



Gospel Reflection

The Pharisees are trying to trap Jesus with their question about paying taxes. Saying yes would lose favor with the people; saying no could lead to a charge of betrayal. A Roman coin would have the emperor's image on it. Jesus makes His point when He receives a coin from questioners. Jesus advises them to payback the emperor what bears his image; but to return to God what bears the divine image - themselves - *heart, mind, and spirit*. **How successfully do we navigate paying to Caesar what belongs to Caesar; and to God what belongs to God?**

*For all who have contracted corona-virus,
we pray for care and healing.*

*For those who are particularly vulnerable,
we pray for safety and protection.*

*For all who experience fear or anxiety,
we pray for peace of mind and spirit.*

*For affected families who are facing difficult decisions
between food on the table or public safety,
we pray for policies that recognize their plight.*

*For those who do not have adequate health insurance,
we pray that no family will face financial burdens alone.*

*For those who are afraid to access care due to
immigration status,*

we pray for recognition of the God-given dignity of all.

*For our brothers and sisters around the world,
we pray for shared solidarity.*

*For public officials and decision makers,
we pray for wisdom and guidance.*

*Father, during this time may your Church be a sign of
hope, comfort, and love to all.*

Grant peace. Grant comfort. Grant healing.

Be with us, Lord.

Amen

(United States Conference of Catholic Bishops)

“Here I Am, Send Me!”



TODAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY!

We celebrate this day by remembering our baptismal call - to bring the Gospel to all! The collection today for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith supports the work and witness of the Mission Church, as it provides for priests, religious, and lay leaders who offer the Lord's mercy and concrete help to the most vulnerable communities in the Pope's missions. Thank you for your generosity!

SPONSORS FOR OUR BULLETIN

Because our weekly parish bulletin can no longer be paid by ads on the back page, we are hoping to help defray this expense by asking parishioners to come forward each week by sponsoring the bulletin with a donation of **\$40.00**. Please call the parish office if you wish to help.

MASS INTENTIONS

are a truly Christian way of remembering deceased loved ones or a Special Intention. There are still weekend and daily morning Masses available for intentions this year.

The **Sanctuary Candle and Altar Bread & Wine** are also a prayerful remembrance. All families will be considered. Please call the Parish Office to schedule a date.

2020 CATHOLIC CHARITY APPEAL

Faith and Good Works

Supporting the work of the Church

IT IS NOT TOO LATE! Thank you to all parishioners who participated in our Catholic Charity Appeal. Everyone is encouraged to share our God-given gift of treasure. Please consider a donation and make a difference in the lives of those in need.

**MASSES FOR
OCTOBER 19 - 25, 2020**

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

Monday, October 19

7:30 am - Intentions of Parishioners
7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Tuesday, October 20

7:30 am - Intention of Priest Celebrant

Wednesday, October 21

7:30 am - Luigi, Mary, & Peggy Vallande by family
6:00 pm - Eucharistic Adoration - Spanish
7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Thursday, October 22

7:30 am - For a Special Intention

Friday, October 23

7:30 am - Intentions of Parishioners
3:00 pm - Divine Mercy Chaplet
7:00 pm - Mass in Spanish

Saturday, October 24

8:00 am - In Thanksgiving to the Blessed Mother,
Our Lady of the Rosary

LORD'S DAY MASSES

Saturday, October 24

5:00 pm

George Forte by wife
Sebastiano Rotondo by daughters

6:30 pm - Mass in Spanish

**Sunday, October 25
30th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 am

Frank & Marion Cuiccio by daughters
Paul Babcock
Joseph Campanile
Louis Gazzero

9:30 am - Mass in Spanish

11:30 am

Michael Megrđichian by Garce Carnevale
Robert Joseph Carnevale by wife

**Sanctuary Candle &
Altar Bread & Wine:**

Frank & Marion Cuiccio by daughters
Miguelina Hernandez by family & friends

Baptized in Christ:

Xavier Matthew Bouffard

WEEKLY SATURDAY CONFESSIONS - Please take note that the Sacrament of Confession is offered every Saturday from **4:15 pm to 4:45 pm** in the church, or by appointment by calling the Parish Office.

+ WEEKLY CHURCH SUPPORT +

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

Weekend of October 10 & 11

Church Collections & Mail-in Budgets
\$4,397.00

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Joseph Cullen