

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 11, 2020

OPENING HYMN: 1) All people that on earth do dwell, Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice; Him serve with mirth, His praise forth tell, Come we before Him, and rejoice. 2) Know that the Lord is God indeed; Without our aid He did us make; We are His folk, He does us feed, And for His sheep He does us take. 3) O enter then His gates with praise; Approach with joy His courts unto; Praise, laud, and bless His Name always, For it is seemly to do so.

FIRST READING: *Isaiah 25:6-10a*

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: *I shall live in the house of the Lord all the days of my life.*

SECOND READING: *Philippians 4:12-14, 19-20*

GOSPEL: *Matthew 22:1-14*

PREPARATION OF GIFTS HYMN: 1) O God, our help in ages past, Our hope for years to come, Our shelter from the stormy blast, And our eternal home. 2) Under the shadow of Thy throne Thy saints have dwelt secure; Sufficient is Thine arm alone, And our defense is sure. 3) Before the hills in order stood, Or earth received its frame, From everlasting Thou art God, To endless years the same. 4) A thousand ages in Thy sight Are like an evening gone, Short as the watch that ends the night Before the rising sun.

COMMUNION HYMN: *Refrain ~ One bread, one body, one Lord of all, one cup of blessings which we bless. And we, though many, throughout the earth, we are one body in this one Lord.* 1) Gentile or Jew, servant or free, woman or man, no more. 2) Many the gifts, many the works, one in the Lord of all. 3) Grain for the fields, scattered and grown, gathered to one, for all.

CONCLUDING HYMN: 1) The Church's one foundation Is Jesus Christ her Lord; She is His new creation By water and the word; From heaven He came and sought her To be His holy bride; With His own blood He bought her, And for her life He died. 2) Elect from every nation, Yet one o'er all the earth, Her charter of salvation, "One Lord, one faith, one birth!" One holy name she blesses, Partakes one holy food, And to one hope she presses With every grace endued. 3) 'Mid toil and tribulation And tumult of her war, She waits the consummation Of peace forevermore, Till with the vision glorious Her longing eyes are blest, And the great Church victorious Shall be the Church at rest.

MASS OF HOPE AND HEALING: Sunday, October 18th @ 5:00 PM – Holy Trinity Catholic Church, 505 Fountains Parkway, Fairview Heights, IL – Bishop Michael McGovern, Celebrant and Homilist. A Mass for parents who have lost a child due to any circumstance. Also, an opportunity to pray in faith with the Bishop and priests after Mass for your loved one. Reservations are required. Register at: www.signupgenius.com/go/8050b4dada62daOff2-mass OR email wfink@diobelle.org.

NATIONAL SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF THE SNOWS: Virtual Fall Retreat sponsored by the Victorious Missionaries – "Cultivating a Spiritual Life in Turbulent Times". October 17, 2020 via Zoom 10:30am-5pm, presented by Geri Boyer. She will teach us how to transform wounds into sacred experiences. Register online at snows.org/retreat, visit vmusa.org for a printable registration form or call 618-394-6281 for more information.

MASS INTENTIONS & CALENDAR FOR OCTOBER 12 – OCTOBER 18

Monday, October 12	PRIVATE MASS – For the People Columbus Day
Tuesday, October 13	PRIVATE MASS – For the People
Wednesday, October 14	9AM MASS (Grades K-4) – Gary Schwent Special Intentions; St. Callistus I
Thursday, October 15	NO MASS – Fr. Gene's Day Off St. Teresa of Jesus
Friday, October 16	PRIVATE MASS – For the People St. Hedwig and St. Margaret Mary Alacoque
Saturday, October 17	5 PM MASS – For the Parish St. Ignatius of Antioch
Sunday, October 18	9AM MASS – Linda Hoffman by Gina

NOTE CONCERNING MASS INTENTIONS: Due to COVID, we were unable to fulfill Mass intentions from March 18 through August 14. At the present time our Mass schedule is still limited. We will celebrate the omitted Masses as soon as possible as dates open up. In the meantime, if you would like to make a gift in memory of a loved one, we would ask you consider a memorial gift to the Cemetery Fund, School, or another fund of choice until we can clear the backlog of Mass intentions. Thank you for your understanding!

TITHE FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 4, 2020

Fiscal Week: 14

Mary Help of Christians: \$7578.00; Cemetery \$362.00; Improvement \$435.00; Ret. Priests \$80.00; Sister Anne \$45.00	
WEEKLY Budget Need: \$7000.00	YTD Budget Need: \$98,000.00
YTD Average Weekly Tithe: \$6134.94	YTD Budget Difference: (\$12,110.80)
YTD Actual Giving: \$85,889.20	YTD Weekly: (\$865.06)

THE WEEKEND BEFORE WORLD MISSION SUNDAY: Next weekend we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission diocese in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin American and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope's missions in your prayers and be generous in next week's collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith.

ST. PATRICK CHURCH, RUMA ~ BBQ: Sunday, October 18th, 10:30am-? @ Red Bud IGA. Pork steaks, brats, baked beans, mac & cheese, coleslaw and potato salad. \$10.00 per plate includes 2 sides. Sandwich \$7.00.

FOOD PANTRY THANKSGIVING BAGS: The Chester Area Christian Food Pantry is requesting monetary donations that can be used to purchase supplies which the Pantry staff will assemble into their traditional Thanksgiving Bags. Please place your monetary donation in an envelope marked "Thanksgiving" and drop it into the collection box. We will deliver the envelopes to the Pantry. Thank you for your generous response!

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION will be celebrated on Sunday, October 18th and Sunday October 25th for those students whose sacrament was postponed in the spring. There are 40 reserved seats at each mass for the families of our First Communion children, therefore, additional seating will be at a limit. *Parishioners please plan your church attendance and reserve your pew space early by calling the rectory.*