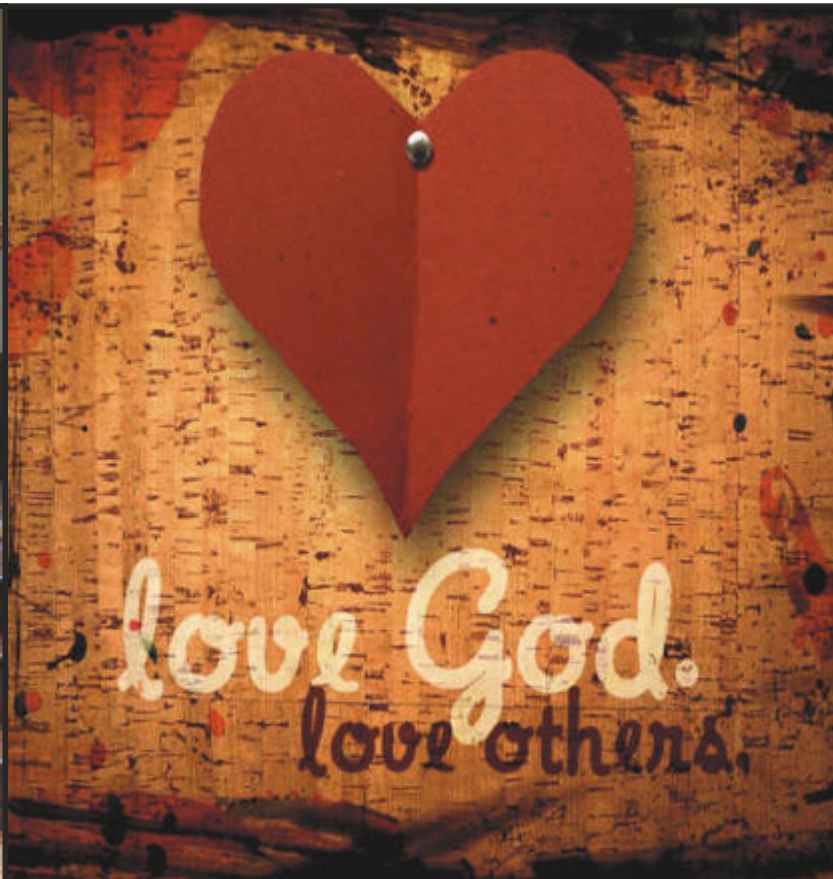


Ascension Parish Mission Statement

We of Ascension Church are a welcoming and caring family who come together in Christ's name, actively sharing our faith through worship, education and ministry to one another, and the community



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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 10/30 4:30pm	People of the Parish
Sunday 10/31 8:30am	Wedding Anniversary of Joe & Irene Slominski
Sunday 10/31 11:00am	+Betty Pittinger
Monday 11/01 12:00pm	+Kathleen Gross
Monday 11/01 7:00pm	+Michael Serafin
Tuesday 11/02 9:00am	Souls in Purgatory
Tuesday 11/02 7:00pm	+Will Washburn
Wednesday 11/03	NO MASS
Thursday 11/04 6:30pm	Dorothy Radenheimer & Family
Friday 11/05 9:00am	Brandon Hyer
Saturday 11/06 8:30am	Those in Purgatory
Saturday 11/06 4:30pm	+Katheen Gross
Sunday 11/07 8:30am	+Bob Leonard
Sunday 11/07 11:00am	People of the Parish

SAINT JOSEPH

"Show yourself a father, and guide us in the path of life"

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer,
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
To you God entrusted his only Son;
in you Mary placed her trust;
with you Christ became man.

Blessed Joseph, to us too,
show yourself a father
and guide us in the path of life.
Obtain for us grace, mercy, and courage,
and defend us from every evil.



SCHEDULING MASS INTENTIONS

Complete the envelope(s) on the back table and place in collection basket. The office will get back to you that week.

FEAST OF ALL SAINTS, November 1, is normally a Holy Day of Obligation/Opportunity. However, it is not obligatory this year because the feast falls on a Monday. However, we will celebrate Masses for the feast at 12:00 PM and 7:00 PM.

FEAST OF ALL SOULS, November 2, we pray for all the faithful departed. We will celebrate Masses at 9:00 AM and 7:00 PM.

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

- 10/31 5:00 PM TRUNK-OR-TREAT
- 11/2 6:30 PM RCIA—Room 4
- 11/4 7:00 PM Bible Study (Luke)
- 11/6 8:30 AM First Saturday Mass
- 11/7 9:45 AM CRE (Gds PK-6)
- 11/7 12:00 PM Middle/Senior Retreat



LITURGICAL MINISTERS, NOVEMBER 6-7, 2021

4:30 PM C. Williams (L), K. Campbell (EMHC), S. Perkins, E. Williams (AS), K. & L. Davis (G)

8:30 AM M. Cochran (L), S. Lycan (EMHC), A. Rock, M. Crytzer (AS), Hayslip Family (G)

11:00 AM C. Perry (L), S. Brady (EMHC), D. Schmidt (AS), Leachman/Borrero Family (G)

CONFESSIONS (effective 10/30/2021)

Saturdays 3:00-4:00 PM

Thursdays 5:30-6:15 PM

By appointment



Saturday, November 6th, set your clocks back 1 hour to be on time for Mass!
We get an extra hour of beauty sleep.

MASS ATTENDANCE & COLLECTION WILL BE INCLUDED IN NEXT WEEK'S BULLETIN

CATHOLIC TRIVIA

(John 14:5-6) To this apostle’s question about where Jesus is going and how are they to know the way, Jesus responded: “I am the way, and the truth, and the life...” *John, Peter, Philip, Thomas. Last week’s answer: Andrew was the apostle martyred on an X-shaped cross.*

GENERAL TRIVIA

According to Roget’s Thesaurus, the correct plural of the word “genus:” *Genera, Genes, Genui, Genuses. Last week’s answer: The image of Helen Keller is found on the reverse side of the commemorative state quarter of Alabama.*

- 31 CLUB—PRAY FOR VOCATIONS**
- 10/31 Brittanee Barton
 - 11/1 Joan Zappitelli
 - 11/2 Wanita Hutchins, Patty Jones
 - 11/3 Jeff and Shirlene McCormick
 - 11/4 Jeri McDonald
 - 11/5 Martha Blankenhorn
 - 11/6 Becky Dunn
 - 11/7 Huey and Cathy Lovejoy

Crafty Christmas Fundraiser

To benefit Sara Minigh’s fight against cancer

Sunday, November 7@3-5pm



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Pre-register by November 5th

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Holiday crafting:
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Ages 2-8 (\$10)

COMMUNITY CUPBOARD REQUESTS: all toiletries

BACKPACK PROJECT REQUESTS: mac & cheese family boxes, pouch/box juices, chunky soup & hot chocolate

SAVE THE DATE

November 19th 1:00 PM Red Cross Blood Drive

S.E.N.T. Theology of the Body Retreat

For Middle & High School Youth

November 7th

11:00-12:00pm Mass
12:00-7:00pm Retreat
(lunch & dinner included)

This retreat focuses on Saint John Paul II's "Theology of the Body". It centers around the dignity of the human person as seen through the eyes of God. It's hope is that we, as fallen humans, can learn to see each other with His eyes.

Please RSVP Carolina
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31ST SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

OCTOBER 31ST, 2021

Opening Hymn**Lift High the Cross**

Refrain

Lift high the cross, the love of Christ pro-claim till
all the world a-dore his sa-cred name.

Verses

1. Come, Chris-tians, fol-low where our Sav-ior trod, Our
2. Led on their way by this tri-um-phant sign, The **D.C.**
King vic-to-rious, Christ, the Son of God.
hosts of God in con-quer-ing ranks com-bine.

Gloria*Mass of Heritage*

Glory to God in the Highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory. Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us, you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayers; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ. With the Holy Spirit, in the Glory of God the Father. Amen

Liturgy of the Word**First Reading**

Deuteronomy 6: 2-6

Moses spoke to the people, saying:

“Fear the LORD, your God, and keep, throughout the days of your lives, all his statutes and commandments which I enjoin on you, and thus have long life. Hear then, Israel, and be careful to observe them, that you may grow and prosper the more, in keeping with the promise of the LORD, the God of your fathers, to give you a land flowing with milk and honey.

“Hear, O Israel! The LORD is our God, the LORD alone! Therefore, you shall love the LORD, your God, with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength. Take to heart these words which I enjoin on you today.”

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 18: 2-3, 3-4, 47, 51

I love you, Lord, my strength.

Second Reading

Hebrews 7: 23-28

Brothers and sisters:

The levitical priests were many because they were prevented by death from remaining in office, but Jesus, because he remains forever, has a priesthood that does not pass away. Therefore, he is always able to save those who approach God through him, since he lives forever to make intercession for them.

It was fitting that we should have such a high priest: holy, innocent, undefiled, separated from sinners, higher than the heavens. He has no need, as did the high priests, to offer sacrifice day after day, first for his own sins and then for those of the people; he did that once for all when he offered himself. For the law appoints men subject to weakness to be high priests, but the word of the oath, which was taken after the law, appoints a son, who has been made perfect forever.

Gospel Acclamation

John 14:23

R. Alleluia

Whoever loves me will keep my word, says the Lord; and my father will love him and we will come to him.

Gospel

Mark 12: 28b-34

One of the scribes came to Jesus and asked him, "Which is the first of all the commandments?" Jesus replied, "The first is this: Hear, O Israel! The Lord our God is Lord alone! You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength. The second is this: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. There is no other commandment greater than these." The scribe said to him, "Well said, teacher. You are right in saying, 'He is One and there is no other than he.' And 'to love him with all your heart, with all your understanding, with all your strength, and to love your neighbor as yourself' is worth more than all burnt offerings and sacrifices." And when Jesus saw that he answered with understanding, he said to him, "You are not far from the kingdom of God." And no one dared to ask him any more questions.

Homily**Profession of Faith**

I believe in one God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, *(*Bow)* **and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.** For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day, in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and His kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. And I look forward to the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayers of the Faithful

Liturgy of the Eucharist

**Offertory Hymn What Wondrous Love is This
Holy**

R. Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna, Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna, Hosanna in the highest.

Memorial Acclamation

R. When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.

Amen R. Amen

The Lord's Prayer

Lamb of God

R. Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world. Have mercy on us. (Repeat) (3rd time) Lamb of God, You take away the sins of the world. Grant us peace.

Communion Hymn Love One Another

Bob Dufford, SJ

**Refrain*
Love one an - oth - er as I have loved you. Care for each
oth - er. I have cared for you. Bear each oth - er's bur - dens.
Bind each oth - er's wounds; and so you will know my re - turn.

1. My friends, do you know what I have done for you?
I have washed your feet with my hands.
If I, your Lord, have knelt at your feet,
you should do at each other's feet
as I have done for you.

2. When the world will hate you and revile you,
when they laugh at your care for the poor,
when they hold you in darkness
and imprison your tongues,
remember how they listened to me.

3. Let not your hearts be troubled.
Put your trust in God and in me.
In my Father's home I prepare your room,
that where I am you may be.

4. This bread which I give is my body.
This cup holds the blood of my life.
And all will be broken that you may have life,
that you may learn to forgive.

Reflection O Sacrament Most Holy

O Sacrament most holy, O sacrament divine, All praise and all thanksgiving be every moment thine.

Concluding Rites

Closing Hymn We are the Light of the World

1. Bless - ed are they who are poor in spir - it,
 2. Bless - ed are they who are meek and hum - ble,
 3. Bless - ed are they who will mourn in sor - row,

1. Theirs is the king - dom of God. Bless us, O Lord, make us
 2. They will in - her - it the earth. Bless us, O Lord, make us
 3. They will be com - fort - ed. Bless us, O Lord, when we

1. poor in spir - it;
 2. meek and hum - ble;
 3. share their sor - row; } Bless us, O Lord, our God.

We are the light of the world, may our light shine be - fore all,

That they may see the good that we do, and give glo - ry to God.

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