## All Saints Roman Catholic Church

## The 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time—October 11, 2020

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Daily at 8:00 AM as scheduled
(See schedule on next page)
Saturday Vigil at 4:30 PM
Sunday at 9:00 AM
Holy Days at 8:00 AM and
7:00 PM

Confessions: Saturday 3:30—4:00 PM or by appointment

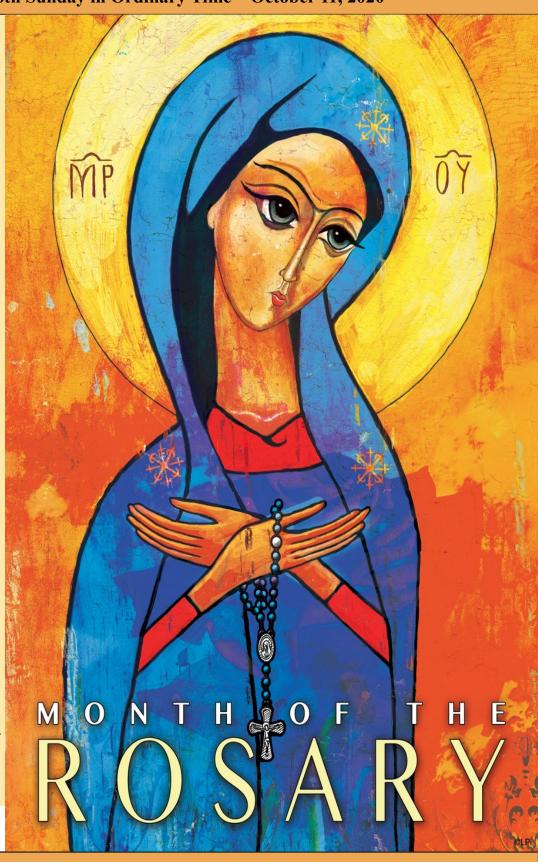
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Parish Registration Forms are available on the bulletin board in the gathering space or online.

Bulletin deadline: 10:00 AM Mondays, in writing, please.





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## BMass Intentions

October 10, 2020 - October 18, 2020

Sat. 10/10 4:		e People of
Sun. 10/11 9:	00 AM Cathie	Dombkowski ombkowski and Family)
Mon. 10/12 8:	00 AM Mothe	rs Day Remembrance
Tues. 10/13 8:	00 AM Father	s Day Remembrance
Wed. 10/14 NO	) Mass	•
Thur. 10/15 8:	00 AM Tom B (Kevin	erdis and Sue Berdis)
Fri. 10/16 8:	00 AM For a s	pecial intention
Sat. 10/17 4:	30 PM Bob So	chack
Sun. 10/18 9:	00 AM For the	and Cindy First) People of nts Parish

The collection for October 4th was \$1,586.00 from the weekly collection and building maintenance and \$1,200.00 from online giving for a total of \$2,786.00. Your support for our parish is a blessing. The parish relies on you to keep the church's financial obligations up to date. There is a convenient return envelope in your packet for mailing your envelopes to the parish. Online giving through WeShare is an option that many are taking advantage of during this pandemic. God bless each and every one of you!

#### FROM BISHOP PERSICO:

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

The weekend of October 18-19 marks this year's World Mission Sunday, our annual worldwide Eucharistic celebration of our shared call to mission. With 2020 being an extraordinarily difficult year, our awareness of this call is needed more than ever. During the month of October, Pope Francis invites all baptized Christians to a personal encounter with Jesus Christ through prayer, meditation on the Word of God, and pilgrimage. What, then, does our Lord ask of us during this encounter? World Mission Sunday reminds us that we are all the "Church of Christ on Mission in the World," and we are all called to share the good news of the gospel with others. I invite you to please continue to encourage all in our diocese to take this opportunity to revitalize our ardor, passion, and zeal for the faith with loving missionary hearts. One way we can respond to our missionary call is through charity, giving generously to the collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith on World Mission Sunday. Your financial gift helps to sustain priests, religious, and lay pastoral leaders in more than 1,100 mission dioceses in Asia, Africa, and the Pacific Islands as well as parts of Latin America and Europe. Additionally, your prayer and support help them to proclaim the Gospel, build the Church, and serve the poor. Thank you for your continuous commitment to mission and for your generous response to this collection, and throughout the Mission Month, as you are able. Let us join our hearts in prayer with our Holy Father for this special moment for the missions. You and your families remain in my prayer.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

The Most Reverend Lawrence T. Persico, JCL, Bishop of Erie

#### THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH:

Sunday, 10/11 9:00 AM Mass

Sunday, 10/11 ALL VIRTUAL -10:00 AM Rel Ed Gr. K-8;

6:00 PM Gr. 9-11

Wednesday, 10/14 NO Mass Saturday, 10/17 4:30 PM Mass

## **JUST SAYING** -

Philippians 4:10–20 describes how Christians can overcome worry and worldly desires, regardless of their circumstances.



By making a purposeful decision to be content, a believer can trust God to provide our true needs, and not be consumed with materialism or anxiety.

Paul has learned this skill through his many trials and ministry experiences. Paul also thanks the Philippians for their generosity, and expresses his confidence that God will bless them for it.

#### REFLECT ON TODAY'S READINGS

#### FIRST READING IS 25:6-10a

Isaiah prophesied God's salvation and delivery for all the nations, not just for Israel. In what ways do you see this prophecy fulfilled today?

#### SECOND READING PHIL 4:12-14,19-20

As his letter to the Philippians draws to a close, Paul speaks of his constant focus on Christ regardless of his life's circumstances. How do you draw strength from Christ in the ebb and flow of your life?

#### GOSPEL READING MT 22:1-14

Jesus' parable of the wedding feast speaks to the importance of being properly prepared for the return of Christ. How would you assess your own spiritual readiness for Jesus' Second Coming and the final judgment?

#### Let Us Pray...

#### For those serving our country:

Rebeckah Johnson - Airforce; AT2 (AW) Quentin Maynard; AE1 (AW) Lonnie Maynard; Cortlen Surrena - Army; Commander Michael T. McAraw; Violet Brashier, U.S. Coast Guard; Dell Krumpe, U.S. Coast Guard; Ben Krumpe, U.S. Air Force; Sam Riley, U.S. Army; Keith Riley, U.S. Army Call Pam McAraw, 397-1490, to add to the list

## For those who are ill or are recovering from illness:

Jim Schupp, Jean Peterson, Dan McAraw, Joyce Peters, Jill Davis Call Denise Weigert, 464-6148, or the parish office to add to the list

# Religious Education

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### REL ED SCHEDULE:

Sunday, October 11—ALL VIRTUAL 10 to 11:30AM Gr. K-8 and 6 to 8 PM Gr. 9-11 Sunday, October 18 10 to 11:30 AM Gr. K-8 and 6 to 8 PM Gr. 9-11

**COMING SOON: A LEGO PRAYER!!** If you are in

grades K-8, we will be doing a Lego prayer. It will not look exactly like this picture, but each student, whether remote or in person, will get a Lego to help guide



us through our prayer to end an upcoming class! If you are a lover of all things Lego, please consider building something that resembles your faith and sending a picture to mariaburkley@allsaintsrcc.org so it can be shared with the students that morning!

### A Family Perspective

Today's gospel speaks about "unworthy wedding guests." What makes a "worthy" guest? Presence and presents are not enough. The greatest gift we can give is support to the couple as they voyage through life together because marriage naturally contains within it the fields of disappointment. Think of the weddings you have attended. Have you been a "worthy guest?"

Child Protection and Creating Safe Environments-**Bullying Prevention Month:** Relational bullying is unwarranted, persistent, unwelcome behavior in the form of criticism, isolation, or fabricated allegations that can damage relationships. Examples include social exclusion ("You can't be with us"), spreading rumors ("Did you hear...?"), and withholding friendship ("I won't be your friend if you..."). Though relational bullying can often seem ambiguous to outside observers and often garners less attention than physical bullying or verbal bullying, it should not be discounted simply as normal, adolescent behavior. In fact, several recent studies suggest relational bullying is more strongly related to emotional distress and teen depression than any other form of bullying. To see what the diocese is doing to help maintain safe environments, visit https://www.eriercd.org/childprotection/

#### St. Teresa Fall Fish Fry! Two weeks left!

Fridays, October 16 & 23—4:30 to 7:00 PM at St. Teresa Parish Center, Third Avenue in Union City. Cost is \$10. Fried or baked haddock, French fries or macaroni and cheese, homemade coleslaw or applesauce, and fresh baked cookies for dessert. TAKE OUT ONLY—masks must be worn. Call (814)438-2783 to order.

St. Lawrence Drive Thru Fall Dinner—Roast Beef! Sunday, October 18, 11 AM to 3 PM, Take outs only. \$10. Call (814)756-3623 To reserve your dinner. St. Lawrence Center, Albion, PA. Enter from State St. exit to Pearl St.



The Rosary is a Scripture-based prayer. It begins with the Apostles' Creed, which summarizes the great mysteries of the Catholic faith. The Our Father, which introduces each mystery, is from the Gospels. The first part of the Hail Mary is the angel's words announcing Christ's birth and Elizabeth's greeting to Mary. St. Pius V officially added the second part of the Hail Mary. The Mysteries of the Rosary center on the events of Christ's life. There are four sets of Mysteries: Joyful, Sorrowful, Glorious and—added by Saint John Paul II in 2002—the Luminous.

The repetition in the Rosary is meant to lead one into restful and contemplative prayer related to each Mystery. The gentle repetition of the words helps us to enter into the silence of our hearts, where Christ's spirit dwells. The Rosary can be said privately or with a group. (USCCB website)



Thank you to all for your donations and support of our 2020 version of the Erie County Crop Walk. Together we raised \$667 online & donations to help feed our neighbors in need. It will support Catholic Relief Services and local food banks in Erie County. Special thanks to Edna Stickell,

Denise Krol and all of the student walkers for walking in rain for the cause. Also to All Saints Ladies Society members Denise W. & Lisa C. for their helping hands, and to Fr. Greg and Maria for their insight.



Many Thanks and Blessings! Cindy

## Prayer To Saint Michael The Archangel (Feast day Sept. 29)

Patron of law enforcement officers and all who provide for public safety and security

O glorious Saint Michael,

you who fought and vanquished the devil, our Ancient Foe, look kindly upon us as we direct our prayer to you. Give protection to those who protect us, so that their own generous sacrifices might be aided by your prayers. As they walk willingly into danger, protect them. As they strive to distinguish innocence from guilt, enlighten them. As they work to create a more just society, direct them. Help them to see injustices and to correct them, give them wisdom to know when to be firm and when to be gentle, and enable them always to be instruments of good in this world, Until we all come one day before our Lord and yours, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with God the Father, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

Imprimatur, September 23, 2020 The Most Reverend Lawrence T. Persico, J.C.L. — Bishop of Erie

Readings for next Sunday, October 18, 2020 IS 45:1, 4-6; PS 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-10; 1THES 1:1-5b; MT 22:15-21