

Pulpit Announcements

Thirtieth Sunday of Ordinary Time

October 29, 2023

- Our charitable tithes this weekend will go to the Patriarchate of Jerusalem, in support of the Christians in the Holy Land.
- The flowers in the sanctuary this weekend are in honor of Ken and Trudy Rozas. May God bless them.
- This Sunday around 12:15 PM, we'll have our monthly Fellowship Sunday. Come and join other parishioners for donuts and fellowship. All are welcome!
- In the narthex this weekend, we have sign-ups for our Nocturnal Adoration this coming Friday and Saturday, November 3-4. Please be generous with your time and sign up for a Holy Hour!
- Also in the narthex this weekend, we have sign-ups for the Live Nativity and Children's Christmas Choir. *All children are welcome to sign up!*
- The Solemnity of All Saints is this Wednesday, November 1. It is a Holy Day of Obligation. All the baptized are called to the altar of God for worship. Our Mass schedule here is: Tuesday, October 31: 4:00 PM and 5:30 PM. Wednesday, November 1: 9:00 AM, 11:00 AM, and 7:00 PM. Confessions are available after each Mass.
- Due to evening Masses for All Saints Day, we will not have our regularly scheduled Noon Mass or Confessions this Tuesday.
- The holy day of All Souls is this Thursday, November 2. We'll have three Masses: a 7:00 AM Quiet Mass in the church; a Noon Mass at the columbarium (please bring your own seat or blanket); and a solemn 7:00 PM Mass in the church.
- As we near the observance of All Souls Day, November 2, I'd like to clarify some of our Catholic customs:
- The All Souls envelopes are for you to formally ask your local pastor to prayerfully remember your beloved dead through the next year. It is very important that you write the names of your loved ones on the envelopes. The names can be anyone who has died at any time. Please note: the All Souls collection goes directly to the priest. This is the only time in which collected funds go directly to the priest. *However, checks should still be made out to the parish. Please do not make any checks payable to me.* The parish will issue me a check.
- The Book of the Dead will be placed by the baptismal font on November 1. Any and all of your beloved dead can be written in the book. It does not matter when your loved ones passed away. Anyone can be written in the book.
- The Reading of Names at our 7:00 PM Mass on All Souls is only for those who have died *within the past liturgical year* (November 2, 2022 – November 1, 2023). Names can be emailed to Monty: mbennett@charlestdiocese.org.