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Sunday, October 29
30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MONDAY October 30 Weekday

5:00pm Confessions
5:30pm Gary Allan Fisher by Kenneth Rachubka

TUESDAY October 31 Weekday

5:00pm Confessions
5:30pm Michael Coburn by Gene & Carol Kraszewski
Vigil Mass for Holy Day

WEDNESDAY November 1 All Saints Day

8:30am Fr. James Ragnoni by Yolanda Cultrera
6:00pm For the Parishioners

THURSDAY November 2

Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed
NO Scheduled Mass at St. Anthony Church

FRIDAY November 3 St. Martin de Porres, religious

8:30am The deceased members of the Carano and Conti families by Vera Carano and family

SATURDAY November 4 St. Charles Borromeo, bishop

4:00pm Matt Contessa by Bob & Marion Nemer
5:00pm Confessions

SUNDAY November 5 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am For the Parishioners
10:30am Deceased Members of the Sons of Italy Akron Lodge #685 by members

WEDDING BANNS III: Michael Nicolino & Taylor Allen

PLEASE SAVE YOUR ACME CASH BACK RECEIPTS.

A box is located in the Church vestibule.

Due to the unprecedented number of natural disasters here in the US and abroad, the Diocese of Cleveland and dioceses across the country are taking up a collection to help with efforts to support reconstruction and pastoral needs of the Church as well as humanitarian and recovery assistance through Catholic Charities USA & Catholic Relief Services. **St. Anthony Parish will be taking a collection Nov. 11/12.** If you wish to donate, please make your check payable to St. Anthony Parish and put **2017 Calamities** in the memo line.

SENIOR LUNCHEON: All 55 and over are invited to a free Senior Luncheon, Thursday November 9 in Blessed Trinity's Frey Hall from 11:30 - 1:30 pm. Enjoy "Upriver Music" as they play Celtic folk instruments to tell the story of Scots-Irish immigration to America. Make reservations by calling 330-376-5144 by 4 pm on Monday November 6.

Theology on Tap Akron is excited to announce that it will be at Ray's Place of Fairlawn on Wednesday, November 8th at 7:00 pm! Theology on Tap welcomes all young adults to come listen to Mark Cook, a Magician, speak on "Mercy, Mary, and Magic: A magic show and personal testimony to Divine Mercy and Marian Consecration." Admission is \$5 and includes appetizers. The bar will be open for those who would like to purchase beverages. **Come experience faith, fellowship, and food with other young adults in their 20's and 30's at Theology on Tap Akron!** Ray's Place of Fairlawn is located at 25 Ghent Road, Fairlawn, OH 44333.

*Whoever loves me will keep my word,
says the Lord,
and my Father will love him and we
will come to him.*

Sunday: Oct. 22nd collection -----\$ 4453.00
World Mission Sunday----- -\$624.00
Thank you for your generosity!

Tuesday, October 31

Vigil Mass for All Saints Day at 5:30pm

Wednesday, November 1

All Saints Day- A holy day of obligation
Mass times are at 8:30am and 6:00pm.

Saturday, November 4

Sisters' bake sale from 10am-noon and after the 4pm Mass. Also after all the Masses on Sunday.

Priesthood Sunday, the last Sunday of October, is a special day set aside to honor the priesthood in the United States. This year the day falls on **October 29, 2017.** It is a day to reflect upon and affirm the role of the priesthood in the life of the Church as a central one.

NEXT WEEKEND- The Annual Religious Teachers Filippini Bake Sale will be on Saturday, Nov. 4th from 10 to noon and Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 4/5 after all the Masses.

NEXT WEEKEND, NOVEMBER 5th, DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS. Please be sure to change you clocks (fall back) on Saturday evening.

THEOLOGY ON THE ROCKS: Food, Fellowship and Faith for Adults on Monday, November 20 at D'Agnes's at White Pond Akron, 566 White Pond Dr. TOPIC: *Confess Your Face Off: What the Theology of the Face Can Do for Reconciliation* by Fr. Jim Cosgrove, Parochial Vicar, St. Christopher Parish. 7:00 pm Appetizers, 7:30 pm Speaker \$10.00 Admission includes appetizers - Cash bar Sponsored by St. Sebastian Parish, Akron

Archbishop Hoban High School will administer the final **Scholarship/Placement test** of the year to eighth grade students on **Saturday, November 4** Students may register by calling the admissions office at 330-849-2149 or visiting the Admissions tab at www.hoban.org. Parents are welcome to attend an information session while their child is testing. There is a \$20 test fee.

Students and families interested in Archbishop Hoban High School are invited to attend an **Open House** on **Wednesday, November 8, from 6 to 8 pm.** Tour the school, learn more about Hoban's rigorous academic programs, explore extracurricular opportunities and meet current students and faculty.

Scholarship/Placement tests for Our Lady of the Elms and Walsh High School are on Saturday, November 4. Parent information sessions are held on all test dates. There is a \$20 test fee.

Emmaus Retreat: Companions on the Journey - Come and Journey with Us. November 10- 11. Keynote by Rev. Keith Stuart. This is the 18th annual Emmaus Retreat for LGBTQ Christians, their families, and friends at Jesuit Retreat House. LUKE 24: 13-35 tells us that two of Jesus' disciples met Him on the road to the village of Emmaus. The encounter renewed their hopes and sense of mission. Gay and lesbian Catholics continue to meet Jesus as they journey to the Kingdom. The Emmaus retreat is a time to encounter Christ and to share the journey together. Cost: \$95. To register contact [440-884-9300](tel:440-884-9300) or visit www.jrh-cleveland.org.

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Terry Hennessy II Owner/Director

Jesus Gave and Asks for All

Jesus was a radical. This is expressed by the word *all* in today's Gospel: all your heart, all your soul, and all your mind. What does that word leave out? That's right, nothing! Jesus gave it all, and he asks for it all. *That is radical.*

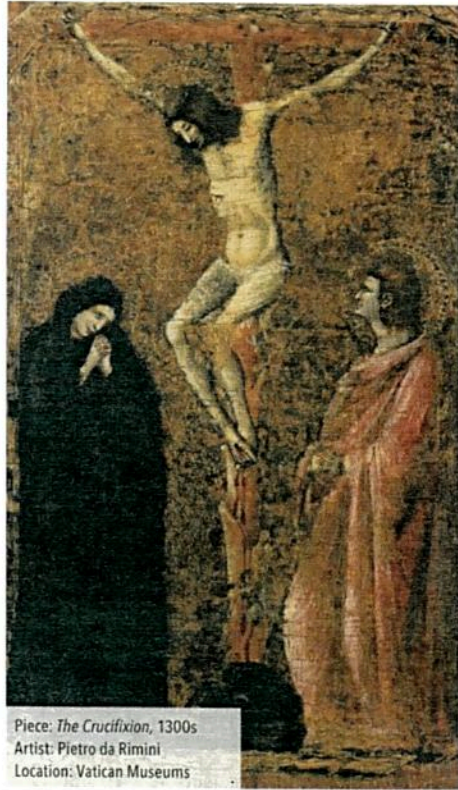
Jesus is the first one to give us the example of this total and self-giving surrender to God the Father. When prayer was more important than sleep, he prayed. When he had to go without food, like in the desert, he did. When he knew that God wanted him to stay in town, he did. And when it was time to move on, he did as well. When he knew God wanted him to preach a word of compassion or condemnation, he did, regardless of whether the person was a beggar, Peter, Pilate, or Herod. He gave all his heart, mind, and soul to God.

And what about loving his neighbor as himself? He loved not only his perfect immaculate Mother, but he also loved his imperfect fellow human beings: his apostles, disciples, and fellow Jews whose faith and understanding were slow. He loved Judas and chased down discouraged apostles heading to Emmaus. He loved his enemies just as much. Tax collectors, publicans, Roman soldiers, Samaritans all received words and acts of love. The poor also had a special place in his heart, as was evident by his many miracles of soul and body for them.

His love even went beyond those people he encountered in his life and reached everyone for all times. He established the sacraments and his Church to accompany on their earthly pilgrimage all those who would follow him throughout history. He descended into hell to save those who had gone before him and opened heaven.

In short, he gave it all! And so he can ask the same from us as well.

—Fr. Mark Haydu, LC



Piece: *The Crucifixion*, 1300s
Artist: Pietro da Rimini
Location: Vatican Museums

For Reflection

What next thing is Jesus asking for as you strive toward giving him your all? There is joy that comes from giving our all. Do I experience that joy?

[Jesus] said..., "You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind" (Matthew 22:37).

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Calendar

Monday

October 30
Weekday

Rom 8:12-17
Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday

October 31
Weekday

Rom 8:18-25
Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday

November 1
All Saints Day

Rv 7:2-4, 9-14
1 Jn 3:1-3
Mt 5:1-12a

Thursday

November 2
Commemoration of
All the Faithful Departed

Wis 3:1-9
Rom 5:5-11
or Rom 6:3-9
Jn 6:37-40

Friday

November 3
Weekday

Rom 9:1-5
Lk 14:1-6

Saturday

November 4
St. Charles Borromeo,
Bishop

Rom 11:1-2a,
11-12, 25-29
Lk 14:1, 7-11

Sunday

November 5
Thirty-First Sunday
in Ordinary Time
Mal 1:14b-2:2b, 8-10
1 Thes 2:7b-9, 13
Mt 23:1-12

Dear Padre,

How do our prayers actually help people who are deceased? I keep thinking it should be the other way around: The deceased should pray for us! After all, they have it made—and we don't.

From the early days of the Church, there has been a tradition of remembering those who have died. In the fourth century, Bishop Cyril of Jerusalem noted in his catechetical instructions how, in the eucharistic prayer, we remember those who have died in two different ways. First, we remember those special ones who have fallen asleep, the fathers and mothers of our faith, the prophets, the apostles, and the martyrs. And we ask that God enable us to share in their inheritance, thanks to their prayers and intercessions for us.



This is still the case. At every Mass, we remind God that we rely on Mary and the saints to intercede for us.

But also at every Eucharist, since the early days of the Church, when we pray for those who have died, we are reminded that love lasts more than a lifetime. It reaches out across time and space, and even across the divide of death. When we have loved, we yearn for the beloved to live on, not just in memory but in a place that is beyond suffering and tears. And we yearn to see that loved one again. This is one of the most telling reasons why we pray for the dead. It tells us something about ourselves as men and women made in the image of God, God's children who wish what God wishes: that no one be lost, that all be redeemed.

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A Word From Pope Francis

Jesus did not say: "One of you go," but "All of you go": we are sent together. Dear young friends, be aware of the companionship of the whole Church and also the communion of the saints on this mission.... Jesus did not call the Apostles to live in isolation, he called them to form a group, a community.

—Homily at annual World Youth Day, July 28, 2013