

PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN HOME!

Sunday, November 14 ♦ 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross
 11:00 a.m. Charles Clager (Joe Eyerman)
 Mal 3:19-20; 2 Thes 3:7-12; Lk 21:5-19

Monday, November 15 ♦ No Mass

Tuesday, November 16 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Albert & Margaret Roehrenbeck
 (Al Roehrenbeck)
 Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday, November 17 ♦ St. Elizabeth of Hungary

11:30 a.m. Martha Erb Daubert (Al Roehrenbeck)
 Rv 4:1-11; Lk 19:11-28

Thursday, November 18 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Beth Moore (Rose Klott)
 Rv 5:1-10; Lk 19:41-44

Friday, November 19 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Msgr. Lawrence Corcoran
 Rv 10:8-11; Lk 19:45-48

Saturday, November 20 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Clifford & Laura D. Guerin [Deceased]
 (Laura M. Guerin)
 Rv 11: 4-12; Lk 20:27-40

Sunday, November 21 ♦ 34th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross
 11:00 a.m. Elsie Haninger
 (Teresa, Penny Beth Bass & Penny King)
 2 Sm 5:1-3; Col 1:12-20; Lk 23:35-43

+ Please remember in your prayers our homebound parishioners, and those who are ill: Mary Bonner, Sara Fingerlin, Marianne Garrison, Bobby Hackett, Lauren Jones, Mary Kay Keefer, Mary Knapp, Susan Luck, Ellen McMillen, Mary McNellis, Cathy Miller, Mary Montell, Rita Neff, Marilyn Scott, Joe Shirey, Helen Violet, Elizabeth Wanamaker.

Support to St. Lawrence Haven – November 21st

Attention, all our “Lil Larry” sandwich makers. Next Sunday is our opportunity to support St. Lawrence Haven, following the 9:00 a.m. Mass at the Cum Christo Center.

THANKS!	
November 7, 2010 Offerings	
Designated Collections (Funds forwarded directly to the Diocese)	Offertory\$1,784.00 Votives81.85 Eucharistic Vigil25.58 Repair20.00 Less 5% tax (95.57)
Mass Attendance 9:00 a.m. = 126 11:00 a.m. = 97	Net to Parish:\$1,815.86

Update on Sr. Pat Pieper

Sister Pat arrived safely from her flight to Belgium. She indicated that autumn colors of the trees were magnificent but she had only a couple “sightings” of the sun since she arrived. She can be reached as follows:

Mail: Soeurs de Notre Dame
 Rue Julie Billiard, 17
 5000 Namur, Belgium
 E-mail: piepersnd@aol.com
 Phone: 011-32-81-254-334

(Please note that her time zone is six hours ahead of our local time.)

CHRISTMAS MEMORIES 2.0

Reminder to provide your Christmas memories or tradition – religious or secular – for our *Connections* newsletter. Just jot down a couple of sentences or a paragraph and drop it off at the Rectory, e-mail it to jack@photoj.com or place in today’s collection basket.

Meeting all Lectors and Extra Ordinary Ministers of the Eucharist!!

Today!! 10:00 a.m. – Lectors: for new members as well as experienced lectors.

Sunday, December 5, 10:00 a.m. – Extra Ordinary Ministers: for those just beginning as well as for all our current ministers.

Both meetings are in the Rectory. If you have any questions, contact Sister Anne at 224-3416.



THANKSGIVING BASKETS

It is that time of year when we are mindful of all the blessings in our lives and want to express our gratitude in a concrete way. In the past, through the generosity of Holy Cross parishioners, several Thanksgiving Baskets have been filled and distributed to needy families. So once again we are calling on you to contribute items such as laundry baskets, canned goods, and grocery gift certificates. In the back of church, there will be lists of the needed items. Please sign up for what you can bring. The baskets will be picked up after the 11:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday, November 21st, to be distributed to those in need. Please give Sister Anne any gift certificates you might be donating. Thank you!

THE WORD

Some time ago, several written articles indicated that many believers have lost “a sense of an ending” to all things. In the past, preachers spoke about the “four last things,” that is: death, judgment, heaven and hell. But today churchgoers rarely hear anything about them; as a matter of fact, preachers often seem a bit embarrassed to address these realities.

The prophet Malachi (whose name means “my messenger”) had no such hesitation. There will be an end, a day blazing like an oven, burning up all evildoers like stubble; no roots or branches will be found. This will not be everyone’s experience of that day. The just, who reverence and honor God, will experience not a blazing fire storm but the sun of justice with its healing rays.

Jesus is also referring to an end time in today’s Gospel, most likely one that has already occurred by the time that Luke’s Gospel is recorded. Luke’s hearers had already seen the destruction of the city of Jerusalem and its temple, accompanied by the persecution of the church. Jesus’ words here were a call to encouragement, to persevere, that God will be there and “you will secure your lives” (Luke 21:19).

We believe the end time has begun with the death and resurrection of Jesus, but we live between what theologians call “the already and the not yet.” Already God has acted in a definitive way by raising Jesus from the dead, but the total results of this action have yet to be realized in the world. God’s word today is meant to give us hope that God will be faithful to the divine promises, and we will see the Lord face to face. We can count on this.

from “Living the Word”

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❖ Hymns are not announced ❖

The first reading begins on page 93.

9:00 and 11:00 a.m. – Kelly Doman, organist

Gathering Hymn The King Shall Come (# 468)

Gloria (#332)

Responsorial Psalm All the Ends of the Earth
Have Seen the Power of God.
(Not in Missalette or Hymnal)

Gospel Acclamation (Missalette p. 94, #61)

Offertory Hymn O God, Our Help in Ages Past (#829)

Eucharistic Acclamations (#335, #336, #337, #338)

Communion Hymn *Eye Has Not Seen*
(#844)

Closing Hymn *Rise Up, O Saints of God* (#766)

Special Parish Dates

Mark your calendars for the following important dates for the parish:

- 1) **Wednesday, November 17, 2010 – Parish Pastoral Council Meeting at 7:00 p.m. in the Rectory.**
- 2) **Sunday, November 21, 2010 – Rite of Welcoming at 11:00 a.m.**
- 3) **Thursday, November 25, 2010 – Thanksgiving Day – Mass at 10:00 a.m.**
- 4) **Sunday, December 12, 2010 – Deanery Reconciliation Service at 4:00 p.m. at Holy Cross.**

Repair Fund Collection Today!

A second collection will be taken up for the repairs on the church and rectory today. The 2nd mural on the south side of the church depicting “The Risen Christ” has been water damaged. An inspection completed by the Diocese Director of Buildings has identified that the three decaying capstones on the brick pillar nearest to this mural are the probable cause of this issue. The cost to replace these three capstones is \$2,400.00 which we hope to have completed before January 1st. Following the completion of the outside work, then the inside repair and artistic repainting of damaged sections of mural can begin. There is also damage to the wainscoting below this mural that need repair. The total cost to complete these repairs and some other interior wall issues is \$4,300.00. We hope to complete this interior work before Easter.

As you can see, this repair collection is important to maintaining our beautiful, historic church. We thank you in advance for your continuous support of this program.

ST. JOSEPH CATHEDRAL MISSION “OUR ADVENT JOURNEY TO JESUS”

You are cordially invited to attend the St. Joseph Cathedral Parish Mission on December 12-15, 2010. Schedule includes 5:15 p.m. Mission Mass each evening followed by a light supper at 6:00 p.m. in the Undercroft. Preaching begins at 7:00 p.m. in the Cathedral. There will be a communal Reconciliation service on Monday, the 13th, following the Mission preaching. Mission preacher is Fr. Blaise Czaja, C.P., a Passionist priest who is a very popular and well-received preacher. Please join us for this celebration of prayer and fellowship as we prepare for Christmas.

HOLIDAYS, FAMILY & A STRONGER MARRIAGE

The forthcoming “family holidays” place a focus on our principal human relationship: our marriage. A Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend will make that principal relationship even stronger! The next two weekends are in the new year on February 18-20 and April 29-May 1. For more info or to register, contact Paul & Marilou Clouse at 740-746-9003 or visit our web site at www.wwmecolumbus.org.