

Reflection

The images that begin today's Gospel are dramatic and frightening: "the sun will be darkened...the stars will be falling from the sky...the powers in the heavens will be shaken." They echo what we hear in today's liturgy and invite us to consider the mystery of eternity by reflecting on what we celebrate in faith. We are reminded that the Son of Man will return, with warning that no one knows the day or the hour. He will not come in judgment; he will come to gather His elect. St. Mark insists that the time between now and the Lord's return not be wasted. There are no excuses or procrastination among the followers of Jesus. Many times we feel unsurpassed distress about the world today; but we live with the assurance of God's only Son coming again in glory, for the reign of God will have no end.

Next weekend, **November 20 & 21**, the second collection will be for the **Catholic Campaign for Human Development**. Over 46 million people in the U.S. live in poverty. This collection supports programs to empower people to address the obstacles they face as they work to lift themselves out of poverty. Please be generous. Thank you.



Everyone is welcome on Thanksgiving morning, **Thursday, November 25th at 9:00 am**. We invite all families of the parish to make every effort to attend as we offer thanks to God for the many blessings and graces we receive. Bring to this Mass the bread and wine for your Thanksgiving meal, to be blessed at the Mass and shared with family and friends in your home.

THE ADVENT GIVING TREE

Go into many stores and you cannot miss the fact that Christmas is soon approaching. Some of us have already begun to think about our Christmas shopping. Once again this season we invite our parishioners to reach out to our parish families who are in need.

The ADVENT GIVING TREE will be placed in the church on November 27th & 28th ~ the First Sunday of Advent.



Please consider taking a "Gift Tag" and prayerfully fulfill the gift and return it to the church or parish office by December 12th, to be delivered in time for Christmas.

Let us enter into the true spirit of Christmas, for we celebrate God's greatest gift to the world...the gift of His Son! Thank you to all who will participate.

Looking Ahead

- **November 16 - Annual Parish Turkey Trot - 7pm**
- November 25 - Thanksgiving Day
- November 28 - Advent Giving Tree Begins
- December 7 - Ladies Guild Christmas Party
- December 8 - Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Holy Day of Obligation)
- December 11 - Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe Celebration

ANNUAL PARISH TURKEY TROT

Tuesday Evening, November 16th
Doors Open 6:00 pm
Games begin 7:00 pm

**MASSES FOR
NOVEMBER 15 - 21, 2021**

*Every Mass is offered for the faithful, living or dead,
however the following are specifically remembered this week.*

Monday, November 15

7:30 am - Intentions of Parishioners

7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Tuesday, November 16

7:30 am - Intentions of All Souls Envelopes

Wednesday, November 17

7:30 am - Peter Gallo, Jr. by family

5:30 pm - Eucharistic Adoration - Spanish

7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Thursday, November 18

7:30 am - Intention of Priest Celebrant

Friday, November 19

7:30 am - For A Special Intention

3:00 pm - Divine Mercy Chaplet

7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Saturday, November 20

8:00 am - In Thanksgiving to the Blessed Virgin Mary

LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday, November 20

5:00 pm

Anthony & Rose Antoscia by family

Josephine Ginolfi by family

Eleanor Antosia by Ginolfi family

Anna Geremia

Carmine Mastrogiuseppe by family

6:30 pm - Mass in Spanish

Sunday, November 21

Our Lord Jesus Christ

King of the Universe

8:00 am

Intentions of All Souls Envelopes

Frank & Marion Cuiccio by daughters

9:30 am - Mass in Spanish

11:30 am

Loretta Funaro by husband & children

Dorothy V. Giarrusso - Birthday Remembrance

by husband & children

Elsa & Giovanni Maglione by daughter & grandsons

Sanctuary Candle & Altar Bread & Wine

In Memory of

***Deceased Members of
Ceprano & Acciardo Families***

WEEKLY CHURCH SUPPORT

What Our Lord Asks Is Not Equal Gifts - But Equal Sacrifice.
(Increased Giving Campaign)

Weekend of November 6 & 7, 2021

Church Collections & Mail-in Budgets

\$7,556.00

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