

Mass Intentions for the Thirty-First Week in Ordinary Time

Monday Oct. 31st:

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **Jose Manlapaz**

Tuesday, November 1st: All Saints Day

Holy Day of Obligation

Mass: 7:00 AM

School Mass: 9:15 AM

Mass: 12:00 PM

Multilingual Mass: 7:30 PM

Wednesday, November 2nd: All Souls

The Commemoration of the Faithful Departed

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **All Souls**

Thursday, November 3rd

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **All Souls**

Friday, November 4th

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **All Souls**

Saturday, November 5th

Daily Mass 8:30 AM: **All Souls**

The Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday, November 5th

Vigil 5:00 PM: **Mass of Remembrance**

Spanish Mass 7:00 PM: **All Souls**

Sunday, November 6th

8:00 AM: **All Souls**

10:30 AM: **All Souls**

6:00 PM: **All Souls**

Readings for The Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Mc 7: 1-2; 9-14

2nd Reading: 2 Thes. 2:16-3:5

Gospel: Luke 20: 27-38

Please pray for the sick and homebound in our parish, our neighbors, family, and friends:

Lisa Allison; Lazarus Asong; Margie Baker; Earl Bracey; Muriel Brown; Al Craig; Ronnie Davis; Joseph DeMarco Jr; Janice Ereme; Bob Faass; Norma Florimbio; William Halbe; Rich Hoffmann; Kimberly Jackson; Jan Jarus; Jack Jordan; Vera Joseph; Kay Kaderabek; John and Joan Kodak; Richard Kosko; Joe Makowski; Dorothy Newman; Christopher Onuaku; William Pinchback; John Plater; Sam Ross; Phyllis Szuka; John Schmidt; Ida Stelmack; Jeffrey Surtkovich; Charity Taylor; Elijah Taylor; Louise Tesar; Marian Thomas; Matthew Thomas; Kay Villemi; Madeline White; Mae Young; Barbara Zanin; Sister Giustina Zanin; Zaria Zanin; Eugene Zehner; Mickey Zehner

Names will be placed on our prayer list for 4 weeks. To place a name on the list, please contact Pat Ford at 301-459-4814 x 201 or email pford@stmatthias.org

-For our military, protect them from all harm.

-For all the faithful departed, may they rest in peace.

Stewardship Report: Revenue

October 16 th	9,249.00
Faith Direct	2,419.00
Total Offertory	11,668.00
Last Year:	10,970.00

The second collection next weekend, Nov. 5 & 6, is for Retired Priests of the Arch. of Washington.

Items of Note

If you plan to attend the daily Mass at 8:30 AM next Saturday, November 5th, please park your car in the lot in front of the Ignatius House. The lot in front of the church will be used to set up for the Fall Festival.

A 33-Day Total Consecration to Jesus through the Immaculate Heart of Mary, which is a request by our Blessed Mother Mary in her Fatima Message for a total consecration to Jesus, will be held at Saint Matthias from November 5th through December 8th. Through this spiritual exercise, Mary will lead us in prayer each day toward a deeper transformation of our hearts and souls, and lead humanity back to Jesus. Sign up for this inspiring journey after Mass. If you sign up, you will receive a book that guides you for the 33-Day Consecration. This spiritual exercise will be done in your home so please sign up before you leave today. Contact Father Canice at 301-459-4814 for more information.

Save the Date—Saint Matthias Mercy Program will be held on November 20th from 12:00 PM to 1:30 PM in the Hughes Center. The Mercy Program strives to enrich all parishioners' knowledge of the corporal and spiritual works of mercy. We will focus on the corporal work of *welcoming the stranger*. Our workshop will include learning parts of the Mass in the many languages spoken in our parish. Lunch and refreshments will be provided. All are welcome! For more information contact Le-Marie Thompson at 301-452-2258 or lemarie.thompson@gmail.com.

Hosting An Event? Friendship Hall is available for rent on weekends throughout year. This coming summer, in addition to being available on weekends, Friendship Hall will be available on weekdays for meetings, conferences, and workshops. Book early for 2017. Contact Thad Ereme at 301-459-4814 x 207, or tereme@stmatthias.org.

Missals: The Ladies of Charity are selling 2017 Missals after Sunday Masses. Cost of each Missal is \$4.00. Proceeds will benefit the parish food pantry as well as other charitable works. Thank you for your support.

Parish Social Life Committee

The Parish Social Life Committee's next meeting will be held Friday, November 4th at 6:30 PM in the Hughes Center. The agenda includes final arrangements for the dedication of the Adoration Chapel.

THE THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

The Solemnity of all Saints

Monday, November 1, 2016

A Holy Day of Obligation

(Mass Schedule is on Page 1)

All Souls Day

Tuesday, November 2, 2016

Annual Mass of Remembrance

Saturday, November 5th at 5:00 PM

Commemorating the Souls of Our Faithful Departed and Praying for their Eternal Happiness

Our annual Mass of Remembrance, offered for our parishioners and special benefactors who have gone to their eternal reward, will be celebrated on November 5th at the 5:00 PM Saturday Vigil Mass. Join us in praying with those who still grieve, and in remembering the blessing their loved ones were to their families as well as to our community of faith.

School News



◆ The **Fall Festival** will be held next Saturday, November 5th from 9:00 AM until 3:00 PM. Please contact the school office for more information.

◆ TADS Financial Aid application for 2017-2018 is now available online. The application deadline is December 1, 2016. Single parents are also encouraged to apply for aid at www.CatholicFA.org.

◆ Principal Patricia Schratz will hold a coffee hour for school parents to share ideas and concerns on Thursday, November 3rd from 8:15-9:30 AM in the Hughes Center. Please email your RSVP to Mrs. Blackburn at mblackburn@stmatthias.org.

◆ Our first **Open House** for prospective school families will be held on Friday, November 11th from 9:00 AM until 12:00 PM. Come and see what we're all about! Any family interested in our school is invited to attend.



Items of Note



Thank You! The Knights of Columbus Mother Seton Council would like to thank you for your participation in the 47th Maryland State Council Annual Car Raffle.

Prize winners:

- Rita C. Barcus—\$100 Gas Card
- John & Linda Walsh—IPad
- Kate Jacobson—2017 Ford Mustang/\$18,000

Proceeds from the raffle provide funding for Maryland State Council educational scholarships.



First Friday: All are welcome to join fellow parishioners for refreshments after the 8:30 AM Mass on the first Friday of each month. Our next gathering is Friday, November 4th. Generous members of our parish provide coffee cakes, donuts, juice, and coffee. Take advantage of a perfect opportunity to meet others. If you would like to donate refreshments, please let those serving have your name.

Catholic Singles Dinner Dance: Single Catholics (21—65+) are invited to join Catholic Singles of Greater Washington (CSGW) for Mass, dinner, and a dance in College Park on Saturday, November 19th. Make your reservation by November 14th for dinner/dance (\$45), for dance only (\$15). For more information and times, please call Tricia at 301-460-9195, or go to www.CatholicSinglesOfGreaterWashington.org.

The Adoration Chapel is open 24 hours every day of the week for adoration. Parishioners who signed up to be part of the perpetual adoration ministry team will be contacted within the next few weeks. All parishioners are welcome to the chapel *any time*. Contact the parish office at 301-459-4814 to receive the keyless entry code.

Evangelization Conference: The Archdiocese of Washington will hold an Evangelization Conference on Saturday, November 5th from 9:00 AM—4:30 PM at Saint Camillus Church in Silver Spring. This training day is for parish leaders and staff, volunteers, pastoral council members, and ministry leaders. The keynote speaker is Sherry Weddell, author of *Forming Intentional Disciples*. The cost is \$20. To register online, go to www.adw.org/evangelization.

Schedule for Lectors, EMCH, & Altar Servers November 5/6

	Lectors	EMCH	Altar Servers
5:00 pm	U. Murphy	J. Flynn, C. Green, C. Kosko, P. Stevenson	B. Ogunlade, A. Ogunlade, H. Taylor
7:00 pm	E. Calderon	D. Aitcheson, S. Avieta	E. dDaz, J. Andres, B. Barahona
8:00 am	A. Taylor	M. Adams, B. Falls, J. George, S. Midgley	S. DeMaio, D. DeMaio
10:30 am	C. Nwokefor	E. Amanyiwe, S. Ikpi, I. Onuaku, I. Udejiolor, U. Nwokefor	N. Onyima, C. Onyeiwu, C. Onyeiwu
6:00 pm	K. Holmes-Johnson	D. Self, S. Wilson	D. Osuji, C. Johnson



Celebrant Mass Schedule for the Weekend of November 5/6

5:00 pm	Father Milt
7:00 pm	Father Ford
8:00 am	Father Milt
10:30 am	Father Canice
6:00 pm	Father Canice