SAINT ANN CATHOLIC CHURCH

OCTOBER 10, 2021 28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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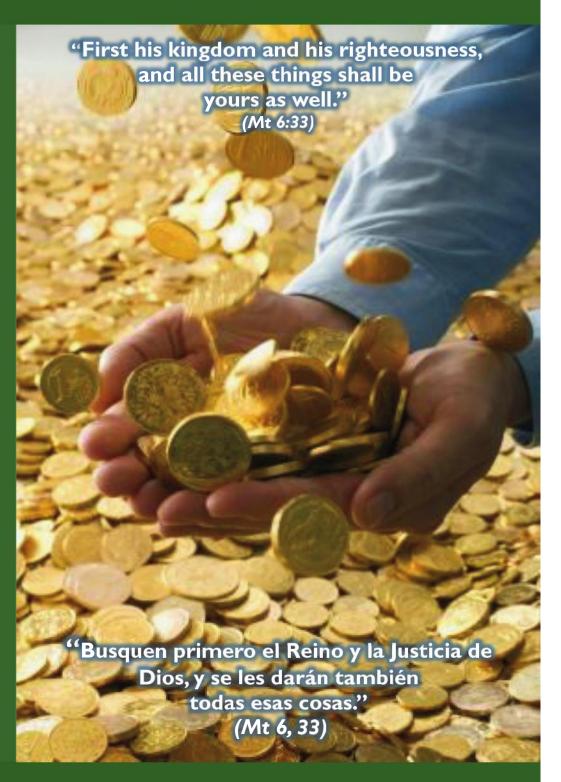
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MASS SCHEDULE



Parishioners are invited to come to celebrate with us.



Monday-Friday 9:00 AM - Eng.
Friday 7:00 PM - Sp.
Saturday, Vigil Mass for Sunday 4:00 PM - Eng.
Saturday, Vigil Mass for Sunday 7:00 PM - Sp.
Sunday 7:30 AM - Eng.
12:00 PM - Sp.
7:00 PM - Sp.

It is recommended that you wear a mask and practice social distancing.

Confessions:

Fridays 4:30-6:00 PM and Saturdays 2:00-3:30 PM, or by appointment.

Call the Parish Office at (863) 422-4370. Thank you.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, October 9, 2021

7:00 PM (Sp.) For the people of the Church

Friday, October 15, 2021

7:00 PM (Sp.) † For the deceased Ramos family members

Saturday, October 16, 20214:00 PM♣ Curtis Darling7:00 PM (Sp.)♣ Estela Echavarria

7:00 PM (Sp.) For the people of the Church

PARISH SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Please consider making a donation.

October 2 & 3, 2021

Offertory: \$13,071

Buildings & Grounds: \$1,953 50/50: Ms. Mirles— \$270

OCA Update: Goal: \$123,748.93

To Date: \$113,866.79 Still Needed: \$9,882.14



ADORATION



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place all day on Fridays in the Chapel from 9:30 AM-6:30 PM.



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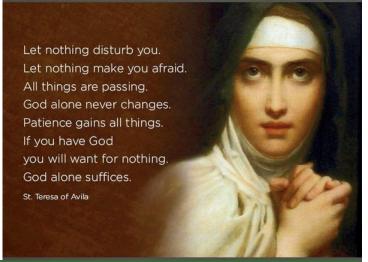
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If you haven't already, please consider enrolling. You may visit <u>faith.direct/</u>
<u>FL1031</u> or through our website www.stannhc.com to enroll for regular Offertory and our

Buildings & Grounds fund securely on-line. Also, "text to give" is available at (863) 400-1077. You can text to enroll and text any dollar amount. We pray for your continued good health and safety in this time of change, and always know you are in our prayers. God Bless You!



October 10, 2021



WE ARE TOUCHED BY THE WORD OF GOD



In this Sunday's liturgy, the capacity of the Word of God is announced to us: "For the Word of God is living and effective, sharper than any two-edged sword, penetrating even between soul and spirit" (Heb 4:12). This is precisely what happens with the preaching of Jesus. Those who meet him feel the attraction of his presence. He is capable of moving everyone to want to embrace and keep him. In the Gospel (Mk 10:17-30), we focus on the character representing a man who seems to have a moral life according to the demands of God's law and also the economic capacity to have a pleasant life. Jesus's acts attract him, and he asks Jesus: "What must I do to attain eternal life?"

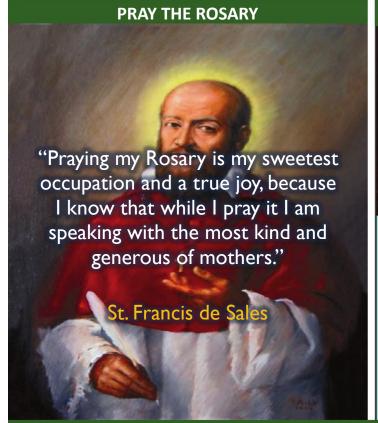
This is a question that should be present in everyone's life. This helps us to realize that we must maintain a constant attitude of abandonment and vigilance. This path makes the believer abandon himself to the hand of God, to experience trust in the one who can do everything. This relationship with God is what the author of the Book of Wisdom

describes as the genuine desire of the pure soul (Wis 7:7-11). It is in the desire to unite with Him to grow and find the path of bliss. Thus, when the Church invites us to seek holiness, it says:

Wealth ensures nothing. Indeed, once we think we are rich, we can become so self-satisfied that we leave no room for God's Word, for the love of our brothers and sisters, or the enjoyment of the most important things in life. In this way, we miss out on the greatest treasure of all. That is why Jesus calls blessed those who are poor in spirit, those who have a poor heart, for there the Lord can enter with his perennial newness (Gaudete et Exsultate n. 68).

When the man spoke to Jesus and heard the invitation to detachment from worldly things and to follow, "he went away sad, for he had many possessions" (Mk 10:22). Let us pray that we discover ourselves as poor in our lives, always in need of God's mercy and blessing. Our Lady of the Rosary accompanies us in recognizing our greatest wealth: the presence of God.

Fr. Duber



FAITH FORMATION UPDATES



Knights of Columbus Rosary Rally:

The Office of Religious Education is supporting the Knights of Columbus Rosary Rally, scheduled for Saturday, October 16, at 12:00 Noon.

I encourage all II:00 AM session Catechists to bring their classes to the Outside Altar **before I2:00 Noon** to participate with other parish community members. In doing so, I strongly urge the parents of these children to join in, both English and Spanish. Remember to bring your own chair! It is my hope that all parents will wait until it concludes before leaving with their children.

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SAINT OF THE WEEK: ST. JOHN XXIII



Although few people had as great an impact on the 20th century as Pope John XXIII, he avoided the limelight as much as possible. Indeed, one writer has noted that his "ordinariness" seems one of his most remarkable qualities.

The firstborn son of a farming family in Sotto il Monte, near Bergamo in northern Italy, Angelo Giuseppe Roncalli was always proud of his down-to-earth roots. In Bergamo's diocesan seminary, he joined the Secular Franciscan Order.

After his ordination in 1904, Fr. Roncalli returned to Rome for canon law studies. He soon worked as his bishop's secretary, Church history teacher in the seminary, and as publisher of the diocesan paper.

His service as a stretcher-bearer for the Italian army during World War I gave him a firsthand knowledge of war. In 1921, Fr. Roncalli was made national director in Italy of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. He also found time to teach patristics at a seminary in the Eternal City.

In 1925, he became a papal diplomat, serving first in Bulgaria, then in Turkey, and finally in France. During World War II, he became well acquainted with Orthodox Church leaders. With the help of Germany's ambassador to Turkey, Archbishop Roncalli helped save an estimated 24,000 Jewish people.

Named a cardinal and appointed patriarch of Venice in 1953, he was finally a residential bishop. A month short of entering his 78th year, Cardinal Roncalli was elected pope, taking the name John after his father and the two patrons of Rome's cathedral, St. John Lateran. Pope John took his work very seriously but not himself. His wit soon became proverbial, and he began meeting with political and religious leaders from around the world. In 1962, he was deeply involved in efforts to resolve the Cuban missile crisis.

His most famous encyclicals were *Mother and Teacher* (1961) and *Peace on Earth* (1963). Pope John XXIII enlarged the membership in the College of Cardinals and made it more international. At his address at the opening of the Second Vatican Council, he criticized the "prophets of doom" who "in these modern times see nothing but prevarication and ruin." Pope John XXIII set a tone for the Council when he said, "The Church has always opposed... errors. Nowadays, however, the Spouse of Christ prefers to make use of the medicine of mercy rather than that of severity."

On his deathbed, Pope John said: "It is not that the gospel has changed; it is that we have begun to understand it better. Those who have lived as long as I have...were enabled to compare different cultures and traditions, and know that the moment has come to discern the signs of the times, to seize the opportunity and to look far ahead."

"Good Pope John" died on June 3, 1963. St. John Paul II beatified him in 2000, and Pope Francis canonized him in 2014.

5 LESSONS FOR FAMILY LIFE: FROM ST. THERESE AND ST. TERESA OF ÁVILA

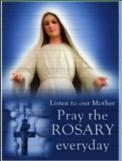
- 1. Bearing patiently with the faults of others. Members of religious communities live near each other and must exercise charity and patience. Similarly, in a family, we must love one another and bear with each other's faults and shortcomings. Within the pages of St. Thérèse's diary are many examples of her heroic dealings with the slights she encountered from her fellow sisters, along with her kind and gentle responses to their faults. She refrained from complaining when splashed repeatedly with dirty water at the wash pool. She smiled as she assisted an older nun who found fault with the saint's every action. Her example of charity and virtue is an example to us all as we strive to live in harmony within our families.
- 2. Finding God in all things. "Everything is grace," St. Thérèse remarked. In our daily lives, do we see God's hand in the events that unfold, both good and bad? We don't need to go in search of profound spiritual experiences to do God's will. St. Teresa of Ávila was a very practical woman and once said, "God walks among the pots and pans." What a comforting reminder these words are! We can be assured that by performing the mundane tasks of motherhood, we are, indeed, fulfilling our mission and our vocation and God is present as we go about our day.



- 3. **Prayer is key.** St. Teresa of Ávila is known for her mastery of the art of prayer. She emphasizes the need for all the faithful to practice daily prayer, which she describes simply as a friendly conversation with Jesus, who loves us. Though we may be busy during the day, we can set aside a time for prayer to reconnect with the Lord.
- 4. **Trusting and depending on God.** A hallmark of the lives of both of the Teresas was complete trust and dependence on God. They credited their spiritual success to his grace and power and took no credit for themselves. Like little children, they depended on God for everything, and they were not disappointed.
- 5. Loving God above all else. St. Thérèse declared that her vocation was to LOVE and to love God above all else. In a letter to her sister Celine, she eloquently exclaimed, "There is one ONLY THING to do here below: to love Jesus, to win souls for Him so that He may be loved. Let us seize with jealous care every least opportunity of self-sacrifice. Let us refuse Him nothing; He does so want our love!" In the vocation of motherhood, we can feel pulled in many directions. Like Thérèse, we can remember that if we seek God first, everything will fall into place and have peace in our daily activities.

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THE MONTH OF OCTOBER IS DEDICATED TO THE HOLY ROSARY



According to an account by fifteenth-century Dominican Alan de la Roch, Mary appeared to St. Dominic in 1206 after praying and doing severe penances because of his lack of success in combating the Albigensian heresy. Mary praised him for his valiant fight against the heretics and then gave him the Rosary as a mighty weapon, explained its uses and efficacy, and told him to preach it to others. "Since the prayers of the Rosary come from such excellent sources—from Our Lord Himself, from inspired Scripture, and the Church—it is not surprising that the Rosary is so dear to our Blessed Mother and so powerful with heaven." If we consider the power of the Rosary as seen in its effects, we find a great abundance of proof of its wonderful value. Many are the favors granted to private individuals through its devout recitation. There are few devoted users of the Rosary who cannot testify to experiencing its power in their own lives. If we turn to history, we see many great triumphs of the Rosary. Early tradition attributes the defeat of the Albigensian at the Battle of Muret in 1213 to the Rosary. But even those who do not accept this tradition will admit that St. Pius V attributed the great defeat of the Turkish fleet on the

first Sunday of October 1571 to the fact that, at the same time, the Rosary confraternities at Rome and elsewhere were holding their processions. Accordingly, he ordered a commemoration of the Rosary to be made on that day. Two years later, Gregory XIII allowed the celebration of a feast of the Rosary in churches having an altar dedicated to the Rosary. In 1671, Clement X extended the feast to all of Spain. A second great victory over the Turks, who once, like the Russians, threatened the ruin of Christian civilization, occurred on August 5, 1716, when Prince Eugene defeated them at Peterwardein in Hungary. Thereupon Clement XI extended the feast of the Rosary to the whole Church. "Today, when dangers far greater than those of the ancient Turks threaten not only Christianity but all civilization, we are urged by our Blessed Mother to turn again to the Rosary for help. If men in sufficient numbers do this and, at the same time, carry out the other conditions that she has laid down, we have the greater reason for confidence that we will be delivered from our dangers." — *Mary in our Life* by Fr. William G. Most

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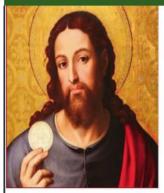
October 17, 2021
Knights of Columbus
Pancake Breakfast
Every third Sunday of
the month

Join us for breakfast and contribute to your community!

Social Hall 7:00 AM



A BIBLICAL WALK THROUGH THE MASS



Join us for
A Biblical Walk Through the Mass
on-line beginning on Sunday,
September 26, at 7:00 PM and
continuing every Sunday
for five (5) weeks.

For more information or to register for the study, call Tammy Higgins at (863) 514-4366 or via e-mail: thiggins6968@gmail.com.

Use the Zoom below to join us this weekend:

Topic: A Biblical Walk Through the Mass Meeting ID: 833 2691 9414 Passcode: BWalk

NOVENA FOR LIFE

Novena for Life

Beginning on Friday,
October 8, 2021,
at the 9:00 AM Mass
lead by the Knights of Columbus
in Church

Conclusion of Novena will be on Saturday, October 16, 2021, at the Outside Altar at 12:00 Noon.





Thank you for your generosity during the pandemic. The need in our community is still great, as the virus causes people to miss paychecks. Boxes have been placed in the narthex for donations of food, diapers, and plastic bags. The list of items needed is on top

of the boxes. We distribute food on Mondays and Wednesdays, 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM. We help with bill payment as our funds allow: call (863) 419-4819 or e-mail svdp4819@gmail.com. We are in need of additional volunteers, particularly people to help unload our food deliveries on Mondays and Thursdays.

October 10, 2021

INSPIRADOS POR LA PALABRA DE DIOS



En la liturgia de este domingo se nos anuncia la capacidad que tiene la Palabra de Dios: "es viva, eficaz y más penetrante que una espada de dos filos" (Heb 4,12). Esto es precisamente lo que ocurre con la predicación de Jesús, quien se encuentra con Él, siente la atracción de su presencia, capaz de mover a toda persona a querer abrazarla y conservarla. El relato del evangelio (Mc 10, 17-30) presenta un personaje que parece tener una vida moral acorde a las exigencias de la ley de Dios y la capacidad económica para tener una vida placentera, éste atraído por la manera en que actúa Jesús, pregunta: ¿qué debo hacer para alcanzar la vida eterna?

Esta es una pregunta que debe estar presente en la vida de toda persona, ella nos ayuda a entender que es necesario mantener una actitud de desprendimiento y la vigilancia. Este camino hace que el creyente se abandone en la mano de Dios, que experimente la confianza en aquel que todo lo puede. Esta relación con Dios es lo que el autor del libro de

la sabiduría nos describe como el más profundo deseo del alma pura (Sab 7, 7-11) Es en el deseo de unirnos a Él como podemos crecer y encontrar el camino de la bienaventuranza. Así cuando la Iglesia nos invita a buscar la santidad dice:

Las riquezas no te aseguran nada. Es más: cuando el corazón se siente rico, está tan satisfecho de sí mismo que no tiene espacio para la Palabra de Dios, para amar a los hermanos ni para gozar de las cosas más grandes de la vida. Así se priva de los mayores bienes. Por eso Jesús llama felices a los pobres de espíritu, que tienen el corazón pobre, donde puede entrar el Señor con su constante novedad. (Gaudete et Exsultate n. 68)

En cuanto el hombre que dialoga con Jesús oyó la invitación al desprendimiento y al seguimiento "se entristeció y se fue apesadumbrado, porque tenía muchos bienes" (Mc 10,22). Oremos para que en nuestra vida nos descubramos pobres, necesitados siempre de la misericordia y la bendición de Dios. Nuestra Señora del Rosario, nos acompañe en la constante búsqueda de nuestra mayor riqueza: la presencia de Dios.

Fr. Duberney

CICLO DE ORACIÓN - SAN JOSE



Como parte de las celebraciones de nuestra parroquia en honor a San José en su año jubilar, les invitamos a participar los miércoles de oración y meditación en comunidad

Sera todos los miercoles de este mes de Octubre a las 7:30 PM, en el hogar de la familia de:

Manuel Garcia Y Aracely Cruz 2116 Baker Ave Haines City, FL 33844

Es importante, seguir los protocolos recommendados para el COVID-19.

En adición a los miércoles nos reuniremos como parroquia en el templo todos los dias 19 de cada mes, donde también se realizará la coronilla a San Jose seguido por un tema.

COFRADÍA DEL ROSARIO



Ven al rosario y alabemos juntos a la Reina Celestial. De nuevo juntos fortaleciendo nuestra espiritualidad. Con todas las normas de seguridad nos reuniremos al aire libre.

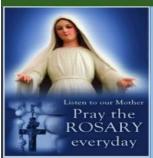
Todos los Jueves a las 7:00 PM

Capilla exterior Altar de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe.

Para obtener más información puedes escribir al correo cofradia.stann@gmail.com o al teléfono (407) 385-9182

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EL MES DE OCTUBRE ES DEDICADO AL SANTO ROSARIO



Según un relato del dominico del siglo XV, Alan de la Roch, María se apareció a Santo Domingo en 1206 después de que él había estado orando y haciendo severas penitencias debido a su falta de éxito en la lucha contra la herejía albigense. María lo elogió por su valiente lucha contra los herejes y luego le dio el Rosario como un arma poderosa, le explicó sus usos y eficacia y le dijo que lo predicara a otros. "Dado que las oraciones del Rosario provienen de fuentes tan excelentes - de Nuestro Señor mismo, de las Escrituras inspiradas y de la Iglesia, no es de extrañar que el Rosario sea tan querido por nuestra Santísima Madre y tan poderoso con el cielo. "Si consideramos el poder del Rosario como se ve en sus efectos, encontramos una gran abundancia de pruebas de su maravilloso valor. Muchos son los favores otorgados a los particulares a través de su devota recitación: hay pocos usuarios devotos del Rosario que no puedan testificar haber experimentado su poder en sus propias vidas. Si nos dirigimos a la historia, vemos muchos grandes triunfos del Rosario. La tradición temprana atribuye al Rosario la derrota de los albigenses en la

batalla de Muret en 1213. Pero incluso aquellos que no aceptan esta tradición admitirán que San Pío V atribuyó la gran derrota de la flota turca el primer domingo de octubre de 1571, al hecho de que al mismo tiempo se celebraban las cofradías del Rosario en Roma y en otros lugares. sus procesiones. En consecuencia, ordenó que se hiciera una conmemoración del Rosario en ese día. Dos años después, Gregorio XIII permitió la celebración de una fiesta del Rosario en las iglesias que tenían un altar dedicado al Rosario. En 1671, Clemente X extendió la fiesta a toda España. Una segunda gran victoria sobre los turcos, que una vez, como los rusos, amenazaron con la ruina de la civilización cristiana, ocurrió el 5 de agosto de 1716, cuando el príncipe Eugenio los derrotó en Peterwardein en Hungría. Entonces Clemente XI extendió la fiesta del Rosario a toda la Iglesia. "Hoy, cuando peligros mucho mayores que los de los antiguos turcos amenazan no solo al cristianismo sino a toda la civilización, nuestra Santísima Madre nos insta a volvernos al Rosario en busca de ayuda. Si los hombres en número suficiente hacen esto, y al mismo tiempo cumplen las otras condiciones que ella ha establecido, tenemos la mayor razón para confiar en que seremos liberados de nuestros peligros." - María en nuestra vida por el P. William G. Most

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Social Hall 7:00 AM



RECEN EL ROSARIO



NOVENA POR LA VIDA

Novena por la vida

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Conclusión de la novena será Octubre 16, 2021, en el altar exterior a las 12:00 PM



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Gracias por su generosidad durante la pandemia. La necesidad en nuestra comunidad sigue siendo grande, ya que el virus hace que las personas pierdan sus cheques de pago. Se han colocado cajas en el nártex para donaciones de comida, pañales y bolsas de plástico. La

lista de elementos necesarios se encuentra en la parte superior de las cajas. Distribuimos alimentos los lunes y miércoles de 11:00 AM a 12:30 PM. Ayudamos con el pago de facturas según lo permitan nuestros fondos: llame al (863) 419-4819 o envíe un correo electrónico a svdp4819@gmail.com. Necesitamos voluntarios adicionales, en particular

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