

November 4, 2018 - 4th Resumed Sunday after Epiphany

From the Pastor

Month of November

The month of November begins with a wonderful Feast celebrating all the Saints in Heaven. It is to the Church Triumphant that we fix our gaze on the first day to help encourage us and ask assistance in the effort required to place ourselves in the ranks of the conquerors. The Epistle for the Mass is from the Apocalypse where we read of "the great multitude which no man could number, of all nations, and tribes, and peoples, and tongues, standing before the throne and in sight of the Lamb, clothed with white robes, and palms in their hands." (Apoc. 7:9) We received a white garment at baptism. Let us keep it unsullied and live so as to assure ourselves of "the victor's palm".

The next day we look to the Church Suffering, where we have occasion to recall our duty toward the dead. We should strive to obtain for as many as possible the plenary indulgence which the Church generously places at our disposal during the first eight days of the month. All we have to do, besides meeting the usual conditions of a plenary indulgence, is make a visit to a cemetery and there pray for the souls of the faithful departed. The usual conditions for a plenary indulgence are prayers for the Holy Father's intentions, be in the state of grace and make a good confession (within twenty days), receive Holy Communion with the intention of gaining an indulgence and be detached from all sin, even venial. Though it may not be easy to meet all the conditions, it is very beneficial for us to try. For if we make the effort, we are on the path that leads to life.

The whole month is dedicated to the Souls in Purgatory, so let us pray for them and assist them to enter fully into the Light Eternal. The more souls we help, the more friends we will have in heaven helping us in our battles. What a wonderful thought to encourage praying for the Holy Souls.

Sincerely in Christ,



Rev. Charles Van Vliet, FSSP

Thurs. to Thurs, Nov. 1-8

*Plenary Indulgence for
Poor Souls in Purgatory*



Announcements

Church hours for private prayers. The church is open for private prayer as noted below.

Fridays & Saturdays, 4-7 p.m. Sundays, Noon-5:30 p.m.

Wednesdays only, 6-8 p.m. Exposition & benediction of the Blessed Sacrament

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena, 6:40 p.m. every Wednesday.

Parish bookstore kiosk is open Sundays between the morning Masses unless noted otherwise below. It is located in the small hallway across from the water fountain.

PLEASE NOTE! Public and private Mass calendars are temporarily closed.

Low Gluten Hosts. If you require low gluten host, please see the instructions on the bulletin board.

Adult Lecture Series, every third Sunday following Vespers. Open to all; no prerequisites.

Altar Server Practice, second Saturday of every month immediately following the 7:30 a.m. Mass. Open to all boys who have received First Communion.

Altar Society, second Saturday of the month after the 7:30 a.m. Mass, in the small meeting room.

Legion of Mary, 7 p.m. every Monday, in the large meeting room.

Little Flowers Girls Club, 2nd Saturday of month, in the large room, 9 –10:30 a.m. Open to girls, ages 5 and up.

Men's Recollection, 7-9 p.m., every third Friday of the month. Open to all men.

Tower of David Study Group, every Tuesday after the 8:00 a.m. Mass.

Troops of St. George, every other Tuesday of the month, 7-8:30 p.m. See schedule on bulletin board.

Youth Group, second Sunday of the month after the 10 a.m. Mass, in the large meeting room.

2019 Christmas Card Packets from FSSP available on the hall table. A donation form and envelope are included in each packet for mailing to FSSP Headquarters. Additional Christmas cards can also be ordered using the donation form.

2019 FSSP Liturgical Calendars on Sale, \$13 each!

TODAY: Second collection: Retired Priests.

Mon., Nov. 5, Mass times: 6:30 a.m. (Low) & 7 p.m. (High). Both Masses are for deceased FSSP and CSP members.

Tues., Nov. 6, 7-8:30 p.m., Troops of St. George meeting. Open to boys, ages 6 and older.

Sat., Nov. 10:

~ Boys' altar server practice after the 7:30 a.m. Mass. Open to all boys who have received First Communion.

~ Altar Society in small meeting room following the 7:30 a.m. Mass.

~ Little Flowers in large meeting room, 9-10:30 a.m. Open to girls, ages 5 and older.

Sun., Nov. 11, Youth Group in large meeting room following 10 a.m. Mass.

Fri., Nov. 16, Men's Recollection, 7-9 p.m. Open to all men.

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Liturgical Calendar & Mass Intentions

November 4-10, 2018

Sun., 11/4, 4th Resumed Sunday after Epiphany

7:30 a.m., Ruth & Arrel Carrier †

10:00 a.m., Pro Populo

5:30 p.m., Health of Kathy Donnelan Taylor

Mon., 11/5, Daily Mass for the Dead

6:30 a.m., Deceased FSSP members & CSP members

* 8:00 a.m., Cancelled

7:00 p.m., Deceased FSSP members & CSP members

Tues., 11/6, Daily Mass for the Dead

* 8:00 a.m., Special intention

7:00 p.m., Fred & Frances Hofman †

Wed., 11/7, Daily Mass for the Dead

6:30 a.m., Ana Empinado †

* 8:00 a.m., Special intention

Thurs., 11/8, Daily Mass for the Dead

* 6:30 a.m., Special intention

7:00 p.m., Virginia Tschosik †

Fri., 11/9, Dedication of the Archbasilica of Our Holy Savior

6:30 a.m., Daniel Cardinal DiNardo

Sat., 11/10, St. Andrew Avellino

* 6:30 a.m., Special intention

7:30 a.m., Rev. Joshua Houck

** Mass is subject to cancellation if a second priest is not available. Advance notice will be posted in the bulletin whenever possible.*

First Friday of each month, there is an additional public Mass at 7:00 p.m., followed by First Friday devotion.

First Saturday of each month, the 7:30 a.m. Mass includes First Saturday devotion

Directory

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Parish Organizations

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Altar Society

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Youth Group

Contact: Rev. John Kodet

Contacts for other groups

Please check the bulletin boards or go to the parish website and click on Groups/Ministries

Sacraments

Please check the parish website for more information.

Infant baptism—contact parish at least one month before due date.

Marriage—contact parish eight months before proposed date.

Introibit Rex Glor Capital Campaign

Minimum goal: \$2,500,000
Pledged & gifted to date
\$1,820,335

Regina Caeli Parish

The Priestly Fraternity of St Peter
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Mass Schedule

Sundays	7:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m. (High), 5:30 p.m.
Mon., Wed., Fri.	6:30 a.m.
Tues., Thurs.	7:00 p.m.
Saturdays	7:30 a.m.
Confession	30 minutes before each Mass; ends 5 minutes before Mass starts
Vespers	Sundays, following the 5:30 p.m. Mass