

TENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

With the end of the Easter Season, and after the celebrations of The Most Holy Trinity and of Corpus Christi during the last past Sundays, we resume the readings of the Ordinary Time (Liturgical Year B).

This Ordinary Time will take us until the celebration of the Solemnity of Christ The King in November; that will be the End of the Year of grace 2024.

Today, we resume with the 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time, that we left with the beginning of Lent. The gospel of Mark is the good news that is leading us during this year of grace 2024.

“He came to those who were His own, and those who were His own did not receive Him”. John 1,11. One will think that today’s gospel is from John: No. However, Mark in today’s gospel also mentions Jesus’s rejection (although in a limited way). The most important point in today’s gospel is the notion of the “sin against “the Holy Spirit, which according to Jesus is the ONLY sin that cannot be forgiven. For the 2000 plus years of its existence, our Church has never succeeded to give a clear definition of this expression, “sin against” the Holy Spirit. But thank God for the Fathers of the Church, we comprehend or try to understand it.

MARIAN MINISTRY ROSARY

Parishioners from all 3 of our churches are invited to join Ernie Pappa as he leads us in praying the Fatima Rosary at 6pm this Monday June 10 at St Mary of the Lake Church.

MASS AND ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Corpus Christi Church at 107 Montdale Road, Scott Township, Pa 18447, will celebrate Mass and anointing of the sick on Thursday June 13. Anyone suffering physically, spiritually, or mentally is welcome to join us as we pray for healing. A few priests will be assisting with the Mass for the laying on of hands and anointing with holy oil. If you, or anyone you know, needs healing please come or invite him/her.

SECOND ANNUAL PHL RUN4LIFE

Please come and support the Pennsylvanians for Human Life Scranton Chapter’s annual Run4Life, a 5K Run and 1.5 Mile Fun Walk to be held on Saturday June 22 at Nay Aug Park’s Schimelfenig Pavilion beginning at 9:30am. This will be a fun family event that includes face painting and kids’ activities. Advance registration is \$25 per adult (\$30 at the event); children 12 & under are Free. To register and find out more about the event, go to Run4life – Pro Life Scranton or call 570-343-5099.

CLOTHES CLOSET NEWS

The clothes closet is in full swing now. It will be open every Wednesday from 5 to 7pm till the end of August. There are 5 rooms of clothing and 3 rooms of miscellaneous household items as well as linens. Jane welcomes all parishioners who can help at the clothes closet. Call Jane at 570-942-6078 with any questions.

ST. PAT’S BINGO IS BACK

AND

NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

Bingo is on Thursdays with doors open at 5pm. To keep the bingo happening we need volunteers for the kitchen as well as for bingo. Please consider joining the fun of helping. For more information or to volunteer to help please call Rita Thompson at 570-575-9874.

ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD

On Saturday, June 29, 2024, at 10:00 a.m. in St. John the Evangelist Church, Honesdale, Bishop Bambara will ordain transitional Deacon Reverend Mr. William A. Asinari a priest for service in the Diocese of Scranton. Ordination to the Priesthood is a very important event in the life of the Diocese. The Ordination Mass will be live on CTV: Catholic Television. It will also be live streamed on the Diocese of Scranton website and made available through links on all Diocesan social media accounts, including Facebook, YouTube, Twitter, and Instagram for anyone unable to attend in person.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS / LECTORS SCHEDULE

June 15 & 16

Eucharistic Ministers

4 pm (OLA) Barbara Williamson
9:00am (SML) Ann Marie Gorko
11 am (SP) Maria Perez

Musicians

4 pm (OLA) Maria Fay
9:00am (SML) Danny Williams
11 am (SP) Maria Fay

Lectors

4 pm (OLA) Kathy Tumavitch
9 am (SML) Seb Naro
11 am (SP) Mary Ann Mulfino

UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS

June 10 – Fatima Rosary at SML, 6pm
June 11 – Legion of Mary at OLA, 9am
June 12 - Choir Practice at SML, 6:30 pm
June 12 – SP Clothes Closet, open 5 to 7pm
June 13 – Prayer Shawl Ministry SML, 5:30pm
June 13 – Bingo at SP doors open 5pm, bingo,6pm
June 17 – Parish Pastoral Council mtg. OLA, 6:30 pm

FATHER'S DAY REMEMBRANCE

Father's Day envelopes may be found in your offertory pack. You may place them in the collection basket or just drop them off at the parish office. Father's Day this year is June 16. The intentions for ALL Fathers (godfathers, foster fathers etc...) will be remembered at all Masses.

ST. PAT'S CLOTHES CLOSET YARD SALE NEWS

Thanks to all who helped run the sale as well as all who donated items or bought items. With your help we were able to raise \$1,738.00 in the 4 days of the yard sale.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL NEWS

The Parish Pastoral Council will finalize our pastoral plan at the next meeting on June 17th in the OLA hall at 6:30pm.

PLEASE REMEMBER

I AM HERE..... EVEN WHEN HIDDEN IN THE TABERNACLE. Visit, spent time with me after Mass. Bow, kneel (and if possible prostrate) and foster sacred silence in my Presence. **Jesus.** If you have no time after the weekend Mass, Saint Pio chapel is open every day from 8am to 8pm.

MASS INTENTIONS

Tuesday (June 11) St. Barnabas, Apostle

8:00 am (OLA) Samantha Mott
By Becky & Bob Kohinsky

Wednesday (June 12) Weekday

8:00 am (SP) Michael Mulfino
By Mary Ann Mulfino

Thursday (June 13) St Anthony of Padua, Priest & Doctor of the Church

8:00 am (SML) John O'Brien
By Carol & Don Ames

Saturday (June 15) Vigil of The Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary time

4:00 pm (OLA) Walter & Stella Czyzyk
By Eleanor Gruss

Sunday (June 16) The Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 am (SML) Joseph Fabiani Sr.
By Lisa Janoski

11:00 am (SP) Marcella Ramzinski
By Barbara Kelly

SP Weekly \$ 1,526.00 Loose \$ 109.00

OLA Weekly \$ 2,124.00 Loose \$ 36.00

SML Weekly \$ 1,200.00 Loose \$ 56.00

May the Lord reward your generosity.

QUO VADIS & FIAT DAYS

With Quo Vadis and Fiat just under 3 weeks away, please continue to invite high school men and women who you believe would benefit from these Vocations Office events (June 24-26th at Marywood University) to join us. Men and women who join us for these camps will learn more about all vocations including Priesthood, Religious Life, Marriage & Dating, the Universal Call to Holiness, and more! They will also play sports, listen to live music, enjoy delicious food, learn to grow in prayer, and meet other young Catholics from around the Diocese of Scranton. Registration is open to men and women - from sophomores through graduating seniors. Cost is \$25. Students must have a recommendation from a Priest, Religious Sister, Deacon, School Faculty Member, Youth Minister, Director of Religious Education, or another adult serving in ministry to attend. To register, they can visit <https://www.dioceseofscranton.org/vocations/>. If possible, we would like registrations submitted by June 19.