PROCLAIM! TV Newsletter

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Minute-a-Month Mass Schedule **All Souls Day** 11/2 Wisdom 3:1-9 / Romans 5:5-11 / John 6:37-40 Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome 11/9 (Veterans Day Mass) Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12 / 1 Corinthians 3:9c-11, 16-17 / John 2: 13-22 **33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time** 11/16 Malachi 3:19-20a / 2 Thessalonians 3:7-12 / Luke 21:5-19 The Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe 11/23 2 Samuel 5:1-3 / Colossians 1:12-20 / Luke 23:35-43 1st Sunday of Advent 11/30 Isaiah 2:1-5 / Romans 13:11-14 / Matthew 24:37-44 Fr. Matthew Baum - Celebrant Rev. Savarimuthu Simon - Con-Celebrant Deacon Rick Messina

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

Amen.

It brings me great joy to share that we have some good news beginning this month from Our Proclaim! TV Ministry. This weekend, we will begin broadcasting in an additional format. When Proclaim! TV Ministry began way back in 1987, the mass was being broadcast on the local cable access channel. Later, in the mid 1990s under Fr. Bridges, we moved from cable access to Commercial TV. Then, from Commercial TV we moved in the early 2000s to a Satellite Uplink, allowing our mass to be picked up by stations around the country. Beginning this month, the Mass will be simulcast every week on YouTube. Although I've had many ask, Commercial Broadcast Television will long remain our primary method of reaching most of our viewers. However, for those who wish to join us on YouTube, please look up "Diocese of Altoona-Johnstown" or visit the link at www.stjohngualbert.org. As more and more viewers begin to move to Smart TVs, YouTube allows viewers to look up our broadcast, watch the mass live in its entirety, watch the mass later, or watch just the weekly homily.

We did have some sad news this week, as Fr. Savarimuthu Simon, HGN who has been with us at St. John Gualbert's for the last year and a half, has been reassigned and will be moving up the hill to St. Benedict in Richland. We certainly enjoyed his time with us and we wish him all the best in his future endeavors. Please keep Fr. Simon in your prayers.

This weekend, we will once again have our All Souls Day Celebration, remembering all of those who have passed in the previous year from our parish, as well as all viewers who sent in names of their loved ones to be remembered with candles. Then, next weekend, we will once again honor our Veterans at the TV Mass. Later in the month, our diocese will share our "Called by Name" promotion through our vocations office. After sharing my own vocation story, we will invite both our parishioners and our viewers to think of young men in their own lives who would make a good priest. Then from the names submitted, invitations will go out to a diocese-wide discernment dinner. Please consider in your own life, what young men you might know who God might be calling. Finally, after thanksgiving we will prepare for the new year.

Please continue to keep all of us and our ministry in your prayers.

Fr. Matt

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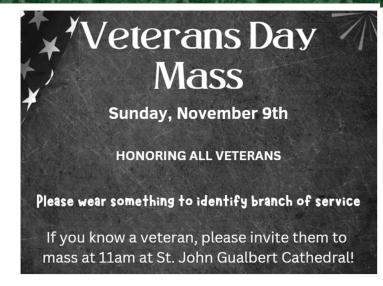
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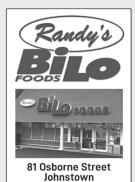
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