

OCTOBER 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
29 Dedication of St. Michael the Archangel	30 Adult Catechism 7 p.m.	1	2	3	4 First Friday	5 First Saturday Roses of Mary Field Trip
6 20th Sunday after Pentecost	7 Bible Study 7 p.m.	8	9	10 No Choir Rehearsal	11 Abortion Prayer Vigil Noon	12 No Roses of Mary No Men's Schola
13 21st Sunday after Pentecost	14 Adult Catechism 7 p.m.	15	16	17	18	19 Altar Guild Men's Schola
20 22nd Sunday after Pentecost	21 Bible Study 7 p.m.	22	23	24	25 All-Night Adoration begins 7 p.m.	26 All-Night Adoration ends 7:45 a.m.
27 Christ the King All Saints' Party	28	29	30	31	1 All Saints Day <i>(Holy Day of Obligation)</i>	2 All Souls' Day
Election Novena	Election Novena	Election Novena	Election Novena	Election Novena	Election Novena	Election Novena

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Please pray for:

Parishioners who serve our nation:

Master Sgt. Chris Biery, U.S. Air Force	2nd. Lt. Andrew Rodgers, U.S. Army
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IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH

Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter ~ Tridentine Mass



"O Mary, through thine Immaculate Conception make my body pure and my soul holy."

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TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY after PENTECOST



Sunday Schedule:

Low Mass: 7 a.m.
9 a.m.
Sung Mass: 11 a.m.

Confessions:

One-half hour before Mass
Saturdays 4 p.m.

Daily Mass Schedule:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday: 8 a.m.
Thursday: 6 p.m.
Friday, Saturday: 8 a.m.
Holy Hour:
Thursday: 7 p.m.

PASTOR:
FR. JAMES GORDON, F.S.S.P.

ASSISTANT PASTOR:
FR. DENNIS GORDON, F.S.S.P.

RASH JUDGMENTS

and Uncharitable Criticisms

from: *My Daily Bread*, by, Fr. Anthony Paone, S.J.

My Child, mind your own business, and do not set yourself up as the judge of those around you. There is a good deal that you do not know about your neighbor. It is not easy to judge others as they deserve. Be wise and leave all judgment to Me.

It is far more profitable for you to look to yourself and judge yourself. You can do a great deal about correcting your own faults. As for the faults of others, the best you can do is to give good example, offer a bit of advice where it will help, and say a sincere prayer for the persons involved.

Your concern over your neighbor's faults, does not always arise from a virtue in you. Some people annoy you because you are not minding your own business, or because you have not yet learned patience and understanding.

People are not always at fault when they get on your nerves. The real fault is often in you. I suffered many things in silence for your sake. How often do you suffer in silence for Me?

Get to work and correct your own faults. You will then be too busy to be annoyed by the faults of others.

How much peace of soul I could enjoy if only I could learn to mind my own business. Judging others is such a waste of precious time. I am so often wrong when I think ill of others. If I dislike someone, I feel inclined to judge him more harshly than others. If God were my main interest, I would never think ill of anyone, even those who really

offend me. How often I am aroused against someone because, knowingly or unknowingly, he has opposed my pride or selfishness in some way. I should not expect everyone to see things my way. Every man is different and each one has his own tastes and experiences. So often God excuses those whom I condemn.

Lord, I long for a ray of heavenly wisdom, so that I may not be unreasonable in my judgments and opinions about others. You treat each person as an individual. You do not ask me to be like others in my ways. You only want me to take the talents and circumstances in my life, and to make the most of them. You ask us to imitate You as far as we are able, according to the intelligence and grace which each one has.

Let me not judge rashly those who do not do things my way. I want to follow Your holy Will in all things. Though I observe the mistakes and faults of others, I will try to refrain from any harsh judgments. If I cannot say something kind of another, I will keep silent.

My Child, do not believe everything which you hear about others. Men often judge their fellow men with prejudice. Their judgments frequently depend on their temperaments, tastes, moods, ambitions, and self-love. You will usually be right if you refuse to judge another by the criticisms which you hear about him. Many a man is condemned when he is absent and can-

Upcoming Parish Events

October 14-22 ~ Fr. James Gordon to go on Retreat

Fr. Gordon will be on retreat out of state, and will be unavailable until after the 22nd. Please remember him in your prayers.

October 19 ~ St. Gregory Men's Schola

The men-only schola will rehearse Saturday from 10 a.m.–11 a.m. For more information or to join, contact Kelsey Villalobos, (719) 651-9800.

October 19 ~ Altar Guild

Altar-serving practice after 8 a.m. Mass. For more information or to volunteer, contact Fr. Dennis Gordon, (719) 382-0121.

October 19 ~ Parishioner to Receive Tonsure

Kolbe Vostatek will receive tonsure at Our Lady of Guadalupe Seminary in Denton, Neb. Please remember him in your prayers.

October 21 ~ Bible Study

Fr. Dennis Gordon will continue his lectures on the Gospel of Matthew, 7 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

October 25-26 ~ All-Night Adoration

Sign up in the vestibule to reserve your time before the Blessed Sacrament; times available from 7 p.m. Friday to 7 a.m. Saturday.

October 27 ~ All Saints' Party Volunteers Needed

We need committed volunteers to help with running the games and events; and with setting up for, and cleaning up after this and future All Saints' parties. For more information, or to volunteer, contact Amy Seltzer at caseltzer@gmail.com.

October 27 ~ Rosary Novena for U.S. Elections to Begin

Our parish will pray a Rosary novena for the upcoming presidential and local elections, Oct. 27-Nov. 4. Please join us to pray for the best outcome.

not defend himself.

People feel superior when they criticize others. They are apt to exaggerate the faults of their neighbor. If you show interest in their criticisms, they may be encouraged to continue their uncharitable talk. Show disapproval of all backbiting, at least by your silence. Try to change the subject as tactfully as

possible.

Everyone makes mistakes. The human critic may know how to do something better than this man or that man. He may not, however, know the motives or intentions of the one he criticizes. He has no right to reveal another's hidden faults except to protect the innocent, or to help the guilty person

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Monday, October 14 ~ St. Callistus, I

8 a.m. — Private Intention

Tuesday, October 15 ~ St. Teresa of Avila

8 a.m. — Private Intention

Wednesday, October 16 ~ St. Hedwig

8 a.m. — Private Intention

Thursday, October 17 ~ St. Margaret Mary Alacoque

6 p.m. — Private Intention

Friday, October 18 ~ St. Luke the Evangelist

8 a.m. — Private Intention

Saturday, October 19 ~ St. Peter of Alcántara

8 a.m. — Private Intention

Sunday, October 20 ~ Twenty-second Sunday after

Pentecost

7 a.m. — Private Intention

9 a.m. — Private Intention

11 a.m. — *Pro Populo*

The priests cannot accept Mass intentions at this time.

himself. Remember, too, that you may well be the object of the speaker's criticism when you are absent. Speak now of the criticized one as you would want others to speak of you when you are criticized.

One of the worst faults of human nature is that of condemning others. That is why Jesus taught His doctrine of charity. As I judge others, so will I be judged by God. If I condemn others, I too will be condemned. A true follower of Christ is more ready to think well of others, than to think evil.

My Jesus, King of my heart, give me some of Your kindness, so that I may always think well of my

neighbor. I do not know everything about him. Perhaps he cannot help doing what I disapprove.

There may be a hundred excusing causes for what he does. Let me leave all judgment in Your hands and try to overlook what others do. Teach me to mind my own business and to pray for those who seem to need it.

Never will I forget Your great mercy to me, a sinner. As You forgive me, so may I always forgive those who offend me. Never will I reveal the hidden faults of another, except where I am obliged to protect those who are innocent or for the public good. + + +