

OCTOBER



October 29, 2017
30th Sunday of
Ordinary Time

As we conclude our reflections on living the Pillars of Discipleship and Stewardship in the domestic church of the home, we turn to one final topic, the Pillar of Service. The Scriptures are very clear about the expectation that we practice charity toward others. In the Gospel passage that we will hear in few weeks on the Solemnity of Christ the King, Jesus tells us that our judgment depends in large part on how we have lived the Great Commandment to love God and love our neighbor.

There is no doubt that, if we open our eyes, we can find people who are in need of our loving service. There are many opportunities to engage in various forms of outreach to address those various circumstances. All of these are good for us to be involved in, but when it comes to the domestic church, we can't neglect the very real need for love and service to those with whom we live and encounter on a daily basis.

I think it is worth our consideration to examine how well we are practicing the virtue of charity with those in our homes. Do we take opportunities to help around the house, even if the duty normally belongs to somebody else? Do we offer encouragement and affirmation to one another, helping them to feel appreciated and loved? Do we follow that wonderful guidance of St. Paul about our use of speech in the home: "Say only the good things others need to hear, things that will really help them"? (Eph 4:29). Some of these may sound like common sense, but I can probably guess that all of us can do a little (or a lot) better job of being charitable to those with whom we live, and thus practicing the Pillar of Service well in the home.

Once we've made an intentional effort to be of service to one another in the home, our service to others outside of our home will be more genuine. We can find many ways as a family to be of service to others. That might include volunteering as a family to work for a few hours at St. John's Breadline. It might include working together as a family to rake the leaves of an elderly neighbor or relative. It might include having everybody pitch in some of their own money to buy a Christmas gift or two for our Christmas Friends program here at the parish.

When we have an awareness of just how much God has given to us and how much He loves us and has blessed us with the family that we have, our hearts will be open to returning that love to Him through loving service to those around us, especially those members of our domestic church of the home.

Father Alford

Anointing of the Sick:

If you are going into the hospital for surgery or have a serious illness, receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick. Please call the parish office to receive the Sacrament, administered privately or during daily Mass. Call Barb Scoggins at 217-498-9197 to have a family member placed on the prayer list.

Prayer List:

Lynn F. Leach, parishioner
Kathy Smith, parishioner
Evelyn Goin, mother of Vicki Walker
Randy Brusco, parishioner
Rene Runions, parishioner
Joyce Hogan, parishioner
Evelyn Conboy, parishioner
Andrew Lacy, son of David & Kelly Lacy
Rachel Copp, parishioner
Tracy Medler, sister of Chuck Kuntzman
Tony Magro, Sr., father of Tony Magro Jr.
Jim & Mary Kates, parishioners
Harold Sheppard, parishioner
David Laub, parishioner
JoAnn Camille, parishioner
Betty & Ray Rowden, parishioners
Diane Bartlett, sister of Jeannette Waters
Adam Garrett, brother of Carrie Zucco
Evelyn James, cousin of Barbara Hattes
Margie Lammert, mother of Sarah Clare
Nick Riordan, cousin of Amy Zack
Steven Butts, brother of Michelle Bullock
Mary Ann Midden, mother of Kathleen Quinn
Reba Cloyd, mother of Anita Schwab
Ray Roth Sr., father of Deacon Ray Roth
Jim Reiser, father of Kevin Reiser
Joanne O'Connor, sister of Ginger Rentschler
Jennifer Harbeck, cousin of Brad Zack
Fr. Dan Bergbower, Diocesan Priest
Joanna Laabs, wife of Deacon Al Laabs
Madeline Conant, friend of Laurie White
Mary Alice Tuxhorn, friend of JoAnn Camille

Fullenwider-Park Funeral Home
Mechanicsburg & Illiopolis
217-498-7161

HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK!!!

The † symbolizes the Mass is for someone who is deceased.

Saturday, October 28th
3:30 p Confessions
4:30 p Mass (Int: Jim Waters†)
Sunday, October 29th
7:30 a Confessions
8:00 a Mass (Int: For the Parish)
9:10 a PSR
9:30 a Wyndcrest: Wrincik
9:45 a Confessions
9:45 a Choir rehearsal
10:00 a Rosary
10:30 a Mass (Int: Fred Bartlett†)
 Wetherell Baptism
Monday, October 30th
9:00 a Counting Team #4
5:00 p Confessions
5:30 p Mass (Int: Greg Camille†)
6:00 p *The Bible Timeline*
Tuesday, October 31st
7:00 a Morning Prayer
7:30 a Mass (Int: Limper/Engeling families)
8:00 a Scriptural Rosary
6:00 p All Saints Vigil Mass
Wednesday, November 1st
7:00 a Mass (Int: All Saints†)
8:00 a Scriptural Rosary
6:30 p PSR
6:30 p All Saints Day Mass
Thursday, November 2nd
7:00 a Morning Prayer
7:30 a Mass (Int: All Souls†)
8:00 a Scriptural Rosary
6:00 p All Souls Day Mass
7:00 p Choir rehearsal
Friday, November 3rd
7:00 a Morning Prayer
7:30 a Mass (Int: John Blasko†)
8:00 a Scriptural Rosary
Saturday, November 4th
3:30 p Confessions
4:30 p Mass (Int: John & Mary Rendok†)
Sunday, November 5th
7:30 a Confessions
8:00 a Mass (Int: Mercedes Fleck†)
9:10 a PSR
9:30 a Wyndcrest:
9:45 a Confessions
9:45 a Choir rehearsal
10:00 a Rosary
10:30 a Mass (Int: For the Parish)

Parish Sacrificial Giving Fiscal Year 7/1/17-6/30/18

	Last Week	Year to Date
Collection (86)	\$ 4,578.07	\$ 83,094.13
Electronic funds (0)	\$ 0.00	\$ 18,157.40
Bldg. Dev. Fund (2)	\$ 70.00	\$ 4,549.00
EFT – Dev. Fund (0)	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,332.00
Poor Fund	\$ 26.00	\$ 985.02
Children's Stewardship(0)	0.00	\$ 11.00
All Saints (0)	\$ 0.00	\$ 35.00
All Souls (0)	\$ 0.00	\$ 40.00
Mission Sunday (34)	\$ 1,447.17	\$ 1,599.17

Number of collection envelopes used: 122
 Number of electronic contributions: 0

LITURGICAL MINISTERS:	
<u>Saturday, November 4th – 4:30 p.m.</u>	
Euch. Min.:	Fr. Adam, Riedle, Williams Deacon Tom
Lectors:	S & I Long
Servers:	Sommer, Torres, Zack
Hospitality:	Egizio, J & S Thull, V. Walker
<u>Sunday, November 5th – 8:00 a.m.</u>	
Euch. Min.:	Fr. Alford, Godar, Rayhill, Deacon Ray
Lectors:	Deimel, Nelson
Servers:	Delgado, Lauwerens, Zeidler
Hospitality:	A & Z Dahlkamp, G & K Park
<u>Sunday, November 5th – 10:30 a.m.</u>	
Euch. Min.:	Fr. Adam, Fjelstul, Long Jr., Warren
Lectors:	A Toliver, Warren
Servers:	E & E Carlson, Toliver
Minister of Care:	Deacon Ray Roth
Hospitality:	Brewer Family
CLOW:	Kohlrus, B Toliver

SCRIPTURE READINGS: Oct. 29 – Nov. 4		
Sunday:	EX 22:20-26	1THES 1:5C-10
		MT 22:34-40
Monday:	ROM 8:12-17	LK 13:10-17
Tuesday:	ROM 8:18-25	LK 13:18-21
Wednesday:	RV 7:2-4, 9-14	1JN 3:1-3
		MT 5:1-12A
Thursday:	WIS 3:1-9	ROM 5:5-11
		JN 6:37-40
Friday:	ROM 9:1-5	LK 14:1-6
Saturday:	ROM 11:1-2A, 11-12, 25-29	LK 14:1, 7-11
Sunday:	MAL 1:14B-2:2B, 8-10	
	1THES 2:7B-9, 13	MT 23:1-12

Volunteer for this week: Oct. 30th – Nov. 5th:
Church Dusters: Suzann Segatto & John & Mary Fox
Recycling Vol. Nov.: Jan Catalano
Nov. Food Volunteer: Susan & Victoria Arnish
Coffee & Donuts: Sun, Nov. 5th:
 Lenna DeGroot

Upcoming Parish Meeting/Events:

Mon., Oct. 30 – 6:00 p.m. The Bible Timeline
Tues., Oct. 31 – 6:00 p.m. All Saints Day Vigil Mass
Wed., Nov. 1 – 6:30 p.m. All Saints Day Mass
Thurs., Nov. 2 – 6:00 p.m. All Souls Remembrance Mass
Mon., Nov. 6 – Fishes & Loaves Team #3
Mon., Nov. 6 – 7:00 p.m. Pastoral Council Meeting
Wed., Nov. 8 – 1:00 p.m. Ladies Tea/Bunco
Sat., Nov. 11 – 1:00 p.m. Sew-n-Sews
Sun., Nov. 12 – Noon Harvest Feast



SAVE THE DATE!!!

St. Jude Annual Harvest Feast will be held Sunday, November 12 at noon in the St. Jude Parish Center. Reservation forms are available in the bulletin, in the church and in the parish office. Be sure to mark your calendar and plan to attend!

BUTTERBRAIDS, Cookie Dough, and Pizzas for Thanksgiving/Christmas

The 2018 Youth Mission Trip Group is presently taking orders for Butter-braids, Cookie Dough, and Pizzas before/after masses. The orders will be delivered Friday, November 17th in time for the holidays of Thanksgiving and/or Christmas. You can order by contacting a Mission Trip participant or by calling the Parish office at 498-9197.

Mission Trip 2018

Mission Trip 2018 is scheduled for Denver, Co, June 17-23, 2018. If you have not turned in your registration form and fee, **please do so by October 31st.** Forms are available on the bulletin board in the church, in the parish office, or contact Barb Scoggins to have one emailed to you.

Tolton: From Slave to Priest, a powerful one-man drama performed by actor Andrae Goodnight of Saint Luke Productions will be presented at the Cathedral in Springfield on Saturday, November 11th at 7:30 p.m. Encounter Father Augustus Tolton, the first African American priest, and be inspired by his compelling story of courage and reconciliation.

PSR NEWS – November is the month we contribute **Soup** to the Food Pantry. Please remember to bring your donation with you to PSR!

Note from Deacon Tom Re: CHRISTMAS FRIENDS

Kellie Brewer and I would like to extend a HUGE “Thank You” to all who have helped in any way in years past with the Christmas Friends Program. This program has been a success in years past due to the dedicated volunteers who step forward to help. Parishioners will be able to adopt an individual to provide gifts/food within the next few weeks. If you are interested in helping with this program, please contact Deacon Tom at twalker@stjude.dio.org with your name, phone number and email address. **YOUR HELP IS NEEDED** to make this program a success. Remember you must be in compliance with the Protecting God’s Children Program to volunteer for the Christmas Friends Program.



The schedule for the Christmas Program is:

Nov. 4/5 – Adoption Week #1
Nov. 11/12 – Adoption Week #2
Nov. 18/19 – Adoption Week #3
Nov. 25/26 – Adoption Week #4
(Volunteers needed before and after each Mass)

Dec. 2/3 – Gift Drop-off Week #1
Dec. 9/10 – Gift Drop-off Week #2

Dec. 15 – 7:30 a.m. Volunteers meet at St. Jude Parish Center to pack trailer & vehicles.
8:00 a.m. St. Patrick’s School to deliver gifts.
9:30 a.m. Aperion Care Center to deliver gifts.

Mark your calendars!

On Saturday, November 4, 2017, Little Flower Men’s Club will present their Annual Dinner Dance. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. for cocktail hour, dinner will begin around 6:30 p.m., with dancing from 7:00-11:00 p.m. The cost is \$125.00 per couple, includes admission chance in the drawing, dinner and drinks. Tickets are available at Little Flower Church or school offices, also online @lfmc.little-flower.org.

Attention Knitters & Crocheters:



As the weather gets colder, the homeless are so in need of warmth. The St. Jude Sew-n-Sews are working to donate hat & scarf sets for the homeless. If you would like to help with this project, please make a set and bring it to the parish office to be donated. We would like to have as many sets as possible before Christmas, any colors or sizes. All donations to this project would be greatly appreciated. If you have any questions, please call Barb at the parish office.

November 2017						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 James Scheufele	2 Frances Beals Shawn Faloon Kaitlyn Martin Barbara Sinkus Lynette Thompson <i>Dave & Jennifer Barkus</i> <i>Scott & Courtney Ostrowski</i> <i>David & Tess Riedle</i>	3 Donald Ferrill Peter Jerszynski IV Joan Nelson Jordan Polanskiy Carson Siddens <i>Brent & Lynn Leach</i>	4 Juliana Delgado Lisa Feraris Ed Gibson Emily Harris Liam Harris Mary Jo Jasinski Avery Otten Julia Powell Ethan Vose
5 Cherie Doherty Drew McMinn Russ Militello David Reidle Emily Woosley <i>James & Denise Garceau</i>	6 Jacob McCall	7 Jason Heiple Samantha Kearney Judy Maloney	8 Phillip Van Dyke <i>Steven & Debra Decker</i>	9 Betsy Barrett Andrea Miller Logan Veach <i>John & Rena Dietrich</i> <i>Dan & Julie Lohmar</i> <i>Brian & Amy Sommer</i> <i>Jeff & Renee Vose</i>	10 Doug Foster Valerie Presney	11 Pete Blatz Tami Blatz Brent Leach Jack Melton Alexandra Quinn David Western
12 Bridget Bedore Kelly Broughton Ryan Godar Michael Hutchinson Harper Merritt Robert O'Brien Jack Rollins Natasha Trame <i>Nick & Jamie Merritt</i>	13 Michael Copp Jill Laub Christopher Lindstrom Kathleen Patterson Teri Runions	14 Samantha Churchill James Duban Lynn Leach Lucille Rendok Julie Sapetti Rachel Saxbery	15 Lynn Leach John Petit Carli Reiser Joe Ross James Schmit <i>Eric & Jennifer Crouch</i>	16 Becky Hutchinson Brooke Zeibert <i>Kevin & Cara Reiser</i>	17 Hartzel Bruno John Faloon Bill White	18 Ed Bedore Eric Culbertson Amanda Fjelstul Peggy Gunter Jordan Jeffers Jacob Kohlrus Wes Myers <i>Juan & Imelda Garcia</i> <i>Ken & Myrna Livengood</i> <i>Pamela & Daniel Merriman</i>
19 David Gunter Andrew Lacy Sheryl Petit Bob Pietras Jeremy Zack	20 James Kates John Kerley Janelle Melton Connor Vose Andrea Zaffiri <i>Jason & Kriten Heiple</i> <i>Greg & Amy Trello</i>	21 Jerald Calvert Michael Gunter <i>Matthew & Lea Anderson</i>	22 Jodi Bruso Rebecca Felts Lucia Garcia Van Dyke Kevin Marinelli Jamie Riedle	23 Pamela Bruzan Alexzander Livengood Thomas Stredler III	24 Marissa Garceau Jacob Western <i>Monroe & Laurie McWard</i>	25 Deacon Ray Roth Steve Warren <i>Brad & Sarah Clare</i>
26 Becky Hanna Anthony Magro	27 Rebekah Arthur John Fox Ryan Leach Alex Peacock	28 Luke Henson Landen Trame <i>Will & Barbara O'Brien</i>	29 Connor Gleason Mary Frances Parsons Courtney Phillips <i>Kyle & Alisa Blumhorst</i>	30 Liana Kent Margaret Palazzolo		

St. Joseph the Worker church in Chatham will host their **Mostaccioli & Sausage Dinner** Sunday, November 5, 2017, 11:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Menu to include: Mostaccioli, Sausage, Salad, Bread, Dessert & Drink. Cost: Aduls - \$8.00, Children (4-11) - \$4.00, Children under 4 eat free. Carry-outs will be available.