

~Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time ~

The OLM Staff would like to wish every one a safe & prayerful Happy Thanksgiving!



Church office closed November 23 & 24, 2017 for Thanksgiving.

All Souls Remembrance Cards

Please pick up your All Souls Remembrance Cards from the back of the church and place them in the collection basket as soon as possible. We will keep them on the altar & pray for these souls during November.

Thanksgiving Day Mass is at 8:15 AM. Thanksgiving is 1 of the 4 ways of talking to God. Whether public or private, we offer thanks to God for whatever personal experiences we have received from his goodness. In the Mass on Thanksgiving Day, the prayers & preface interpret the American understanding of this celebration. The biblical readings are appropriate to the theme of Thanksgiving.

Thanksgiving is the 3rd of 4 possible ways of talking to God. As such, it follows our first adoring God & then being sorry for the sins that we commit. Upon sufficient reflection spent in adoration & contrition, we are then disposed to thank God for creating us, keeping us in existence, & the gifts & traits that he gives us. After thanksgiving, we are ready, ever so humbly, to ask God in supplication for various favors. The secular feast of Thanksgiving Day is then situated in the context of these 4 ways of communicating with God. In this way, we not only thank God for the food of the holiday itself but for our life & everything else that God gives us.

Thanksgiving Day, November 23

On the 4th Thursday of November, Americans celebrate God's multitudinous gifts to us – country, bounty, peace, & all manner of gifts.

Christ the King, November 26

This feast is on the last Sunday of the Liturgical Year, the Sunday before Advent. We celebrate Jesus' Kingship. He was anointed by the Father with the oil of gladness as the Eternal Priest & Universal King. As Priest, He offered his life on the altar of the cross & redeemed the human race by this 1 perfect sacrifice of peace. As King, He claims dominion over all creation that He may present to the Almighty Father a kingdom of truth & life, a kingdom of holiness & grace, a kingdom of justice, love, & peace.

**Catholic Social Services of Montgomery
Part-time Emergency Assistance Case Worker
Job Description Major Objective:**

Interview and assess individuals and families to determine eligibility for emergency assistance utilizing a agency resources or by making appropriate referrals to other community, state, and federal agencies.

Position Reports to: Emergency Assistance Program Manager



Qualifications: Bachelor's Degree in the field of social science or education. Candidate must possess above-average communication skills. Must have a valid Alabama driver's License and have personal automobile insurance coverage. Travel within Montgomery County may be required. Candidate must successfully complete the Archdiocesan Child Protection Training and background check. Please send your resumes to Deacon Raymond **Gueret** at director@cssalabama.org or mail it to Catholic Social Services of Montgomery, 4455 Narrow Lane Road, Montgomery, AL 36116

HOLY HOUR FOR OUR COUNTRY Join us every Tuesday at 7 PM for a Holy Hour at St. Peter's Church in which we will pray for our country. (Please note, this is not intended to be a substitute for those who are committed to a holy hour at the Adoration Chapel). In the Holy Hour, we will pray a Litany of Saints from America, invoke the intercession of the Guardian Angel of America, and other prayers.

DEAD THEOLOGIANS SOCIETY Every fourth Monday of the month, the Dead Theologians Society will meet at 7 PM in the St. Peter's Parish Hall to discuss various readings from Church Fathers, theologians, and other ecclesiastical writers. The readings may be picked up in the vestibule or can be emailed; if you prefer email copies. Please sign up in the vestibule.

Director of Admissions: Montgomery Catholic Preparatory School is seeking a full-time Director of Admissions to work with the President, Principals and Advancement Team in leading student enrollment management initiatives and to work as part of the comprehensive development/institutional advancement program for the school. The Director of Admissions will be responsible for the planning, coordination, implementation and program evaluation necessary to carry out initiatives for student recruitment, admissions, registration and student retention of all campus. Applications will be accepted October 23 - November 10, 2017. Qualified applicants should email their resume and a completed application to [Anne Cesar, President at annecesar@montgomerycatholic.org](mailto:Anne.Cesar@montgomerycatholic.org). Applications and a full job description are available on-line at www.montgomerycatholic.org/employment

Sunday, November 19, 2017

	<u>November 19</u>	<u>November 26</u>	
<u>Ushers</u>	10:00 AM Ken Hutchinson Bobby Spotswood Open Open	Bennie Ryan Steve Smejkal Open Open	
<u>Rosary</u>	Dawn & Jamie Damato	Mary Ann Gould	
<u>Lectors</u>	10:00AM Dawn & Jamie Damato	Tom & Cindy Somerville	

Please pray for:

Anna Strickland	Gladys Bracken	Dana Libby
Jane Bruton	Ed & Loretta Martin	Cal Libby
Shannon Young	Kathleen Faulkner	Helen Rayburn
Clarice Goodin	Tom Somerville	Jim & Pat Guest
Lesly Somerville Simon	Cammie Moreno Shaddock	

Montgomery Area Adoration Chapel

Call Priscilla Berry, 288-3292.



Adoration Chapel's open hour:

Sun:	12-1 AM, 1-2 AM, 3-4 AM, 9-10 AM.
Mon:	2-3 AM, 3-4 PM.
Tues:	6-7 AM, 12-1 PM.
Wed:	2-3 AM.
Thurs:	9-10 PM.
Sat:	10-11 PM.

Prayer Partners needed:

Sun:	2-3 PM.
Tues.	2-3 PM, 6-7 PM, 7-8 PM.
Fri:	10-11 PM.

Eucharist Ministers:

<u>Nov 19</u>	<u>Nov 26</u>
10:00, Mary Loftin Mike Kitchens	10:00, Randal & Michelle Beesley
<u>Dec 3</u>	<u>Dec 10</u>
10:00, Daniel Phillips Karen Franklin	10:00, Jamie & Dawn Damato

Weekly Tithing Report:

November 19, 2017

Year's 2017 Budget: \$208,000.00
 Budget to Date: \$184,000.00
 Sun Collections to Date: \$169,191.50
 Sun Collection Last Week: \$2,727.00
 Building the Future: \$125.00

Thank you for your generosity!

"Building a culture of life isn't something we just do one month of the year, or with one event or initiative -- it's essential to who we are. It happens through our daily actions, how we treat one another, and how we live our lives."

Catholic Social Services of Montgomery's Thrift Store is in need of Winter Coats, Winter Clothing, Small Furniture and Household Items... Items that we cannot accept are Mattresses or TV's.

November 26th - NO Food & Fellowship

Water Cooler Catechism

Fr. Pat Driscoll from Holy Spirit Parish & Tom Riello from Montgomery Catholic Prep are on WMGY (800 AM) at 8 AM, Sunday mornings, & online at archangelradio.com & the Archangel Radio app.

Natural Family Planning

In order to help couples live out the Church's beautiful teaching on marriage & family life, the Couple to Couple League offers classes on natural family planning. To find out more info, go to www.ccli.org & search for classes in your ZIP Code. Or, call Brian & Vicki Petters, 334-356-5357.



Biblical reason for wanting to spend 1 hour with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament:

Day & night Jesus dwells in the Blessed Sacrament because of his infinite love for you! "Behold, I will be with you always, even to the end of the world," because "I have loved you with an everlasting love, & constant is my affection for you." (Mt 28:20; Jer 31:3)

Mass Intentions For The Week

Sun, Nov 19	10:00 AM, OLQM Parishioners
Mon, Nov 20	6:30 AM, John Linehardt
Tues, Nov 21	8:15 AM, Terry Barker
Wed, Nov 22	8:15 AM, Garrett Libby (L)
Thurs, Nov 23	8:15 AM Marion Deas
Fri, Nov 24	8:15 AM, Luis Caceres, Jr.
Sat, Nov 25	9:00 AM, (Draper) Julia Loosbrock

Parishioners of OLQM will be leading a rosary before each 10:00 AM mass. The rosary will begin 25 minutes before each regularly scheduled mass. We would like to invite all you to come and pray together with us.



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Catholic News Sources:

EWTN.com; CatholicCulture.org; Catholic World Report.com; www.cardinalnewmansociety.org & USCCB.org (official website of the US bishops)