



Mary Help of Christians Traditional Roman Catholic Church

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October 9th, 2022 † 18th Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday, Oct. 9, HIGH MASS 9:00 a.m. - St. John Leonardi, C

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Mon., Oct. 10, No Mass in Springs. – St. Francis Borgia, C

RIP Mike Glover

Tues., Oct. 11, HOLY MASS 8:00 a.m. - Divine Maternity of BVM

For all the Sisters of the CMD and Mater Dei Seminaries

Wed., Oct. 12, HOLY MASS 8:00 a.m. - Feria (Our Lady of the Pillar)

RIP Marilyn, Thomas, Jeff Soisson

Thurs., Oct. 13, HOLY MASS 8:00 a.m. - St. Edward, KC (Our Lady of Fatima)

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Fri., Oct. 14, HOLY MASS 8:00 a.m. St. Callistus I, PM

Ronald Fries

Sat., Oct. 15, No Mass in Springs. – St. Teresa of Avila, V

Matt & Nichole Bieri

Sunday, Oct. 16, HOLY MASS 9:00 a.m – 19th Sunday after Pentecost

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Serving Schedule:

Sun. Oct. 9th: Oliver Vigil, Anthony Griess

Tues., Oct. 11th: Volunteer

Thurs., Oct. 13th: Anthony Vigil, Toby Vigil

Sun. Oct. 16th: Anthony Vigil, Andrew Fries

Sun. Oct. 23rd: Steven Kosovich, Alexander Vigil

Wed., Oct. 12th: Andrew Fries, John Fries

Fri., Oct. 14th: Alexander Vigil, John Fries

Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death!

Confessions: Sundays – 8:00 am and after Mass **Tues. & Wed. – 7:30 am** **Thurs. – 2:00pm**

Ending Hymn: Queen of the Holy Rosary #77 Pg. 69

Children's Catechism Class: No class today.

Adult Catechism Class: this Wednesday, Oct. 26th, from 6:30 – 8:00pm.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: RIP Robert Bernard, Kyle Kaltenbacher, Elijah Nosko, Sarah Watterson, Rebekah Hibdon, Michael Micklich, our Military and Police, Maria Atwood, Tom Gallegos, RIP Marilyn Soisson, RIP Anita Grasins, RIP Joshua Baert, RIP Susan Chenoweth, RIP George Trahan, Mathias Trujillo, Joe Slusher and all the sick. (Contact Sister to add to this prayer list.)

FINANCIAL MEETING: will be held in the Church basement this Thursday, Oct. 13th, at 6:30pm to discuss and recap the current financial situation of the Parish and recent financial activities.

BANNS OF MARRIAGE: are announced for the first time for Nicholas Vigil and Erynne Elliott. Anyone aware of an impediment to this marriage is obliged to notify the pastor.

3rd SUNDAY: next week will be the blessing of articles and the building fund.

ALL SAINTS DAY PARTY and POTLUCK: Save the date, Sunday, October 30th, will be a chili potluck and Heaven House. Keep an eye open for an email with a sign up sheet for the potluck! If your children are not in the academy but would like to participate in the Heaven House, please contact Sr. Mary Catherine asap!

The Rosary

The Rosary—as spiritual weapon against evil given by Our Blessed Mother—has a very long and precious history. In twelfth and thirteenth century France, a group of heretics known as the Albigensians was destroying the minds of the Catholic laity with its erroneous ideas. However, as history often shows, Providence raises up great Saints in times of dire crises. Saint Dominic, born of noble lineage, received the Rosary from Our Lady in the year 1214, as a weapon to combat the awful Albigensian heresy. After Saint Dominic died in the year 1221, the Rosary was almost immediately forgotten. However, in 1464 Our Lord, Our Lady, and Saint Dominic appeared to Blessed Alan de la Roche, a Dominican friar, after which he preached the Rosary until his death in 1475. This tremendous apostolate made the Rosary a widespread devotion. The Battle of Lepanto, a crucial conflict between the Christians and the Ottoman Turks, was one of the greatest naval battles of all time. The Christian lands around Greece and the Eastern Mediterranean were sacked by Muslim pirates, and Imperial warships were ravaging the land. Pope Saint Pius V raised a Crusade and asked every non-combatant across the whole Christian world to pray the Rosary. Even after this call to arms, the Christian fleet at Lepanto was greatly outnumbered by the Ottoman Turks. The Crusaders got on their knees and began to pray the Rosary. Thus it was that on October 7, 1571, the Christian fleet was blessed with a miraculous victory. Pope Saint Pius V immediately dedicated the victory to Our Lady, establishing October 7 as “The Feast of the Most Holy Rosary. Between May 13 and October 13, 1917, Our Lady appeared to three shepherd children, Jacinta, Lucia, and Francisco, at the Cova de Iria, near Fatima, Portugal. During six visits, Our Lady communicated to them a secret which had three parts. The first part was a vision of Hell. During this vision, Sister Lucia said numerous souls fell into Hell like “snowflakes.” In the second part, Our Lady states that WWI would end, but “if people do not cease offending God, a worse one will break out. To prevent this, I shall come to ask for the consecration of Russia to my Immaculate Heart, and the Communion of reparation on the First Saturdays. If my requests are heeded, Russia will be converted, and there will be peace; if not, she will spread her errors throughout the world, causing wars and persecutions of the Church.” As Our Lady predicted, World War II erupted and the errors of atheist Communism spread. Our Lady added that many will be martyred and nations will be annihilated, if people do not convert. Lucia asked Our Lady during the apparitions, “Who are you and what do you want?” Our Lady responded, “I am the Lady of the Rosary, and I have come to warn the faithful to amend their lives and ask pardon for their sins. People must not continue to offend the Lord, Who is already so deeply offended. They must say the Rosary.” Therefore, Our Lady gave us a solution: the recitation of the daily Rosary for the conversion of sinners. The Fatima message is a remedy for our culture immersed in sin. If it were not for Our Lady’s promise that “In the end, My Immaculate Heart will Triumph,” we would be much dismayed and disheartened. So let us heed her requests. Let us practice the First Saturday devotions. Let us pray the daily Rosary. By fulfilling these requests, we will be consoling the sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary and hasten the triumph of good over evil.

