# All Saints Roman Catholic Church

OCTOBER 15, 2023

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#### Mass Times:

Daily at 8:00 AM as scheduled (See schedule on next page) Saturday Vigil at 4:30 PM Sunday at 9:00 AM Holy Days at 8:00 AM and 7:00 PM

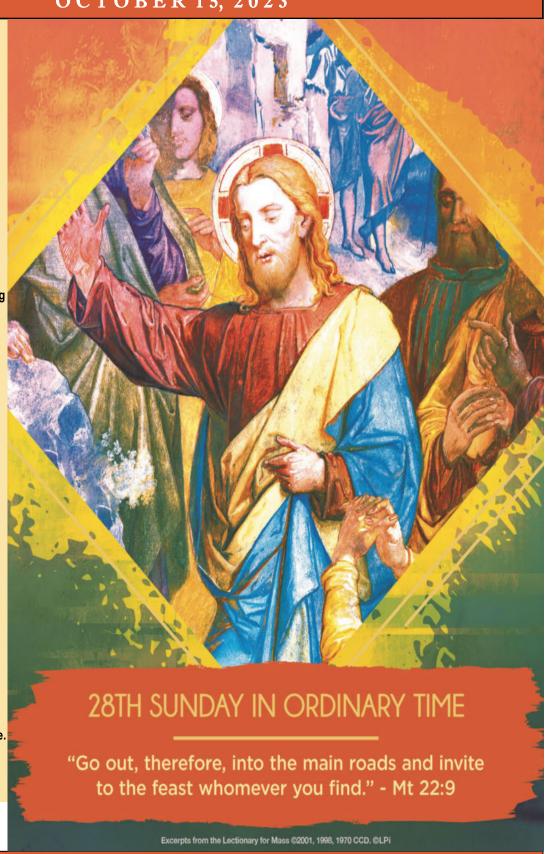
Confessions: Saturday 3:30-4:00 PM or by appointment

Office Hours: 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri.

Parish Registration Forms are available on the bulletin board in the gathering space or on the website.

**Bulletin deadline:** 10:00 AM Mondays, in writing, please.





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ALL SAINTS PARISH WATERFORD, PA



#### October 14, 2023 – October 22, 2023

| Sat. 10/14  | 4:30 PM | For the People                   |
|-------------|---------|----------------------------------|
|             |         | of All Saints Parish             |
| Sun. 10/15  | 9:00 AM | Tom Berdis Sr.                   |
|             |         | (Kevin and Sue Berdis Family)    |
| Mon. 10/16  | 8:00 AM | Leon Muroski                     |
|             |         | (Frank and Darlene Wisniewski)   |
| Tues. 10/17 | 8:00 AM | For health for Marlene Kuzma     |
|             |         | (Joe and Roberta Kuzma)          |
| Wed. 10/18  | NO Mass |                                  |
| Thur. 10/19 | 8:00 AM | For Vocations to the Priesthood, |
|             |         | Diaconate, and Religious Life    |
| Fri. 10/20  | 8:00 AM | Father's Day Remembrance         |
| Sat. 10/21  | 4:30 PM | Jerry Damond                     |
|             |         | (Mary Ellen Damond)              |
| Sun. 10/22  | 9:00 AM | For the People                   |
|             |         | of All Saints Parish             |



#### The Sanctuary Candle burns this week In loving memory of Frank Seneca



Grecia Cuellar, Cindy Welka, Donna Welka, Xavier Dombkowski, Janet M., Dave P., Betty Jones, Casen Hall, Marlene Kuzma, Carol Gradler, Christine Walsh, Dean Haupt, Sandy Williams, Fr. John Moineau,

David S., Margaret, Bob Fontanese, Jeannette Briggs, Rick Krol, Barb Englert, Rita Bidwell, Deacon Bill & Debbie Spinks, Dan McAraw (To add or delete from the list you may call the parish office 814-796-3023)

For those serving our country: Cadet Alexis Johnson, Army; PFC Matthew R. Johnson, USMC; Garrett Dahn, Navy; Paul Scott, Army; Rebeckah DelSignore, Airforce; Anthony DelSignore; AT2 (AW) Quentin Maynard; AE1 (AW) Lonnie Maynard; Cortlen Surrena, Army; Commander Michael T. McAraw; Violet Brashier, Coast Guard; Ben Krumpe, Air Force; Sam Riley, Army; Keith Riley, Army; Autumn and Jason Ayers; Sarah Manross; Lucas Loggins, Army; Zane Loggins, Army; CPL Luke Davis, Army National Guard (Call Pam McAraw, 814-397-1490)

#### QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

#### FIRST READING IS 25:6-10a

The prophet Isaiah speaks of a future when God will be fully present, and we will experience complete joy. What gives you hope for the future?

#### SECOND READING PHIL 4:12-14, 19-20

Paul shares with the Philippians that regardless of his circumstances, he has learned to draw strength and gratitude from his faith in Jesus. How does your faith sustain you in good times and bad times?

#### **GOSPEL READING MT 22:1-14**

Jesus's parable of the wedding feast offers a warning to be open to God's invitation to answer His call. How do you stay open to God's presence in your life? ©LPi



#### LIVE THE LITURGY INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

The goodness and mercy of God are gifts He wants to share with each one of us, but we have to be ready to receive them. Let's be prepared for whatever the Lord will ask of us this week.



"Man should tremble, the world should quake, all Heaven should be deeply moved when the Son of God appears on the altar in the hands of the priest.

After his Resurrection, Jesus approaches two despairing disciples on the road to Emmaus. After encountering them, he reminds them, "Oh, how foolish you are! How slow of heart to believe all that the prophets spoke!" (Lk 24:25). Then, he interprets the Scriptures, explaining to them how the Prophets had foretold the Messiah's suffering and how it would lead to him entering into glory. Their hearts burned within them while he spoke, but they did not recognize him until "he took bread, said the blessing, broke it, and gave it to them" (Lk 24:30).

For us, too, the Eucharist makes us capable of seeing and believing in our Resurrected Lord (cf. Desiderio Desideravi, no. 7). Through the Liturgy, we are guaranteed an encounter with Jesus. "Christian faith is either an encounter with him alive, or it does not exist" (Desiderio Desideravi, no. 10). Thus, "we have become sharers of God's inmost life" (Sacramentum Caritatis, no. 8) invited into the "perfect communion of love between the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit" (ibid.).

All members of the Church—ordained ministers and the faithful—enter into and should be formed by the Liturgy. "We are required every day to rediscover the beauty of the truth of the Christian celebration" (Desiderio Desideravi, no. 21). "Efforts must also be made to encourage a sense of community within the parish, above all in the common celebration of the Sunday Mass" (Sacrosanctum Concilium, no. 42). The beauty of the Liturgy should engender in us wonder, which leads us to adoration.

#### **Cybersecurity Awareness Month**

The IT office at the Diocese of Erie would like to make you aware that October is Cybersecurity Awareness Month. Week two: Ransomware can make even the most hardened IT professionals shake in their boots. That's why we need your help to keep malicious people from locking out our network. For Cybersecurity Awareness Month, we're sharing a short training course that explains the basics of ransomware, the different methods used to infect a machine, and how hackers trick unsuspecting users into downloading infected files. Learn more here: https://www.eriercd.org/ncsm.html.



All Saints Parish **Faith Formation Leader** Maria Burkley (814)969-2868 (call or text) **Email:** mariaburklev@allsaintsrcc.org

#### FAITH FORMATION SCHEDULE

Sunday, Oct. 15, 10:00 AM Gr. Pre/K-5 Wednesday, Oct. 18, 6:30 PM Gr. 6-7-8 EDGE Wednesday, Oct. 18, 6:30 PM Gr. 9 PURPOSE Sunday, Oct. 8, 10:00 AM Gr. Pre/K-5

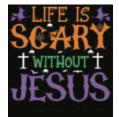
Our safety in-service for grades 6-9 will be held on

Wednesday, 10/18; and for grades Preschool -5th on Sunday, 10/22. If you do not want your child(ren) to participate, please notify Maria in writing. Otherwise, please do your best to

be sure of having your child(ren) arrive on time. Thank you!

#### October events!!

Saturday, 10/21, we will have a Middle School Halloween party in the social hall from 6:00-9:00 PM. (any non-parishioners will need a parent permission form)



Saturday, 10/28, we will have Trunk or Treat from 10am-Noon in the church parking lot, rain or shine! ALL parishioners are welcome to decorate the trunk of their vehicle in the parking lot and hand out treats to be a part of Trunk or Treat!

Registration is free for these events, and open to all, but you need to sign up! The links are available on our website www.allsaintsrcc.org or contact Maria Burkley.



🍖 🎆 Children's Liturgy of the Word Children's during the 9 AM Mass.

#### A Family Perspective

Today's gospel speaks about "unworthy wedding guests." What makes a "worthy" guest? Presence and presents are not enough. The greatest gift we can give is support to the couple as they voyage through life together because marriage naturally contains within it the fields of disappointment. Think of the weddings you have attended. Have you been a "worthy guest?"

Our Lady of Mount Carmel Ladies' Guild will hold its Annual Fall Luncheon and Auction on Sunday, October 22 from 1-4 pm at Scheffner Hall, 1531 East Grandview **Blvd.** Tickets are \$10.00 and include a delicious lunch. Also on tap – a Basket & Gift Card Auction (100+ items), Dessert Auction, tip boards, and a 50/50 drawing. Reserve a table for your group today! For tickets or more information, call Michele at \$14-602-8107.

#### THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH:

Sunday, 10/15 9:00 AM Mass

10:00 AM Faith Formation Pre/K—Gr.5 Sunday, 10/15

Wednesday, 10/18 NO Mass

Wednesday, 10/18 6:30 PM Faith Formation EDGE/PURPOSE

Thursday, 10/19 1:00 PM Companions on the Journey Thursday, 10/19 7:00 PM Safety Council Meeting

Saturday, 10/21 4:30 PM Mass

Saturday, 10/21 6:00 PM Middle School Halloween Party

#### The WEEKLY collection for October 8, 2023

was \$1,742 from envelopes and \$1,521 from online giving for a total of \$3,263.

Next weekend, we will unite with the global Church in celebrating World Mission Sunday. This year, Pope Francis illuminates our path with the theme: "Hearts on fire, feet on the move." As we prepare to observe this special day, we are reminded to ignite our hearts with Christ's love and extend that warmth to the most vulnerable corners of our world. Your fervent prayers and upcoming generosity in the collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith will bolster the missionaries working in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and certain regions of Latin America and Europe. Let us come together to support them in their mission of love and service. Thank you!

The All Saints Safety Council is looking for additional members. The Safety Council's mission is to keep the All Saints community safe in the event of an emergency situation. The Safety Council formulates response procedures that address various emergency situations. The next meeting will take place on Thursday, October 19th at 7:00 PM.

#### SHARE YOUR NATIVITIES!

The All Saints Ladies Society will host "No Room at the Inn" a collection of nativity scenes borrowed from the members of our parish and their families. This will take place on December 2 & 3. More information coming soon!

#### St. Boniface Pork & Kraut Dinner

Our proposed partners, St. Boniface Parish, 9367 Wattsburg Rd. are having their Fall Festival on Sunday, November 5, from 11 AM to 4 PM. Dinner prices are Adult \$15, children under 12 \$7, Family of 2 Adults + 2 Children \$50. Free admission to the Festival which includes Music, \$1,000 Raffle, Basket Raffle, Country Cupboard, Bake Sale + more. A portion of proceeds benefit St. Patrick's Haven.

#### **Fall Adult Education Class**

St. Peter Cathedral, Erie. October 18 & 25 and November 8 & 15 in Synod Hall. All are welcome to attend. Questions? faith@stpetercathedral.com. See flyer on bulletin board.

Readings for next Sunday, October 22, 2023 IS 45:1, 4-6; PS 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-10; 1 Thes 1:1-5b; MT 22:15-21



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So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal.

Corinthians 4:18

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