

PLEASE TAKE THIS BULLETIN HOME!

Sunday, November 4 ♦

Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Jerry Guisinger (Fred & Mary Callahan)

11:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

Dt 6:2-6; Heb 7:23-28; Mk 12:28-34

Monday, November 5 ♦ No Mass

Tuesday, November 6 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Dick Morbitzer (Don & Judy Laird)

Phil 2:5-11; Lk 14:15-24

Wednesday, November 7 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Emil & Johanna Heider (Sr. Ruth Ann Heider)

Phil 2:12-18; Lk 14:25-33

Thursday, November 8 ♦ Weekday

11:30 a.m. Special Intention for Thomas & Leona O’Ryan
(Family)

Phil 3:3-8; Lk 15:1-10

Friday, November 9 ♦ Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

11:30 a.m. Paula Eddy (Kathy Sako & Tim Brown)

Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; 1 Cor 3:9-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22

Saturday, November 10 ♦ St. Leo the Great

11:30 a.m. Richard (Dick) Morbitzer
(John & Rosalie Jahn)

Phil 4:10-19; Lk 16:9-15

Sunday, November 11 ♦

Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Parishioners of Holy Cross

11:00 a.m. Special Intention for Sue Haninger
(Glenn Haninger)

1 Kgs 17:10-16; Heb 9:24-28; Mk 12:38-44 or Mk 12: 41-44

+ Please remember in your prayers our homebound parishioners, and those who are ill: Jodi Elgin, Sandra Hilbert, Elizabeth and Robert Hackett, Jestina Jones, Lauren Jones, Susan Luck, Ellen McMillen, Mary McNellis, Cathy Miller, Mary Montell, Bob Scholl, Marilyn Scott, Jeanne Sharp, Graham Sowers, Helen Violet, Elizabeth Wanamaker.

Support to St. Lawrence Haven Today!

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

Sympathy and Prayers

Joseph Huntzinger, parishioner, died last week. Please keep him and his family in your prayers.

Parish Pastoral Council

Did you turn in your nominee for parish council yet? **Please respond today before you leave – spare forms on tables.**

Newsletter Request

It’s hard to believe that we are already talking about Christmas, but it takes time to put our *Connections* newsletter together, so that’s why we’re reaching out now for your input. This year, we decided that a great way to share our holiday love is through food. So, we’re asking you chefs to share your special Christmas recipe for cookies or other festive foods.

Please jot down your recipe and either drop it off at the Rectory or e-mail it to jack@photoj.com. Our deadline for the recipes is November 16th, so don’t delay. We’re looking forward to testing and tasting your special Christmas goodies.

Generous Donations

Many have responded to CONNECTIONS newsletter that was sent out that included an envelope to return to the parish for the Organ Fund. Three more households have donated an additional \$1,170.00 toward the installation expense of our “New” organ. This brings the total to \$5,400.00. Please consider giving toward this special fund.

INFORMED CITIZENS

You will find Catholic Updates entitled “Faithful Citizenship” on the tables at the side and back entrances of the Church. We invite each household to take one home to read at your leisure.

THANKSGIVING BASKETS

It is that time of year when we again have the opportunity to help needy families in the area by preparing baskets of food for their Thanksgiving.

It is our way of expressing our gratitude for all the blessings we have received during the past year. So, please think about giving food items that would fill the baskets. We need the following:

Laundry baskets, canned goods, grocery gift certificates, turkey, roasting pan, stuffing and potatoes.

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 18th, to be distributed to those in need. Please give Sister Anne any gift certificates you might be donating. Thank You!

THANKS!	
OCTOBER 28, 2012 OFFERINGS	
Designated Collections (Funds forwarded directly to the Diocese)	Offertory \$2,465.00 Votives \$ 48.00 Repair Fund..... \$ 60.00 Organ Fund \$1,170.00 Less 5% tax(\$ 187.15)
Mass Attendance 9:00 a.m. = 91 11:00 a.m. = 82	Net to Parish:\$3,555.85

THE WORD

As a boy I learned the Ten Commandments, the six precepts of the Church, the seven sacraments, the seven gifts and twelve fruits of the Holy Spirit. Having memorized these, I felt a sense of accomplishment. But can you imagine having to memorize the 613 laws found in the Torah? The Torah was the foundation of the covenant God made with the people of Israel.

If you go online and do a search for “613 commandments,” you will find them listed, along with a reference to the particular biblical book where each can be found. Some listings place the laws under various categories, such as God, Prayers, and Blessings, Love and Brotherhood, the poor and Unfortunate. The largest list relates to Sacrifices and Offerings – over one hundred of them.

When the scribe asked Jesus what was the first of all the commandments, he was asking a question most important to any devout Jew. Jesus looked within his own heart before giving his answer: Love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, all your mind, all your strength (Deuteronomy 6: 4-5) and love your neighbor as yourself (Leviticus 19:18).

His answer came from his heart, recognized in the Jewish tradition as the center of the human person, the seat of all thought, choice, value, and feeling. Moses’ words to the people in today’s first reading still stand: “take to heart these words which I enjoin on you today” (Deuteronomy 6:1).

from “Living the Word”

November 4, 2012	
Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time	
Opening Hymn	766 – Rise up, O Saints of God
Gloria	Worship Aid – Mass of St. Benedict
Readings	Missalette p 83
Responsorial Psalm	Missalette p 83 – I love you, Lord; I love you, Lord, my strength.
Gospel Acclamation	Worship Aid – Mass of St. Benedict
Preparation of Gifts	662 – Amazing Grace
Eucharistic Acclamations	Worship Aid – Mass of St. Benedict
Communion Hymn	812 – We Have Been Told
Closing Hymn	764 – Lord of All Nations, Grant Me Grace

Special Parish Dates

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

- 1) **Sunday, November 4, 2012 – Memorial Masses for Deceased Parishioners at 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.**
- 2) **Wednesday, November 14, 2012 – Parish Pastoral Council Meeting at 6:00 p.m. in the Rectory.**
- 3) **Thursday, November 22, 2012 – Thanksgiving Day – 10:00 a.m. Mass only.**

Bibles

The Sunday School would like to have a small collection of Bibles written in various languages. If you are willing to donate a Bible written in Spanish, Italian, Latin, French, or any other language to the Sunday School, please contact Debi Matthews at matthews9244@sbcglobal.net or 861-1746.

Bishop Campbell on AM 820

Tuesday, November 6

Join the Most Reverend Frederick F. Campbell, Bishop of the Columbus Diocese, for his monthly call-in program, From the Chair, on St. Gabriel Catholic Radio. Tune in at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 6th, when Bishop Campbell answers your questions about living the Catholic Faith, life in the Church, spiritual growth, our responsibility as Christians, and our individual vocation to holiness. Mark your calendar: next Tuesday at 5:00 p.m. on AM 820.

ST. MICHAEL SPAGHETTI DINNER

Sunday, November 11, 1:30-7:00 p.m., Church Undercroft, 5750 N. High Street, Worthington. Menu: spaghetti (all you can eat), meatballs, salad, roll, dessert, beverage. Cost: \$8.00 each for Adults; \$7.00 each for Early Bird Adults (1:30-3:30 p.m.); \$6.00 each for Children (6-12) and Seniors (65+); and a Maximum Family Price of \$32.00 (for parents and their dependent children). Children 5 or under are FREE. Handicap seating, DRIVE-THRU (3:30-7:00 p.m.), and carry-out service will be available. Sponsored by St. Michael Council #11445, Knights of Columbus. Proceeds support seminarians at the Josephinum. For information, call 614-885-7814.

Holy Family Christmas Bazaar

584 W. Broad Street – Basement
Columbus, OH 43215

November 17 and 18, 2012, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Daily
Multiple Vendors, Raffles, and Concessions

DAY OF RENEWAL

On November 8, 2012, you are invited to attend a free half day of spiritual pampering at St. Elizabeth Church, 6077 Sharon Woods Boulevard. The day consists of Confession, Mass, Talk and Luncheon. The topic this year is “The Year of Faith.” Registration begins at 9:00 a.m., Praise and Worship along with Confession at 9:30 a.m., Mass (celebrated by Fr. Dean Mathewson) at 10:15 a.m., talk at 11:30 and luncheon to follow.