Roeder*
 Dorothy Murphy, *Req. 7:00 AM Daily*
 Mass Parishioners
 Thomas Mohan, *Req. Ellen Gibney*
 Carol Blumeling, *Req. Margaret*
 Hutman
 William "BeBe" Rosson,
Req. Margaret Hutman
 Andrea Kolanovic, *Req. Mirjana Puharic*
 Irene Singer, *Req. Frank & Jennie*
 McDonnell
 Jennie McDonnell (Healing),
Req. Husband, Frank
 Mary Churpakovich, *Req. Son,*
 George Churpakovich
 Dena Santillo, *Req. Rose and Paul*
 Balzano

SPECIAL INTENTIONS – WEEK of October 24, 2015 to October 30, 2015

Bread & Wine – Church
 Thomas & Mary Riccio, *Req. Patricia Guerin*

Bread & Wine – Chapel
 Caroline Pafumi, *Req. Husband, Mike*

Altar Candles & Altar Flowers – Church
 Thomas & Mary Riccio, *Req. Patricia Guerin*

Altar Candles – Chapel
 Marie Pagano, *Req. Dom & Terry Pagano*

Sanctuary Candles – Church
 Edmund J. Polakowski, *Req. Wife, Mary*

Sanctuary Candles - Chapel
 Vito J. Palombella (12th Anniversary.)
Req. Wife, Felicia

PARISH NEWS

ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY

Our Rosary meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 18, 2015 at 1:00 PM. Coffee and cake will be served prior to the meeting.

Coming soon... The Altar Rosary Society, The Legion of Mary and The Columbiettes Auxiliary are sponsoring a "Giving Tree" for our Christmas Season from Catholic Charities called Project Reach for abused senior women.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Our November meeting will be on Wednesday, November 4, 2015 at 12:30 PM. If you would like to attend our Sandwich Party at this November 4th meeting please call:

Bob Collelo (732) 818-9270
The cost is \$3.00 per person.

LEGION OF MARY

Our meetings take place on Mondays from 9:30 AM to 11:00 AM.

The Legion of Mary is pleased to offer a weekly visitation of the Blessed Mother's statue to homes within the Parish community.

If you are sick or homebound and would like to say the Rosary with someone, kindly call:
Jean Hanna (732) 473-9755

PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

The Diocese of Trenton Office of Vocations invites you to the Ocean County Holy Hour for Vocations with Father John. The Holy Hour will consist of Scripture reading, reflection, recitation of the Rosary, meditation and closing Benediction. The Holy Hour will be held on:

Wednesday October 28, 2015
7:00 PM to 8:00 PM
St. Dominic Parish
250 Old Squan Road
Brick, NJ 08724

For further information please contact the Office of Vocations at:
(609) 406- 7449

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PARISH NEWS

ATLANTIC CITY TRIP TO RESORTS

Date: November 2, 2015

Cost: \$23.00 Coins: \$25.00

Tickets are sold by the Parish Auditorium on Tuesdays from 9:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. or call:
Mr. Sandy Monda (732) 349-0143

The bus leaves for Atlantic City from St. Maximilian Kolbe Church promptly at 9:15 A.M.

Note: All Cancellations are non-refundable.

ADORATION

The Adoration devotion is to join the Holy Father in praying for the unborn and for the special intentions of our families. The Adoration is held every Friday from:

12:00 Noon to 3:00 PM

THE POLISH AMERICAN CLUB

of

TOMS RIVER

The Polish American Club of Toms River is celebrating their annual Mass for the living and deceased members at our church on:

Wednesday, October 28, 2015 at 10:00 AM

The Mass will be held in the Church.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS

On Sunday, November 1, 2015 Daylight Savings Time ends. Notice the days grow shorter and the nights seem longer. So remember, before going to bed on Saturday night, set your clocks back one hour. Spring ahead....Fall back!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed to help our parish deliver the 2016 Collection Envelopes and yearly raffle tickets within our parish community. If you have the time, from your busy schedule, and would like to deliver a specific street or possible sections of the parish area which you live in.

Please leave your name and phone number at the Parish Office. (732) 914-0300

BINGO...BINGO... BINGO

Bingo is held on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons in the Parish Hall auditorium. Doors open at 10:00A.M. and the games begin at 12:00 Noon.

Food is also available for purchase.

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ARTS & CRAFTS

The group is continuing to meet on Mondays, from 9:30 AM to 11:00 AM. Come join us and bring some of your ideas.

The Arts and Crafts group is hosting their craft show this weekend. Stop by and see all the homemade items for sale.

WEEKLY DEVOTIONS

The weekly devotions of Bread and Wine; Altar Candles, Sanctuary Candles and Flowers are available for 2015 for the Church and Chapel.

Stop by the Parish Office during our business hours to request your special week.

COLLECTION

The second collection this weekend is for Parish Development and Maintenance.

DO IT NOW

If you have work to do,

Do it now.

Today the skies are clear and blue,
Tomorrow clouds may come in view,
Yesterday is not for you,

Do it now.

If you have a song to sing,

Sing it now.

Let the tones of gladness ring,
Clear as the song of a bird in spring,
Let each day some music bring,

Sing it now.

If you have some kind words to say,

Say them now.

Do some kindness while you may,
For loved ones will not always stay,

Say them now.

Show the love you have before they go...

Show it now!

Charles R. Skinner

OGLEBAY & WHEELING CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR

November 16 to November 19, 2015

- Featuring Oglebay's Wilson Lodge and the enchanting Festival of Lights. Plus Casino
 - Senior Tours escort on board bus hosting complimentary cocktails, soft drinks and snacks.
 - Fun, and games with Yuletide good cheer.
 - Incomparable "Festival of Lights" one of the largest Christmas illumination displays.
 - Christmas Mansion Tour, Glass Museum and Holiday dinner.
 - Lodging for three nights at Cambria Suites with indoor pool, hot and cold breakfast daily.
 - \$100. 00 deposit to hold seat. Refundable up until final payment October 15th.
 - \$699.00 Double Per Person
\$799.00 Single Per Person
\$646.00 Triple Per Person
- + Contact: Barbara Kwiatek (848) 227- 3963

PRACTICE PATIENCE

Have you every wondered how a farmer remains patient when his whole livelihood is tied up in seed, soil, fertilizer and rain? Nothing can be done to hurry the harvest. All the farmer can do is watch and wait.

As the farmer anticipates that first ear of corn, he keeps busy with other chores even though his mind is focused on the fruits of his labor. He is patient, trusting that sufficient sunshine and rain will cause the crops to thrive.

His life, like ours, is based on faith. Since we cannot predict the future, we must trust God with the seeds we have planted. Remember..... Don't lose hope.

God's Holy Spirit works in all of us. Patience is not easy for it is probably one of the most common struggles we face.

Enrich Your Character

"A proud man is seldom a kind man. Humility makes us kind and kindness makes us humble."
Anonymous

LIVES OF THE SAINTS

May the wisdom of the saints inspire us in our daily lives.

- October 25 St. Gaudentius of Brescia, Bishop
- October 26 St. Demetrius
- October 28 St. Jude and St. Simon
- October 29 St. Narcissus, Bishop
- October 30 St. Marcellus the Centurion
- October 30 St. Alphonsus Rodriguez
- October 31 St. Wolfgang, Bishop

MASS FOR THE FEAST OF ALL SOULS

It is said that one of the greatest gifts that God has bestowed on us is the gift of memories. Recalling these memories can be comforting to us at times when we feel at our lowest.

The Timothy Ryan Funeral Home has arranged a special memorial Mass with Pastor, Father Steve and the Ryan Family for All Souls.

Father John will celebrate this Mass on Wednesday, at 12:00 Noon on November 4, 2015. Father John and the Ryan Family hope you can join us in remembering and give things for the lives of those who have gone before us.

If you will be attending this Mass, please call the Ryan Family at (732) 505-1900 so they will have an idea how many will be in attendance.

DID YOU KNOW?????

HALLOWEEN

The ancient Celts thought that spirits and ghosts roamed the countryside on Halloween night. The Celts began wearing masks and costumes to avoid being recognized as human.

Halloween is the second most commercially successful holiday with Christmas being first. Halloween candy sales average about two billion dollars annually in the United States. Chocolate candy bars top the list as the most popular item for trick-or-treaters with snickers as number one.

Jack-o-lanterns originated in Ireland, where people placed candles in hollowed out turnips to keep away spirits and ghosts. On this magical night, Jack-o-lanterns were placed on porches and in windows to welcome deceased loved ones, but also to protect against evil spirits.

AUTUMN

Dear Lord,

Fall is the harvest season. May we acknowledge You, Lord as the giver of all good gifts and be willing to give back something of the abundance we experience.

Help us Lord to share. Amen

WHY THE ROSARY?

For World Peace

Say the Rosary every day to obtain peace for the world. (*Our Lady of Fatima 1917*)

Pope Paul urged Christians to pray to Our Lady Queen of Peace for world peace. He laid special emphasis on the Rosary, "the prayer so dear to our Lady and so highly recommended by the supreme pontiffs."

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For Healing the Evils of Our Day

"We do not hesitate to affirm again publicly that we put great confidence in the Holy Rosary for the healing evils which afflict our times.

Pope Pius XII

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For Perseverance

"Those who say it fervently and frequently will gradually grow in grace and holiness and will enjoy the special protection of Our Lady and the abiding friendship of God.

No one can live continually in sin and continue to say the Rosary – either he will give up sin or he will give up the Rosary."

Bishop Hugh Boyle

Father Max's Halloween Corner

Did you ever wonder...If Dracula cannot see his reflection in the mirror how come his hair is always so neatly combed?

What do ghosts serve for dessert?

Ice Scream

What do you say to a 2 headed monster?

Hello...Hello

What do little ghosts drink?

Evaporated milk.

How do you mend a broken Jack-o-lantern?

With a pumpkin patch.

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Happy Halloween!

The Life of Jesus

Matthew 9: 35-10; 11:1; Mark 6:6-13; Luke 9: 1-6

MISSION OF THE APOSTLES

From Nazareth Jesus journey through Galilee, preaching the Gospel of the kingdom and healing all kinds of sickness and infirmity. He was moved by the helplessness of the people, who lacked spiritual direction and He said to the disciples:

"The harvest indeed is abundant, but the laborers are few. Pray therefore the Lord of the harvest to send forth laborers into His harvest."

Then Jesus called the Twelve Apostles and gave them power to cast out evil spirits and to heal all diseases and infirmities. He sent them forth in pairs saying:

"Do not go in the direction of the Gentiles, nor enter the towns of the Samaritans; but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, preach the message, 'The kingdom of heaven is at hand.'

Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out devils. Freely you have received, freely give. Do not keep gold, silver or money in your girdles, nor wallet for your journey, nor two tunics, nor sandals, nor staff, for the laborer deserves his living."

They were to take the barest essentials for their journey. God would provide for the needs of His workers.

"Whatever town or village you enter, inquire who in it is worthy, and stay there until you leave. As you enter the house, salute it. If then that house be worthy, your peace will come upon it, but if it be not worthy, let your peace return to you."

Whoever does not receive you, or listen to your words, go forth outside that house or town and shake off the dust from your feet. Amen I say to you, it will be more tolerable for the land of Sodom and Gomorrah in the day of judgment than for that town.

Behold I am sending you forth like sheep in the midst of wolves. Be therefore wise as serpents and guileless as doves."

Jesus then continued His way alone, and the Twelve Apostles departed on the mission Jesus had given to them.

Summary:

There are too few laborers for the great harvest of souls in the world. When we reflect on this truth, we almost immediately think of praying for more priests, more nuns, and more brothers.

The Life of Christ
Catholic Press

THE PRACTICE OF CHARITY

Seek occasions to please the Heart of Jesus by the practice of holy charity, in always thinking and speaking well of your neighbor. Assist the poor according to your ability and spiritually considering Jesus Christ in their person, and doing nothing to them which you would not wish to be done to yourself.

Be patient towards all, in order to give confidence to each one, and above all to the poor who comes to you in their need. Be a friend to every one and an enemy to no one. Love manifests itself in acts of praise, in acts of charity and in acts of kindness.

Father Lasance

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LIVES OF THE SAINTS

Occasionally in this space will appear a short article covering the lives of the saints, especially with reference to those saints whose likeness appear on the stained glass windows in the church and chapel, or whose statue is present in the chapel area or the candle room area.

SAINT JUDE

Patron of Hopeless & Desperate Cases

Jude Thaddeus was born early in the first century and may have been related to the Holy Family. His brother James the Lesser was an Apostle, his father Cleophas died as a martyr and his mother Mary witnessed Jesus Crucifixion and Resurrection.

Jude and his brother were proud to be among the first disciples. They traveled everywhere with Jesus, witnessing miracles and helping Him. When Jesus told the disciples, He had to leave, Jude asked, "Master what happened that you will reveal yourself to us and not to the world?" Jesus assured Jude that He would be with anyone who loved Him and followed His message.

For many years, Jude traveled through Syria, Mesopotamia and Persia teaching the Gospel. He knew that being a Christian would not be easy. It is said that in the end, on Jude's last trip to Persia, he was beaten to death and beheaded.

SAINT SIMON

Patron of Carriers

Simon who lived during the first century was one of Jesus' disciples. The Gospels of Matthew and Mark called him the Cananean. Luke's Gospel called him the Zealot both of which are translations of the same Aramaic word.

It is known that Simon was a beloved, and dedicated follower of Christ and witness to His teachings and miracles. Jesus' instructions to Simon and the other apostles were clear. They were to go out and preach His gospel, taking nothing on the journey but their faith.

Eastern tradition holds that Simon later died peacefully at Edessa.

SAINT ALPHONSUS RODRIGUEZ

*Patron of Majorca
Jesuit Lay Brother*

Alphonsus went to study at a Jesuit school. His father's death, however, forced him to return home and enter the family business. When he was twenty-three he took full control but within several years, the business was struggling because of the bad economy.

Devastated by the loss of his daughter, wife and mother, Alphonsus sold his business and began daily meditations. As he approached his 40th birthday he tried to enter the Society of Jesus but was turned down because of his lack of schooling.

Alphonsus then entered a school for boys and to pay for his tuition he worked as a servant and begged on the streets. Despite his new education the Jesuits again rejected Alphonsus. But this time, the head of the local monastery saw Alphonsus' devotion and accepted him as a lay brother.

Six months later, Alphonsus was sent to the Jesuit college on the island of Majorca, where he served as a porter. Despite bouts of bad health, he held that position for more than forty years. On the island of Majorca students and prominent visitors alike turned to Alphonsus for advice.

He served as a mentor to St. Peter of Claver encouraging him to become a missionary. Peter, a future saint went on to work with the African slaves in South America.

When Alphonsus was not working, he spent his time praying. He kept notes of his thoughts on spirituality which included quotes from other religious figures. A collection of these writings became popular in Spain.

One thing is universally true of all the Saints... their love has made our world richer.

Our Faith

“AND GOD SAID NO”

I ASKED God to take away my pride...
and God said NO.

He said it was not for Him to take away,
but for me to give up.

I asked God to make a handicapped child
whole...

and God said NO.

He said the spirit is whole and body is only
temporary.

I asked God to grant me patience...

and God said NO.

He said patience is the by-product of tribula-
tion.

It isn't granted.

It is earned.

I asked God to give me happiness...

and God said NO.

He said: He gives blessings, happiness if up to
me.

I asked God to spare me pain...

and God said NO.

He said: Suffering draws you away from
worldly cares and brings you closer to Me.

I asked God to make my spirit grow...

and God said NO.

He said: I must grow on my own, but He
would prune me to make me fruitful.

I asked God if He loved me...

and God said YES.

He gave His only Son who died for me and I
will be in Heaven someday because of Him.

I asked God to help me love others as He loves
me...

and God said,

Ah, you finally got the idea.

Author Unknown

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PERSPECTIVE

I've learned...

That just one person saying to me, 'You've
made my day!

I've learned...

That everyone you meet deserves to be
greeted with a smile.

I've learned...

That I wish I could have told my friend that
I loved him/her one more time before they passed
away.

I've learned...

That it is those small daily happenings that
make life so spectacular.

By: Andy Rooney

DID YOU KNOW?????

Perform your actions with pure intentions,
not out of human respect, but for the love of God.
Do what is right because it is right. Have the moral
courage to stand up for your convictions. If you are
conscientious, you cannot but have some character.

PEACE

To preserve peace in time of trouble our will
must remain firm in God and be directed toward
Him. We should be content to receive all things
from the hand of God, from His justice, and from
his bounty to his blessed will.

Good and evil, health and sickness, prosper-
ity and adversity, sweetness, trials and chastise-
ments all should be received by the soul with hu-
mility, patience as coming to us by the appointment
of God. This is the only means of finding peace in
the midst of great troubles and adversities.

Bishop Challoner

“All in God...All with God...All for God!
My God and my All.

St. Francis of Assisi