31st Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 5, 2023

SERVANT

“The greatest among you must be your servant.”

MATTHEW 23:11

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Office Hours
Monday - Friday:
9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
1:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Daily Mass
Monday - Friday:
7:00 a.m.
Communion Service on Mondays

Saturday
4:00 p.m. - Anticipatory Mass

Sunday Masses
9:00 a.m., 11:00 a.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday: 2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Confessions end promptly at 3:30 p.m.,
or available by appointment.

Eucharistic Adoration
First Friday
7:30 - 8:30 AM

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Parish Stewardship
October 9 - October 15
Thank you for your continued generosity and support.

| Envelopes: | $ 6,522.00 |
| Total Collection: | $ 12,980.00 |
| Loose Money: | $ 3,275.00 |
| Weekly need to meet parish obligations: | $ 16,480.00 |
| Online Giving: | $3,625.00 |
| All Saints Day | $ 148.00 |

Thank you for your continued generosity and support.
Saturday, November 4 - St. Charles Borromeo
4:00 PM
+ Abe Gallegos - Marvin Gallegos
+ William, +Angie & +DeAnne Lynch - The Lynch Family
+ Joseph E. Valdes - The Family
+ Manuel J. Rodriguez - Jean G. Rodriguez
For the People of the Parish

Wednesday, November 8
7:00 AM
+ William, +Angie & +DeAnne Lynch - The Lynch Family
+ Manuel J. Rodriguez - Jean G. Rodriguez
Health & Wellbeing of Travis Funk Family - Parents
Health & Wellbeing of Bishop Rene Gracida

Thursday, November 9
7:00 AM
+ Steve & +Helen Tatar - John & Loretta Funk
+ John & Loretta Funk
Health & Wellbeing of Msgr. Jerome Martinez y Alire - John & Loretta Funk
Living & deceased members of La Cofradia de la Conquistadora - La Cofradia
Frank Dofflemeyer - Anthony Dofflemeyer

Friday, November 10 - (Office Closed)
7:00 AM
+ Linda Tatar Johnson - Loretta Funk
Health & Wellbeing of Travis Funk Family - Parents
Carolyn Fitzsimmons - Jean G. Rodriguez
+ Teresa Chavez (48yr Annv) - Mariano & Maria Chavez

Saturday, November 11
4:00 PM
+ Sergio Rybka - John & Loretta Funk
+ Peter B. Quintana (2yr Annv) - Carmela & Lucille Quintana
Mary Blea (23yr Annv) - Blea Family
Edward "Eddie" Martinez - Anna Williams
For the People of the Parish

Sunday, November 12 - 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
9:00 AM
+ Gilbert Silva - Silva Family
+ Teresa Silva Parsons - Silva Family
Joy Halperin (Bday) - The Hickey Family
For the People of the Parish
11:00 AM
+ Celine & +Pat Vigil - The Family
Romancita Gallegos - Marvin Gallegos
Phil Martinez - Carol Martinez
For the Health of Eileen Powell - Carolyn & Jack

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First Reading:
You have turned aside from the way, and have caused many to falter by your instruction. (Mal 2:8)

Psalm:
In you, Lord, I have found my peace. (Ps 131)

Second Reading:
With such affection for you, we were determined to share with you not only the gospel of God, but our very selves as well, so dearly beloved had you become to us. (1Thes 2:8)

Gospel:
“Therefore, do and observe all things whatsoever they tell you, but do not follow their example. For they preach but they do not practice.” (Mt 23:3)

Readings for the week of November 5, 2023

Sunday: Mal 1:14b—2:2b, 8-10/Ps 131:1, 2, 3/1 Thes 2:7b-9, 13/Mt 23:1-12
Monday: Rom 11:29-36/Ps 69:30-31, 33-34, 36/Lk 14:12-14
Tuesday: Rom 12:5-16b/Ps 31:1bcde, 2, 3/Lk 14:15-24
Wednesday: Rom 13:8-10/Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9/Lk 14:25-33
Thursday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22
Friday: Rom 15:14-21/Ps 98:1, 2, 3ab, 3cd-4/Lk 16:1-8
Saturday: Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 10-11/Lk 16:9-15
Next Sunday: Wis 6:12-16/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 (2b)/1 Thes 4:13-18 or 4:13-14/Mt 25:1-11

31º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

“El que se enaltecere será humiliado, y el que se humillare será enaltecido” (Mateo 23,12). De ahí viene el consejo de Jesús de no imitar a los maestros de la ley, quienes solían poner cargas muy pesadas a la gente y ellos no hacían nada por llevarlas a cabo. Cuando se emprende algún proyecto, ya sea en familia o comunidad, se supone que el líder debe de poner el ejemplo al realizar las tareas, sean grandes o pequeñas. Se trata de servir siempre con alegría y buen ejemplo: “El más grande entre ustedes se hará el servidor de todos” (Mateo 23,11). Sin buscar honores ni complacencias con nosotros mismos. ¿Qué te parece? Serás capaz de ser humilde y servir a los que te rodean con ese amor que Jesús nos muestra en el Evangelio de hoy.

“Nosotros, discípulos de Jesús, no debemos buscar títulos de honor, de autoridad o de supremacía. Yo les digo que a mí personalmente me duele ver a personas que psicológicamente viven corriendo detrás de la vanidad y condecoraciones. Nosotros, discípulos de Jesús, no debemos hacer esto, ya que entre nosotros debe haber una actitud sencilla y fraterna” (Papa Francisco 11-05-2017). Gracias, Papa Francisco, por ubicarnos en lo que es verdaderamente importante. Gracias, por prevenirnos ante la tentación de la vanagloria y de los primeros lugares. Aunque no es malo que nos den las gracias por lo que hacemos, el sentido es que seamos humildes y agradecidos.

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Faith Formation classes are underway. We meet every Monday evening from 6:30 - 7:30 PM

For Baptism Classes - November 8,9,15
Contact Joann at rec@cbsfa.org or Carlos at admin@cbsfa.org if you have any questions

The Cathedral Basilica Giftshop
Come See Us in the Giftshop! We have a lot of new items for the Holiday Season including new Angels, Plush ornaments, and Christmas Card Box Sets.

ATTENTION SENIORS PLEASE JOIN TREASURES OF WISOM FOR OUR ANNUAL ADVENT RETREAT.

"YOU AND AFTER YOU"
Retreat Master Father Sebastian Lee, Chimayo NM.

When: Friday, December 1, 2023
Where: 7:00 AM Mass celebrated by Fr. Lee in St. Joseph’s Chapel.

Please call to reserve your spot today November 20 is the deadline for registration.

CBSFA: Louise 505-984-1888; CRISTO REY: Lena 505-471-7922

A continental breakfast will follow in Crispin Hall directly after Mass.
Retreat concludes with a luncheon at 11:30.

This will be a wonderful opportunity to prepare for the blessed Season of Advent. We look forward to seeing you!

The Knights of Columbus Orientation November 9th at 5:30 PM followed by an Exemplification at 7PM. All are invited to find out about the Knights. "You are born a man. You Become a Knight."
Join today. Visit KofC.org/JoinUs
Thanksgiving Food Drive

For the Poor & Homeless of Santa Fe

Many people in Santa Fe are very needy and poor. In addition to the poor residents who have a place to live, there are over a thousand homeless men, women and children. All of these families need our help. They are our brothers and sisters in Christ.

As you prepare for the Holiday, please remember them by filling a bag with non-perishable food items.

- Some of the items most needed include:
  - Canned Vegetables
  - Canned Meats
  - Canned Fruit
  - Boxed Cereals
  - Sugar
  - Beans
  - Dried Milk
  - Disposable Diapers (preferably infant sizes)
  - Canned or Dry Soup
  - Canned Fish
  - Peanut Butter
  - Flour
  - Rice
  - Juices
  - Baby Food

Please bring your filled bag(s) to the church and place them in the Stewardship Corner, or to the Parish office the weekends of November 11/12 and 18/19 - as your gift to our Lord Jesus Christ for His children in need.

All food will be distributed free of charge to the needy by the Living Our Faith Ministry. God bless you and your family for your caring and concern!

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CATHOLIC

A Heavy Burden, Hard to Carry
“Mommy, you haven’t been making any sacrifices.”

My daughter was peering through the little opening in the plastic cover of the “sacrifice jar” we made for Lent this year. The repurposed oatmeal container, jazzed up with glitter glue and pictures of St. Therese of Lisieux, was more than half-filled with little slips of paper bearing descriptions of the various sacrifices family members had made for one another.

But she was right: every piece of paper bore the childlike scrawl of herself and her brother. I had not added anything to the sacrifice jar.

“If I wrote down every sacrifice I made for you in just a single day, the jar would explode,” I retorted, and even though my daughter giggled, I instantly regretted the comment, sighing as I realized I did it again. I let a snide, self-pitying thought form on my lips and make its way into the world because for a brief moment I thought someone didn’t appreciate my (imagine me sniffing injudiciously here) hard work.

We sneer at the scribes and the Pharisees as Jesus describes them in the Gospel, lengthening their phylacteries and coveting the places of honor. But then I remember: nobody starts out meaning to be a jerk.

We want to do good things. We try to be holy. But it’s hard, that burden weighs heavy on our back.

So, we murmur about it here and there. We stop to catch our breath. We glimpse other people looking at our burden with approval and admiration, and we breathe a little harder, groan a little deeper. And somewhere along the way the burden becomes an idol and our labor a performance. We dare not ask for help bearing it, for we prize too greatly the sweat of our own brow.

“The greatest among you must be your servant.”
— Matthew 23:11
Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

Why do we do that?
Catholic Life Explained

Question:
Why do some sacraments leave a character or mark on the soul? Don’t all sacraments affect the soul?

Answer:
All sacraments mediate grace and connect us to Christ and to the Church. Some sustain us in our faith journey, while others help us heal from the effects of sin. Each one offers a share in God’s life, giving us what we need to be faithful followers of Jesus. But some sacraments change us in ways that are irreversible. The three sacraments that leave a character are Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Orders. We are literally different people because of the effect of the grace of those sacraments. We are changed at the core of our being in such a fundamental way that we can not go back to what we once were.

In Baptism, we are freed from original sin, initiated into the Body of Christ as adopted sons and daughters. In Confirmation, we are given the fullness of God’s Spirit, sealed in his grace and gifted with what we need to live a Christian life. In Holy Orders, a priest is marked as an ‘alter Christus,’ another Christ, and is once and forever a priest who offers sacrifice, forgives sin, and acts in the person of Christ. In these three sacraments, we are conformed more closely to Christ, reflecting his love and truth.
Prayer
God, help me to follow you with a humble heart.

Mission for the Week
Look up the words “humble” and “proud” in the dictionary. When you remember that everything you have is a gift from God, it is easier to be humble.

Unscramble words from today’s Gospel:

- teachers
  - law
  - obey
- honor
- important
- brothers
- Father
- greatest
- servant

- tecahers
- hnor
- sarvetn
- bortehrs
- oyeb
- getarest
- miportatn
- lwa
- Ftahre

Sharing the Gospel
Some people think that they know everything that there is to be known about God. They think they are better and smarter than other people, too. Watch out if you think you are acting that way! Tell God you’re sorry. Ask God to help you change your attitude, and serve others.

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