

The Thirty-First Sunday In Ordinary Time

October 30, 2022

Mass Intentions

October	31	8:00 AM	NO MASS
		7:00 PM	People Of The Parish
November	1	8:00 AM	Special Intention
November	2	8:00 AM	The Holy Souls In Purgatory
November	3	8:00 AM	The Holy Souls In Purgatory
November	4	8:00 AM	The Holy Souls In Purgatory
November	5	8:00 AM	The Holy Souls In Purgatory
		5:00 PM	People Of The Parish
November	6	8:00 AM	The Holy Souls In Purgatory
		10:30 AM	The Holy Souls In Purgatory

Liturgical Ministries November 5-6

	Lectors	Extraordinary Ministers	Servers
5:00 PM	Dave Suydam	Gwen Pray	The Fordyce Family
8:00 AM	Joe Dailey	Scott Dunkelberger	Helena Krieger
10:30 AM	Nancy Stanton	Mark Ticehurst	The Robinson Family

Schmidt Center Cleaning

November 6

Robin & Mike Chiccini

November 13

Madeline Rogers & Pat Harshberger

Next Sunday's Readings

Please prepare for Mass and the Homily by reflecting on these texts from the Sacred Scriptures

2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14

2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5

Luke 20:27-38

Christian Stewardship

Last Sunday's Collection amounted to: \$4,961.00

The Collection on this date one year ago amounted to: \$5,288.36

May God Bless you for your generous and responsible stewardship!!!

Church Calendar

Sunday, October 30th

Masses, 8:00 and 10:30AM

CCD, 9:15-10:15AM

Monday, October 31st

No morning Mass

Vigil Mass for All Saints, 7:00PM

Tuesday, November 1st (All Saints Day)

Mass, 8:00AM

Wednesday, November 2nd (All Souls Day)

Mass, 8:00AM

Thursday, November 3rd

Mass, 8:00AM

Confessions, 6:15PM

Sacred Heart Devotions, 7:00PM

Friday, November 4th (First Friday)

Mass, 8:00AM

Saturday, November 5th (First Saturday)

Mass in honor of IHM, 8:00AM

Confessions, 4:00-4:45PM

Mass, 5:00PM

Sunday, November 6th

Masses, 8:00 and 10:30AM

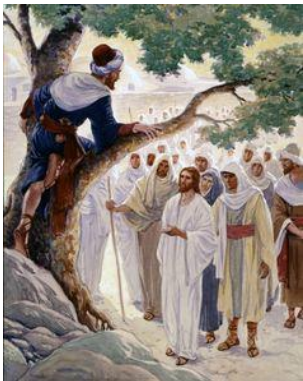
CCD, 9:15-10:15AM

Cemetery of the Innocents, 2:30PM

“...Zacchaeus was seeking to see
who Jesus was.”

From the Pastor's Desk

In Jesus' day, tax collectors were not popular people. They were collaborators with the Romans and were despised by many Jewish



people. The tax system allowed them to charge more than what was required so that they could make a profit for themselves. Thus, they were considered sinners by their countrymen. Observers in the crowd that day grumble because Jesus dines with

a sinner. Throughout Scripture, Jesus' choice of dinner companions set him apart from other observant Jews of his time. In first century, Jewish

culture, to dine together was to show a bond of fellowship and peace among those at the table. Observant Jews did not generally dine with foreigners and sinners. Yet, Jesus chooses to honor the tax collector, Zacchaeus, by staying at his house.

Even before Jesus comes to his home, Zacchaeus shows himself to be someone in search of salvation. Zacchaeus, described as short in stature, climbs a tree in order to see Jesus. We know from Luke's description that Zacchaeus was no ordinary tax collector; he was, in fact, the chief tax collector and a person of some wealth. In his search for salvation, he humbled himself by making a spectacle of himself by climbing a tree. Jesus recognizes the faith of this tax collector exhibited in his search for salvation and calls him down from the tree. In the hospitality he extends to Jesus and in his conversion of heart, Zacchaeus is raised up by Jesus as a model of salvation.

Remember the Sick of our Parish in your charity and prayers: John Kapp, Jane and Dennis Haag, Bill Sharman, Kay Dorundo, Joni Lawrence, Cathy Steiner, John and Sue Cover, Bill Selle, Diana Prowell, Marietta McQuaid, Tom Mellis, Marie Dishman, Suzanne Matunis, Judy and Joe Rich, Jeanette Fasick, Mike Landis, Greg Nye, and all the long-suffering in our community and at Perry Village.

Deacon Robinson's Contact Information: You may contact Deacon Robinson at his cell phone (717-602-6298) or through his email: dcnrobin@ptd.net.

Online Bulletin: www.stbernardsnbpa.org

Hospitality Apostolate: This group would like to offer meals to parishioners just released from the hospital, new mothers, and shut-ins who need temporary care. If you can use their services or know someone who can, please contact Phyllis Krieger (kriegerkrew@aol.com/717-834-9433).

The Cemetery of the Innocents, remembering the babies who lost their lives by abortion in Perry County, will be dedicated on Sunday, November 6th at Grace Evangelical Christian Church, Dromgold Corner at Rt 850 and 34 in Shermans Dale from 2:30-3:30PM. White crosses and roses

will be placed representing the babies who died in Perry County last year through abortion. Your prayerful presence will stand in solidarity for the cause of life.

Parish Pictorial Directory: As we prepare to celebrate the 75th Anniversary of our parish, we are going to publish a pictorial directory of our families, with photos of our various committees. We would like your family to be included in the directory and have scheduled convenient appointment times to have your photo taken. The available appointment times are posted on the bulletin board. Please sign up as soon as possible, since we are trying to have all photos completed by the end of November.

Knights of Columbus Christmas Card Contest: The Knights of Columbus are sponsoring a "Keep Christ in Christmas" Card contest. The contest is open to parish youth. The artwork selected will be made into Christmas Cards and be available to the parish in November for the production cost. Chosen entries will receive a package of Christmas Cards of their design. Rules and consent forms are available in the narthex. Please return entries by October 25.

Attention Catholic Veterans: Did you serve in the Armed Forces? Father Edward Higgins of Astoria, NY created an organization called The Catholic War Veterans. This organization was



blessed by Pope Pius XII and was Congressionally Chartered nationally, with State and local Chapters. Central PA has not had an active chapter in quite some time, but now has

reestablished a chapter, Post 707, based in Harrisburg, and is actively meeting at 112 State Street, Harrisburg, PA. If you are a baptized Catholic who has served in the Armed Forces, WE WANT YOU! If interested, please stop by a meeting, which is held every second Tuesday of the month at 1730 hours, or for more information contact COL (Ret) Robert DeSousa at cptjag@yahoo.com or 717.648.8317

All Souls Intentions: You are reminded to list the names of your deceased relatives and friends on your All Souls envelope and place them in the

collection so they can be prepared for the altar. During the month of November, nine Masses will be offered for your All Souls intentions. In addition, these intentions have a separate and special remembrance in all the Masses celebrated in Saint Bernard's Church during the month, which is the reason your All Souls envelopes



remain on the Altar for the entire month. From the earliest days of the Church, we have commemorated the faithful departed by offering prayers for them. Please remember to pray for the Souls in

Purgatory since our prayers and good works can help our deceased relatives and friends overcome tribulation and reach eternal happiness in the company of God. Prayer for the deceased is a blessed act of charity and a way of keeping those we loved and who have loved us in our minds and hearts.

Solemnity of all Saints: Tuesday, November 1st is the Solemnity of All Saints, a holy day of obligation. A vigil Mass will be celebrated on Monday, October 31 at 7:00PM. Mass on the feast day will begin at 8:00AM.

Parish Pastoral Council will meet on Monday, November 14th at 7:00PM in the Parish Hall. If you have commendations or recommendations for the life of our parish, please call Bill Davies or drop them in the Suggestion Box



in the narthex.

Thank You: Our parish is most grateful to Terry and Jen Meek for coordinating our annual Trunk or Treat this year. Over 100 parishioners and friends gathered for this fun event and all had a great time, especially our children. Even Saint Nicholas and his helper showed up in a beautifully restored vintage 1958 Jaguar!

Pray the Rosary
For peace, vocations, and
to end abortion!

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS



Karen Peters	November 1	Sarina Zurenko	November 18
Sean Romano	November 1	Crescentia Boden	November 19
David Jenkins Jr.,	November 2	Nicholas Raugh	November 19
Deacon Robinson	November 2	Cheryl Blow	November 20
Michelle Sheaffer	November 3	Jason Innerst	November 20
Maryann Cully	November 4	Joyce Brong	November 22
James Schoedel	November 4	Grace Horn	November 22
Virginia Ticehurst	November 4	Tim McCoy	November 22
Steph Trispagonas	November 4	Kathy Odat	November 22
Annie McKinley	November 6	Annamarie Casner	November 23
Nicholas Morrison	November 6	Karen Gochenaur	November 23
Reed Kreider	November 6	Annetta Round	November 24
Jeffrey Martzall	November 7	Dale Steiner	November 24
Paul Zelenky	November 7	Kateri Robinson	November 25
William C. Kaufell	November 8	William Aldrich	November 26
Carole Naylor	November 8	Robert Moyer	November 27
Doreen King	November 9	Shelby Aldrich	November 29
Ken Druckenmiller	November 10	Timothy Ballas	November 30
Lynsey McKinley	November 11	Matthew Chiccini	November 30
Yvonne DePaulis	November 12	Sean Cully	November 30
Ken Morrison	November 15	Blaise Robinson	November 30
Nadia Zurenko	November 18	Monica Robinson	November 30

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