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Thank you,

Msgr. Stan Carson

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

November 15, 2020

Our Lady of Fatima Parish
2010 12th Avenue
www.ourladyoffatimaaltoona.org

Rectory Office Hours:
Temporarily Unavailable

Parish Office: 814-942-0371 (to leave a message) or call the Cathedral Office at 944-4603.

Our Lady of Fatima Church

Our Lady of Fatima Parish Administrator

Rev. Msgr. Stanley B. Carson

Director of Music Ministry
Kathy McFee

Eucharist for the home bound - weekly:
Patty Flanagan 942-0371 for arrangements.

Our Lady of Fatima Church is open
Sunday through Saturday: 7:30 AM - 5PM
for visits before the Blessed Sacrament.

Baptisms, Weddings and Funerals will be held at Our Lady of Fatima.

Preparation for Baptism, and Weddings will be held at the Cathedral. 944-4603

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick
Parishioners wishing to receive the sacrament of healing may call the Cathedral Parish Office to make arrangements. 814-944-4603

OUR LADY OF FATIMA PARISH IS A RESULT OF THE MERGER BETWEEN THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCHES OF SS. PETER & PAUL AND ST. LEO THE GREAT IN 1995.

Cathedral Church Office: 814-944-4603

One Cathedral Square

Most Reverend Mark L. Bartchak, Bishop

Rev. Msgr. Stanley B. Carson, Administrator
PH: 814-944-4603

Rev. Father Dennis M. Kurdziel, Parochial Vicar
Christian Initiation Team: 944-4603
Catholics returning Home: 944-4603

Mail Ministry to Elderly, Homebound, Seriously Sick and Grieving - 944-4603

HOLY TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Web: www.holytrinitycatholic.school

Altoona Campus (Pre-K thru Grade 4) - 381-7011
Hollidaysburg Campus (Pre-K thru Grade 4) - 695-6112
Middle School Campus (Grades 5 thru 8) - 942-7835

Directors of Religious Education:
Chris Laraia – Pre-K thru 8 - 312-7317
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Religious Education Office: Sundays – 943-7424

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Leslie C. Thayer, MM, CAGO
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Reconciliation @ Cathedral: 7:00 PM Wednesday
12:30 PM Saturday

Religious Education @ Cathedral: Pre-K through 11
Sacramental Formation @ Cathedral: First Reconciliation
First Communion
Confirmation

Sacramental Formation @ the Cathedral: Baptismal Prep
Marriage Prep
Christian Initiation

Hospital Visitation: Call the Cathedral: 944-4603

Cathedral Eucharist:

Sunday: 5:00 PM (Vigil)	Holy Days: 5:30 PM (Vigil)	Weekdays: 6:45 AM
8:00 AM	8:00 AM	12:00 Noon
10:00 AM	12:00 Noon	
12:00 Noon	5:30 PM	Saturday: 8:00 AM
5:00 PM		12:00 Noon

THE FATIMA TOWERS

November 15, 2020
THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
 10:30 AM
OUR LADY OF FATIMA MASS INTENTIONS
Today's Intention - Paul Casarly (Gerri Rose)

Next Week's Intention- November 22, Feast of Christ the King
Joseph Wozniak (Barbara Wozniak)

Cathedral Mass Intentions

November 15, Sunday, Thirty-Third

8:00 AM +Martha Maurer (John & Nancy Kirkpatrick)
 10:00 AM +Mary Frances Moses (Tim & Anne Marie Longwill)
 Noon PM +Patricia Koeck (Pink Newberry)
 5:00 PM Pro Popolo/For the People

November 16, Monday, St. Margaret of Scotland

6:45 AM +Lavelle Family (Phyllis Lavelle Sheetz)
 12:00 PM +M. Virginia Jones (Fred & Diane Gibbons)

November 17, Tuesday, St. Elizabeth of Hungary

6:45 AM +Peggy & Bernie Joyce (Family)
 12:00 PM +John Duffy, Birth. (Wife & Son)

November 18, Wednesday, St. Rose Phillipine Duchesne

6:45 AM +Deceased Veterans (McNelis All Stars)
 12:00 PM +Walt Beech, Anniv. (Family)

November 19, Thursday, Weekday

6:45 AM +Marianna Mignogna Moffa (Estate)
 12:00 PM +Michael McCaulley (Family)

November 20, Friday, Weekday

6:45 AM +Hilda Conrad (Pat & Kathy Kibler)
 12:00 PM +Dave Lysinger (Family)

November 21, Saturday, The Presentation of the BVM

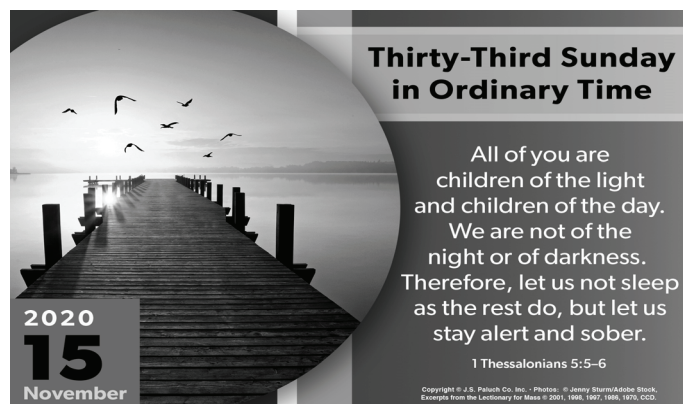
8:00 AM +Carrie Detwiler (Mom & Dad)
 12:00 PM +Rose Ciavarella (Diana Fanale)

Vigil: Solemnity of Christ the King

5:00 PM +Michael Dionis, Birth. (Mom & Dad)

November 22, Sunday, Solemnity of Christ the King

8:00 AM +Jim Davidson (Greg & Sally Stoltz)
 10:00 AM +Msgr. Paul Panza (Dana Tomlinson)
 12:00 PM +Trudy Eicher (Family & Friends)
 5:00 PM Pro Popolo/For the People



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The woman who fears the LORD is to be praised (Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31).

Psalm — Blessed are those who fear the Lord (Psalm 128).

Second Reading — Brothers and sisters, you are children of the light (1 Thessalonians 5:1-6).

Gospel — Since you were faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities (Matthew 25:14-30 [14-15, 19-21]).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday: Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday: Rv 4:1-11; Ps 150:1b-6; Lk 19:11-28, or (for the memorial of the Dedication) Acts 28:11-16, 30-31; Ps 98:1-6; Mt 14:22-33

Thursday: Rv 5:1-10; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 19:41-44

Friday: Rv 10:8-11; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Lk 19:45-48

Saturday: Rv 11:4-12; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Lk 20:27-40

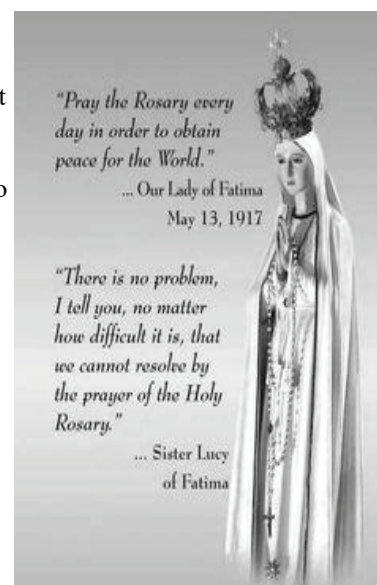
Sunday: Ez 34:11-12, 15-17; Ps 23:1-3, 5-6; 1 Cor 15:20-26, 28; Mt 25:31-46

Thank You

Your prayers, volunteerism, and financial support are deeply appreciated. Last week's parishioner contributions amounted to \$1,289.00

Please Remember

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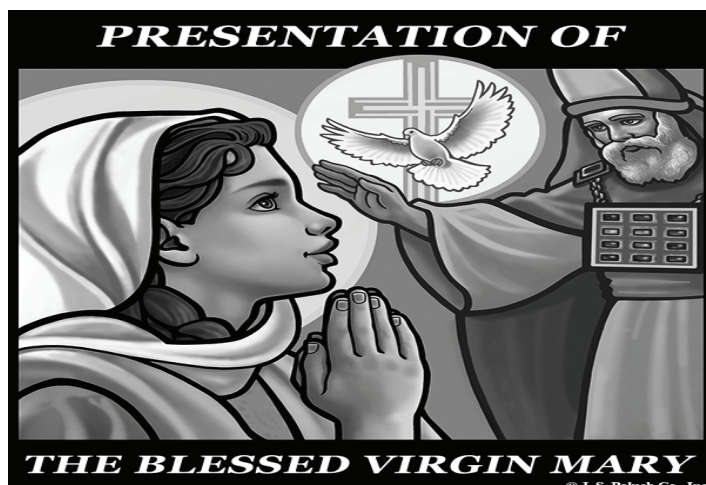
BEAR MUCH FRUIT

In the story of the talents, the head of the household leaves the servants “talents” or money, which they are expected to foster and develop during the leader’s absence. Today we think of talent as an innate ability or a skill. It is interesting that they were distributed “according to ability,” which would express a certain intimacy as we realize that the master knew each one, and already had an idea of their capabilities. They were not given explicit instructions like “put this in the bank” or “invest this in your portfolio” or “take piano lessons.” Rather, we are told that the goods were divided unequally. One received five, one received two, and the last received one.

When the head of the household returned, the outcomes were just as varied as we and our responses might be. Some people are multitalented, and capable of accomplishing many great things, like the servant who turned five into ten. Others may be more inclined to do one or two things very well and may excel in them. Still, there are some who may struggle in life, and their accomplishments are very small. But those who made use of their gifts were praised and told, “Well done, good and faithful servant.” When it came to the second coming, the return of their master, they both made some effort. The only one in whom the head of household showed any disappointment was the one who made absolutely no effort, the one who was frozen by fear or indifference. As we journey toward the kingdom, there are not always clear instructions. We are simply asked to try, to give it our best effort. There is nothing in the passage to say that these servants didn’t make mistakes along the way, but their master saw them and loved and praised them for their actions, their attempts, as God will do with us.

Today’s Readings: Prv 31:10–13, 19–20, 30–31; Ps 128:1–2, 3, 4–5; 1 Thes 5:1–6;
Mt 25:14–30 [14–15, 19–21]

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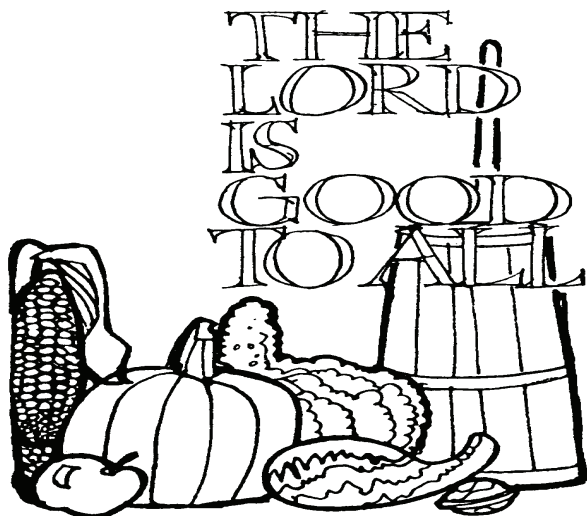


SAINT ROSE PHILIPPINE DUCHESNE (1769-1852)

November 18

Pope Benedict once declared himself struck by how remarkably diverse our American saints are—some native born: Mother Seton, Katherine Drexel, Kateri Tekakwitha; most, like many Catholics today, immigrants: Padre Serra, Bishop Neumann, Mother Cabrini, Rose Philippine Duchesne. When the French Revolution that dispersed her convent ended, Rose joined the Religious of the Sacred Heart, volunteering for their United States mission, opening the first free school west of the Mississippi. Only after lengthy service as Superior did Rose—now seventy-one—realize her life’s dream, undertaking a mission among the Potawatomi Indians. When some worried about her advanced age and failing health, the Jesuit mission leader overruled them: “She must come! She may not be able to do much work, but she’ll bring the mission success by praying for us!” Frustrated by her inability to learn their languages, Rose nevertheless “spoke” to the Native Americans by her prayerful presence before the tabernacle. “Quah-kah-kanum-ad,” they named her, “Woman-Who-Prays-Always”—their way of bestowing the title the Church would later make official: saint!

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See Paul Masic following Mass.



During the month of November, remember to pray for those who have died.