



THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 25, 2026



Dear Friends in Christ,

Today we are once again reminded about the greatest commandment: Loving God and loving our neighbor. These commandments are thousands of years old, but they were presented separately. Jesus put them together, yet loving God goes ahead of loving neighbor!

Loving God, yes, most of us can say and do that, but sometimes we hesitate or calculate "the benefits" for doing so. Pray that we will love God sincerely and from our heart. If we love God, we must love His Church as well - the Church is "our neighbor."

Loving our neighbor, how do you practice this command? Is this hard or so hard to do so? If you feel that way, you are not the only one on earth to have that feeling. The consequences of original sin plus our use of free-will, makes us want to love our self. Particularly when we are in the month of November - the month that the Church asks us to pray for the Holy Souls in Purgatory whom we do not even know. Praying for them is another way of loving our neighbor - those we know and don't know.

Loving God and loving neighbor is the greatest commandment, and it is hard to keep practicing. Remember that "the Lord is our strength." Keep Him in your heart, mind, and soul, knowing that He loves us and His love goes beyond our understanding and imagination. Lord, you are my love and my strength.

Peace, Fr. Tien



I want to say thank you to all who sent prays, card, gifts to me on my birthday. May God reward you.



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*Rosary is prayed ½ hour before every Mass.
Adoration every Friday after our 9:00 a.m. Mass
and benediction at 11:00am.
Reconciliation ½ hour before Vigil Mass;
Wednesday at 6:15 p.m.*



Thanksgiving
Food Drive

The Food Pantry is preparing for the Thanksgiving Distribution. Please help us by donating money or buying any of the following items: Turkeys, Turkey Breast, Whole Chickens, Cream Soups, Broth, and Mac-n-cheese.

Meat Collection Dates:

10:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.: **Thursday** 10/29, 11/5, 11/12
3:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.: **Saturday** 11/14
10:00 A.M. - 2:00 P.M.: **Monday** 11/16

Please bring meat downstairs to Family Life Center.

Please pray for our parishioners and all men and women in the armed forces:



Angel Avila, Stephen Fox, Lauren Richards,
Christopher Richards, Jesus Rodriquez, Elizabeth Scoon
and Stephanie Ortiz-Ruiz

ALL SOULS DAY, Nov 2 on Monday we will have 2 Masses, 9:00 A.M. in English, 7:00 P.M. in Spanish. Starting on Sunday you will be able to visit the Cemetery to pray for the Holy souls and to get the plenary indulgence and offer it to the Holy souls.



Our Sanctuary Lamp this week is in memory of
Carl Galbrecht
by Charlene Galbrecht.



Please remember to keep
Saint Francis Parish in your will.





Catholic Adult Education on Monday night Oct 26 at 7 PM is ***Mary, The Mother of God-Immaculate Conception, the Assumption***; What is the controversy of the

Assumption that concerns Mary's salvation? Come join your fellow parishioners in the spirit of fellowship. Snacks provided. We meet in the Family Life Center downstairs. Deacon David & The Education Team



There will be a Second Collection this weekend for Capital Improvements.

Day light time ends next Sunday, November 1st. Be sure to set your clocks back before you go to bed Saturday night! Beginning on Saturday, November 7th our Saturday evening Mass will begin at 4:00 p.m. and Confessions will begin at 3:00 p.m.



Diocesan Requirements for Reporting Ministry-Related Sexual Abuse of a Minor: Any individual having actual knowledge of or reasonable cause to suspect an incident of ministry-related sexual abuse is to immediately report the incident to the Chancery. After the incident is reported, the Chancery will then report the incident to the proper civil authorities. The individual reporting the incident to the Chancery will be notified of the particulars regarding the Chancery's filing of the incident with the civil authorities. The reporting is not intended to supersede the right of an individual to make a report to civil authorities, but is to ensure proper, complete, and timely reporting. Should an individual choose to make a report to civil authority, a report is still to be made to the Chancery.

Parish Celebration

All Saints Day, Nov 1st @3:00 P.M.

All are welcome to join us in the Family Life Center for an afternoon of Faith, Food, Games & Fellowship. Please bring 1 dish to share with our community. There will also be a Saint Costume Contest, Adults are welcome to dress up as well!

Trunk or Treat, to participate or donate candy, please get in touch with Julie or Kristin!

For more information, please look at the Outside Bulletin!



Pray for healing: Donna Barbaro, Dolores Botti, Chad Cook, William Crunkleton, Susan Darby, Lillianne Duong Davis, Tony Frede, Dariel Hellerer, Wayne Hirsch, Guyla Ivers, Anette ML Jigla, Sandra Kanter, Georgette Lee, Terry McConnell, Michelle Mercer, Dee Moffitt, Delphine Moss,

Monica Moya, John Ontiveros, Freeman Robinson, Josette Roisin, Kathleen Rogers, Mike Scarborough, Roxanne Lumia Smith, Wanda Stamey, Irene Tisdale, Art Todesco, Alan Tucker, Ruby Christina Tucker, Joe and Charlene Youdell, Rosalie Perreault, David Ramsey, Susie Lopez Pineda, Kamri Peck, Kathy Tallent, Denise Burkart, Connie Blackburn, Sharon Beals, Josephine Jennings, Dominga Fera Lopez, Bill Garbinski, Nick Birchard, Mary Ann Janda, Josiah Mihok, Robert Horgan, Wayne Smith

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday, October 24

Saint Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop

5:00 P.M. †Lillian Nauheimer, †Trevis Ligon

Sunday, October 25

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 A.M. †Damaso Daniel Acevedo, †Cecilia Rios
†Juan Acevedo, †Carl Gaebrecht by Charlene

11:30 A.M. †Holy Souls in Purgatory
Stephanie Ortiz-Ruiz, Christopher Ortiz-Ruiz by Basilia Ruiz

Monday, October 26

9:00 A.M. †Holy Souls in Purgatory
Stephanie Ortiz-Ruiz, Christopher Ortiz-Ruiz by Basilia Ruiz

Tuesday, October 27

NO MASS

Wednesday, October 28

Saints Simon and Jude, Apostles

5:30 P.M. †David Ruiz, †Cecilia Cruz,
†Holy Souls in Purgatory
Abigail de los Angeles by Basilia Ruiz

Thursday, October 29

9:00 A.M. †David Ruiz, †Cecilia Cruz
Mary Murphy by Erin Vanderwoude

Friday, October 30

9:00 A.M. †Leonila Cordero

Saturday, October 31

5:00 P.M. †Kenneth Ruple

Sunday, November 1

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time
All Saints

9:00 A.M. †Damaso Daniel Acevedo,
†Cecilia Rios, †Juan Acevedo,
†Eric Kyle Gaebrecht

11:30 A.M. †Marciano Diaz Ordaz,
†Antonina Arango Diaz,
†Marciano Diaz Acevedo