

The Catholic Community of

# Notre Dame Parish

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## PARISH CENTER

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*As a faith community, Notre Dame includes a wide range of parishioners residing throughout the region; families with children enrolled in our school; young adults, retirees and seasonal visitors. Embracing this diversity we will focus on bringing Christ and His teachings – the Good News – alive in the way we live and in how we interact with our parish, our school, and the extended community. We seek to welcome all to the Eucharist, to create better fellowship, to enrich and deepen our spiritual lives, and to fully embrace discipleship and stewardship.*

**COME \* GROW \* GIVE**

## WEEKEND EUCHARIST:

- \* Saturday 4:00 p.m. – Sunday 9:30 a.m.

## WEEKDAY EUCHARIST:

- \* Monday, Tuesday, and Friday at 8:00 a.m.
- \* 8:00 a.m. on First Saturday of month.
- \* Wednesday and Thursday, a school Mass is held at 8:30 a.m.
- \* *In summer*, daily Mass is at 8:00 a.m. Monday through Friday

## THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

- \* offered every Saturday, 2:45 – 3:45, or by appointment.

## Please contact the parish office for assistance with the following:

- \* Sacrament of Baptism
- \* Adult Formation
- \* Sacrament of Marriage
- \* Sacrament of the Sick
- \* Holy Communion for homebound

## **Mass Schedule**

**Sunday, October 29, 2023**

**<sup>30<sup>th</sup></sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Saturday, Oct. 28, 2023\*Weekday**

**4:00** +Michael Brennan by Gerald & Mary Timbrook

**Sunday Oct. 29, 2023\*29th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

+Cathy Dunne by Marlene Phillips

+Pat Latchford by Mugs & Jerry Schreiber

**Mon. Oct. 30, 2023\*Weekday**

**8:00**+Ron Faloon by the Smith & Bertano Families

**Tues. Oct. 31, 2023\*Weekday**

**8:00**+Phil Sheridan by Mugs & Jerry Schreiber

**Weds. Nov 1, 2023\*All Saints**

**8:30**+John Benish Sr. by Family

**Thurs., Nov 2, 2023\*All Souls**

**8:00** +Ruth & John Smith by Family

**Fri. Nov. 3, 2023\*Weekday**

**8:00**+Ted Amberg by Jan

+Paul Coleman by Kevin & Margaret Coleman

**Sat. Nov 4, 2023\* St. Charles**

**Borromeo**

**8:00**+Joan & Mike King by Family

**4:00**+Werner Graf by Family

+Mary Ann Hogan by Pat & Ginny Hogan

## **Ministries**

### **Eucharistic Ministers**

**Sat. Nov. 4 @ 4:00 p.m.** Dave Albers

**Sun. Nov. 5 @ 9:30 a.m.**

**Sat. Nov 11 @ 4:00 p.m.** Dave Albers

**Sun. Nov 12 @ 9:30 a.m.**

### **Lectors**

**Sat. Nov. 4 @ 4:00 p.m.** Mary Kowalski

**Sun. Nov 5 @ 9:30 a.m.**

**Sat. Nov 11 @ 4:00 p.m.** Joanne McDonald

**Sun. Nov 12 @ 9:30 a.m.** Notre Dame School Students

### **Contributions**

**Oct. 22:       \$3,299.00**

**Oct EFT        1,719.00**

**TOTAL         \$5,018.00**

**World Missions: \$955.00**

### **EUCHARISTIC MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND**

**Nov. 5:** Madeleine Hayes

**Nov 12:**

**Sunday, October 29, 2023**

**30th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**THE GREAT COMMANDMENT**

What is the greatest of all God's commandments? This is not a trivial pursuit, for the answer to the question gives the inquirer insight into the mind of God. If we know what is important to God (or what is important in our relationship with him), we will know how God wants to treat us. The command to love reveals as much about God's relationship with us as it does our relationship with him.

**FIRST READING** What do we owe our neighbor? This was the standard found in the book of Exodus. We are to treat the poor and the stranger with compassion. We are to treat our peers in need as equals. In other words, we are to treat everyone as children of God.

**PSALM** Psalm 18 was a royal hymn that praised God for his presence and activity among his people.

**SECOND READING** The early Christian community at Thessalonika had a sterling reputation of faithfulness. Unlike the churches at Corinth or Galicia, The Thessalonians did not suffer from heresy or cliques. They were focused. St. Paul recognized that their reputation had an evangelical value. How we conduct ourselves, especially with others, can help spread the Good News.

**GOSPEL** By itself, the Great Commandment was not original with Jesus. Jews sought a hierarchy of commands from the Law, and the first command would interpret the others. The combination of Deuteronomy 6.5 ("Love the Lord...") and Leviticus ("Love your neighbor...") predated Jesus. The question of Pharisees meant to test the orthodoxy of Jesus. However, Jesus gave a traditional answer, but his application of these verses was revolutionary. Love of neighbor meant concern for the needy, the outcast, and above all, the sinner.

Daily Masses this week will be said at 8:00 a.m. except for Wednesday, November 1, when our morning Mass will be at 8:30. This is the Feast of All Saints, a Holy Day of Obligation.

If you prefer an evening Mass, St. Stanislaus will have a Vigil Mass at 4:00 p.m. on October 31. Queen of All Saints will have a 6:00 p.m. Mass on November 1.

Next Sunday, November 5, we will have our annual Mass of Remembrance where we remember our parishioners who have died this year. Families of the recently deceased have been personal invited.

Our Catholic Services Appeal donations continue to creep upwards. To date Notre Dame has reached \$29,000 of our goal of \$39,000. That leaves only \$10,000 to reach our quota. All donations over \$39,000 returns to Notre Dame Parish.

If you have not yet made a donation to The Catholic Services Appeal, we ask you to consider a donation. Notre Dame Parish will be responsible for \$39,000 regardless of whether our CSA donations meet the quota.

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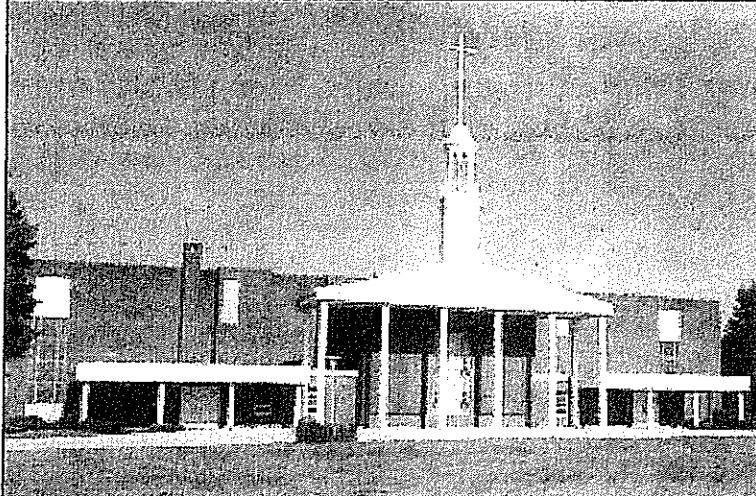


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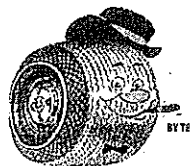
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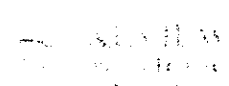
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