

ST. ANTHONY CHURCH

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OCTOBER 20, 2024 | 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

REFLECTIONS

From a young age, I loved winning at sports. I confess that winning was a bit of an addiction. It was probably coming from a deep desire for attention and affirmation from others. Nevertheless, it was a driving motivation for me. Baseball, soccer, track, table tennis, and whatever else I could find was a chance to win. Competition was my obsession.

Another John, and his brother James, demonstrate a kind of wildly competitive obsession when they dare to say to Jesus: **“Grant us to sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your glory”** (Mark 10:37). Their audacity arouses an indignant reaction from the other apostles, who are clearly raw that these two are out to win the highest spots.

How does Jesus respond to us in our desires for greatness? The same way he does to James and John. He does not criticize them for their desire for glory. But he does highlight their ignorance (**“you do not know what you are asking.”**). Then he invites them to be champions of true greatness: by drinking not the cup of worldly victory, but his cup of self-giving suffering love, to be the **“slave of all.”** The true winners are slaves of love. This week, dare to tell Jesus what your ambitions truly are. Hear him call you to an even greater victory.

— *Father John Muir* ©LPi



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“But it shall not be so among you. Rather, whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant; whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all. For the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many.” - Mk 10:43-45

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THIS WEEK AT-A-GLANCE

Monday	St. Anthony’s—Lakin
5:00 pm	Rosary & Prayers
5:30 pm	Mass
Tuesday	HPRV
9:30 am	Mass
10:10 am	Communion/Visiting
Wednesday	St. Raphael’s /Syra.
7:30 am (MT)	Rosary
8:00 am (MT)	Mass
Thursday	St. Anthony’s –Lakin
11:00 am	Confessions
11:45 am	Rosary
12:15 pm	Mass

Friday	St. Anthony’s—Lakin
7:00 am	Rosary & Prayers
7:30 am	Mass
8—10:00 am	Eucharistic Adoration & Confessions
Saturday	Lakin
3:50 pm	Confessions
4:00 pm	Mass (St. Anthony)
5:20 pm	Confession (Deerfield)
6:00 pm	Mass (Christ the King)
Sunday	Lakin & Syracuse
8:00 –8:50 am	Confessions
9:00 am	Mass (St. Anthony)
9:50-10:25 am	Confessions
10:30 am (MT)	Mass (St. Raphael)

COLLECTION FOR 10-13-2024

Envelopes: \$610.00
Loose: \$545.00
Online Giving: \$1491.81
Total: \$2,646.81
Average Weekly Expense: 1,761.17
Income over/under +885.64



OFFICE HOUR

T -F 8:00 am -6:00 pm

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DEAR PADRE,

I read about bishops with different titles: coadjutor, auxiliary, ordinary. What is the difference between all of these bishops?

All bishops in the Church are ordained in the same way. Bishops are the only people who can ordain other people in the Church. Bishops also have authority regarding Church matters. A bishop who is the ordinary of a diocese is the head of that diocese. He has the authority to guide and direct matters in the diocese. Like all other bishops, he has the responsibility to teach and preach in the name of the Church. A bishop who is an auxiliary is assigned to help the ordinary of the diocese. His responsibilities are given to him by the ordinary. In most circumstances, the auxiliary will help in the administration of the diocese and celebrate the sacraments within the diocese. A coadjutor bishop is assigned to aid the ordinary of the diocese. He usually has the right to succeed the ordinary once he retires or dies in office. In some circumstances, coadjutor bishops may be given authority



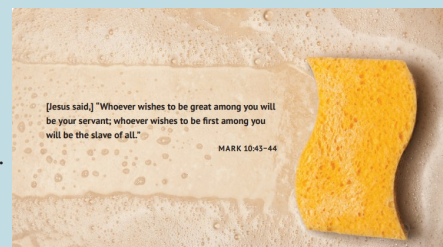
LIKE A SPONGE

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

If I hit you and you hit me back, I may very well hit you again, this time harder. If you decide to hit me back harder as well, I may pull out my knife from fear and for self-defense. That may cause you to pull out your knife, thereby moving me to arm myself with a gun, which then compels you to do likewise. And thus, the evil escalates. If, however, when I hit you the first time, you do not retaliate by hitting me, the evil ends. It is absorbed by you, and life is better because of your decision.

It was Daniel Berrigan who noted that the role of the Christian is to absorb evil. When we absorb someone else's evil, when it ends with us, we literally save that person from embodying more evil. In effect, we ransom that person by our own suffering. "For the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many" (Mark 10:45). In other words, we can be most like Jesus when we feel we are being used or abused, yet do not retaliate in kind.

In all such instances, it is not a matter of allowing someone to pummel and eviscerate our bodies and spirits. It is not about being defenseless. It is not a matter of refusing to resist. It is about resisting in a way that will not create greater violence and evil. It is the way of Christ.



Readings for the week of October 20, 2024

Sunday: Is 53:10-11/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22, (22)/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45
Monday: Eph 2:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5/Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday: Eph 2:12-22/Ps 85:9ab-10, 11-12, 13-14/Lk 12:35-38
Wednesday: Eph 3:2-12/Ps 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6/Lk 12:39-48
Thursday: Eph 3:14-21/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19/Lk 12:49-53
Friday: Eph 4:1-6/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 12:54-59
Saturday: Eph 4:7-16/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5/Lk 13:1-9
Next Sunday: Jer 31:7-9/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 (3)/Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-52

Observances for the week of October 20, 2024

Sunday: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Mission Sunday
Monday:
Tuesday: St. John Paul II, Pope
Wednesday: St. John of Capistrano, Priest
Thursday: St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop
Friday:
Saturday:
Next Sunday: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

Looking at my life right now, how is Jesus summoning me? How can I be of service in my family, my parish, my community?

PREGUNTA DE LA SEMANA

Si me fijo en mi vida en este preciso momento, ¿de qué manera me está llamando Jesús? ¿De qué manera puedo servir a mi familia, mi parroquia y mi comunidad?

A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

A faith without giving, without gratuitousness, without works of charity makes us sad in the end: just like that man who returned home "sorrowful" with a fallen countenance, even though he had been looked upon with love by Jesus in person. Today we can ask ourselves: "At what point is my faith?"

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GRAB YOUR ROSARY'S AND
PLEASE JOIN US IN
PRAYING THE ROSARY

**30 MINUTES BEFORE
EVERY MASS.
THE LORD LOVES TO
HEAR YOUR PRAYERS.**



Saturdays—3:30 pm; Sundays—8:30 am

**Mondays—5:00 pm; Thursdays—11:45 am;
Fridays—7:00 am**

UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS

Oct. 16, 23, 30, 6:30 pm CCD Classes
Oct. 27 Parish Breakfast

NEEDING TO KNOW MORE ABOUT YOUR FAITH?

You are invited to come to the parish hall next Tuesday October 29 from 6-8 pm for "Tuesdays with the Diocese." Father Robert Schremmer will be the speaker. He will interview guest speakers who will share their experiences on accompanying the sick and elderly.



Prayer of Reliance on God

Oh Lord, I entrust today's challenges, fears, and uncertainties to You. I don't know how I will do them. I don't know that I can. But I know that You fill the gaps in my ability at every turn.



Every Wednesday evening from 6 to 7:25 pm you are invited to come into the church while your children are in class for spending time with the Lord or talking to him during the adoration. This time in prayer will bring many blessings to you and your family.

Todos los miércoles estás invitado a venir a la iglesia mientras tus hijos están en clase para pasar tiempo con el Señor o hablar con él durante la adoración. Este tiempo de oración traerá muchas bendiciones para ti y tu familia.

The Lord is always waiting to help us. Bring your sorrows and joys to the one who loves us the most. Please join us!

El Señor siempre está esperando para ayudarnos. Trae tus penas y alegrías a quien más nos ama. Únanse a nosotros.

20 de octubre de 2024

Ciertamente que en el evangelio de hoy se pasaron de listos los discípulos Santiago y Juan. Ya que le pidieron a Jesús algo que causó enojo en el resto del grupo de los doce. Y no pedían poca cosa, nada más y nada menos que sentarse a la derecha de Jesús, cuando estuviera en su gloria. De hecho, no sabían lo que pedían, ni siquiera imaginaban que para ello se tiene que servir y trabajar duro en cuestión del discipulado. Sin embargo, hay que entenderlos desde un punto de vista muy humano, pretender grandezas y buenos puestos nos gusta a todos. Y más si no implica sacrificio alguno.

Jesús deja muy claro lo que significa seguirlo y desear estar en primer lugar: *"El que quiera ser el más importante entre ustedes, debe hacerse el servidor de todos. Y el que quiera ser el primero, se hará esclavo de todos"* (Marcos 10: 43-44). Es decir, no oprimir a los demás como si fuesen sus dueños, no imponer sus ideas, ni sus condiciones de opresión. Para que quede más claro aún, la ley del Reino de Dios es el sufrimiento y el servicio a los que nos rodean. ¿Crees esto? ¿Te atreverías pedirle a Jesús sentarte a su lado sin hacer nada por los demás? Reflexiona en tu vida actualmente, no corras el riesgo de extraviarte en bagatelas por los caminos de la vida.

Si escuchas los consejos de Jesús a sus discípulos de aquel entonces, verás que son los mismos para nosotros ahora. Servir y amar sin condiciones, dar la vida en el día a día con alegría, dejando el perfume de Cristo a nuestro paso. ©LPi

KNIGHTS NEWS

Any Catholic men who would like to be a K of C member please contact Tom Bachman—640-8259. We held meeting on every first Wednesday, except during Summer to build up brotherhood and help each other to grow in Catholic faith.

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PARISH STAFF

Pastor: Fr. Peter Tran	355-6405
Rel.Edu. Committee: Karen Burden,	355-6388
DRE: Lisa Gannett	272-6866
Parish C. Chair: Gwen Waechter	272-1030
Finance C. Chair: Tressa Powers	355-6206
Altar S. President: Nanette Rice	355-7676
Grand Knight: Tom Bachman	640-8259
Prayer Line Starters: Allison Bushek	355-1696
& Nanette Rice	355-7676
Vocation Team: Nanette & Sandra	355-7676

Question: Is Halloween a pagan holiday or a Catholic one?

Answer: The short answer: nowadays, a little bit of both. But it wasn't always that way. Halloween and All Saints' Day are closely connected. In the 800s, the Catholic Church began celebrating All Saints' Day. It was originally called All Hallows' Day or Hallowmas. The celebration began early on All Hallows' Eve. But if Halloween is really about the saints in all their victorious glory, where do we get haunted houses, costumes, and pranks? All Saints' Day became associated with the other deceased rather quickly. November 2nd is All Souls Day, where we pray for the souls in purgatory. Throughout the European world, especially with the Celtic and Germanic peoples, the dead were honored in the autumn months. The Celtic pagan celebration of Samhain had its own folk rituals and occurred around the same time as these Catholic feast days. Within the last few hundred years, this included dressing in disguise and going door to door, asking for food in exchange for a rhyme or poem. Some people masqueraded as "dark" spirits and pulled pranks on others. Today's celebration of Halloween tends to take on these later practices, rather than the original meaning of celebrating the saints. But remember ... this feast was Catholic first! ©LPi



MASS INTENTIONS



Mon, Oct 21	5:30 pm	Richard Randolph
Tue, Oct 22	9:30 am	Pastor's Intention
Wed, Oct 23	8:00 am	St. Raphael's
Thurs, Oct 24	12:15 pm	Pastor's Intention
Fri, Oct 25	7:30 am	Pastor's Intention
Sat, Oct 26	4:00 pm	Pastor's Intention
Sun, Oct 27	9:00 am	For the People-Parishes

MINISTERS FOR THIS/NEXT WEEK 29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10/19/2024 - Saturday, 4: 00 p.m.

Servers: Gus, Jonathan & Nathan Gannett

Reader: Karen Burden

Extra Ordinary of HC: Tino Rosales Jr., Karen Burden

10/20/2024—Sunday, 9:00 a.m.

Servers: Haley Berning, Jace Berning, Luke Woodrow

Reader: Mike Broeckelman

Extra Ordinary of HC: Robert Longoria, Kyle Berning

30th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10/26/2024 - Saturday, 4: 00 p.m.

Servers: Ryann & Brecken Bamberger, Rowen Simon

Reader: Tom Bachman

Extra Ordinary of HC: Rosemary & Tom Bachman

10/27/2024—Sunday, 9:00 a.m.

Servers: Kirbe & Kipton Koons, Joleigh Lohman-Fuller

Reader: Hannah Schauf

Extra Ordinary of HC: Del & Julia Kaps

Reconciliation:

Confessions are heard every Saturday at 3:00 pm and every Sunday at 8:00

Baptism:

Parents who have children to be baptized must be registered. Please call the parish office for an appointment.

Marriage:

Please contact parish priest at least four months before the wedding.

Anointing the sick:

Celebrated anytime by calling a priest.

