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A parish of the Diocese of Denver, CO served by the Priestly Fraternity of St Peter (FSSP) dedicated to the Traditional Latin Mass and Sacraments according to the 1962 Missal of Pope St John XXIII.

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

October 23, 2022

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SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES
303-241-2946

SUNDAY LOW MASS
6:30 AM | 8:00 AM | 9:30 AM | 1:00 PM

SUNDAY HIGH MASS
11:00 AM

DAILY MASS
8:30 AM MON - SAT
Also 7:00 PM FRI

CONFESSIONS
30 MINUTES BEFORE EACH MASS
SAT: 8 - 9:30 AM
SAT: 3 - 4 PM

DAILY MASS
6:30 AM SUN - SAT
Carmelite Monastery
6138 S. Gallup St. Littleton, CO 80120



Nisi signa et prodigia videritis, non creditis

From Fr. Krager

Father Willie Doyle was an Irish priest born in 1873 in County Dublin. Although he did much good work in Ireland, he was eager to go abroad and minister to Irish Catholics during World War One. He received permission to join the British Army where he attained the rank of Captain and was assigned to the 8th Battalion Royal Irish Fusiliers. He was a father to all of his men and worked tirelessly in the trenches, especially to administer Last Rites to the many men who fell in combat.

When Willie was just a novice in the Jesuits, he wrote the following passage in his journal:

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From Fr. Krager

“Darling Mother Mary, in preparation for the glorious martyrdom which I feel assured thou art going to obtain for me, I, thy most unworthy child, on this the first day of thy month, solemnly commence my life of slow martyrdom by earnest hard work and constant self-denial. With my blood I promise thee to keep this resolution, do thou, sweet Mother, assist me and obtain for me the one favor I wish and long for: To die a Jesuit Martyr. May God’s will, not mine, be done! Amen.”

Father was known for his tireless zeal as well as his good humor. Despite the apocalyptic horror that surrounded him, this priest always had a smile and a witty comment at the ready. He was even known to play practical jokes. His diaries reveal that he was offering up his sufferings and labors in reparation for the sins of priests.

A non-Catholic in the trenches describes Father Doyle's work as follows:

“A certain Roman Catholic chaplain lies in a soldier's grave in that sinister plain beyond the Ypres. He went forward and back over the battlefield with bullets whining about him, seeking out the dying and kneeling in the mud beside them to give them Absolution, walking with death with a smile on his face, watched by his men with reverence and a kind of awe... His familiar figure was seen and welcomed by hundreds of Irishmen who lay in that bloody place. Each time he came back across the field he was begged to remain in comparative safety. Smilingly he shook his head and went again into the storm. He had been with his boys at Ginchy and through other times of stress, and he would not desert them in their agony. They remember him as a saint – they speak his name with tears.”

On August 16th, 1917, a few soldiers were trapped beyond the front line. Father Doyle selflessly ran out to help them reach safety. As the group was trying to take shelter, a shell landed in their midst. The priest's body was never recovered.

One day, long after the war was over, a veteran of the War fell on hard times and resorted to robbery. He broke into the house of Father Doyle's parents, who were still alive. He made Mr. Doyle get up and unlock all of the drawers where valuables were stored. The robber saw a picture of Mr. Doyle's son and asked who it was. The proud father responded saying, “That's my son, Father Willie Doyle, who gave his life for the soldiers in Flanders.” The robber responded with tears, saying “That was a holy priest, he saved many souls.” The veteran kissed the picture and left without stealing anything... except for that photograph of the hero-priest.

If you are interested in learning more about Father Willie Doyle, I recommend a book titled “To Raise the Fallen” by Patrick Kenny. It is a collection of letters, prayers, and other writings by Father Doyle.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

6:30 am Conversion of George & Forrest Presnell
by David & Bonnie Sammons

8:00 am Celebrant's Intention

9:30 am Celebrant's Intention

11:00 am (High Mass) Pro Populo

1:00 pm Fred Carver+

5:00 pm Vespers and Compline

MONDAY, OCTOBER 24

St. Raphael the Archangel

8:30 am Margie Matel+ by McCoy Great Grandchildren

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25

St. Isidore the Farmer, Confessor

8:30 am Margie Matel+ by McCoy Great Grandchildren

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26

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8:30 am Sr Thérèse Marie, OCD by the Paquette family

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27

Ded'n of Cathedral Basilica of the Immaculate Conception

8:30 am (High Mass) The Sims Family

7:00 pm Holy Hour

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28

Sts. Simon and Jude, Apostles

8:30 am FSSP & Latin Mass Parishes by Roni Jaure

7:00 pm FSSP & Latin Mass Parishes by Roni Jaure

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29

Saturday of Our Lady

8:30 am FSSP & Latin Mass Parishes by Roni Jaure

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30

Christ the King

6:30 am Jule Salazar by Mary Morley

8:00 am Celebrant's Intention

9:30 am Dale Adams+ by Germain Family

11:00 am (High Mass) Pro Populo

1:00 pm Celebrant's Intention

5:00 pm Vespers and Compline

Fr. Nolan's Private Intentions

20 - Margie Matel+ by McCoy Great Grandchildren

24 - Valentine Janicek+ by Julie Arnold

25 - Kenneth Iverson+ by Gabriel Iverson

26 - Brian Patterson by Laurie Lewis

27 - FSSP & Latin Mass Parishes by Roni Jaure

29 - Franklin Salazar by Mary Morley

To request a Mass please fill out a Mass intention offering envelope or mail in a request.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Tue, Nov 1 - All Saints Day is a Holy Day of Obligation: Masses at 8:30am, 12pm (High Mass) and 7pm.

Wed, Nov 2 - All Souls Day: Masses at 8:30 (High Mass) and 7pm.

Mon, Oct 31 - The Lost and Found will be cleared out. Please check for any lost items in the upstairs conference room today.

Tomorrow - Men's Group starts at 6pm with the Rosary followed by parishioner Ben Zumwalt speaking of his recent ascent of Mt. Rainier.

Sat, Oct 29 - Senectutem All Saints Day Party from 7-11pm at 3065 S Delaware St, Englewood, CO 80110 for ages 21+. Rosary at 7pm followed by a talk from Fr. Nolan and a house blessing. It will be in a candlelit setting with All Souls traditional food and pumpkin carving. Please dress as a saint or other Catholic related figure. Hope to see you there!

Sat, Oct 29 - Irish Ceili in the OLMC hall, 6-8:30pm: traditional Irish dance and music for the whole family, including performance dancing, a musical interlude from Hibernia and light appetizers. Tickets are \$6 for adults, \$3 for children 7-16, 6 and under free. You must RSVP in advance to attend this event as there is limited space: johannaconder@yahoo.com

Next Sun, Oct 30 - Feast of Christ the King: a plenary indulgence may be gained by reciting the *Act of Consecration of the Human Race to the Sacred Heart of Jesus*. This will be recited after each Mass, for the Low Masses in place of the usual Leonine Prayers.

Next Sun, Oct 30 - Chess Club Meeting from 12:30-3pm in the St. Albert room. Group Chess lesson from 12:30 - 12:45pm. Competition starts at 12:45pm.

Mon, Oct 31 - All Night Adoration for Halloween from 7pm until 8am on the feast of All Saints. A sign-up for time slots will be sent out the week prior. Please consider signing up or just stopping by to spend time with the Lord.

Tue, Nov 1 - All Saints Day Party in the parish hall after the 12pm high Mass. We are in need of cash donations, new religious items (for prizes) and trinkets. Please contact Elle Grandy at 720-409-9911 or JustcallmeElle@protonmail.com if you can help.

St. Martin's Annual Coat Drive runs through Nov 11, St. Martin of Tours' feast day. Please consider donating gently used or new coats, gloves, hats, scarves, etc. for Catholic Charities. A bin will be in the hall for donations.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Registering for Parish Photos: If you would like to register, please go to olmcfssp.org > welcome > register. New dates and time slots have been added.

Wed, Nov 9 - Fatherhood in Prayer Classes: All fathers, including those with grown children and fathers-to-be, are invited to attend. This series of five sessions will empower fathers to lead their families to holiness through the practice of mental prayer. The group will meet on Wednesdays, 6-8pm on Nov 9, 16, and 30, Dec 7 and 14. RSVP to Anthony.Fortunato17@gmail.com before attending the first session. For more information, visit www.FatherhoodInPrayer.com.

First Sacraments: Study Guides and Test Questions are available now on the website at olmcfssp.org > sacraments > first holy communion/confirmation. If you have a child in the 2nd or 3rd grade of religion class in school, they are eligible to receive either First Confession or First Holy Communion/Confirmation and can be registered on the website.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Contact Jane Brennan: jmbrennan555@gmail.com

Please Pray for the Sick

Ali Rende, Mac McCord, Martin Radocha, Michael Johnson, Sean Dunnington, Florentia Knoell, Joanne Fahey, Dolores Drain, Gillaine Warne

Please Pray for the Repose of the Souls of

Edward Kovar, Myrna Kitchin, Joseph McDonald, Elanor McDonald, Joseph Albi, Barbara Watson, Jerry Williamson, Gillaine Warne, Eugenia Casbergue

ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers this Sunday are for the intention of John, Mary, and Bernadette Filipczak, donated by John Filipczak.

HOMEBOUND

Any parishioner confined to home who would like to receive the sacraments or the bulletin, please contact the parish office.

WEEKLY COLLECTION - October 16:

Offertory: \$ 19,323.00

Capital: \$ 1,000.00

Poor Box: \$ 114.00

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