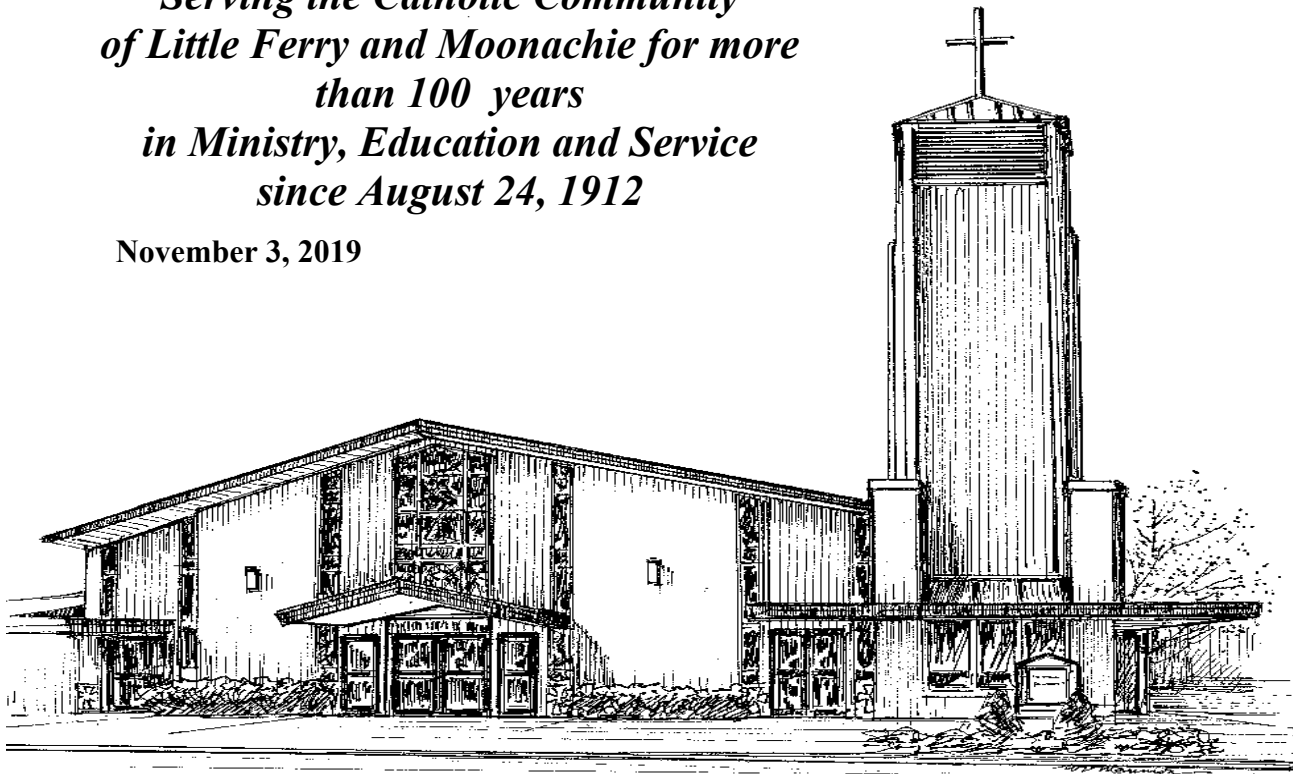


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November 3, 2019



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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday Vigil: 5:30 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM and 12:00 Noon

Weekdays: Monday 7:00 PM

Tuesday to Friday 8:00 AM

Saturday 9:00 AM

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays at 1:00 P.M.

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Rectory

201-641-2988

By appointment only

Religious Education

201-641-3937

Sunday to Thursday

The Holy Eucharist for this Week

5:30 PM All Souls Day 2

SUNDAY, November 3, 2019

Thirty-First Sunday of the Church Year

8:00 AM All Souls Day 3

10:00 AM All Souls Day 4

12:00 PM All Souls Day 5

MONDAY, November 4

7:00 PM All Souls Day 6

TUESDAY, November 5

8:00 AM All Souls Day 7

WEDNESDAY, November 6

8:00 AM All Souls Day 8

THURSDAY, November 7

8:00 AM All Souls Day 9

FRIDAY, November 8

8:00 AM People of Our Parish Family

SATURDAY, November 9

9:00 AM Saint Margaret Mass Guild

5:30 PM Madaline Romano [11A]

SUNDAY, November 10, 2019

Thirty-Second Sunday of the Church Year

8:00 AM Julia Elizabeth Brady

10:00 AM Mario Hroncich

12:00 PM Josephine Gilligan



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**Memorials
Bread & Wine
Jerry Mattessich [14A]
And
Sanctuary Candle
People of Our Parish Family**

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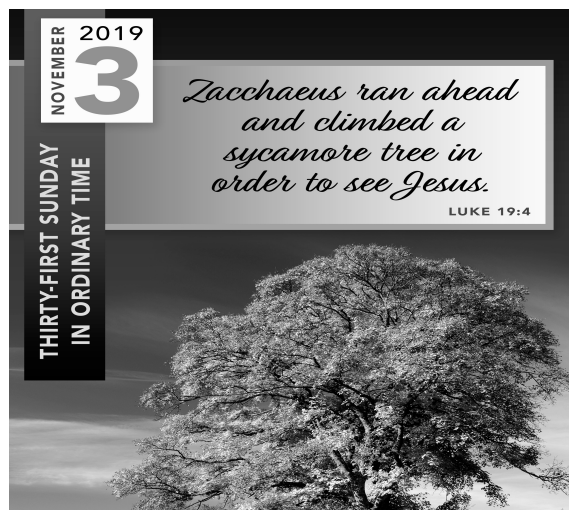
If we wish to make any progress in the service of God we must begin every day of our life with new ardor.

--St. Charles Borromeo

GOVERNMENT

Government is a trust, and the officers of the government are trustees; and both the trust and the trustees are created for the benefit of the people.

--Henry Clay





Thirty-first Sunday
in Ordinary Time
November 3, 2019

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— Psalm 145:14

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A GREAT AND GLORIOUS GOD

Our readings today ponder two powerful truths: God is infinitely greater than we are; and God provides every kind of help so we can discover and share in God's glory. The reading from Wisdom reminds us that we are tiny compared to the LORD of the whole universe.

Nevertheless, God preserves and nurtures us out of perfect love. If we feel tiny, weak, and sinful compared to God, we are blessed! God's greatness sustains and strengthens us. Saint Paul encourages the Thessalonian Christians with the same message. He reminds them that God alone makes the Church holy. He prays that everything they undertake will be for the glory of God. Luke's Gospel shows us what this looks like in real life:

Zacchaeus, feeling small and excluded, looks for Jesus. Jesus finds him and gives him the strength he needs to repent of his sins and glorify God.



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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading -- Lord, you love all things that exist

(Wisdom 11:22 -- 12:2).

Psalm -- I will praise you name for ever, my king and my God (Psalm 145).

Second Reading -- May the name of Christ be glorified in you and you in him (2 Thessalonians 1:11 -- 2:2).

Gospel -- Today salvation has come to the tax collector Zacchaeus's house (Luke 19:1-10).

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time;

National Vocation Awareness Week;

Daylight Saving Time ends

Monday: St. Charles Borromeo

Tuesday: Election Day

Saturday: The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica.



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**We lift up to the Lord
in our prayers and
good works for: the
sick, frail and the
homebound.**

Shirley Pizza	John McConnell
Catherine Mary Moncello	Baby Amato Jordan
Camilla Leventhal	Julian Morgan
Nicole Grano	Michele Porta
Johanna Hanush	Giovanna Careri
Lena Vitale	Grace Ehler
John Thomas Lazur Dersch	Julio Sanchez
Anna Semioli	Robert & Evelyn Zienkiewicz
Florence Navarro	Kevin Michael Francis
Florence Corbiserie	Paula Kelnhofer
Ann Meyer	Ruth Budinich
Philip Dittmar	Adele Rovito
Jacqueline Palmadessa	Arline Hrbek
Ruth Budinich	Michael Toscano
Caroline Ruppert Hubertz	Barbara Demczyszyn



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Martin Hroncich

Victims of terrorism and war; genocide in Syria and the Holy Land, worldwide human trafficking, racism and hatred, domestic abuse and street violence, severe weather conditions especially for all those victims who suffered and lost so much, under the severity of hurricanes.



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Prayer Shawl Ministry

The next Prayer Shawl Ministry meeting will be November 6th from 4pm to 6pm in the Parish Office. If you would like any information, would like to help in other ways or would like to request a shawl, please stop in. You can also call Ellie at 201-641-0883.

Ministry

We are always looking for more volunteers for the Masses. Readers, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and Altar Servers. For more information or to volunteer, please call Sophie at 201-641-0474

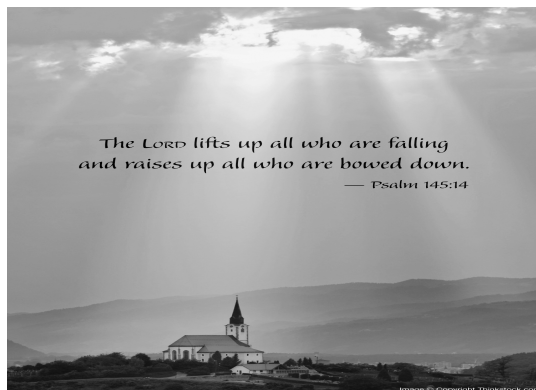
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If you or anyone you know (18yrs. or older) needs to complete sacraments (Baptism, Communion, Confirmation) and wants to do so, please contact Sister Dorothy. If you or anyone you know is interested in becoming Catholic, contact Father Kevin or Sister Dorothy.

CROSS CATHOLIC
OUTREACH PRIEST
REV. JOHN P. FISCHER

Father John P. Fischer of Cross Catholic Outreach will be visiting our parish next weekend to speak at all the Masses on behalf of the poor in developing countries. This ministry was founded to create a meaningful link between parishes in America and the priests and nuns working in the Church overseas in the Caribbean, Africa, Asia, Central and South America.



The Stewardship Collection

October 20, 2019

\$3,732



Saint Margaret of
Cortona Indoor Flea Market
Saturday November 23

9am to 4pm

help is needed on the day of
the flea market or during
collection for church table,
please call Ellie at

201-641-0883



Collection for Church Table
Friday November 22

6:30pm to 7:30pm

Marnell Hall

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