

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

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OCTOBER 27, 2024



30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Jesus said to him in reply,
"What do you want me to do
for you?" The blind man
replied to him, "Master, I want
to see." Jesus told him, "Go
your way; your faith has saved
you." Immediately he received
his sight and followed him on
the way. - Mk 10:51-52

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MASS SCHEDULE | HORARIO DE MISA

Monday | Lunes

9:00 am

Tuesday | Martes

6:00 pm

Wednesday | Miercoles

9:00 am

Thursday | Jueves

7:00 am , 6:00 pm (Spanish)

Friday | Viernes

7:00 am

Saturday | Sabado

9:00am*(1st Saturday only)

4:00 pm (Vigil)

Sunday | Domingo

8:00am, 10:30am, 5:00pm

12:30 pm (Spanish)

OUR MISSION | NUESTRA MISIÓN

We welcome you and your family to our parish and we hope that you will find a "home" with us --and that as we grow in God's Spirit we may help one another experience the presence of the Lord Jesus Christ. *Our Mission:* "Family building the Body of Christ"

Le damos la bienvenida a usted y a su familia a nuestra parroquia y esperamos que encuentre un "hogar" con nosotros - y que a medida que crecemos en el Espíritu de Dios, podamos ayudarnos unos a otros a experimentar la presencia del Señor Jesucristo.

Nuestra Misión: "Familia construyendo el Cuerpo de Cristo"

CONFESSION | CONFESIONES

Tuesday & Thursday | Martes & Jueves

5:00-5:55 pm

Saturday | Sábado

9:00am*(except 1st Saturday) & 3pm

PERPETUAL ADORATION | ADORACIÓN AL SANTISIMO

24 hours a day in the Adoration Chapel Las 24 horas al día en la Capilla

Sacraments / Sacramentos**Baptism**

Parents & Godparents must register to attend a Pre-Baptismal Class. For more information please contact Susana Acosta at sacosta@sjparish.org or at 327-6568. Also see our website for more details.

Bautismos

Para poder bautizar se necesita estar registrados en la parroquia antes de recibir el Sacramento. Por favor consulte a la sección Ministerio Hispano en la página 8 de este boletín para más información. Comuníquense con Susie Acosta.

Matrimony

Those considering Marriage need to notify the parish office of their intention to marry at least 6-9 months prior to their intended wedding date. The wedding date can only be scheduled after consultation with the priest. Attendance of an approved Marriage Preparation Program is required. Please contact Susie Acosta for more information at 501-327-6568 or sacosta@sjparish.org. Also see our website for more details.

Sacramento de Matrimonio

Aquellos que estén considerando casarse deben notificar a la oficina parroquial su intención de casarse al menos de 6 a 9 meses antes de la fecha prevista para la boda. La fecha de la boda sólo se puede programar después de consultar con el sacerdote. Se requiere la asistencia a un Programa de preparación matrimonial.

Por favor comuníquese con Susie Acosta para obtener más información al 501-327-6568 o sacosta@sjparish.org.

Anointing of the Sick / Unción de los Enfermos

First Friday of the month after the 7 am Mass or by appointment. *Primer Viernes del mes después de la Misa de 7 am o por cita.*

Ministry to the Sick / Ministerio de los Enfermos

Please contact the Parish Office to notify us of the homebound or hospitalized.

Por favor de llamar a la Oficina Parroquial para notificarnos.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

RCIA is a process by which individuals, non-baptized or baptized in another Christian community, become Roman Catholics. Adults are welcome to begin the process anytime. Contact Dc. David French at 501-327-6568 or dfrench@sjparish.org for more information. For youth ages 7-15, weekly classes begin in the fall. Contact Flor Argueta at 501-513-6812 or fargueta@sjparish.org.

Rito de Iniciación Cristiana de Adultos (RICA)

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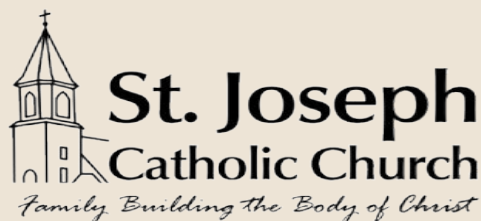
Death / Difuntos

To notify us of a death in your Family and to make funeral arrangements, please call the Parish Office at 327-6568.

Para arreglos de Funeral por favor de llamar a la Oficina Parroquial.

Sick Call / Emergency / Emergencias

Parish Office/ Oficina Parroquial at 327-6568.

**Sunday October 27th**

8:00 am † Allen Brewer by Ben Brewer & Family
10:30am Caroline San Martin (Spiritual Bouquet) by Kathy Kordsmeier

12:30 pm People of the Parish
5:00 pm † Fred Claflin by Doris Claflin

Monday October 28th

9:00 am † Leo Troillet by Knights of Columbus Fr. Dellert Council #4143

Tuesday October 29th

6:00 pm † Chancellor Strack, Birthday by Family

Wednesday October 30th

9:00 am † Rose Sullivan by Judy Weaver

Thursday October 31st

7:00 am † Sister Dominic Siebenmorgen by Family

6:00 pm † Deceased members of W. L. Corroto Family by Mary Lou Sanders

Friday November 1st

7:00 am † Frank Mayor, Sr, Anniversary of Death by Family

9:00 am Isabella Berumen (Spiritual Bouquet) by Family

6:00 pm † Joe Gartner by Knights of Columbus Fr. Dellert Council #4143

Saturday November 2nd

9:00 am † Grace Zeltner by Family

4:00pm † Tom Walsh by Carole Jackson

Sunday November 3rd

8:00 am † Jim Breakfield by Knights of Columbus Fr. Dellert Council #4143

10:30am † Eddie Williams by Michael and Debbie Gosnell

12:30 pm † All Souls Intentions of the Parish
5:00 pm People of the Parish



STEWARDSHIP *and* INFORMATION

Our Stewardship of Treasure

October 13, 2024 Collection

Collection		YTD
Offertory	32,248	647,460
Special Collection: World Mission Sunday	115	15,204
Missions Outreach	1,325	17,622
Bethlehem House, Haven, Life Choices, Rise House	322	6,475

*Thank you for your generous support of St. Joseph Parish.
May God bless you for your sacrifices for His Church.*

Church Donations



High School Capital Campaign Donations



READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 27, 2024

Sunday: Jer 31:7-9/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 (3)/Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-52

Monday: Eph 2:19-22/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5/Lk 6:12-16

Tuesday: Eph 5:21-33/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday: Eph 6:1-9/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13ab, 13cd-14/Lk 13:22-30

Thursday: Eph 6:10-20/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Lk 13:31-35

Friday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/1 Jn 3:1-3/Mt 5:1-12a

Saturday: Wis 4:7-14/Ps 25:6, and 7b, 17-18, 20-21/Rom 5:17-21/Mt 11:25-30

Next Sunday: Dt 6:2-6/Ps 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51 (2)/Heb 7:23-28/Mk 12:28b-34

USCCB Daily Readings



Observances for the week of October 27, 2024

Sunday: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: Sts. Simon and Jude, Apostles

Thursday: All Hallow's Eve

Friday: All Saints

Saturday: All Souls' Day

Next Sunday: 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time; Daylight Saving Time Ends; National Vocation Awareness Week

Live The Liturgy

Inspiration of the Week

Bartimaeus called upon Christ, even when everyone scolded him to be silent. He was not afraid to ask God for what he needed, and his courage was rewarded. Be like Bartimaeus. Be bold. Do not be content with the darkness. Call out for Christ.

All Saints Day remembers those in heaven who aren't officially recognized as well, like your family members who died in a state of grace.

Saint of the Week

Venerable Anne de Guigné (1911-1922) had a profound understanding of Jesus' presence in the Holy Sacrament. She developed a strong personal relationship with Jesus, declaring that she loved to talk with "little Jesus."

Prayer for Courage

"Take courage," we hear, "Jesus is calling you!" Jesus, give me the grace to respond to your call — your invitation to what I don't understand, to the unknown, the mystery. In these spaces, your grace abounds. Be with me, give me courage!



PRAYER & ADORATION



Do Not Be Afraid

Jesus tells us, "Do not be afraid. You are worth more than many sparrows." (Luke 12: 1-7) In Jesus Christ, you are connected to the very power of God; the One who created and sustains the universe. Despite evil and uncertainty in the earthly world, the Lord is King of the universe and we are His people. Come adore Jesus who is present in the Blessed Sacrament, and experience the love only He can give.

Many of our hours need an additional adorer. These hours are an incredible chance to pray in the

presence of Jesus!

View the schedule and sign up at conway.weadorehim.com. **You can sign up for any hour that Adoration is open, or sign up to be a substitute.** All are welcome!

You can also sign up/get information or help by calling/texting Karen Oxner at (501) 269-1327 or emailing her at koxner@uca.edu.

You can join any hour, but the following hours are in greater need:

Saturday	3 AM – 4 AM
Tuesday	3 PM – 4 PM
Sunday	10 AM – 11 AM
Sunday	11 AM - Noon

Please sign up today: Jesus waits and longs for YOU. All hours are available!

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Contact the Parish office 327-6568 to have names added to the prayer list.

Frank Rivers, Jim Luyet, Betsy Smith, T. J. Stelter, Corey Schichtl, Virginia Raines, Rosalie Musial, Ron Musial, Robert Kordsmeier, Sandy Malson, Camryn Gunther, Craig MacDonald, Julia Luneau, Joe Swan, Gabrielle Sanson, Gary Williams, Mary Erickson, Betty Langley, Paul Fisher, Mary Jane Fisher, Emmett Martin, Sarah Rivers, Patricia Dequeant, Kieran Darrow, Patricia Heinz, Dave Leffler, Chris Voss, Willey Voss, Greg Hall, Andrea Hamilton, Barbara Ann Kordsmeier, Stephen Troillet, and Marsha Troillet Sullivan.

Prayer Chain Callers: If you have a prayer request and would like to know that others are praying with you or if you think you might be interested in serving on the prayer chain, please text 501-733-7718 or email Robbie Davis at davisrobbie68@yahoo.com

PRAYER SERVICE IN COMMEMORATION OF THE SOULS OF THE FAITHFULLY DEPARTED



MOZART REQUIEM

MONDAY • 4 NOVEMBER 2024 • 7:00 P.M.

CHOIR OF THE

CATHEDRAL OF SAINT ANDREW

CITY AND DIOCESE OF LITTLE ROCK

Beau Baldwin • Conductor
Colin MacKnight • Organist

Monthly Grief Support Group

St. Joseph's Beacon of Hope Ministry hosts a monthly grief support group the first Monday of each month in room 205 in the Spiritan Center from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. This is an informal support group for anyone who has lost a loved one, whether the loss was recent or many years ago. This safe space will allow you to find support as you walk your grief journey. Each session will include a topic to discuss. No registration is required. For more information, email sjbeaconofhope@gmail.com or call/text Aprille Spivey 847-532-0232 or Barbara Dardenne (501-339-6317).

Blessing Bags Donation Request



Missions Outreach will pass out Blessing Bags again this year, and are in need of

\$10 Gift Cards

for Walmart or local fast food.



Cards (or \$ donation) may be put in the Collection Basket or brought to the Parish Office. Attn: Celeste Bailey

THANK YOU VERY MUCH!

The Blessing Bags will be assembled by the parish youth and will be available to parishioners in mid-December to have on hand for an encounter with someone in need. The bags will contain a pair of socks, hand warmer, lip balm, hand sanitizer, granola bar and small water bottle, as well as a food gift card and list of food pantries and other sources of local assistance. The poor and homeless suffer disproportionately from current price increases. Thank you for participating in this outreach.



**Knights of Columbus
Pancake Breakfast**

Pancakes, Sausage,
Coffee, Juice
All You Can Eat
Adults \$5, Children 6-12 \$3,
Children 5 & under free



Spiritan Center
Sunday October 27th
9:00 am – 12:00 pm



St. Augustine said “He who sings Prays twice!”

The St. Joseph traditional adult choir is looking for new members and invites you to come sing with us. We normally sing 2-3 times a month and our practices are usually on Thursday at 3pm in the church before the weekend we sing. No special musical ability required, just a desire to give God worship and praise with your voice. For further information call Janie Calvert, 501-329-1640 or talk to one of the choir members.

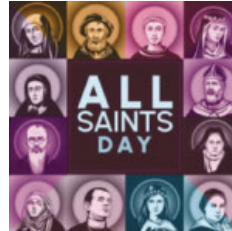


Cemetery Blessing (Blessing of Graves)

October 27th

- 1pm St. Joseph
- 2pm Crestlawn
- 3pm Oak Grove

*In Case of Rain, cemetery blessing gets moved to 11/3



Solemnity of All Saints Day

Thursday October 31st (Vigil)

6pm

Friday November 1st

7am, 9am,

6pm(Spanish)

Adopt a Meal at Bethlehem House

Missions Outreach is looking for volunteers to prepare a meal for Bethlehem House on behalf of St. Joseph Church. Bethlehem House is a homeless shelter in Conway that feeds up to 35 people every night.

If you, your family or a group of friends are interested in providing a meal, please contact Celeste Bailey at 327-5528 or cbailey@sjparish.org

Silver Rose Program

The Silver Rose will be at St. Joseph
Nov. 3rd for all Masses

**Join thousands of Catholics across
North America in asking for Our Lady
of Guadalupe's intercession through
the Silver Rose program.**

In 1960, the Columbian Squires, a youth organization of the Knights of Columbus, came up with the idea of running a rose to the Basilica of Our Lady of Guadalupe in Monterrey, Mexico, to honor Our Lady. The rose was chosen to commemorate Saint Juan Diego and the miracle of the roses.

Today, eight roses travel along different North American routes that include Canada, the United States and Mexico. Every stop the Silver Rose makes throughout the pilgrimage is a rosary-centered occasion to pray for respect for life, the spiritual renewal of each nation, and the advancement of the message of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

Your participation in the Silver Rose program, especially your prayers and pledge for life, are a crucial part of our mission to defend and support life in every stage and condition.



**Knights of
Columbus®**



Our Lady of Guadalupe is the Patroness of the unborn, the Americas, and the Knights of Columbus.

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(VHR) Virtual Healing Resource Gathering for November

Anyone suffering from the trauma of a past *abortion* is invited to join a virtual small prayer group and discussion meeting on Monday, November 4, 2024, from 6:30-7:30 p.m., and the topic is “healing relationships”. You may join anonymously from the comfort of your own space. This gathering is hosted by Project Rachel, a ministry of the Diocese of Little Rock. We welcome anyone from any area of our state who has been affected in any way by an abortion. This non-judgmental group desires to assist anyone who is searching for peace and forgiveness. Please call or text our CONFIDENTIAL helpline at 501-663-0996 for the confidential meeting link or email projectrachel@dolr.org. We are here for you!



Fresh Christmas Wreaths

St. Joseph School Interact Club is now taking pre-orders for fresh 22” Noble Fir Wreaths. Wreaths are \$30 each and come with pre-tied red velvet water repellent bow and snowy pinecones. You may order these from an Interact Club member in the high school if you know one or via Jacqueline

Kordsmeier at the Endowment office, she is the liaison between the Conway Noon Rotary Club and the St. Joseph Interact Club. Wreaths must be paid for at time of order, cash or check only. Orders will be accepted until Monday, Nov. 4 and wreaths will arrive around Dec. 4th. Wreaths will need to be picked up at the Endowment office. These wreaths will stay fresh well after Christmas if you keep them outdoors and out of direct sunlight. If you have any questions, you may reach Jacqueline at 501-908-5032.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

Weekly Groups

SUNDAYS

Men of Faith

Sunday mornings, 9:10-10:10am, in Spiritan Center upstairs. Coffee & donuts, scripture and social time.

Women of Grace

Sunday mornings, 9:10-10:10am, in Spiritan Center downstairs. Join us for Bible study & social time.

TUESDAYS

New Life in the Spirit Prayer Group

Meets the 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month, 7-8:30pm in the church. Praise & worship, intercessory prayer.

FORGED Men's Ministry

Meets 2nd Tuesday of the month, 6-7am in Spiritan Center downstairs. Free breakfast, coffee, guest speaker & discussion.

WEDNESDAYS

Close Knit Faith

Wednesdays 10:00-11:30am, in Spiritan Center upstairs. Knitting, crocheting, learning & praying!

THURSDAYS

Senior Saints

Meets every other Thursday, 9:00am at the KC Hall. Ages 50 & up are welcome. Snacks, bingo, prayer, fun! October 31, November 14 Thanksgiving Potluck, Dec 5

Cancer Support Group

Meets 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 12:00-1:00pm in Spiritan Center 205. Spiritual & social support for anyone affected by cancer or illness.

FRIDAYS

Friday Morning Men's Group

Meets 6:00-6:50am in Spiritan Center upstairs. Book study, prayer, men's fellowship. Zoom option available.

For further information on any Adult Faith offerings, contact Christy in the Parish Office.

ctrantina@sjparish.org, 501-327-6568

All are welcome; join us!

ST. JOSEPH

Homeschool Mamas



Connecting for Faith, Fellowship and Service

St. Joseph Catholic Church

For more information or to be added to our GroupMe contact Caryn Hoyt, hapner42@gmail.com

CATHOLIC TRIVIA – JUST FOR FUN

What is the sleeveless outer garment that priests wear at Mass called?

Answer: Chasuble.



"I want to thank you from the bottom of my heart for your donation. My mom is in the ICU and because of YOU she's able to live!"

Thank the Donor

Knights of Columbus Council 4143 Blood Drive

Wednesday, October 30
Noon - 6 p.m.
Join us in the KOC Hall!

To make an appointment, visit obi.org, or call 877-340-8777.

For more information, call or text 501-353-5908.

Our Blood Institute

Learn more: obi.org/why/thank-the-donor

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PRACTICING CATHOLIC THE SAFETY OF DARKNESS

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorma

Leprosy and blindness and deafness — oh, my. The disabilities cured by Jesus in his public ministry really are quite something, aren't they? Vividly symbolic and rich food for reflection. It just wouldn't be the same if Jesus had cured eczema or athlete's foot or compulsive nail-biting.

Blind Bartimaeus, sitting by the side of the road, in particular captures my imagination. Because I have a confession to make, sometimes, I like to sit in the darkness, even though I know it isn't very good for me.

Well, listen: it's just easier, isn't it? You don't have to care about or fix the problems you can't see. No one expects you to rush to someone's aid if you don't see their injuries. The darkness is a good place to be, if you don't feel very brave or very smart or very able.

And when Jesus passes you by, if your whole world is darkness, it's easy enough to pretend you just didn't notice him at all.

But Bartimaeus chose not to stay in his darkness. More than that, he cried out to be released from it, even when everyone around him told him to shut up. He was so persistent that he caught the notice of Jesus, and when he heard those words — "Take courage; get up, Jesus is calling you!" — what did he do? He didn't stammer and run away. He had courage. He got up.

It takes courage to ask for what you need to follow Christ. Because if you ask for it, you'll get it. And then begins the terrifying, wonderful journey of discipleship — testifying to what you have seen. Life in the light, no longer sitting by the side of the road but on the road, journeying toward the greatest destination of all.

"What do you want me to do for you?" Jesus asks us.

Do we have the courage to answer him

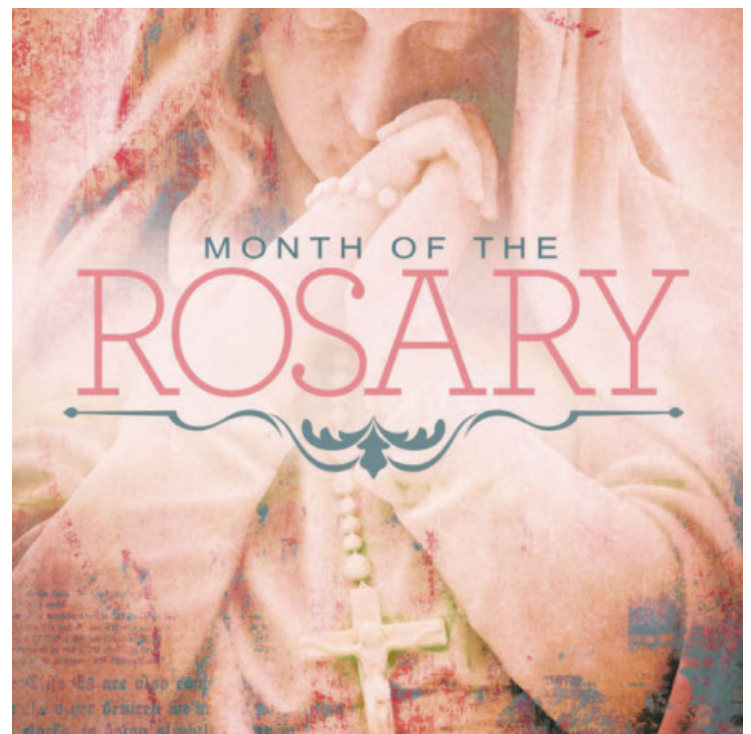
JrCYM	CYM
Wednesdays, 7-8:30pm	Sundays, 6:30-8pm
2- NO JrCYM	6- Rm 225
9- Rm 117	13- Rm 225
16- Rm 117	20- St. High Rally
23- Rm 117	27- Guest Speaker, Rm 225
30- Rm 117	

*Jr High Rally forms are due Oct 9

YOUTH MINISTER

St Joseph's Church in Conway is seeking a full-time Youth Minister to lead the youth of the parish. Strong leadership skills, energetic and charismatic personality, the ability to manage and recruit volunteers, and enthusiasm for working with youth are requirements for the position. Additionally, the individual must have a passion for evangelization and discipleship. The position reports directly to the Business Manager. College diploma or equivalent work experience required. Resumes should be mailed to St Joseph Catholic Church, 1115 College Ave., Conway Arkansas 72032, or emailed to: mamallett@sjparish.org

Please no phone inquiries



DIRECTOR DEL MINISTERIO HISPANO:

Diacono Ramón Argueta
 hispanicministry@sjparish.org
 501-513-6810

Bautismos

Los padres y padrinos tendrán que asistir a una clase pre-bautismal antes de elegir una fecha para bautizar. Por favor comunicarse con Susie Acosta al 501-327-6568 o sacosta@sjparish.org, para llenar las formas y registrarse para las clases.

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Rito de Iniciación Católica para Adultos

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Quinceañeras

Por favor de comunicarse con el Diacono Ramón

**DANZA DE LOS MATACHINES**

Ya se aproximan las practicas para la Danza para la Virgen de Guadalupe el 12 de Diciembre. Si te gustaría bailar este año comuníquese con Claudia Brito al 501-339-3219. Locación de practicas esta pendiente.

Fuerza Transformadora

Se reúnen todos los Lunes a las 7:00-8:30pm en el salón Spiritan Center cuarto #202. Para mas información por favor de hablar con Luis Cervantes.

Grupo de Oración R.C.C.

Grupo de Renovación Carismática Católica te invita los Jueves a gozarte con alabanzas, compartir de la Palabra, oración, y evangelización infantil. Nos reunimos en la Iglesia San José de 6:30pm- 8:30pm los Jueves. Para mayor información comunicarse con Karina Ralac 501-428-6338.



Entonces le dijo Jesús: "¿Qué quieres que haga por ti?" El ciego le contestó: "Maestro, que pueda ver". Jesús le dijo: "Vete; tu fe te ha salvado". Al momento recobró la vista y comenzó a seguirlo por el camino.

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Solemnidad de Todos
Los Santos

Jueves Octubre 31(Vigilia)

6pm

Viernes 1 de Noviembre

7am, 9am,

6pm(Español)

**Bendición de Cementerios**

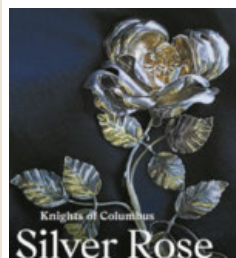
Octubre 27

◊1pm St. Joseph

◊2m Crestlawn

◊3pm Oak Grove

**En caso de lluvia, se pospone la bendición para el 3 de Noviembre*


PROGRAMA DE
LA ROSA DE PLATA

Únase a miles de católicos en toda América del Norte para pedir la intercesión de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe a través del programa Silver Rose.

En 1960, los Columbian Squires, una organización juvenil de los Caballeros de Colón, tuvieron la idea de llevar una rosa a la Basílica de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe en Monterrey, México, en honor a Nuestra Señora La rosa fue elegida para conmemorar a San Juan Diego y el milagro de las rosas.

Hoy, ocho rosas recorren diferentes rutas norteamericanas que incluyen Canadá, Estados Unidos y México. Cada parada que hace la Rosa de Plata durante la peregrinación es una ocasión centrada en el rosario para orar por el respeto a la vida, la renovación espiritual de cada nación y difundir el mensaje de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe. Su participación, especialmente sus oraciones y promesa por la vida, son una parte crucial de nuestra misión de defender y apoyar la vida en cada etapa y condición.

La Rosa de Plata estará en la Iglesia San José el 3 de noviembre para todas las Misas. Su final destino es México en Diciembre.



Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe es patrona de los no nacidos, las américas y los Caballeros de Colón.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY PARISHIONERS! FELICIDADES FELIGRECES! 。



October 27	October 28	October 29	October 30	October 31	November 1	November 2
Barbara Kordsmeier Billy York Cissy Gunther Coraline Jones Edward Erbach Elizabeth Lehmkuhl Ellie Thessing Jack Dayer Joe Thrash Joseph Elliott Maren Moix Nicholas Hum Roy Turner Sarah Hefley Stella Price	Adam Leicht Anthony Campagna Denny David Eddie Nabholz Garret Lucey Gianna Paramby Lily Dodd Michael Martinez Nathaniel Perry Rose Giorgi Sawyer Williams Zachary Stone	Addison Choate Alexandria Griffith Amelia Kelley Angela Campagna Barbara Barnett Briant Gonzalez Carole Jackson Cesar Benitez Chloe Skinner Cindy Newberry Edgar Castro John Baker Kayleigh Lynch Kevin Redican Mary Marshall Matthew Still Norma Mireles Rosie Roland Thomas Royal	Abigail Sanchez Amos Joiner Bo Davis Christopher Ryan Denise Salazar Julia Campbell Kevin Massey Lisa Tramelli Lucas Claflin Miguel Martinez	Adaline Lianoz Adrienne Nash Curtis Mueller David Jedlicka David Desrochers Dylan Schreckenhofer Eleanor Brown Fredy Pangan Heather Halter Kaylyn Patterson Lucila Reyes Megan Schaefers Yanci De Montano	Albert Leigh Alicia Brown Bobbie Kierna Brenna Johnson Bria Butler Brithany Orellana Fino Brooke Leach Cristian Guerra Grady Strack Grant Blanchard Jeff Chandler John Mangum Luke Manos Matthew Elsinger Molly Walchuk Tessa Roberts Tonja Fillippino	Carlos Alonzo Castro Charlene Elrod Claire Sublett Dana Kordsmeier George Schichtl Jacqueline King Jerome Edquist John Clark Kathryn Deacon Luann Stiefvater Luke Davis Mary Fisher



MEDITACIÓN DEL EVANGÉLICO -

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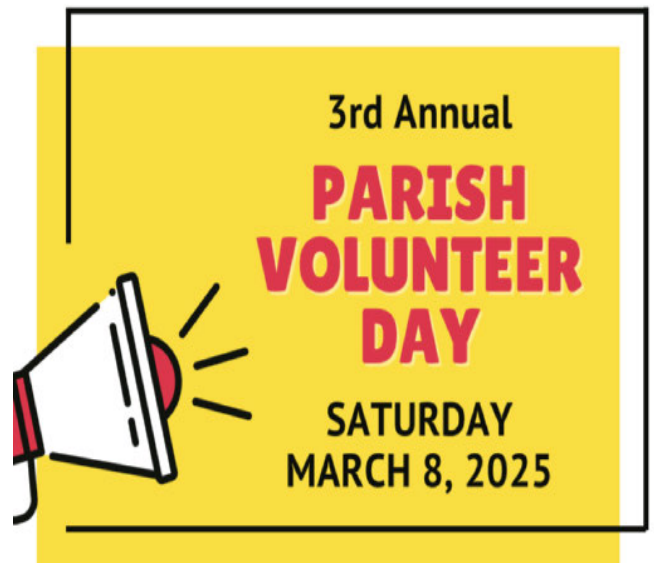
"Están todos, ciegos y cojos, mujeres en cinta y con hijos, y forman una multitud, que vuelve para acá. Partieron en medio de lágrimas, pero los hago regresar contentos; los voy a llevar a los arroyos por un camino plano para que nadie se caiga"

(Jeremías 30:8-9).

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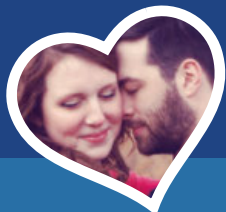
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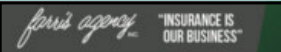
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