

Calendar

Monday

OCTOBER 28

Sts. Simon and Jude,

Apostles

Eph 2:19–22

Lk 6:12–16

Tuesday

OCTOBER 29

Weekday

Rom 8:18–25

Lk 13:18–21

Wednesday

OCTOBER 30

Weekday

Rom 8:26–30

Lk 13:22–30

Thursday

OCTOBER 31

Weekday

Rom 8:31b–39

Lk 13:31–35

Friday

NOVEMBER 1

All Saints

Rv 7:2–4, 9–14

1 Jn 3:1–3

Mt 5:1–12a

Saturday

NOVEMBER 2

*All the Faithful
Departed (All Souls)*

Wis 3:1–9

Rom 5:5–11

Jn 6:37–40

Sunday

NOVEMBER 3

*Thirty-first Sunday
in Ordinary Time*

Wis 11:22–12:2

2 Thes 1:11–2:2

Lk 19:1–10

Dear Padre,

I see hate everywhere these days—in social media, politics, even between religions. Are we helpless to do anything about hatred?

Traditionally, the Church promoted the idea of seven deadly sins. One might assume that hatred is one of these sins, but it's not. Hatred flows out of something else: It's a byproduct of the sins of envy, pride, anger, and avarice. The way to counter hatred is to promote virtues that are the opposite of the deadly sins from which hatred flows.

The virtue opposing the vice of envy is love. In love, we rejoice over our neighbor's good. 1 Thessalonians 5:15 talks about how we seek good for each person. The opposite of pride is humility. Today's Gospel parable of the Pharisee and tax collector praying together (Luke 18:9–14) speaks of true humility. The tax collector recognized a basic truth: that God is the creator, the source of our life and spirit. The virtue opposing anger is meekness. In meekness, we put aside our feelings to seek reconciliation with our neighbor. Jesus taught that we cannot bring our gift to the altar if we

recall that our neighbor has something against us or vice versa (Matthew 5:23–24). Finally, the virtue that destroys avarice is poverty. Poverty doesn't mean giving away all our money; it means we strive to become rich in what matters to God (Luke 12:20) and to share with those who have less.

Hatred will be no more if we strive to be virtuous in the face of our envy, pride, anger, and avarice.

—Fr. Paul J. Coury, CSsR
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A Word from Pope Francis

Sadly, we are witnessing a presentation of religion and religious values in a fundamentalist way, which is used to justify the spread of hatred, discrimination, and violence. The justification of such crimes on the basis of religious ideas is unacceptable, for "God is not the author of confusion, but of peace" (1 Corinthians 14:33).

—Joint declaration with pope of the Armenian Apostolic Church, June 26, 2016



30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 27, 2019



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**'O God, I thank you that
I am not like the rest of humanity --
greedy, dishonest, adulterous
or even like this tax collector.**



EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION
Every Friday Adoration from 8:30 a.m.
to 9:30 a.m
**SACRAMENT OF
RECONCILIATION**
Both Before Mass and by Appointment.

Mass Schedule for this Week
Our Lady of Chartres Mass Schedule
St. Ann Mass Schedule & Intentions
Sun 10:00am Our Parish Family
Parish Picnic

Mon 8:00 +George Brignac
Tues 8 am +Carol Van Bibber
Wed 6:00pm Benefactors
Thu 8:00 am Benefactors
7pm All Saints Benefactors
Fri 10:00 am All Saints Benefactors
7pm All Saints Benefactors

From Father Khoa's Desk...

Dear Parishioners and Friends, Jesus likes you. Jesus loves you. Jesus longs for you!

This is one of the stories of people who didn't like each other, and brought the worst out of each other. A Pharisee was strict on religion, and a taxman was a greedy sinner. Each made the other feel awful about themselves, especially before God. The Pharisee started boasting about his religious fervent observance. The taxman just swallowed his prejudice and admitted to God that he was a sinner. The Pharisee would look good in any religious line-up, and the taxman would be in the corner of the line-up, hoping nobody would see him. But he knew who he was before God; he admitted his weakness. The Pharisee pretended religious fervor and looked down on the taxman, one of God's favorites.

Jesus comments on the story which everyone would recognize, and we recognize ourselves in both people: the proud and arrogant person at times, and at other times, the one who feels a total failure. He just says in admitting who you are, you are high in the sight of God and high at God's table. Just to be oneself before God can be difficult. Many gospel stories are about this reality. We need to give those few silent moments each day to an awareness of being loved by God. In that we are humbled, that one so good as God could love us so totally, and so we are exalted. We are gifted by God's grace and if we can enjoy our identity as a child of God we will find happiness in life. Lord teach me to know you more, to love you more and serve you faithfully in my life.

May God bless all of us! Enjoy your praying!

...Fr. Khoa

The Solemnity of All Saints, Nov 1, Friday and is a holy day of obligation: Thursday, Vigil at 7pm – and on Friday at Wolf River Cemetery at 10:00 am. Just like in the past, Fr Vo will bless the graveyard afterward. Also on Friday at 7pm the Mass is at St. Ann.

All Souls Novena

Especially in the month of November, the dead are remembered in prayer. We will have a Novena Mass at St. Ann and OLC to remember our loved ones. The Novena will begin on Nov 2nd and end on Nov 10th. Envelopes will be available in the vestibule of the church. ***Please print the names clearly*** so that we can record them in the *Frame for the Intention of the Dead* which will be placed at the foot of the altar during the Novena.

Congratulations To the 2019 Lumen Christi Award Recipients for St. Ann: Karen Cadle.

This Award honors those parishioners who give generously of their time and talent to the Church.

Thanksgiving Basket: For more info, please contact Beverly 228-832-4968. We need canned goods, 20 turkeys. The nominators have the responsibility to deliver the bag. Thank you.

Parish Picnic: Thank you everyone who set up, serve, and clean up.

ST. ANN STEWARDSHIP:**

63Identifiable: **\$1,610.00**; Loose: **\$1,064.00**; ACH: **\$155.00**; Total: **\$2,829.00**; Children: **\$22.95**. Propagation of Faith: **\$343.00**.

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Identifiable: **\$60.00**; Loose: **\$278.00**; Total: **\$338.00**.

****Amount needed weekly \$2,908.84.**

Thank you for your generosity.

MASS	LECTOR	EUCCHARISTIC MIN.	SERVERS	USHERS	GIFT B.
Sun Oct 27 10am	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
Sat Nov 02 5pm	Lanny Acosta	WC & Lennel King, Rita Acosta	Austin Scarengoes	August Mike	Tammy Scarengoes family
Sun 7:30am	Sandra Ammons	Douglas Ladner	(OLC)	Terry Mitchell	(OLC)
Sun Nov 03 9am	John Davis	Kim Wood, Lester Palmer, Robin Peterson	TBA	Will Pat	Beau & Valerie Underwood
Sun 6pm	TBA	Jan E., Derek & Jodi T.	Blake Smith	TBA	TBA

ST. ANN ACTIVITIES.

Prayer for Safety In Hurricane Season

O God, Master of this passing world, hear the humble voices of your children. The Sea of Galilee obeyed Your order and returned to its former quietude. You are still the Master of land and sea. We live in the shadow of a danger over which we have no control: the Gulf, like a provoked and angry giant, can awake from its seeming lethargy, overstep its conventional boundaries, invade our land, and spread chaos and disaster.

During this hurricane season we turn to You, O loving Father. Spare us from past tragedies whose memories are still so vivid and whose wounds seem to refuse to heal with passing of time.

O Virgin, Star of the Sea, Our beloved Mother, we ask you to plead with your Son on our behalf, so that spared from the calamities common to this area and animated with a true spirit of gratitude, we will walk in the footsteps of your Divine Son to reach the heavenly Jerusalem, where a storm-less eternity awaits us. Amen.

Bible Study: We study **Romans**. Please join us. Classes are on **Wed at 6:00pm**. For more information, please contact **Ruth**.

Garage Sale: Thank you Kay, Dianne, Beverly, Lennel, and Ellen.

Bereavement Committee: Please contact **Sharon Leimer** at 539-9928. Lasagna, green salad, rolls, and deserts will be provided for the funeral reception upon request. Thank you.

Senior Citizens Bingo: KC will have bingo for senior Citizens will be on November 10 Sunday after 9am Mass. It's free. Please come and join us. Thanks.

PRAYER REQUESTS Those who are ill:

Leslie Cuevas, Lee James, Darlene Billingsley, Victoria Moran, Jerry Malley, Ezekiel Rutherford, Dalwin Cuevas, Colby Cagle, Debbie Bowen, Andrew Fillengame, Melissa Peterson, Breanna Ladner, Andrew, Sharon Somora, Nancy Ladner, Matt Bryant, Nancy (Chicago), Paul Ladner, Dianne Dearman, Jenny Hinton, Marie Cuevas, Sharon Smith, Kathy, Marlene Moran, Teresa McAllister, Kendra Necaise, John Parish, Susan Parish, Courtney Stewart, Paula Foreman, Kathy Robison, and Lyndon Rushing, Meghan and Daughter Colbi Pittman Necaise, Bill & Brenda Peterson, Christine Constantine, Anthony Moran, Jill Ladner, Brandon Miller, Stephany Bass, and Brandi Moran, Verda Crabtree, Lynn & Linda Bangs, Paul Irby, and Hilda Eiselen.