

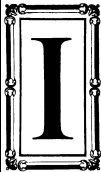
Our Lady of Lourdes

Diocese of Covington's Latin Mass Parish

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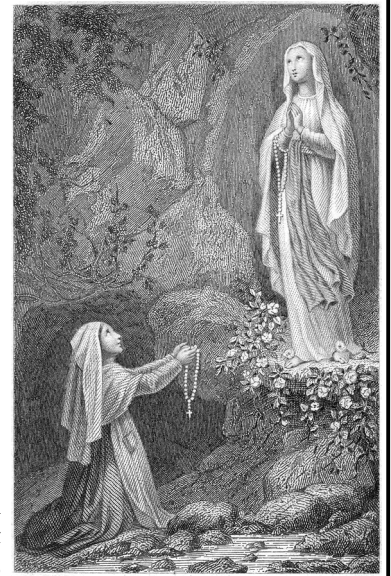
"I do not promise you happiness in this life, only in the next"



IN THIS LITTLE COLUMN THIS WEEK, I would like to mention a few things. First, today is the great Solemnity of Christ the King! I love the old calendar and when this is celebrated. Instead of waiting for the last week of the Church liturgical year, it is celebrated now! I think the symbolism is striking. Christ reigned now! Right now! Not just at the end of the time, but He is reigning as we speak! If He is reigning now, which He is, then this means that we must obey our benevolent King. We must obey Him not only in our private lives, but in our public and social lives as well. Our governments and institutions must obey Him. Nothing is outside the reign of Christ the King! May He reign not only in our hearts, but in our every day actions as well. Long live Christ the King!

Secondly, this is just a friendly reminder that I am happy to go and visit anyone who is sick in the hospital or nursing home, and of course your own home. Sometimes I don't hear about someone being sick until after they have recovered. I'm happy to go and visit anyone and bring our dear Lord Jesus and offer the other Sacraments as well. Don't hesitate to get ahold of me to let me know of a loved one who needs a visit.

Finally, it has been brought to my attention that there is the potential on Fridays for no one to be present to adore the Blessed Sacrament in Adoration. I hear that we used to have a sign-up list with at least two adorers per hour so our Lord is never left alone. I would like to bring this back. If someone can spearhead the creation of the list, that would be most appreciated. If you have to leave, and you are the only one in Church,



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Baptism and Marriages

All Sacraments at Our Lady of Lourdes are performed according to the *usus antiquior* of the Roman Rite, with the 1962 liturgical books being normative. Contact the pastor for any sacramental needs.

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Mass Calendar & Intentions

SUNDAY	October 27: Christ the King
7:00 AM	In reparation for sins against the 2nd commandment
(Union) 7:00 AM	Benedict Brueggemann
9:00 AM	Christ the King Action Ministries
11:30 AM	Pro Populo
MONDAY	October 28: Ss. Simon & Jude, Apostles
6:30 AM	Derek Tepe
12:10 PM	Francis Schmitt
TUESDAY	October 29: Feria (Mass of 23rd Sunday after Pentecost)
6:30 AM	Rhonda Bastaki & family
12:10 PM	John Schmitt
WEDNESDAY	October 30: Votive of St. Joseph
12:10 PM	Ordaz family
THURSDAY	October 31: Votive of the Holy Ghost
6:30 AM	Molly Baunauch
12:10 PM	Ginny Schmitt
FRIDAY	November 1: Feast of All Saints
6:30 AM	Our children & godchildren
12:10 PM	Alexander, Erin & kids Haacke
** 7:00 PM	LOL Tarcisians
SATURDAY	November 2: All Souls Day
9:00 AM	Poor Souls of Purgatory



Feast of Christ the King

October 27th, 2024

please call my cell and I will come.

As we approach the great feast day of All Saints, let us recall that our true home is in Heaven. May we strive to live, each day, virtuous, holy, and heroic lives like the Saints. May they intercede for us, and may we truly follow their example. All Saints and Angels, pray for us! Queen of All Saints, pray for us! – May God bless you all, Fr. Matt

Weekly Financial Report Week of Sunday October 20, 2024

Sunday Collection:	
Checks	\$2665.50
Cash & Coin	\$881.13
Online & Other Donations	\$300.00
Candles	\$109.00
TOTAL	\$3955.63
<i>Weekly Budgetary Needs</i>	<i>\$4,395</i>

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION MASSES
ALL SAINTS DAY - NOVEMBER 1ST
6:30 AM ❀ 12:10 PM ❀ 7:00 PM

† Class with Fr. Cushing on Monday evenings at 6:30pm.
† All Saints Party at OLOL – October 31st at 4pm. Dress as your favorite saint and join us for pious recreation!
† The Petites Bernadettes girls group will be hosting a Hot Chocolate stand after the Sunday Masses today. Please consider picking up a cup of hot chocolate, and donating towards the group activities for these young ladies at OLOL.
† We will have Adoration on Friday, but due to the Holy Day Mass schedule, the public Holy Hour of Reparation is cancelled. Adoration will close at or around 6pm.
† **A plenary indulgence** is offered to those praying for the faithful departed between November 1-8. On November 2nd itself, one can gain a plenary indulgence for a soul in Purgatory by simply visiting a church. You can also gain a plenary indulgence by **visiting a cemetery each day between 1-8 November, praying for the faithful departed.** These indulgences are applicable only to the Souls in Purgatory.

A plenary indulgence may be gained by each member of the faithful who, renouncing any personal attachment to sin, even venial sin, and desiring to obtain the indulgence, (i) completes the indulged action in a state of grace; (ii) makes a complete and integral sacramental confession within eight days; (iii) participates at Mass and receives Holy Communion on the same day work is performed if seeking plenary indulgence; and (iv) offers one *Our Father* and one *Hail Mary* for the intentions of the Holy Father (i.e., (a) the exaltation of the Church; (b) the uprooting of heresies; (c) peace among Christian nations; (d) the propagation of the faith; and (e) conversion of sinners).



“I shall have but one opportunity to become a saint. If this happiness is not attained by me now, it will be lost forever. But I have every facility for becoming one and I am determined to be a saint. O how earnestly I ought to labor to attain this end. How great will be my folly if I do not become a saint! Br. Gerard, resolve to give yourself unreservedly to God. Remember that it is not only by devoting yourself to prayer and contemplation that you will be sanctified. Your best meditation is to do what God asks of you. Do not be a slave to yourself or to anything else. What suffices is to have God always present to my mind and to be always united to Him. All that is done for God is meditation. Some resolve to do one thing; some another. My only resolution is — to do the Will of God. Nothing is painful, nothing is hard, to him who acts for God alone” —St. Gerard Majella.

“Oh! What mysteries will be revealed to us later...How often have I thought that I perhaps owe all the graces showered upon me to the earnest prayer of a little soul whom I shall know only in Heaven. It is God’s will that in this world by means of prayer heavenly treasures should be imparted by souls one to another, so that when they reach the Fatherland they may love one another with a love born of gratitude, with an affection far, far exceeding the most ideal family affection upon earth. There, we shall meet with no indifferent looks, because all the Saints will be indebted to each other. No envious glances will be seen; the happiness of every one of the elect will be the happiness of all...Who knows even if the joy we shall experience in beholding the glory of the great Saints, and knowing that by a secret disposition of Providence we have contributed thereunto, who knows if this joy will not be as intense and sweeter perhaps, than the happiness they themselves possess. And do you not think that on their side, the great Saints, seeing what they owe to quite little souls, will love them with an incomparable love? Delightful and surprising will be the friendships found there – I am sure of it. The favored companion of an Apostle or a great Doctor of the Church, will perhaps be a young shepherd lad; and a simple little child may be the intimate friend of a Patriarch. Oh! how I long to dwell in that Kingdom of Love...” —St. Therese of the Child Jesus



MAJESTIC QUEEN OF HEAVEN AND MISTRESS OF THE ANGELS, thou didst receive from God the power and commission to crush the head of Satan; wherefore we humbly beseech thee, send forth the legions of Heaven, that, under thy command, they may seek out all evil spirits, engage them everywhere in battle, curb their insolence, and hurl them back into the pit of Hell. “Who is like unto God?” O good and tender Mother, thou shalt ever be our hope and the object of our love. O Mother of God, send forth the holy Angels to defend us and drive far from us the cruel foe. Holy Angels and Archangels, defend us and keep us. *Amen.*

To dress becomingly for God and neighbor, and in keeping with the reverence due to the Blessed Sacrament, kindly refrain from wearing shorts, tee-shirts, tank-tops, revealing blouses, sleeveless or backless dresses, or form-fitting clothing of any sort. Please wear dresses and skirts that fall below the knee when sitting even with leggings (around mid-calf). With due regard to time and circumstance, all are encouraged to wear decorous attire befitting sacred and divine worship.