

7 November 2021

XXXII Sunday in Ordinary Time (New Calendar)

V Sunday after Epiphany Resumed (Traditional Calendar)

Sunday Mass: Anticipated Sat. 4PM/Sun. 8AM Ancient Rite Latin Mass
9:30 AM & 11 AM

Confessions: Wed. 6:30-6:55 PM/Sat. 7:30-7:55 AM
Sat. 2:30-3:30 PM & 6:30-7:30 PM

THE HOLY SACRIFICE OF THE MASS

Mon. 8 Nov. Four Crowned Martyrs (Patrons of Sculptors)
8 AM Ancient Rite Latin Mass
For: Special Intention

Tue. 9 Nov. DEDICATION OF LATERAN BASILICA
8 AM For: Noah Lekki
Req: Tracee Button

Wed. 10 Nov. ST. LEO THE GREAT, Pope
7 PM For: All Souls' Intentions

Thu. 11 Nov. ST. MARTIN OF TOURS, Bishop, (Pat. Soldiers)
8 AM For: James Watson+
Req: Mr. & Mrs. Owen Waller & Family

Fri. 12 Nov. ST. JOSAPHAT, Bishop, Martyr
8 AM For: Mildred Vermeulen & James Delaney
Req: Family

Sat. 13 Nov. ST. FRANCES XAVIER CABRINI
8 AM For: Special Intention

4 PM For: The Parishioners of OLGCC

Sun. 14 Nov..XXXIII Sunday of Ordinary Time (New Calendar)
VI Sunday after Epiphany Resumed (Traditional Cal.)

8 AM For: Eli Digman
Req: Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Maciag

9:30 AM For: Souls in Purgatory
Req: Mr. & Mrs. Stephen van Lieshout

11 AM For: Letha Greenman
Req: Charles Anderson

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION TUE. 9 NOVEMBER

Jr. High School (Grs. 7 & 8): 7 PM-7:45 PM Rectory

We are studying the Creed, article by article to have a clear understanding of our Catholic Faith.

Sr. High School & Adults: 8 PM-8:45 PM Rectory

We are discussing the Creation account in the book of Genesis, and its interpretation. All Adults are welcome to join us.

A HUGE THANK YOU

The All Saints' Party put on by the girls of Our Lady's Sodality was just amazing! We had 30 Saints of all sizes and ages, and how cleverly they were dressed to look like their Saint-prototype! We even had a Ven. Bishop Fulton Sheen look-alike!

The party was so exquisitely planned and prepared by our two moderators, Cindy van Lieshout and Anne Johnson, who out did themselves in providing pizza, cookies, veggies, prizes and games for the kids. Just wonderful, ladies. May God reward you for your efforts! And thank you to the girls of the Sodality who helped with everything, and to the other Moms who pitched in as well.

ROSARY AT PLANNED PARENTHOOD THU. 11 NOV. 11 AM

Since there will be no school on Thu. Due to Veteran's Day, we will pray the Holy Rosary at the Planned Parenthood building in Utica. Please join us.

NO RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION CLASSES THU. 11 NOV.

THE ROSARY SOCIETY AND SODALITY BAKE SALE

After all the Masses on the weekend of 20 & 21 November. Ladies of the parish are asked to donate pies for the sale.

THE ROSARY SOCIETY MEETING: THU. 11 NOV. 6:30 PM

The program will be on preparing for Advent: the power of Silence. Members are asked to please bring a friend.

ADVENT CANDLES AND WREATHES FOR SALE

Our Lady's Sodality will be selling Advent candles (\$6/set), and Advent wreathes (\$15ea), and Christmas car magnets (\$5) after all weekend Masses in November. The proceeds will benefit various charities. We appreciate your support.

Any girl in grades 4-12 is welcome to join the Sodality of Our Lady.

Our next meeting will be **THU. 11 NOV. AT 7 PM AT THE RECTORY.**

On Vague and Routine Confessions
by St. Francis de Sales

Don't be satisfied with vague, general Confessions, made out of mere routine. For example: "I haven't loved God as much as I should. I haven't prayed with as much devotion as I should. I haven't loved my neighbor as I should. I haven't received the Sacraments with sufficient reverence".

Such confessions are altogether useless in enlightening your confessor about the state of your conscience. Nearly all the Saints in heaven, and everyone on earth might confess the same. Instead, examine closely what particular reason you have for accusing yourself of these faults. When you have discovered the reason, accuse yourself simply and plainly of your particular wrongdoing.

For instance, when confessing that you haven't loved your neighbor as you should, perhaps you mean that you saw someone in great need whom you could have helped, yet you neglected to do so. Well, then, specify your neglect. Say that you saw a person in need, and you did not help him as you might have done, either through negligence, or hardness of heart or indifference-whatever the case may be.

As another example: Don't accuse yourself in general of having failed to pray to God with sufficient devotion. If you have yielded your attention to voluntary distractions, or neglected to seek the proper time, place and disposition for prayer, say so plainly, just as it is.

In short, don't deal in useless, lukewarm generalities.

(St Francis de Sales 1567-1622, had been a brilliant student of the law, receiving his doctorate at 24. Despite family opposition, he chose the priesthood. He spent the first five years winning over converts from Calvinism, despite many death threats and mob attacks. He gained thousands of souls back to the Catholic Faith. In 1602, he was named Bishop of Geneva, where his intellect and wisdom shone through. Eventually, with St. Jane de Chantal, he founded the Order of the Visitation. His two most popular works are The Introduction to the Devout Life, and Treatise on the Love of God.)