



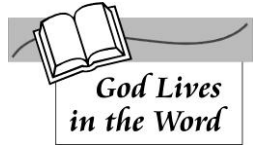
# Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time ✕ October 29, 2017

Scripture Meditation: Exodus 22:20-26; 1 Thessalonians 1:5-10; Matthew 22:34-40  
We are ALL children of God. We need to see that all people are welcomed and loved. Let's pray for every displaced person who is searching for a secure future. May God protect all from the dangers that surround them.

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## CELEBRATION OF MASSES THIS WEEK

Sat.	Oct 28	4:30 PM	+MARGE and +CYRIL MIHALIK ~ <i>Dolores, Robert &amp; Family</i>
Sun.	Oct 29	7:30 AM	+JOHN SANDOR, <i>Anniversary ~ Connie Sandor &amp; Family</i>
		9:00 AM	+DANIEL RYAN, SR. ~ <i>Daughter, Arlene Saranich &amp; Family</i>
		11:00 AM	+PAUL and +THERESA CORVINO ~ <i>The Children</i>
Mon.	Oct 30	7:30 AM	+MARY DEMSKY, <i>Anniversary (Prayer Service)</i> ~ <i>Daughter, Barbara Demsky</i>
Tues.	Oct 31	7:30 AM	SPECIAL REQUEST TO PASS CITIZEN'S TEST ~ <i>Thich Nguyen Family (Prayer Service)</i>
Wed.	Nov 1	<b>All Saints</b>	
		7:30 AM	+DECEASED MEMBERS of the FIGULA FAMILY ~ <i>The Family</i>
		9:00 AM	+GOLLY KASCAK ~ <i>Daughter, Sr. Gloria Marie</i>
		5:30 PM	+BETTY KARCSINSKI ~ <i>The McQueene Family</i>
Thurs.	Nov 2	7:30 AM	+DECEASED MEMBERS of the SEKELSKY FAMILY ~ <i>The Family</i>
Fri.	Nov 3	7:30 AM	+JENEATH QUICK ~ <i>The Tran Family (Prayer Service)</i>
Sat.	Nov 4	8:00 AM	+DORIS GALLO ~ <i>Jeanne Buynak</i>
		4:30 PM	+ANTHONY, +CECELIA, +VINCENT LUPO ~ <i>Lupo &amp; Vittorio Families</i>
Sun.	Nov 5	7:30 AM	+JOHN and +KRISTINA KMETZ ~ <i>The Kmec Family</i>
		9:00 AM	+BARBARA TRACY ~ <i>The Family</i>
		11:00 AM	+STEVE N. GREGA ~ <i>Cousin, Eleanor Buda Burke</i>



**PRAYER CORNER:** Your prayers are requested for the sick and the suffering. Please pray for the good health of:



Fr. Andy, Ceil Elias, Raymond Goddu, Bernard McCoy, Karen Tringhese

*If you would like a loved one added to our Prayer Corner or Prayer Board, please call the parish office.*

**Youth Choir News:** Our Youth Choir rehearses 5:15 PM to 6:15 PM, Wednesdays. in the Church Choir Loft. \*\*\*\***Our Adult Choir is seeking new members.** Rehearsals are held on Sundays at 10:00 AM in the Church Choir loft.



**Sanctuary Candles for the month of November** are in Loving Memory of the Kmec and Kocer Families



**The St. Joseph Altar Candle for the month of November** is given in Loving Memory of Marion and Joseph Gresko by the Children



**All Saints Holy Day Mass Schedule**  
Wednesday, November 1,  
7:30 AM, 9:00 AM and 5:30 PM



*For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life. John 3:16*

### HNJ Faith Formation Program

**Oct. 29** ~ Students **Confirmation Students:** Session 3

**Nov. 5** ~ Students and Parent Reconciliation Workshop at the Convent. **Confirmation Students:** no class

**Our congratulations to Greg Moreau, this year's recipient of the St. Augustine Medal of Service.**



Greg was honored Saturday at the Awards ceremony held in St. Augustine Cathedral and was accompanied by Deacon Michael Saranich. Greg serves our parish as a Trustee, Eucharistic Minister for weekend Masses and for the homebound, Task Force member and has taught in our Faith Formation (Rel. Ed.) program. Over the years Greg has served our parish with a gentle and compassionate spirit and is a most worthy recipient. *Thank you, Greg, for your kindness and humble service to God and others. Fr. Andy*

**Our Parish Nurses will be available next weekend, Nov. 4 & 5** to take blood pressure readings and answer any medical concerns. The nurses will be in the Church Vestibule/Confessional Room following all the weekend Masses.

**Evangelization Corner:** As God protected and delivered us from misfortune, whether small or great, so must we do for others, especially for those made vulnerable by poverty or social isolation. The commandment of love makes concrete demands.

**The Guild of the Mother of Jesus Executive Board will meet on Wednesday, November 1, at 7:00PM in the School Meeting Room.** Plans will be finalized for the membership's November 8 Meeting, "A Wine and Cheese Social". Upcoming events including the Christmas Bake Sale and Christmas party will be discussed.



**The Guild of the Mother of Jesus Membership will gather for their "Wine & Cheese Social" on Wednesday, November 8, at 7:00PM in the parish hall.**

Non-alcoholic beverages will also be available. **Bring a friend and join us for this fun evening.** A business meeting will follow to discuss the upcoming Christmas Bake Sale and Christmas party. Refreshments will be served and members are asked to bring a new item for the small raffle table. **New members are always welcome.**



**Fall Project: Our Faith Formation (Rel.Ed.) program is raising money to feed Thanksgiving Dinners to the less fortunate families of Fairfield County at Bridgeport Rescue Mission. Just \$2.50** will provide a complete Thanksgiving Dinner consisting of turkey, dressing, potatoes, gravy, vegetables and dessert. *Also, your donation serves up a heaping side of hope to someone who otherwise would spend Thanksgiving hungry and alone.* The donations will be collected from Sunday Oct. 29 through Nov. 12. All monies collected will be dropped off at the Bridgeport Rescue Mission on Monday, Nov. 13. *Thank you for your generosity!*



**Dear Parishioners of Holy Name of Jesus,** I thank your Parish Community for your donation of \$1231.00 for the 2017 Pontifical Mission Co-Op good works. These funds assist the works of so many of our faith family in both Latin and Eastern Churches in Third World Countries. Your gift will be used to further the charitable outreach to countless hundreds of our brothers and sisters in these areas. This work of the Lord assists in providing basic human needs, e.g.: food, clothing, housing, etc., and also helps train leadership personnel. Please know that your gift advances the fundamental ministry of making the Good News of Christ felt by many. I pray that Christ will continually bless your parish. One with you, In Christ Jesus, Fr. Michael A. Boccaccio, Director, Pontifical Missions, Diocese of Bridgeport



**Saint Ann Church 501 Naugatuck Ave, Milford**

Jesse Manibusan with the Saint Ann choir will perform this **Saturday, October 28 at 7:00PM and Sunday, October 29 at 3:00 PM.** Tickets are \$12 in advance and \$15 at the door. Call: 203 874-0634

**Vendors/crafters wanted for the Holly Fair** sponsored by the Women's Group of St. Margaret Mary, 50 Donovan Lane, Shelton. **Fair to be held on Saturday, Dec. 2, from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM in the church hall.** Table rental is \$30.00. For info call Sharon at 203-305-6503 or email smwspicer@gmail.com

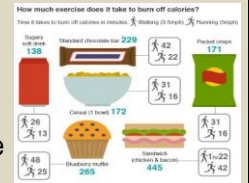
**Financial Support of our Parish-Week of Oct. 22, 2017**

Operating Costs – Weekly amount needed to meet expenses of all five buildings ...	\$11,000
Sunday Collection .....	\$ 4,904
Other Collections: Annual, Monthly, Holy Day\$	450
Total Weekly Income.....	\$ 5,354
Shortfall.....	\$ 5,646
<b>Fiscal year to date overview</b>	
Operating Costs Year to Date: \$11,000 x 17	\$ 187,000
Actual Weekly Income Year to date:	\$ 176,777
Shortfall .....	\$ 10,232

**The Holy Name of Jesus Church Annual Appeal - As of October 22, we have received contributions from 178 of our parish families. 1 gift of \$2000, 6 gifts of \$1000, 1 gift of \$750, 1 gift of \$600, 4 gifts of \$500, 58 gifts of \$100-\$400, and 107 gifts of \$1- \$75 for a total of \$23,041. OUR GOAL is to reach \$35,000 before the end of December 2017. \*If you do not have envelopes, please use the white envelopes at the Church entrances.**

**From Our Parish Nurses: Healthy Mind, Body and Soul**

**Fitness -** Under the industry-directed Facts Up Front labeling program, an increasing number of supermarket foods and beverages voluntarily display calorie information on the front of the packages, separate from the required Nutrition Facts panel. These prominent calorie icons can be found on products from more than 80 participating companies. The intention is to help consumers choose lower-calorie options. Enter the latest idea: activity icons that show the amount of physical activity, such as walking or running, needed to burn off calories in servings of various foods. "Activity equivalent" calorie labeling helps to tackle obesity. According to its position statement, activity symbols show how calories relate to activities in everyday life and can encourage people to be more mindful of calories and nudge them toward a more active lifestyle. This type of labeling would motivate people to choose healthier products, eat less, and get more exercise. Activity icons may be a simple and useful way to put calories into perspective, though they have not been put to the real-world test to see how effective they are. Unfortunately, none of the existing front-of-pack labels have been proven to improve people's eating habits or help them cut calories, and some research suggests they may even make people think a food is healthier than it actually is. You still need to look at all the nutrition labeling as well as the ingredients list to make the best choices. Bottom Line - use common sense. *Wellness letter – University of CA Berkely*



**St. Mark School in Stratford is having a PreK & Kindergarten Open House on Sunday, November 12 from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM.** They are located at 500 Wigwam Lane. All families are invited to tour their school and see why students and parents love it so much. For more information call 203-375-4291.

