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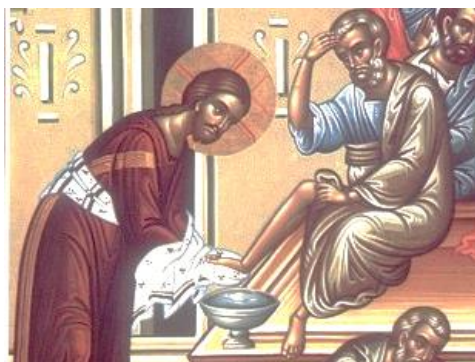
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## **31<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

# **November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

**Our Lady of Fatima First Saturday Devotions:**

8am Adoration, Rosary, Confessions

9:00am Mass, enrollment of scapular afterward

*Next First Saturday Event: December 2<sup>nd</sup>!*

## **“Whoever humbles himself will be exalted”**

### **WEEKDAY MASSES**

#### **St. Anthony**

Tuesday at 5:30pm  
Wednesday at 5:30pm  
Thursday at 5:30pm

#### **St. Margaret**

Friday at 9:00am

### **WEEKEND MASSES**

#### **St. Margaret**

Saturday at 4:00pm

#### **St. Anthony**

Sunday at 9:00am

#### **Sacred Heart**

Sunday at 11:30am

### **CONFESSIONS**

Half hour before Mass

### **ADORATION:**

One hour before all  
weekday Masses

## **November Devotion: Praying for those in Purgatory**

**Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the Masses said throughout the world today, for all the Holy Souls in Purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal Church, those in my own home and within my family. Amen.**

**Saint Anthony of Padua Giving 10/22**

Collection: \$972.50

**Saint Margaret of Scotland Giving 10/21**

Collection: \$ 647.00

**Sacred Heart of Jesus Giving 10/22**

Collection: \$ (next week)

**Calendar of Events & Mass Intentions:**

**Saturday, November 4<sup>th</sup>**

8am First Saturday devotion 9am Mass

4pm Mass St. Margaret, Int: For the People

**Sunday, November 5<sup>th</sup>**

9am Mass St. Anthony, Int: Connie Johnson

PIE TIN distribution by SACCW

11:30am Mass Sacred Heart, Int: Molly DeWolfe

**Monday, November 6<sup>th</sup>**

12-3pm Karen's Pantry

6pm SACCW meeting in Angel Room

**Tuesday, November 7<sup>th</sup>**

8:00am Catholic Home School

5:30pm Mass St. Anthony Int: Heather Lantagne

**Wednesday, November 8<sup>th</sup>**

5:30pm Mass St. Anthony, Int:

5:30-7:30pm Religious Education classes

**Thursday, November 9<sup>th</sup>**

5:30pm Mass St. Anthony, Int:

**Friday, November 10<sup>th</sup>**

9:00am Mass St. Margaret, Int: Fred Rhodes

**Saturday, November 11<sup>th</sup>**

10am-4pm Pasty pick-up in parish Hall

4pm Mass St. Margaret, Int:

**Sunday, November 12<sup>th</sup>**

9am Mass St. Anthony, Int: For the People

BAKE SALE AFTER MASS by SACCW

10-11:30am RE for PreK-3<sup>rd</sup> grades

11:30am Mass SH, Int: Ta'leah Vander Baan

*Confessions 1/2 hour before Masses*

**Please pray for those in need of prayer.**

Roberta Vondall, Jimmy Farrington, Donna Moreau, Mike Michaud, Kim Geib, Kadyance M. Gilbert, June Anderson, Nick DalSanto, Mary Stewart, Blake Fleury, Mark Endres, John Geib, Jeff, Peter N., Lucinda Simone, Diane Rock, David Rock Sr., Geri Scheidt, Jeremy and Paula Conery, Dave Holmes, Nathan Glime & family, Elias Zarate, Riley Lestrud, Elijah, Duke family, Neil Anderson, Christopher Schoon, Jenna Erno, Dan Wetzell, Eric Frantz, Ellie Mae, Keri Rugg, Steve Keeley, Debbie & Joe, Debbie Ziebert, Kelly Jean Rose-Lehto, Trish Gardiner, Robin Rugg, June Uren, Marcie & Jim Crandall, Dick Doucette, Bonnie Nowland, Tom Balthazor, Jana Wood, Kathy Martin, Connor Wallace, Bob Butler, Robert Walters, Jody Wall, Roger Karban, Dan Hughes, Eric Kellings, Barb Schultz, Jim Brennan, Al Swanson

**Nursing home:** Terry and Cheri Sweig

**Please keep our soldiers in your prayers:** Adam Valeski, Sarah Mills, David Phillips, Emily Phillips, Drew Schiefelbein, Benjamin Oratch

*Please call Rose Bousley for intention 715-251-3249*

**Personnel**

Pastor (Temporary Administrator): Fr. Felix Abano, Jr.

Accountant: Cain Accounting

St. Margaret Secretary: Tricia Kuhns & Pam Vross

Secretary & RE Coord: Dawn Johnson, 715-251-1773

RE Assistant: Donna Henrichs

St. A Maintenance: Randy Pilon, 920-850-6998

St A Janitor Hall/Parish Center: Veronica Church

St. Margaret Maintenance: Charles Kuhns

St. Margaret Trustees: Andy VandenBush & Ed

Nowland

Sacred Heart Trustees: Jim Carncross & Pat Schaut

St. Anthony Trustees: Tony Noska & Judy Parent

**GROUP MINISTRIES**

•Karen's Pantry Contact Donna or Teresa: 906.239.4662

•Prayer Shawl Ministry –1st Wednesday at 10am 2<sup>nd</sup> floor in SVdP room. Call Cindy Pilon 920.851.7316

•SACCW –President Laura Brinkman 906.869.8868 next mtg: Monday, Nov 6<sup>th</sup> at 6pm..

•Finance Council – next mtg: at 3:30pm

•Pastoral Council - next mtg: November 28<sup>th</sup> after Mass

**Candle Intentions:**

St. Anthony: Infant Prague – Special Intention

St. Joseph – Bob Beauchamp (Nov1)

St. Margaret: Bl. Mother – Rev Henry Meus (Nov1)

**We honored those who passed away this last year on All Soul's Day: Boots Mills, Pat Rouse, Gloria Brault, and Barb Stark**

**Council's Corner:**

• Thank you, Fr. Felix, for providing the beautiful banner advertising the First Saturday devotion.

• Our next First Saturday is December 2<sup>nd</sup> starting at 8am and then Mass at 9:00am. This devotion was requested by our Lady to the Fatima children as she told them:

“See, my daughter, My Heart surrounded with thorns with which ingrates pierce me at every moment with blasphemies and ingratitude. You, at least, make sure to console me and announce that all those who for five months, on the first Saturdays, go to confession, receive Communion, say five decades of the Rosary and keep me company for 15 minutes meditating on the mysteries of the Rosary, with the purpose of making reparation to Me, I promise to assist them at the hour of death with all the graces necessary for the salvation of their souls.” Our Lady, December 10, 1925

**Pastoral Letter:** *Encountering Jesus in the Eucharist:  
Disciples Called to Worship*  
by Bishop Ricken

## Part VI – “Five Alive” Practices To Live the Mass

### #2 Lectio Divina

#### 1. *Lectio* — Reading

- Select a passage from Scripture.
- Read through the passage a few times and allow the words to capture your attention and your being. In this way, begin to listen as God speaks to your heart.

#### 2. *Meditatio* — Meditation

- During this phase, seek to acquire the mind of Christ and learn what he wants to reveal to you.
- As you read, certain words, phrases or even thoughts might have jumped out at you. Take some time during this stage to consider why these phrases and words might have jumped out at you.
- Imagine yourself as an observer in the Scripture passage, reflecting on what you see, hear, taste, touch and to what and whom you are drawn to.
- Consider how the words relate to your life today. At the end of your prayer, stop writing and speaking. Focus on the Lord, rest in him and enjoy being close to him in love.

#### 3. *Oratio* — Praying

- During this phase, pray from your heart and respond to what Jesus has spoken to you in the holy words of Scripture.
- Allow the grace of these words, images and thoughts to move you to a heartfelt prayer.
- Ask Jesus personally for help, guidance, insight and direction. Find yourself talking to him naturally.

#### 4. *Contemplatio* — Contemplation

- During this time, find yourself resting with and in the Lord. Rest in his presence so that the very core of your being is stilled.
- Center your attention on God.
- Allow the word of God to stir within you the courage, strength, energy and guidance for a fresh start and a new beginning. (Excerpts from pg. 36)

### Weekly Bible Reading for Mass:

**Sun the 5th:**Psalter III, Ordinary Time Week 31.  
Mal 1:14-2:10; Ps131:1-3; 1Thes 2:7-13; Mt23:1-12  
**Mon the 6th:**Rm11:29-36; Ps69:30-37; Lk14:12-14  
**Tue the 7th:**Rm 12:5-16; Ps 131:1-3; Lk 14:15-24  
**Wed the 8th:**Rm 13:8-10; Ps 112:1-9; Lk 14:25-33  
**Thu the 9th:** Dedication of St. John Lateran.  
Ezek 47:1-12; Ps 46:1-9; John 2:13-22  
**Fri the 10th:** Leo the Great, pope and doctor.  
Rom 15:14-21; Ps 98:1-4; Luke 16:1-8  
**Sat the 11th:** Martin of Tours, bishop.  
Rom 16:3-27; Ps 145:1-11; Luke 16:9-15

**SACCW** – will meet on Monday, Nov 6th at 6pm in the Angel Rm. Please enter from the Alley Door.

We will be having our Deceased Members Memorial. ALSO - There will be a Caring House Tour on November 15th at 2pm in the afternoon for anyone interested. Just meet there. For more information, please contact Laura Brinkman



**SACCW  
Fall Bake Sale**  
We will be doing a parish wide Pie Bake Sale on Sunday, November 12th after Mass.

On Sunday, November 5th, We are handing out Pie Tins. We ask that you bring back a Baked Pie the following Weekend, Nov 12th for the Bake Sale. For any questions, please feel free to reach out to Laura Brinkman 906-869-8868.

**2024 Offertory Envelopes** are available for St. Anthony Parish members in the narthex. If you no longer wish to receive envelopes or would like envelopes, please let Dawn know.

**Condolences** to the family of Jerry Neumann. Eternal rest, grant unto him O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon him. May he rest in peace. Amen. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.

**Is anyone interested in praying the Sunday Readings using *Lectio Divina*? We are planning to come together before Mass during Advent to pray the Scripture passages together. Call Dawn if you are interested (715-251-1773). Our first gathering will be Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> at 8am in the room off the RE office.**

**Loving  
Memory of:  
Pat Recla**



**Deceased Members of the  
Brinkman Family**

In Loving Memory  
of: Phyllis Willis



“Praying for the souls in purgatory is the  
highest act of supernatural charity”  
~ St. Pope John Paul II



The Prayer of St. Gertrude (front page) is one of the most famous of the prayers for Souls in Purgatory. St. Gertrude the Great was a Benedictine nun and mystic who lived in the 13th century. According to tradition, our Lord promised her that 1000 souls would be released from Purgatory each time it is said devoutly.

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**In Loving  
Memory of  
Jim Merritt**



In Memory of the  
Deceased Members of the  
**Kadulski Family**



“Who will teach me what  
is most pleasing to God,  
that I may do it?”  
St. Katera Tekakwitha

In Loving Memory of  
**Jim & Mary  
Parent**

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Frank & Charleen  
Frantz*



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Wednesday 7:30pm at  
St. Margaret Parish  
Call Don 715-929-0011

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loved one here...