



Our Lady of Mt. Carmel

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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SACRAMENTAL EMERGENCIES

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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

Christ the King

October 29, 2023



Iesum Christum, Regem regum: Venite adorémus

From Fr. Nolan

Dear Parishioners,

Please remember the poor souls in Purgatory this upcoming week! Holy Mother church grants a **PLENARY INDULGENCE**, applicable only to the departed, for visiting a cemetery on the days of **Nov 1st through Nov 8th**, and there reciting any prayer for the departed. (*Eternal Rest*, e.g.)

The 'usual conditions' apply, which are the following:

1. Receive Communion each day we wish to gain the indulgence
2. Go to Confession anytime within two weeks before or after the indulgenced work.
3. Be free from any attachment to sin, even venial.
4. Pray for the intentions of the Holy Father (one Our Father & one Hail Mary) each day we perform the indulgenced work

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The following selections are taken from the book "The Dogma of Purgatory" by Fr. Felix Schouppe. We would do well to meditate upon this reality, especially during the month of November, which is dedicated to the remembrance of the Holy Souls in Purgatory.

The word Purgatory is sometimes taken to mean a place, but properly speaking, it is a condition. The condition of souls who, at the moment of death, are in the state of grace, but who have not yet completely expiated their faults, nor attained the degree of purity necessary to enjoy the vision of God.

Purgatory is a transitory state, the final end of which is Heaven. It is not a trial by which merit may be gained or lost, but a period of atonement and expiation. The time for merit and atonement is this life on Earth, and once that time is expired, nothing but justice remains. This is so because, at the moment of death, our soul remains fixed forever in whatever state it happens to be. If we die in a state of Sanctifying Grace, we are certain of arriving at Heaven. However, if we are still burdened with the debts of temporal punishment, this arrival will be delayed, as we must satisfy Divine Justice in all its rigour. This is what is meant by the word *Purgatory*.

The Justice of God punishes with extreme rigour even the most trivial faults. The reason is that these faults, small in our own eyes, are not so before God. The least sin displeases Him greatly, and, on account of the infinite Sanctity which is offended, the slightest transgression assumes enormous proportions, and demands enormous atonement. This explains the terrible severity of the pains of the other life, and should penetrate us with a holy fear.

A fear of Purgatory is a salutary fear; its effect is not only to animate us with a charitable compassion towards the poor souls who suffer there; but also inspires us with a vigilant zeal for ourselves. Think of the fire of Purgatory, and we will endeavour to avoid the least sins and faults; think of the fire of Purgatory, and we will be much more inclined to pray, and to do penance; think of the fire of Purgatory, and then all the trials and difficulties of this life, about which we complain so excessively, and bitterly, will not seem so difficult after all; when we consider that by enduring them well and with faith, we may satisfy Divine Justice in this world, rather than in the next."

Dear Parishioners, let us meditate upon the reality of the sufferings of Purgatory, that we might not be too content with going there after death, but rather strive directly for Heaven. Let us also be very generous with our prayers for all the Faithful Departed, who are unable to pray for themselves, and who rely upon us to mitigate their sufferings and hasten the time of their departure. One day we, too, will rest in our grave, and perhaps stand very much in need of the generous prayers of others!

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 29

Christ the King

6:30 am Linus Anselmi by Ted and Laura Anselmi

8:00 am Jeanne Anselmi Lindberg
by Ted and Laura Anselmi

9:30 am Charles and Theresa Dalbac
by Katherine Sawaya

11:00 am (High Mass) Pro Populo

1:00 pm Geraldine Marie Pellant+

5:00 pm Vespers and Compline

MONDAY, OCTOBER 30

Feria (Mass of the 22nd Sunday after Pentecost)

8:30 am Brittany Kane+

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31

Feria

8:30 am Robert T.+

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1

All Saints (Holy Day of Obligation)

8:30 am Charlotta Halske+ by Beaulieu Family

12:00pm (High Mass) Evan Frazee+ by Margaret Leeper

7:00pm Reinhold Greve+ by Reinhold and Barbara Greve

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2

Commemoration of All Souls

8:30 am (High Mass) Holy Souls in Purgatory+

7:00pm (High Mass) Intentions of OLMC Parishioners+

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3

Feria

8:30 am The Jannaccio Family by Tuttle Family

7:00 pm Gary Greve+ by Reinhold and Barbara Greve

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4

St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop

8:30 am The Field Family by Tuttle Family

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5

Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost

6:30 am Priests and Staff of OLMC by Tuttle Family

8:00 am Philip Dixon+ By Anthony and Mary Dixon

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11:00 am (High Mass) Pro Populo

1:00 pm The Perry Family by Tuttle Family

5:00 pm Vespers and Compline

Fr. McCarthy's Private Intentions

30 Souls in Purgatory+ by Cecilia Trandem

31 Ethan Field+ by Tuttle Family

4 Tuttle Children by Tuttle Family

To request a Mass, please fill out a Mass intention offering envelope and put it in the drop box outside of the parish office or mail in a request.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today - 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, Nov 5 - Daylight Savings Time Ends: Please set your clocks back one hour so that you are on time for Mass!

Thank you to all who helped with the Fall clean up yesterday. God reward you!

The Office will be closed on Wed, Nov 1.

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

This Thu, Nov 2 - All Souls' Day: Sung Requiem Masses at 8:30am and 7pm. The 7pm Mass will replace the Holy Hour.

All Souls' Day Mass Intentions: There are slips outside the office for you to submit intentions for your deceased loved ones. The 7pm Mass on All Souls Day will be offered for those souls. Please submit by this Wed, 11/1. No stipend necessary.

First Sacraments: If you have a child in the 2nd or 3rd grade of religion class in school, they are eligible to receive First Holy Communion/Confirmation in 2024. For more info, please go to olmcfssp.org > sacraments > first holy communion/confirmation. Registration ends in January.

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

The Little Bookstore: Check out our books for the month of November at the bookstore outside the main office. *Purgatory Explained*, *The Four Last Things*, *The Dogma on Hell*, and *Purgatory: The Two Catholic Views of Purgatory*

Parish Activity Calendar for the month of November is now available outside the main office.

Upcoming November Novenas: You can find the prayers for these novenas by visiting www.fisheaters.com/novenas.

Nov 4-12: Mother Xavier Cabrini

Nov 10-18: St. Elizabeth of Hungary

Nov 13-21: St. Cecilia

Nov 16-24: St. Catherine of Alexandria

Nov 25-Dec 3: St. Barbara

Nov 27-Dec 5: St. Nicholas

Nov 30-Dec 24: St. Andrew Christmas Novena

Next Sun, Nov 5 - Holy Family HS Open House from 11am-2pm. Families and students of all grades are welcome to attend. Take a student-led tour of the school, meet the Principal, see our beautiful Chapel, meet the coaches, faculty, performing arts directors, or see all of the clubs we have to offer. Register at www.holyfamilyhs.com and click on "Inquire". For more info, contact the school: 303-410-1411.

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All Saints' Day Party

This Wed, Nov 1 after the noon Mass. Food will be provided. Each family is asked to bring a bag of candy and a bag of trinkets. Please leave it in the bin outside the hall doors as the hall will be closed. We are in need of teens and young adults to help run games. Text Elle at 720-409-9911, if you are able to help. Cash donations will be accepted after all Masses today to help with party expenses.

Sun, Nov 12 - Annual OLMC Craft Fair after all Masses. Please stop by the hall to purchase items for yourself, your family, Christmas presents, etc! Open to parishioners and friends. All of our vendor spots are full. A list of the vendors is in the Flocknote. Part of the profits will be donated back to OLMC.

Thu, Nov 23 - Thanksgiving Feast: All parishioners and friends are invited to celebrate Thanksgiving at the parish with a potluck dinner from 2-5pm. Turkeys will be provided. Sign up via the QR code or in the Flocknote to bring a dish to share. More info in the sign-up genius.



OLMC Online Parish Calendar is available via the website or the code to the right. Please check there for upcoming events.



DAILY PRAYER LINE REQUESTS

Contact Jane Brennan: jmbrennan555@gmail.com

Please Pray for the Sick

David Williamson, Lane Reagan, Joanne Leary, Jamie Jimenez, Kim Poletto, Jacob, Jaxson, Joan Anselmi, Esther Garcia

Please Pray for the Repose of the Souls of

Esther Lerma De Castillo, Peter Doran, Jackie Briggs, Thomas Morley, Patricia Jambor, JoAnn Ice, Geraldine Marie Pellant, Lydia Ferran, Francis Smith

ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers this Sunday are for Mr. Ivan Langer+, donated by Eric Stubblefield

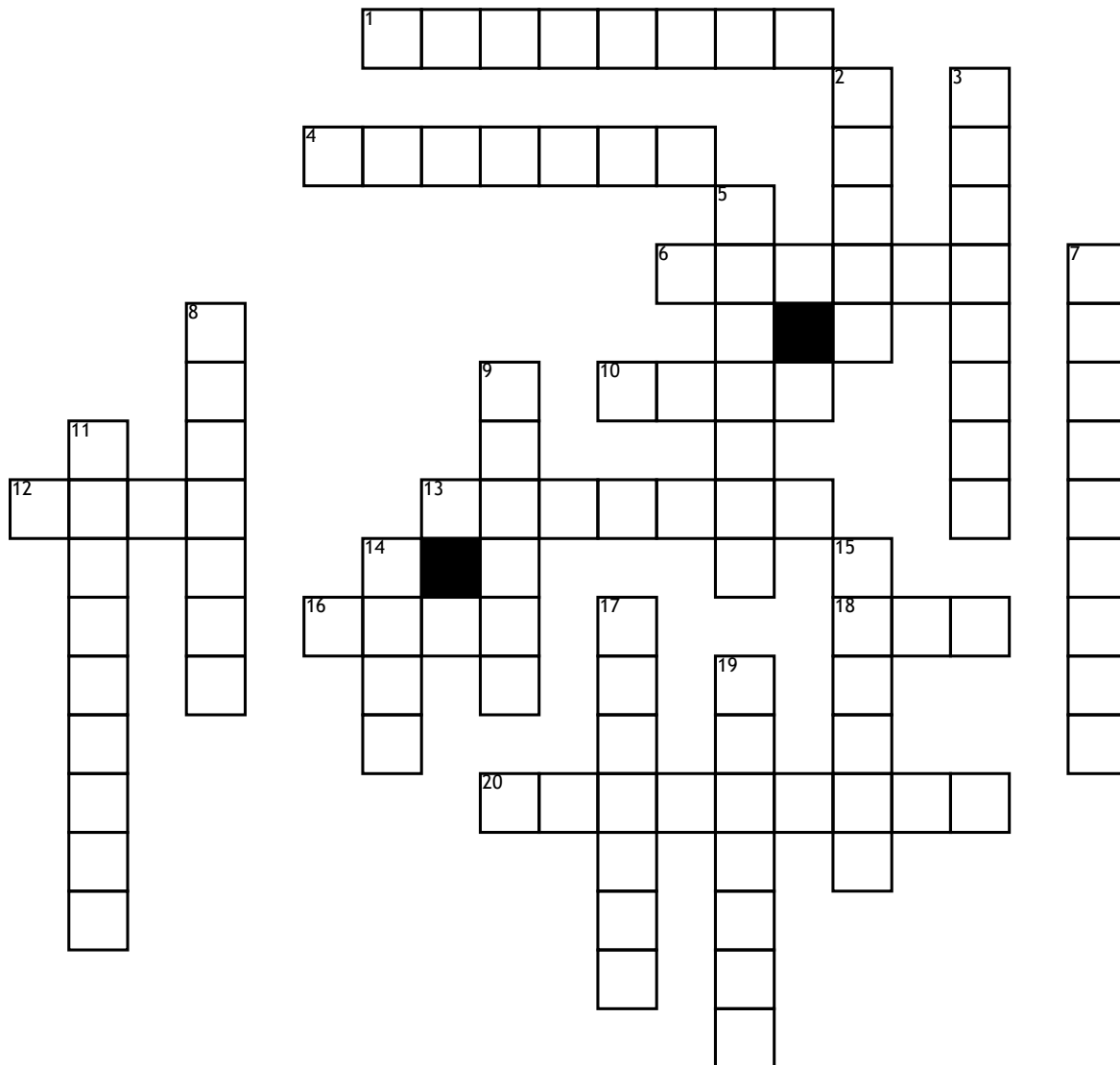
HOMEBOUND

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

Electronic Giving via Faith Direct



All Saints Day Crossword Puzzle



Across

1. We celebrate All Saints' Day on _____ 1st
4. He is the patron saint of animals. St. _____ of Assisi.
6. Jesus' foster father. St. _____.
10. "Our Lady of Lourdes" is another name for _____.
12. The mother of Jesus.
13. This saint was a tax collector.
16. This person has the final decision to declare a person a saint.
18. This saint was Saint Mary's mother.
20. Saint Joseph was a _____. (His job)

Down

2. This saint was the first pope. The patron saint of fisherman.
3. He is the Saint behind Santa Clause - He is the patron saint of children. St. _____.
5. St. Bernadette saw the Virgin Mary near _____, France. Also the name of our school.
7. All Saints Day is the day after _____.
8. On All Saints' Day, we say _____ for saints that are known and unknown.
9. All Saints Day honors those saints who have died and gone to _____.

11. On this saints feast day you might give cards to your friends. St. _____
14. He baptized Jesus. _____ The Baptist.
15. We believe all people who go to heaven become _____.
17. He is the patron saint of Ireland and his feast day is celebrated on March 17th. He taught people about the Holy Trinity using a 3 leaf clover.
19. The Little Flower, Known for small sacrifices to God and doing good deeds for others out of love. St. _____ of Lisieux.