

29 October 2023  
XXX Sunday of Ordinary Time (New Calendar)  
Feast of Christ the King (Traditional Calendar)

Sunday Mass: Anticipated Sat. 4PM/Sun. 8AM Ancient Rite Latin Mass  
9:30 AM (Live-streamed) 11 AM  
Confessions: Wed. & Fri. 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. 30 Oct. St. Marcellus the Centurion, Martyr  
8 AM Ancient Rite Latin Mass  
For: Special Intention

Tue. 31 Oct. St. Wolfgang of Ratisbon, Bishop  
4 PM For: Joseph & Dennis Loughran+  
Req: Mr. & Mrs. Robert Blehar

**WED. 1 NOV. SOLEMNITY OF ALL THE SAINTS**

8 AM Ancient Rite Latin Mass  
For: Megan Roberts (L.)  
Req: Parishioners of OLGCC  
12 Noon For: The Parishioners of OLGCC  
7 PM For: Norm & Evelyn Beecher+  
Req: Their Family

Thu. 2 Nov. **Commemoration of ALL SOULS (All Souls' Day)**  
8 AM For: All Souls Intentions

Fri. 3 Nov. St. Martin de Porres, Religious  
7 PM For: Olivia Riccoboni (L.)  
Req: Anonymous

Sat. 4 Nov. St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop, Patron of Seminarians  
8 AM For: Special Intention

4 PM For: John Covino+  
Req: Mr. & Mrs. Patrick Covino

Sun. 5 Nov. XXXI Sunday of Ordinary Time (New Calendar)  
XXIII Sunday after Pentecost (Traditional Calendar)  
8 AM For: Joyce Lott+  
Req: David Armitage  
9:30 AM For: Parishioners of OLGCC  
11 AM For: In Thanksgiving  
Req: The Anderson Family

### **COFFEE & DONUTS AFTER MASS THIS SUNDAY DOWNSTAIRS**

Our Lady's Sodality girls appreciate any donations you may make to help them defray the cost of the vans that they will be taking to visit the Parish Visitors of Mary Immaculate Motherhouse in Monroe, NY in November. God bless you for your generosity. There is a donation box for your donation down in the church basement where Coffee & Donuts is held. Thank you.

### **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: TUE. 31 OCT.**

Jr. High School 7 PM Sr. High School & Adults 8 PM

### **ALL SAINTS' DAY: WED. 1 NOV. HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION**

Mass schedule is on the opposite page. Attendance at Holy Mass on the Holy Days of Obligation is binding under pain of mortal sin.

### **ALL SOULS' DAY: THU. 2 NOV.**

Holy Mass at 8 AM will be offered for all the souls whose names you submit on the envelopes on the table in the vestibule. Please take one home today, write the names of your departed loved ones on it, and put it in the collection basket on All Saints' Day. One Mass will be offered each week throughout the month of November for these holy souls. On the back of this bulletin are the Indulgences Holy Mother Church makes available to us to gain for the Souls in Purgatory during the first eight days of the month.

### **ST. JOSEPH SOCIETY MEETING: THU. 2 NOV. 7 PM RECTORY**

At our meeting this month, we will discuss how we can attract new members to the Catholic Faith and how to help those who have fallen away to come back. We want to hear your ideas.

### **GOD BLESS THE GIRLS OF OUR LADY'S SODALITY**

and their moderators Cindy van Lieshout, Julie Netzband and Liz Pratt for the wonderful All Saints' Party they planned and put on Friday night for our parish youth. We had about 50 Saints running around the Rectory that night! Wonderful job girls, and ladies!

### **CREDO: A COMPENDIUM OF THE CATHOLIC FAITH**

The wonderful Bishop Schneider has produced a Catechism that is easy to understand, free of the confusion that abounds in so many post-Vatican II catechisms, and is economically priced. It would make a wonderful gift for Christmas, for Confirmation, and a practical reference for every Catholic household. I have ordered 20 of them, depleting the Amazon stock of them, and will make them available to you for sale when they arrive at the amazing price of \$20. More will be ordered if there is a demand for them.

### **SOME STATISTICS FROM THE ANNUARIO PONTIFICIO**

Each year, the Vatican publishes a book of statistics about the state of the Church worldwide. Africa had the largest number of Catholics of any continent in the world. The number of priests dropped by 2,347, but increased in Africa by about 1500. Nigeria had the highest number of Catholics who attend Mass faithfully each week, 97%, while the Netherlands had the lowest percentage at 7%. Worldwide, the number of seminarians dropped by about 2000.