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OCTOBER 4TH, 2026 | TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR A)

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LITURGY SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses

Saturday | 8:30am and 4:00pm Vigil
Sunday | 9:00am, 11:00am,
1:00pm at Vistancia Elementary School

Weekday Masses

Monday & Friday | 8:30am

Adoration

Monday - Wednesday | 8:00am - 4:00pm
Thursday | 12:00pm - 6:00pm
Friday | 8:00am - 12:00pm
Saturday | 8:00am - 4:00pm
Sunday | Closed

Confessions

Tuesday | 5:00pm - 6:00pm
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Saturday | 9:30am - 10:30am

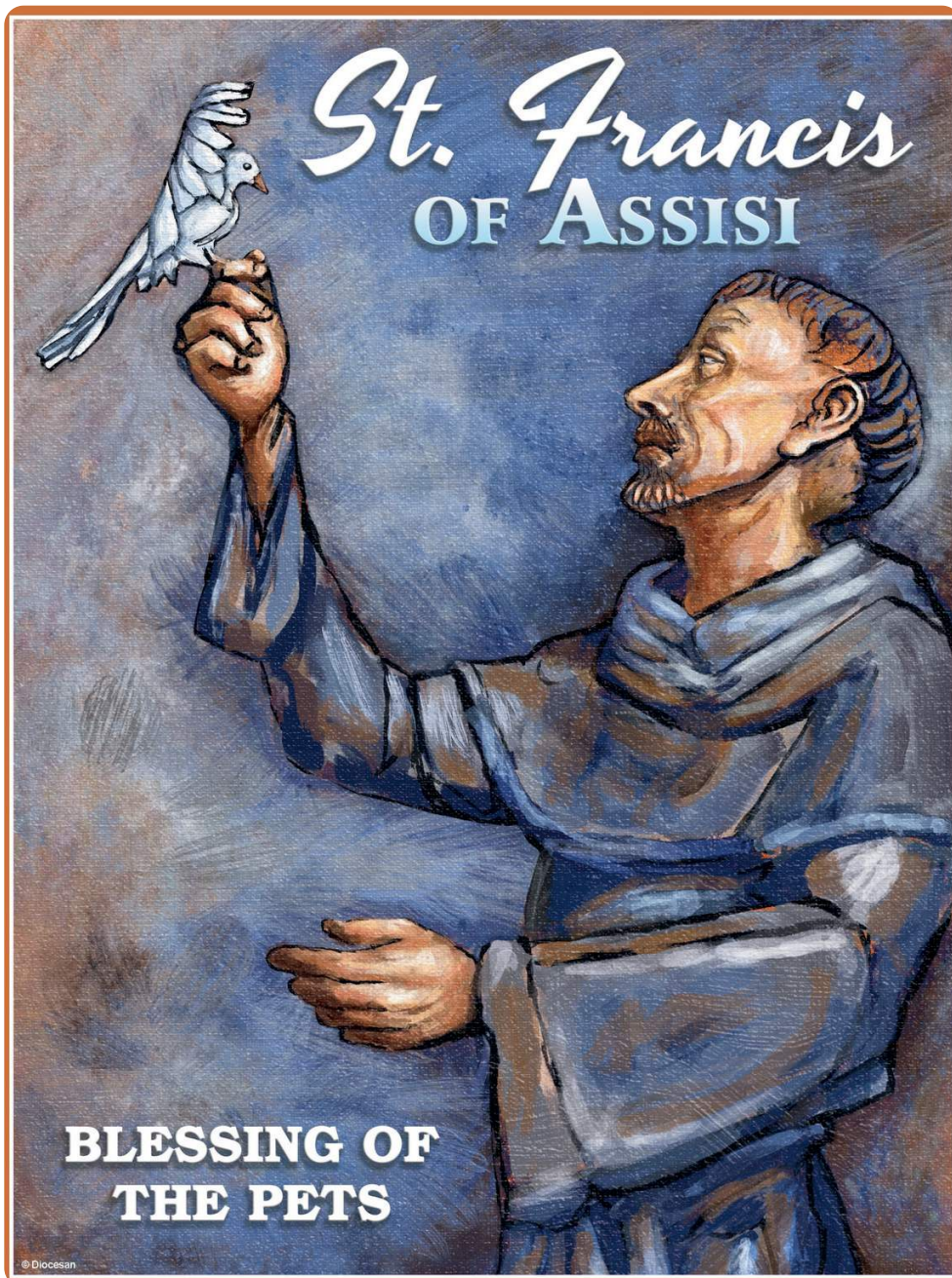
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Core Purpose

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish exists for the salvation of souls and the restoration of all things in Christ.

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PRAYER & READINGS • 03



MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, October 4th

09:00am | For the Soul of Wesolowski †

11:00am | For Tom and Nicki Entringer's 65th Wedding Anniversary

01:00pm | For the Parishioners of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish & Mission at Lake Pleasant Pkw

Monday, October 5th

08:30am | For the Soul of Gene Tickle †

Tuesday, October 6th

08:30am | For the Special Intentions for the Family of Harold Cosson

Wednesday, October 7th

08:30am | For the Special intention of Peggy Barrett

Thursday, October 8th

08:30am | For the Soul of the Deceased Members of the Corner Family †

Friday, October 9th

08:30am | For the Soul of Irene Zawicki †

Saturday, October 10th

08:30am | For the Special Intention of Margue Favia

04:00pm | For the Parishioners of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish & Mission at Lake Pleasant Pkw

Next Sunday, October 11th

09:00am | For the Deceased Choir Members, Herb Strider, and Norbert Murphy †

11:00am | For the Soul of George Beiter †

01:00pm | For the Special Intention of Kenneth Galvez

WEEKLY READINGS & OBSERVANCES

Sunday, October 4th

Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 5:1-7; Ps 80:9, 12, 13-14, 15-16, 19-20; Phil 4:6-9; Mt 21:33-43

Monday, October 5th

Gal 1:6-12; Ps 111:1b-2, 7-8, 9, 10c; Lk 10:25-37

Tuesday, October 6th

Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 or Rev 12:7-12ab; Ps 138:1-2ab, 2cde-3, 4-5; Jn 1:47-51

Wednesday, October 7th

Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary

Gal 2:1-2, 7-14; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Lk 11:1-4

Thursday, October 8th

Gal 3:1-5; Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75; Lk 11:5-13

Friday, October 9th

Gal 3:7-14; Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Lk 11:15-26

Saturday, October 10th

Gal 3:22-29; Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Lk 11:27-28

Next Sunday, October 11th

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Phil 4:12-14, 19-20; Mt 22:1-14 or Mt 22:1-10



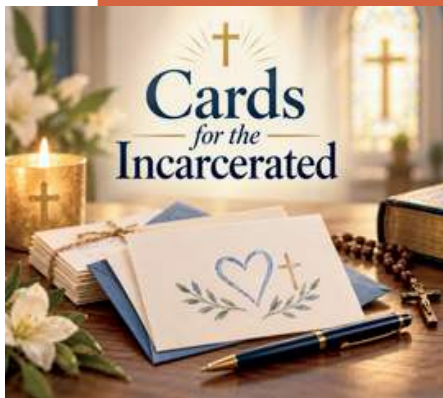
Prayer List

Adams Family
Destiny Carroll
Blanca Romero
Mary Kate Corrigan
Michelle Simpson
Andrew Nader
Alan Smith
Steve Rogers
Ricardo Sanchez
Colette Hoover
Rose Dzibela
Alan Russell

IN OUR HEARTS
Those Who Have Died
Jacquelin Langenbach
(d. 09/28/26)

Rest in Peace

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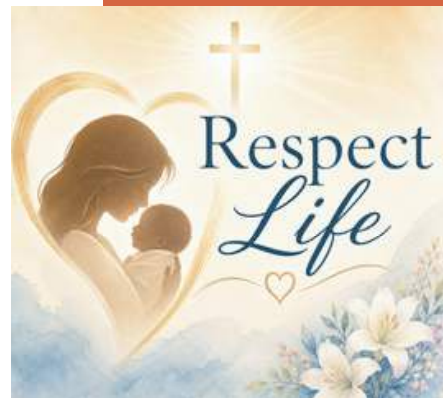
CARDS FOR THE INCARCERATED

One of the corporal works of mercy is to "visit the imprisoned." Please join our Cards for the Incarcerated group on Tuesday, October 13, at 1:00 p.m. in Madonna Hall to write encouraging postcards for Catholic inmates in Maricopa County jails and Arizona prisons. In July, 164 postcards were written and mailed. The need remains great, and all are welcome to help offer hope, prayer, and encouragement through this simple, meaningful act of mercy. Questions? Contact Terese Boas at boasfmly@comcast.net.



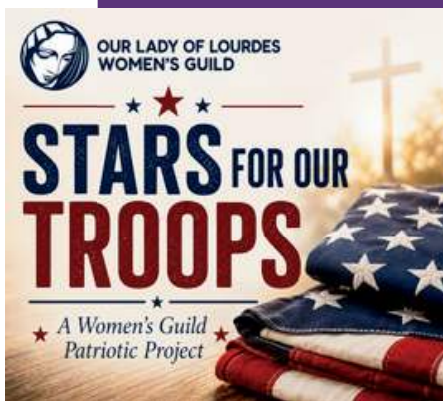
SAFE ENVIRONMENT IS STILL DUE!

It's time for our Annual Safe Environment Renewal! All volunteers are required to complete their renewal. Please visit www.ololscw.org for instructions and information on completing your training. Thank you for your continued commitment to keeping our parish community safe. If you need assistance or have questions, please contact Sam Tagliarini at stagliarini@ololscw.org or 623-344-7295.



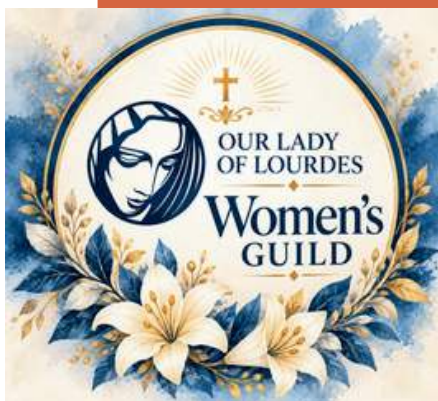
RESPECT LIFE: THANK YOU

It is with humble hearts that First Way Pregnancy Center, Aid to Women Center, and Life Choices Women's Clinic graciously thank the parishioners of Our Lady of Lourdes Parish & Mission for their generous donation of \$5,626.00 to each pregnancy center. Your monetary donations during fiscal year 2026 resulted in \$16,878.00 collected in the Respect Life parish account. The Respect Life Ministry prays that the coming year brings many blessings upon the parish and all who believe human life is precious, from conception to natural death.



STARS FOR OUR TROOPS

The Women's Guild is collecting worn and tattered U.S. flags for its Stars for Our Troops patriotic project. Donated flags must be woven and made in the USA. A collection receptacle is available in the Church narthex. All flags are handled according to U.S. flag disposal guidelines. Please consider donating your retired flags to support this meaningful project. Questions? Contact Myrna Thielmann at (623) 584-6887. View this bulletin online at www.DiscoverMass.com



WOMEN'S GUID: GENERAL MEETING

Join the OLOL Women's Guild on Monday, October 5, in Madonna Hall. Refreshments begin at 9:00 a.m., followed by a presentation from Where Hope Lives and the general meeting. Guests are welcome! Donations of personal hygiene items are appreciated. Mark your calendar for the Guild's Wednesday Social on October 14, featuring several service projects and fellowship, which will be announced in the 10/11/26 bulletin.



OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHOIR

Do you love music and want to serve our parish through song? The Our Lady of Lourdes Choir welcomes new members to share their voices, grow in faith, and help lead our community in worship. No matter your experience level, there is a place for you. Come and join our music ministry! For additional information, contact James Salas at jsalas@ololscw.org or [623-214-3516](tel:623-214-3516).

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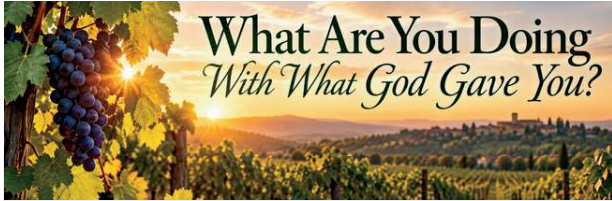
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What Are You Doing With What God Gave You?

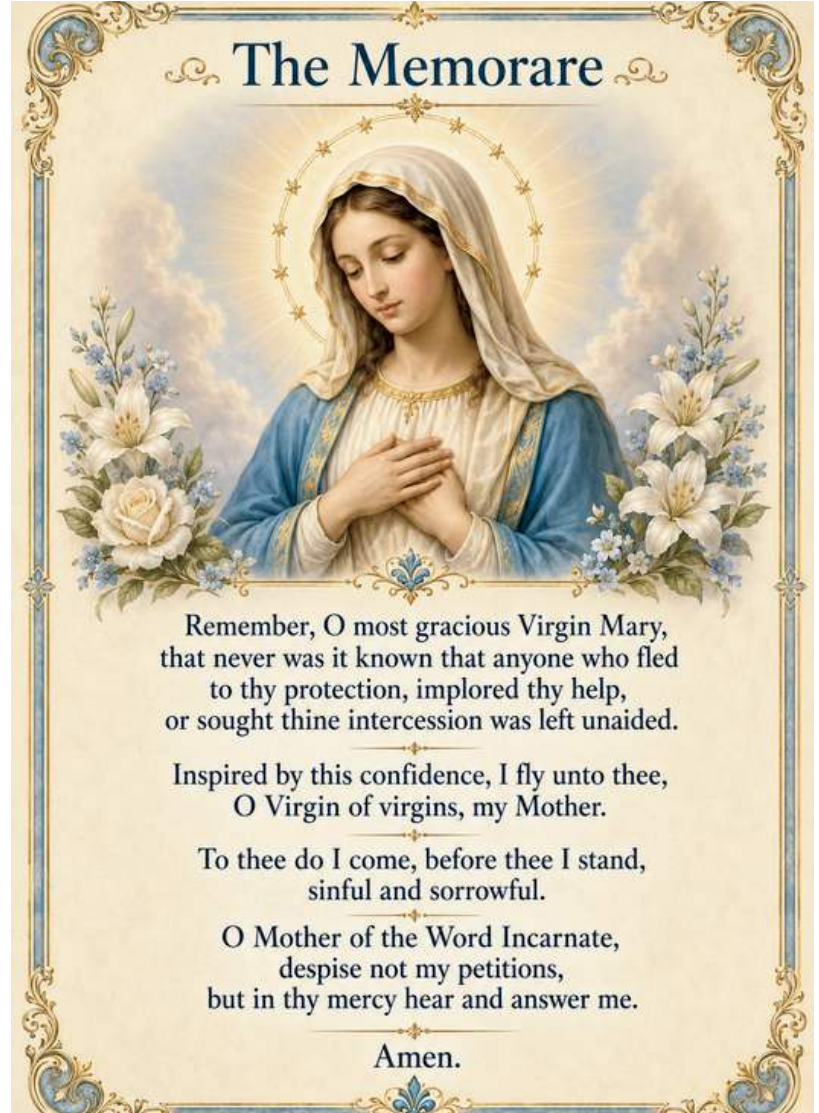
Jesus tells a story about a vineyard, but His message is close to home. God has placed each of us in a vineyard of our own, giving us faith, neighbors to love, talents to share, and opportunities to serve. None of these blessings belong to us alone. They are gifts placed in our stewardship so that God's goodness can reach beyond our lives.

The tenants in the Gospel ignored who owned the vineyard, and slowly, they began to live as if it were theirs. We can fall into the same temptation. Faith can become routine, prayer can become neglected, and discipleship can become something we leave for others. We may still show up, yet bear little fruit. Jesus asks us to look carefully and examine what our decisions reveal about the importance God holds in our hearts.

What evidence is growing in your life right now? Does your faith make you more patient at home, and does prayer help you forgive the person who hurt you? Do your gifts serve anyone besides yourself? Does knowing Christ change the way you spend your time? These are not questions meant to shame us. They help us see whether grace is taking root and changing how we love the people God has placed before us.

God is merciful, but His patience has a purpose. He keeps inviting because He wants our lives to become fruitful. A fruitful life does not have to be dramatic or impressive. It may look like supporting a spouse, calling someone who is forgotten, giving generously, forgiving again, or making time for prayer. Humble choices offered with love can reveal a heart that belongs to God. The fruit matters because it shows what we are becoming.

We often compare our vineyard with someone else's, noticing their gifts, family, holiness, or opportunities. Jesus does not ask us to produce someone else's fruit. He asks us to be faithful with what has been placed in our hands. Your vineyard is already before you. The question is what you will do with it. God has given you something worth tending, so what will you return to Him?



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DID YOU KNOW? SUMMER GIVING MATTERS

During the summer months, our parish often sees a decrease in offertory giving as many seasonal parishioners return north or travel. However, most parish expenses continue year-round, including utilities, maintenance, staff, ministries, and parish services.

Your faithful stewardship helps keep our parish strong during these slower months. Please prayerfully consider maintaining your regular giving — or adding a little extra when possible — to help offset the seasonal summer decrease.

Every gift makes a difference.

**Thank you for your continued
generosity and support.**

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BINGO!

2026 Schedule

Join the Catholic Daughters of the Americas #2278 for a fun afternoon of Bingo with snacks! Noon–2PM. Remaining 2026 dates: 11/5, and 12/3. Donations gladly accepted. All are welcome!



A FLAME OF FAITH

Votive Candles For Sale

Votive candles are available for purchase in the parish office for just \$5 each. **As a reminder, please only light candles purchased from the church, and do not remove the candle from the plastic globe.** Thank you!



BERNADETTE'S BREW

Faith & Fellowship

Come enjoy faith and fellowship with your fellow parishioners over coffee and donuts at Bernadette's Brew! Enjoy a coffee and donut combo, upgrade to a gourmet espresso for just \$5, or pair your donut with a refreshing frozen drink!



OUR LADY OF LOURDES CHOIR

Praise God through Song

Do you enjoy singing and want to serve your parish? Join our Parish Choir and share your voice at Mass. All are welcome, and no training is required. Rehearsals are held weekly. Contact James at jsalas@ololscw.org or speak with a choir member after Mass.



DIVINE MERCY

Every Thursday following the 8:30AM Mass, join a dedicated group of faithful parishioners for Divine Mercy Thursday — a beautiful time of prayer, faith, and fellowship. Come encounter God's mercy together, lift one another up in community, and renew your spirit each week. Coffee and snacks are served at the social. All are welcome. Come as you are!

PORTERS OF ST. JOSEPH

Our men's ministry, the Porters of St. Joseph, is calling all men ready to stand guard over our parish! With our snowbirds gone, we need bold men to step up and fill the ranks. Interested? Email Porters@ololscw.org or call the office and ask for Joey or Sam. Answer the call!



Miraculous Medal Novena

Please join us to pray the Miraculous Medal Novena every Monday after the 8:30am Mass.

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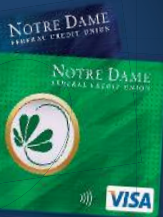
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OCTOBER: A MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY

BY JOSEPH LANGENBACH

More Than Repeated Words

October invites Catholics to rediscover one of the Church's most beloved prayers. The Rosary may seem simple at first. Its prayers are familiar. Its rhythm is steady. Yet its purpose reaches much deeper. The Rosary leads us into the life of Jesus. Mary helps us look toward her Son. Each mystery places Christ before us. We enter His joy and sorrow. We witness His sacrifice and glory.

The repeated prayers create room for reflection. They quiet the noise within us. Our hands move from bead to bead. Our minds return to Christ. We consider what He has done. We also consider our response. The Rosary becomes more than words spoken aloud. It becomes time spent with Jesus.

That is why Catholics have treasured this prayer for centuries. It is simple enough for anyone. It is deep enough for a lifetime. We can pray when joyful. We can pray when afraid. We can pray when words fail us. Mary remains beside us. She gently points beyond herself. Her message is always the same. Look to Jesus.

Walking Through the Gospel

The mysteries of the Rosary tell the story of salvation. They begin with God's entrance into human life. They carry us through Christ's ministry. They bring us beneath the Cross. Finally, they lead us toward Resurrection and glory. Each decade invites us to stop. We are asked to notice Jesus.

The Joyful Mysteries reveal humility and trust. The Luminous Mysteries reveal Christ's public ministry. The Sorrowful Mysteries confront us with sacrificial love. The Glorious Mysteries remind us where Christian hope leads. Together, they form a journey through the Gospel. We do not simply remember these events. We prayerfully enter them.

Our own lives begin to appear within these mysteries. We know joy and uncertainty. We experience suffering and loss. We need hope after disappointment. Christ meets us in all of it. The Rosary teaches us to recognize Him there. Slowly, prayer changes our perspective. Our problems may remain. Yet we begin seeing them beside Jesus. That can change how we carry them.

BEGIN WITH ONE DECADE

Many Catholics struggle to pray the Rosary regularly. Some become distracted while praying. Others feel they lack enough time. Neither struggle should keep us away. Prayer does not require perfect focus. It asks for a willing heart. Begin simply and give God what you can.

Pick up your Rosary and choose one mystery. Pray one decade slowly and without rushing. Bring a real intention into those minutes. Pray for your family or someone suffering. Pray for peace, healing, or conversion. You can bring your fears and worries too. Nothing in your heart needs to be hidden from God.

October gives us a beautiful chance to begin again. Do not worry about becoming perfect at prayer. Faith grows when we faithfully return to God. Five quiet minutes can gradually become something more. One decade can become a habit that opens your heart to Christ. The Rosary is ultimately about drawing closer to Jesus through the mysteries of His life.

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ST. FRANCIS

SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI: THE MAN BEHIND THE FAMILIAR SAINT

St. Francis of Assisi is a saint known around the world. Yet his path was not easy. He was born rich and dreamed of fame. Young Francis wanted glory. War changed him, and captivity humbled him. Illness slowed him down. His old dreams began to fade.

Francis began seeking God and praying more. He served people he once avoided. Meeting a leper changed him deeply, and he learned that peace was found in giving his own life to God. Francis saw Christ in the poor. His heart grew new. Ease no longer satisfied him. Wealth no longer ruled him. Jesus became the center of his life. That choice had a cost.

His father rejected his path, so Francis gave up his inheritance. He chose poverty freely. He wanted nothing above Christ. The Gospel became his rule. He prayed with devotion. He served with humility. He loved the Church faithfully. His life witnessed conversion. Francis did not just admire Jesus. He wanted to be like Him. His question remains: what keeps us from following Christ fully?

Francis soon discovered that following Christ was not meant to remain private. Others saw the freedom and joy in his life and wanted the same. A small community formed around him. Together, they embraced prayer, poverty, penance, and service.

Francis wanted his brothers to live the Gospel faithfully. They preached repentance and peace. They cared for the poor and those society ignored. Francis sought no power or recognition. He wanted his life to point toward Christ.

His love for creation grew from this same faith. Francis saw the world as the work of a loving Creator. Animals, water, earth, and every person belonged to God. His love of nature was always connected to his deeper love for its Creator.

Francis also had profound reverence for the Eucharist. He saw the humility of Christ in the Blessed Sacrament. Jesus, who humbled Himself in Bethlehem, remained present under the appearance of bread. Francis encouraged Catholics to approach the Eucharist with reverence and gratitude.

While praying on Mount La Verna in 1224, Francis received the stigmata. The wounds of Christ appeared on his body. He had spent years seeking to imitate Jesus. Now he physically carried signs of the Crucified Lord he loved.

His final years brought illness and suffering, yet Francis continued praising God. He died in 1226 at about forty four years old. Pope Gregory IX declared him a saint less than two years later. His Franciscan family carried his mission forward. Francis still challenges us because his life leaves little room for comfortable discipleship. Following Jesus requires more than admiration. It requires conversion, sacrifice, prayer, and love expressed through action. We may not surrender everything as Francis did, but we all hold something too tightly. His life asks us whether Christ truly comes first.

Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, October 11th | After 9am & 11am Mass

Start your Sunday with good food, fellowship, and a great cause! The Knights of Columbus invite you to a Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, October 11, following the 9:00 and 11:00 a.m. Masses in Madonna Hall. Everyone is warmly invited to enjoy breakfast with our parish community. This special fundraiser supports local charities and community outreach programs sponsored by the Knights. There is no set cost, but donations are greatly appreciated. Bring your family and friends and enjoy a wonderful morning together!



FEATURED EVENT

USA 250 Patriotic Dinner Dance Hosted By Knights of Columbus

Friday, November 6th | 5pm - 9pm

Join us Friday, November 6, from 5:00–9:00 p.m. in Madonna Hall for a patriotic evening of fellowship and fun! Enjoy live music and dancing, a silent auction, 50/50 drawing, cash bar, and door prizes. Tickets are \$30 per person and will be sold after all Masses. Proceeds benefit Operation Restore Hope for Vets. More details coming soon!



America Needs Fatima

Saturday, October 10th | 9:25am

Join us for the America Needs Fatima Rosary Rally on Saturday, October 10, at 9:25 am in the Grotto area. Come together in prayer as we honor Our Blessed Mother and pray the Rosary for our nation, our families, and the needs of the world. All are welcome to participate.



Grief Support

Friday, October 16th | 10:00am - 11:30am

Our second Grief Support session begins Friday, October 16, from 10:00–11:30 AM and will continue for six weeks. If you are mourning the loss of a loved one, we warmly invite you to join us for prayer, encouragement, compassionate companionship, faith-filled reflection, and understanding. **Attendees must REGISTER.** You do not have to walk through grief alone. Please register by completing a form in the Parish Office.

12 • RESPECT LIFE

RESPECT LIFE: WHAT ARE ABORTION PILLS?

Most abortions are no longer done by surgery in clinics, but by taking pills.

The rate of women taking abortion pills is increasing (and is at hundreds of thousands per year). The first pill (mifepristone) kills preborn babies by cutting them off from blood and oxygen. A second pill (misoprostol) then helps push the babies' remains out. While these drugs can have other uses, they are a deadly combination for preborn children.

In addition to ending the lives of babies, abortion pills are dangerous for the mothers who take them.

They have been found to cause four times as many complications as surgical abortions. A 2025 study found that 10 percent of women who take abortion pills need to get urgent treatment for problems afterward like infections, hemorrhages, or remains of the baby not having come out. But the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has taken shortcuts over the years and removed guardrails around the pills. This allows the abortion industry to push the abortion pill more and more.

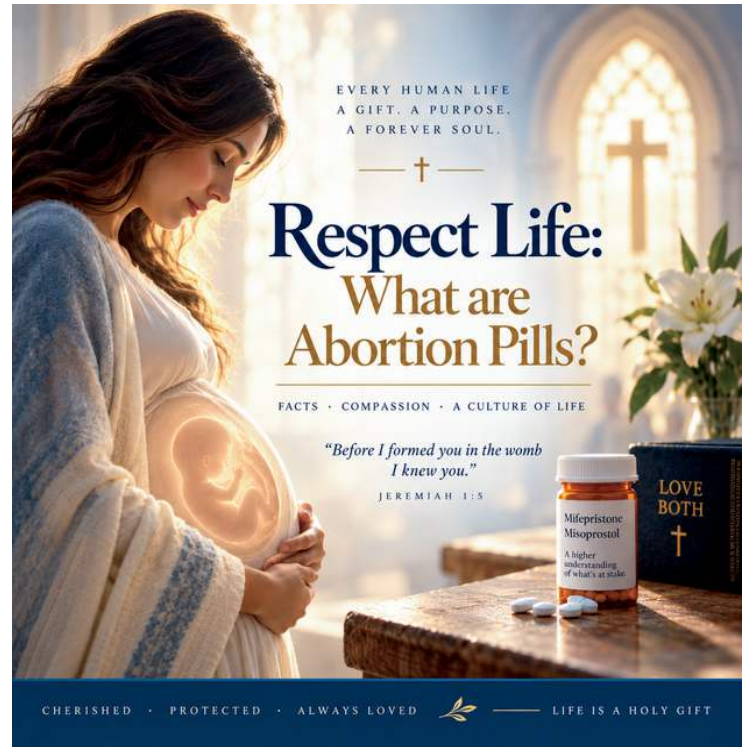
In 2021, the FDA made the abortion pill available even without an in-person doctor visit.

That means a woman might be taking the pill dangerously late in her pregnancy, or during a complicated pregnancy where it would be unsafe, and a doctor wouldn't know. Being able to get abortion pills by "telehealth" video appointment and mailed to your home, or at your local pharmacy, also means abortions are now happening everywhere and anywhere, often with women suffering through the trauma of delivering their dead baby alone.

This easier access to abortion pills also increases the chances of their being used by abusive partners or sex trafficking criminals against a woman's will.

Because abortion pills can be sent through the mail, they are also often being sent from states with pro-abortion laws to women in states with pro-life laws. That means the pro-life states don't have the ability to protect life and women in need like they were supposed to after the Supreme Court finally overturned Roe v. Wade in 2022. Some women who take the first abortion pill may have time to change their mind with an "abortion pill reversal" process, but some states are trying to block access to this last chance for life.

View this bulletin online at www.DiscoverMass.com



What can you do to help protect women and babies from abortion pills?

1. Pray for women who are deceived by the abortion industry.
2. Share the risks of the abortion pill with your friends.
3. Sign up for Respect Life Prayer and Action to help protect women and babies from these dangerous drugs at respectlife.org/prayer-and-action.

If you or someone you know has participated in abortion, know that mercy, hope and healing are available through diocesan Project Rachel Ministry. Learn more at HopeAfterAbortion.com. This article is copyright ©2026, United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, Washington D.C. All rights reserved. Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities. uscbb.org/prolife

First Way Pregnancy Center, Aid to Women Center and Life Choices Women's Clinic would like to humbly thank the parishioners at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish & Mission for their continued support of all three pregnancy centers. Saving babies, mothers and fathers could not be accomplished without your support and prayer.

The Respect Life Ministry meets the first Tuesday of every month. A pro-life rosary is prayed in the church at 1:00 pm, followed by a general meeting in the Fr. McGivney Room at 1:30 pm.

Please contact Terese Boas at boasfmly@comcast.net with any questions.



27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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PROCESSIONAL HYMN

#99 - ALL CREATURES OF OUR GOD AND KING

1. All creatures of our God and King,
 Lift up your voices, let us sing:
 Alleluia! Alleluia!
 Bright burning sun with golden beams,
 Soft silver moon that gently gleams,
 O praise him! O praise him!
 Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

2. Great rushing winds who are so strong,
 You clouds above that sail along,
 O praise him! Alleluia!
 Fair rising morn, with praise rejoice;
 Stars nightly shining, find a voice,
 O praise him! O praise him!
 Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

GLORIA

Mass of Renewal

FIRST READING

Isaiah 5:1-7

Let me now sing of my friend, my friend's song concerning his vineyard. My friend had a vineyard on a fertile hillside; he spaded it, cleared it of stones, and planted the choicest vines; within it he built a watchtower, and hewed out a wine press. Then he looked for the crop of grapes, but what it yielded was wild grapes. Now, inhabitants of Jerusalem and people of Judah, judge between me and my vineyard: What more was there to do for my vineyard that I had not done? Why, when I looked for the crop of grapes, did it bring forth wild grapes? Now, I will let you know what I mean to do with my vineyard: take away its hedge, give it to grazing, break through its wall, let it be trampled! Yes, I will make it a ruin: it shall not be pruned or hoed, but overgrown with thorns and briars; I will command the clouds not to send rain upon it. The vineyard of the LORD of hosts is the house of Israel, and the people of Judah are his cherished plant; he looked for judgment, but see, bloodshed! for justice, but hark, the outcry!

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SECOND READING

Philippians 4:6-9

Brothers and sisters: Have no anxiety at all, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God. Then the peace of God that surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.

Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is gracious, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Keep on doing what you have learned and received and heard and seen in me. Then the God of peace will be with you.

14 • ORDER OF WORSHIP

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Cf. John 15:16

I have chosen you from the world, says the Lord, to go and bear fruit that will remain.

GOSPEL

Matthew 21:33-43

Jesus said to the chief priests and the elders of the people: "Hear another parable. There was a landowner who planted a vineyard, put a hedge around it, dug a wine press in it, and built a tower. Then he leased it to tenants and went on a journey. When vintage time drew near, he sent his servants to the tenants to obtain his produce. But the tenants seized the servants and one they beat, another they killed, and a third they stoned. Again he sent other servants, more numerous than the first ones, but they treated them in the same way. Finally, he sent his son to them, thinking, 'They will respect my son.' But when the tenants saw the son, they said to one another, 'This is the heir. Come, let us kill him and acquire his inheritance.' They seized him, threw him out of the vineyard, and killed him. What will the owner of the vineyard do to those tenants when he comes?" They answered him, "He will put those wretched men to a wretched death and lease his vineyard to other tenants who will give him the produce at the proper times." Jesus said to them, "Did you never read in the Scriptures: *The stone that the builders rejected has become the cornerstone; by the Lord has this been done, and it is wonderful in our eyes?* Therefore, I say to you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people that will produce its fruit."

OFFERTORY HYMN

HOLY IS HIS NAME

1. My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord,
And my spirit exults in God my Savior.
For he has looked with mercy on my lowliness,
And my name will be forever exalted.
For the mighty God
Has done great things for me,
And his mercy will reach from age to age.

2. He has mercy in ev'ry generation.
He has revealed his power and his glory.
He has cast down the mighty
In their arrogance,
And has lifted up the meek and the lowly.
He has come to help his servant Israel;
he remembers his promise to our fathers.

And holy, holy, holy is his name.

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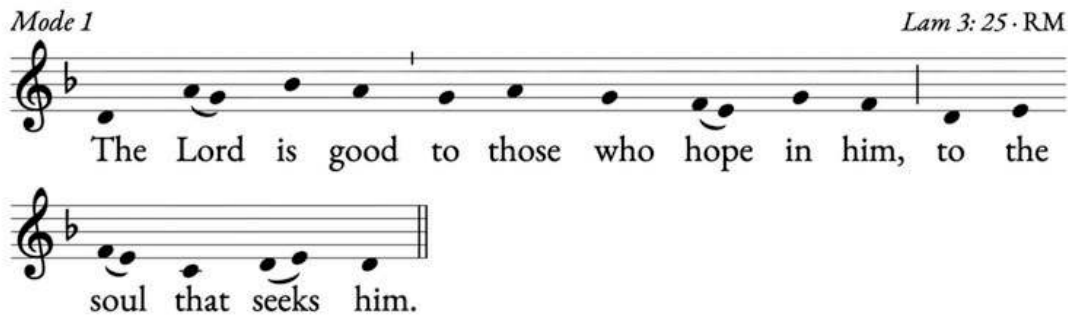
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COMMUNION ANTIPHON



COMMUNION HYMN

344 – SOUL OF MY SAVIOR

1. Soul of my Savior, sanctify my breast;
Body of Christ, be thou my saving guest;
Blood of my Savior, bathe me in thy tide;
Wash me with water flowing from his side.
2. Strength and protection may thy Passion be;
O Blessed Jesus, hear and answer me;
Deep in thy wounds, Lord,
Hide and shelter me;
So shall I never, never, part from thee.

3. Hear me, Lord Jesus, listen as I pray;
"Lead me from night to never ending day.
Fill all the world with love and grace divine,
And glory, laud, and praise be ever thine."

COMMUNION HYMN

HOSEA

1. Come back to me with all your heart.
Don't let fear keep us apart.
Trees do bend, though straight and tall;
so must we to others' call.

**Long have I waited for your coming
Home to me and living deeply our new life.**

2. The wilderness will lead you
to your heart where I will speak.

Integrity and justice
with tenderness you shall know.

3. You shall sleep secure with peace;
faithfulness will be your joy.

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RECESSIONAL HYMN

#188 – FOR THE BEAUTY OF THE EARTH

1. For the beauty of the earth,
For the glory of the skies,
For the love which from our birth
Over and around us lies:
Lord of all, to you we raise
This our hymn of grateful praise.

2. For the beauty of each hour
Of the day and of the night,
Hill and vale, and tree and flow'r,
Sun and moon, and stars of light:
Lord of all, to you we raise
This our hymn of grateful praise.

3. For the joy of human love,
Brother, sister, parent, child,
Friends on earth and friends above;
For all gentle thoughts and mild:
Lord of all, to you we raise
This our hymn of grateful praise.

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