



# Church of NOTRE DAME



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**SUNDAY  
OCTOBER 30  
2022**

## **PARISH OFFICE HOURS**

M—TH: 9 am–12 pm & 1–3 pm

Friday—Closed

## **MASS SCHEDULE**

### **Weekend Masses**

Saturday: 4 pm

Sunday: 8 am and 11 am

### Weekday Masses

Monday: NO MASS

Tuesday: 9:00 am

Wednesday: NO MASS

Thursday: 9:00 am

Friday: 9:00 am

Saturday: 9:00 am

Saturday 9:30 am -  
Confession

## **PARISH STAFF**

### Pastor

Fr. Richard Allen

### Deacon

Rev. Mr. Frank Hannah

### **Director of Religious Education**

Mr. Joseph Ranelli

### **Director of Adult Education**

Mrs. Kathy Higgins

### **Liturgy/Music Coordinator**

Mrs. Gretchen Wagner

### Secretary

Mrs. Carrie Hannah

### **Religious Education Secretary**

Mrs. Mary Lou Hornyak

### **Business Manager**

Mrs. Ann Miller



## 31<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

When he reached the place, Jesus looked up and said, “Zacchaeus, come down quickly, for today I must stay at your house.” And he came down quickly and received him with joy. - Lk 19:5-6

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# WEEKLY PRAYER

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 30, 2022

- Sunday:** Wis 11:22—12:2/Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13, 14/2 Thes 1:11—2:2/Lk 19:1-10
- Monday:** Phil 2:1-4/Ps 131:1bcde, 2, 3/Lk 14:12-14
- Tuesday:** Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a
- Wednesday:** Wis 4:7-14/Ps 25:6, and 7b, 17-18, 20-21/Rom 5:17-21/Mt 11:25-30
- Thursday:** Phil 3:3-8a/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Lk 15:1-10
- Friday:** Phil 3:17—4:1/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Lk 16:1-8
- Saturday:** Phil 4:10-19/Ps 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a and 9/Lk 16:9-15
- Next Sunday:** 2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14/Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15 [15b]/2 Thes 2:16—3:5/Lk 20:27-38 or 20:27, 34-38

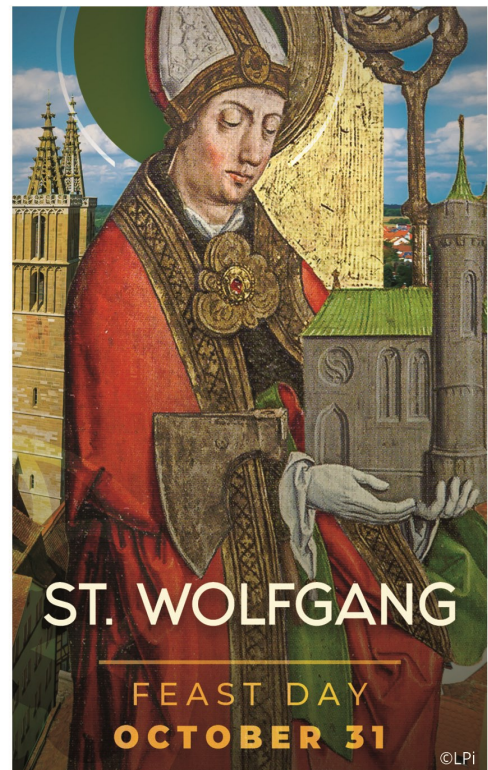
## OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 30, 2022

- Sunday:** 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time; Priesthood Sunday
- Monday:** All Hallow's Eve
- Tuesday:** All Saints
- Wednesday:** All Souls' Day
- Thursday:** St. Martin de Porres, Religious
- Friday:** St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop
- Next Sunday:** 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time; National Vocation Awareness Week; Daylight Saving Time Ends

## LIVE THE LITURGY

### Inspiration for the week

God does not set things in motion or create something and then step back to attend to other matters. When God creates, God remains connected. God's continued and constant presence is necessary for everything we see to exist. Without God, life as we know it would cease. God's imperishable spirit is in all things! Being the author of love, God cannot despise or hate Himself. Therefore, God cannot despise or hate anything or anyone. How can God be repulsed by the image of Himself reflected in a human soul? Jesus goes to the homes of sinners. His very presence there is enough to change even the most conflicted and self-serving of hearts. The soul who realizes its utter dependency upon God is a soul who knows salvation. The beginnings of salvation's blessings are discovered when we understand who God is, who we are, and how we are to act relative to our brothers and sisters. We find what our selfishness lost.



## SAINT OF THE WEEK

Saint Wolfgang of Ratisbon (now Regensburg) was born around 934 in Swabia, Germany. The son of a wealthy family, he was tutored in the home before he studied at the Monastery of Reichenau and Wurtzburg. In 956 he elected to go to Trier with his friend, Henry, who was appointed archbishop there. Wolfgang served as a teacher in the cathedral school at Trier.

After his friend's death, he became a Benedictine monk joining a monastery in Augsburg. There he led the school which flourished under his hand and was ordained in 968. In 972 he was sent to be a missionary to the pagan Magyar tribes (Hungarian clans). The Christmas of 972 he was appointed Bishop of Regensburg, near Munich, by Emperor Otto II, the post he would hold until his death.

The new Bishop continued to wear his Benedictine habit and held to the austerities of monastic life. He preached and worked at reform and took such care of the poor he was called "the Great Almoner." The saint also tutored the future Holy Roman Emperor, St. Henry II.

Saint Wolfgang died in 994 while traveling Austria, in the town of Puppington near Linz. He was canonized in 1052.



VIDEO MASS 10/30	+Peggy Elliott
MON 10/31 7PM	+Thomas A. McKinney [Tues. Morn. Sm. Grp]
TUES 11/1 7:30AM	*All who have no one to pray for them
TUES 11/1 9AM	+Victoria Dignadice [Ada & Wally Novero]
WED 11/2 7:30PM	+All Souls
THU 11/3 9AM	+Joe Sinkuc [Sinkuc Family]
FRI 11/4 9AM	+Anna Quartini [Sue Manes]
SAT 11/5 9AM	+Ed Ceremuga [Ben Addison & Family]
SAT 11/5 4PM	+Virginia Cantellops [Marcia Malesick & Jim DeAngelis]
SUN 11/6 8AM	+Mary Margaret Jones [Sr. Ann Marie & Srs. Of St. Joseph, Erie]
SUN 11/6 11AM	+Hugh O'Brien [O'Brien Family]

#### ST. BARTHOLOMEW DAILY MASS SCHEDULE:

MON, WED, FRI	TUES
7:30 AM	6:00 pm / *6:30 PM Confessions

#### WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE:

##### St. Bartholomew

SAT	SUN
5:30 PM	9:30 AM



<b>SAT 11/5 4PM</b> LECTOR M. Multari	<b>EUCCHARISTIC MIN.</b> C. Esmond / J. Miller B. Palisin / D. Palisin	<b>ALTAR SERVER</b> M. Wible R. Wible
<b>SUN 11/6 8AM</b> LECTOR B. Lackey	<b>EUCCHARISTIC MIN.</b> P. Clark / T. Pagliaroli P. Slezak / J. Wolinsky	<b>ALTAR SERVER</b> A. Zahniser
<b>SUN 11/6 11AM</b> LECTOR K. O'Brien	<b>EUCCHARISTIC MIN.</b> R. Fleis / B. McVey A. Orndorff / O. Yoursh	<b>ALTAR SERVER</b> K. Fleis M. Tarbay
<b>MON 10/31 7PM</b> LECTOR T. Bain	<b>ALL SAINTS - VIGIL</b> <b>EUCCHARISTIC MIN.</b> Volunteer Needed	<b>ALTAR SERVER</b> Volunteer Needed
<b>WED 11/2 7:30PM</b> LECTOR M. Bradac	<b>ALL SOULS' DAY</b> <b>EUCCHARISTIC MIN.</b> D. Boller / D. Boller P. Polesnak / P. Polesnak	<b>ALTAR SERVER</b> Volunteer Needed

\*ATTN VOLUNTEERS! Please check-in with Fr. Allen prior to Mass

## NEW MEMBERS SOCIAL LUNCHEON GATHERING

### Invitation for Social Luncheon Gathering in Your Honor

**To:** ALL New Members that have joined our parish in the past few years.

**Date:** Sunday, November 13, 2022

**Time:** Noon – following the 11AM Mass

**Place:** Multipurpose Room

**R.S.V.P** By November 6, 2022  
Parish Office 724.981.5566

### FROM OUR PASTOR

**RCIA will begin soon** – if you or anyone you know is an adult and in need of First Communion or Confirmation, or interested in the Catholic Faith, please contact **Fr. Allen at 724-981-5566**.

#### WHAT IS RCIA?

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

**IS RCIA FOR ME?** If you answer yes to any of the following questions, then Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults may be for you.

- A non-baptized person?
- Baptized as Catholic but were never confirmed or received Holy Communion?
- Baptized, made First Communion but never had any religious instruction beyond these sacraments?
- Non-Catholic interested in knowing more about the Catholic Faith?



Next Sunday's "Pantry Shower" item is **PAPER NAPKINS**. The upcoming item will be toilet paper.

Thank you for your care and concern for God's needy.

## BORN INTO ETERNAL LIFE

Please keep the family of  
**Mary Ann Neider**  
in your prayers.



"Into your hands Oh Lord we commend our brothers and sisters"

Altar Flowers this weekend  
are in memory of  
**Cathy Friedrich**

On behalf of: Notre Dame Staff





**Dear Friends, Family, and Parishioners,**

Our family is not quite sure how or where to begin to thank everyone for the outpouring of love and support that has been given to us in this difficult time. Reading all the names of donors on the donor board and on each basket, seeing all the people rushing around in the kitchen and multipurpose room serving, seeing so many people enjoying the spaghetti dinner and raffle, and all the kind words of love and support has truly brought us to tears. We are humbled and grateful for everything that has been done for our family. To Gretchen and Ken Wagner, Father Allen, the Music Ministry, the Knights of Columbus, the Small Faith Groups, and all our Notre Dame Families, thank you from the bottom of our hearts. We know this was no easy task, and we can imagine all the time and energy that was put into preparing such a lovely event for our son Joshua. God bless you all!

The Babcanec Family,  
Boe, Patty, Joshua, Joe, and Jacob Babcanec

**Galatians 6:2 "Bear one another's burdens and so you will fulfill the law of Christ."**

### THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!

The pasta dinner and raffle benefit for Joshua Babcanec was a Huge success!! Over 400 meals, 40 pounds of pasta, 800 meatballs served! And some had to be turned away (only 275 were planned for!)

Each person who cooked, made all those meatballs, served, scooped, made salads, cleaned tables was so very important. And not to mention all the donations to cover expenses, baskets, gift cards.....over \$10,000 was made for the Babcanec family.

How do you say thank you for all of that generosity? God bless all of you – the above mentioned workers, the Knights of Columbus men who set up and took down, cleaned, took out garbage....

One man summed it up on Monday morning when he came to collect a prize he had won at the benefit: "THIS is what Church is – a caring, loving community that comes together in a time of need." Thank you to each and every one of you.

**And please continue to pray for a kidney donor for Joshua.**

Gretchen Wagner on behalf of all involved.



## VOLUNTEER BELL RINGERS NEEDED!

*Ring a bell...help change a life*

We have all been and continue to experience rising prices. For many families in the Shenango Valley who were struggling already, this has proved devastating. Increased food prices have made it impossible to provide for their families without help. Food banks across our country are experiencing significant increases in people requesting food. Unfortunately, while demand has increased, the food supply has not. Food banks are at their lowest inventory in years. This has forced our local Salvation Army

to divert other funds to purchase food outside of our network. The Salvation Army is asking local churches to partner with them this Christmas season by providing volunteer help to staff the Red Kettles. All the money collected stays in the Shenango Valley.

Notre Dame will be participating in the **Ring of the Bells**, Monday, November 14 through Saturday, November 19, 2022 at Kraynak's (rear entrance). If you are interested in an extremely rewarding experience **Ring of the Bells** to help our needy neighbors will be gratefully appreciated. You can serve alone, with your spouse, a friend, or a child for two hours. **The Salvation Army's minimum age to serve without an adult present is fourteen (14).**

We will volunteer in 2-hour shifts from 9AM until 7PM. There will be sign-up sheets color-coded for each day of the week in the church entrance beginning Saturday October 29, 2022. Please include your phone number and email! A more detailed information sheet will be available at sign-up.

**Monday = RED \* Tuesday = Yellow**  
**Wednesday = GREEN \* Thursday = Pink**  
**\* Friday = BLUE \* Saturday = BLACK**

If you have a question, suggestion or need more information, please call Pat Galsky 724-977-0914 anytime. Pat will call you to remind you of your appointment and answer any questions.

# RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Grades: **Pre-K - 11<sup>th</sup>** / Sunday Mornings: **9:15AM - 10:45AM** / Use Grotto entrance of SJPII School

## **\*\*October 2022\*\***

30 Class

## **\*\*November 2022\*\***

6 Class - Confirmation Fruit Basket making & delivery to shut-ins following 11am Mass/Multi Room / adult drivers needed  
13 Class - First Penance/Parent meeting following 11am Mass/Chapel  
20 Class - First Eucharist/Parent meeting following 11am Mass/Chapel  
27 NO CLASS - Thanksgiving / Advent begins

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## **JESUS, teach me Your ways...** **Adult Catechetical Sessions**

When it comes to the Catholic Church, many do not know the fundamental doctrinal teachings or how Sacred Scripture is officially interpreted. Therefore, many remain in darkness when it comes to evangelizing those who may ask questions about the Catholic Church. Catechesis educates and informs, but also nourishes our relationship with Jesus and His Church. The gifts of knowledge and understanding are freely given. All we need to do is take a little time and energy to seek these gifts. Notre Dame is offering an ongoing adult catechetical formation series on Thursday evenings, 6:30pm-8:00pm in the Multi Room.

Please bring your questions and your Bibles to each session.

Date	Facilitator	Topic
November 3	Jim Slanitz	<i>Gifts and Fruits of the Holy Spirit</i>
November 10	Joe Ranelli	<i>Theology of the Eucharist</i>

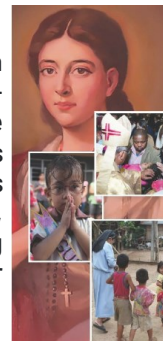


The November 13<sup>th</sup> OWLS luncheon has been rescheduled for December 4<sup>th</sup>.  
Any questions contact Ann Nicolls at 724-962-7164.

## **WORLD MISSION SUNDAY**

Thanks for your participation on World Mission Sunday!

Thanks for participation on World Mission Sunday last weekend! Through your generous contributions to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, you are Christ's witnesses, building the Church in the Pope's missions around the world, feeding the poor, and aiding the missionaries who are sharing the Gospel worldwide. May God bless you for your compassionate missionary spirit!



### **SIDE-BY-SIDE RAFFLE**

Grand Prize:  
**2022 Yamaha Wolverine RMAX2 1000 XR-T**  
—OR—  
**\$20,000 CASH**  
2nd Prize: \$1,000  
3rd Prize: \$500

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**TICKETS: \$20**

**DRAWING FEB 4, 2023**

## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

Anyone interested in helping with our Lenten Fish Fry should join us for an organizational meeting on **Wednesday, November 9<sup>th</sup>.**

St. Bartholomew Church Basement 6:30 pm

## **ST. ANTHONY THANKSGIVING BAKE SALE**

Tuesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>

Pickup: 4:00-6:00PM / Church Hall

Plain Pogach: \$6 / Plain Bread: \$7

Raisin Bread: \$8 / Cinnamon Rolls: \$10 dz.

Cinnamon rolls can be ordered with/without raisins.

To place an order please call Launa at 724-342-2489 or Linda at 724-8667488

Deadline to place orders:  
Cinnamon rolls 11/20 and Bread 11/21



The Notre Dame Book Club will be meeting  
**Thursday, November 17<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 PM in the NOTRE DAME MULTIPURPOSE ROOM**

We are reading *One Summer*, by Bill Bryson. A few books will be available outside the parish office.

***Please join us!***