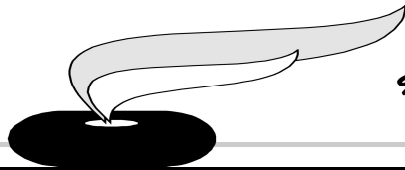


TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - OCTOBER 4, 2020



*Present
your needs
to God*

Vigil - Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 PM - 5th Anniversary - Arthur E. Fitzpatrick

Sunday, October 4 - Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 AM - Memorial - Ellen McGratty & Deceased Family Members

9:30 AM - 1st Anniversary - Lena Cosentino

11:30 AM -

5:30 PM - 5th Anniversary - Anna G. Procaccini

Monday, October 5 - Weekday - Blessed Francis Xavier Seelos

7:00 AM - 25th Anniversary - Charles Rubiano

5:30 PM - Memorial - James Mullin

Tuesday, October 6 - Weekday - Saint Bruno, Blessed Marie Rose Durocher

7:00 AM - 100th Birthday Memorial - Carmela Baldi & Joseph Tierney

Wednesday, October 7 - Our Lady of the Rosary

7:00 AM - Memorial - Vincent & Victoria Tocco

5:30 PM - Birthday Memorial - Viola Di Meglio

Thursday, October 8 - Weekday

7:00 AM - Intentions of the Celebrant

Friday, October 9 - Weekday - Saint Denis & Companions, Saint John Leonardi

7:00 AM - Birthday Memorial - Dale Ryan

5:30 PM - 55th Anniversary - Christine & George L. Blanchard

Saturday, October 10 - Weekday

8:00 AM - Memorial - Robert Colson, Sr. & Yvonne Colson

Vigil - Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 PM - Memorial - Mary & Donald Forloney

Sunday, October 11 - Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00 AM - 40 Day Memorial - Jesus Pangilinan

9:30 AM - Memorial - James Reilly

11:30 AM - Memorial - Domenic & Rose Gazzero

5:30 PM - Memorial - Henry & Louise Del Rossi

ALTAR SERVERS

Mon & Tues @ 7AM - J. Benitez, A. D'Artista

Wed - Fri @ 7AM - B. Piccardi, **Volunteer Needed**

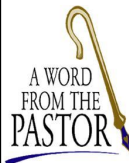
Mon. @ 5:30 PM - **Volunteers Needed**

Wed - Fri @ 5:30 PM - S. Buco, **Volunteer Needed**

Sat. @ 8 AM - C. Baker, **Volunteer Needed**

September 27, 2020 collections are as follows

Sunday Collection	\$8,187.91
Electronic Giving	\$2,160.00
TOTAL	\$10,347.91
Poor Box	\$616.00



Dear Parishioners-

Each October the Church in the United States celebrates Respect Life Month, and the first Sunday of October is observed as Respect Life Sunday. As Catholics, we are called to cherish, defend and protect those who are most vulnerable, from the beginning of life to its end, and at every point in between. During the month of October, the Church asks us to reflect more deeply on the dignity of every human life.

This year's theme, "Live the Gospel of Life," was inspired by the commemoration of the 25th anniversary of Pope John Paul II's encyclical *Evangelium vitae* (The Gospel of Life). This document passionately reaffirms the Church's constant teaching on the value and sacredness of every human life - inside and outside the womb. Defending the right to life for children in their mothers' wombs, the elderly, persons who are differently abled and the marginalized is particularly relevant as we look at our world today. The U.S. Bishops have consistently reaffirmed that "the threat of abortion remains our preeminent priority because it directly attacks life itself, because it takes place within the sanctuary of the family, and because of the number of lives destroyed (over 4000 a day)." They also noted that they were morally compelled not to "dismiss or ignore other serious threats to human life and dignity such as racism, poverty, social disparities and inequities, environmental crises, and the death penalty." If we fail to protect life itself, no other rights matter. Abortion is not primarily a Catholic or even a religious issue, it is first and foremost a human rights issue. May we always strive to "see in every human face, the face of Christ" and treat each person as we would Christ Himself.

There are opportunities for us to actively live out the Gospel of Christ, especially during Respect Life Month. The **40 Days for Life** campaign (September 23-November 1) is a focused pro-life effort that consists of: 40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion; 40 days of peaceful vigil; 40 days of community outreach.

Annual Life Chain Sunday takes place today (Sunday), October 4. This is a peaceful and prayerful public witness to all life, born and unborn. The nearest site to us for participation is St. Patrick Church, 244 Smith Street, Providence from 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm.

Father Forcier



Jessica Lisi
Nicholas Manocchia
Peter & Nicole Matteo
Joseph & Allison Muccio
Rose Poldor
David Quirk
Nick & Melissa Romano
Mark Ryan
James Sheehan
Chelsea Wheeler