



33rd

SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"You will be hated by all because of my name,
but not a hair on your head will be destroyed."

- Lk 21:16-18

PADRE'S PONDERINGS

Dear Parishioners,

I want to thank all those who have responded so generously to our **Adopt-a-Family** program at both All Saints and Saint Charles. I know our parishes have been generous with this effort in the past, and that you will not be outdone in generosity this year! And a word of special thanks to all those who have volunteered to help organize this program, and who are helping to get all of the gifts sorted and organized. If you have not yet had a chance to do so, please take a tag (or two) from All Saints or Saint Charles.

I also want to draw attention to the **2019 Operation ROVAC (Remembering Our Veterans at Christmas) Drive**, being sponsored by our Knights of Columbus. This program, too, last year was very successful and I hope it will be again this year. Our veterans are such a treasured part of our national family. What better way for us to thank them for their generous service than by remembering them at Christmas? Please be mindful that the final collection day for new items will be Friday, December 13. There is information about that drive elsewhere in today's bulletin.

In other news, we have accomplished the transition of our **daily Mass community** in All Saints to the Adoration Chapel. This permits for a much more intimate celebration of the Eucharist and will help us save on heating and cooling costs. We did have to purchase some new linens for use in the chapel. Since you were so generous over the summer in donating some much needed liturgical items, I am asking again for your help. **If you would like to make a contribution in memory of a loved one, or purchase the new set of altar cloths for the chapel in honor of a deceased family member, please contact the rectory or speak to me after Mass.** Thank you in advance for your generosity.

Last Sunday, Deacon Jose, Fr. Sweet, Lakesha and I met with the **leaders of the various ministries from our Spanish-speaking community**. It seems that after much study, discussion and prayer, after many years of calling All Saints home, our Spanish-speaking community will be relocating to another parish. We are planning for that transition to be completed by January. This move will truly enable the Spanish-speaking community to have access to the pastoral care they need and will help them continue to grow. I want you all to know just how much the Spanish-speaking community has contributed to our parish over the years. They will be greatly missed. Their generosity of spirit, their talent, their enthusiasm, their joy-filled faith, and so much

more will be a loss to our community. But this move is truly the best thing for them.

Speaking of transitions and changes, I have spent a lot of time talking to **members of Saint Charles** over the last few weeks. I know that this is a sad and difficult process for everyone. I have said it many times and will say it again, I don't pretend to know what those of you who have strong ties to this community are going through. It is truly like a death, and death is always accompanied by grief. I just want to encourage those who remain to finish strong! We have such a rich legacy of faith and service, and that legacy deserves to be celebrated and commemorated up until the very end. Let's rally for a strong finish! We don't want to limp to the finish line but run through the tape! Thank you to all those who continue to come, who continue to give, who continue to volunteer, who continue to care. Your witness is so deeply appreciated.

Please take a look at the upcoming events in both of our parish communities and plan on attending, especially our **Thanksgiving events!**

Until next week,

Fr. Joe

TOY DRIVE

Co-sponsored by the family of the late
Ron Auger
&
Woonsocket Police Department
Knights of Columbus Council 113

All Saints Church Hall
323 Rathbun Street Woonsocket
Saturday, November 30, 2019
10 AM - 2 PM

Food - Raffles - Meet Santa from 11 AM to 1 PM!
Bring an Unwrapped Toy or Make a Donation

All proceeds will be donated to Children living in the
Woonsocket Area
Questions Call Chris: 401-465-8437

ADOPT-A-FAMILY

A reminder that all presents need to be returned to church next weekend, November 23rd and 24th. Over 200 tags were hung on the garland. I want to thank everyone who has participated and already returned their presents to church. If you have forgotten your present at home, please call Lucille Jarret at 508-883-4833, to make special arrangements. No presents can be accepted late because the Adopt-A-Family program has a preset schedule that must be adhered to. Thank you once again for your generosity this "Christ"mas season.

THANK YOU

Rev. Robert P. Perron, from the office of The Society for the Propagation of the Faith, would like to thank the parishioners of All Saints Parish for the generous donations of \$1,111.00 for the "Extraordinary Mission October 2019." From Rev. Perron: "Please offer them our sincere gratitude for the great generosity that they had in this collection, on behalf of the missionaries around the world."

MOTHER OF LIFE ROSE SALE

We are very grateful to the Parishioners of All Saints Church who helped us raise \$500 in support of the Mother of Life Pregnancy Center's Fall Rose Sale. Thank you for sharing in the mission of the center through your prayers and charitable assistance, and for participating in helping women choose life. Because of your generosity we continue our mission of protecting precious lives. We pray for you daily in our chapel. Thank you for sharing your prayers and financial support of our ministry.



Grades 1-6

Grades 7-8

Class November 17th 11a Class November 19th 7p

NO Class November 24th Happy Thanksgiving!

Family Liturgy: November 17th 10:15am Mass
"Giving Thanks to God"
All grades 1-8 are required to attend



DAILY MASS ANNOUNCEMENT

As we stated last week, the 8am Mass on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays in All Saints **is now held in the Adoration Chapel** until further notice. Help us spread the word! The smaller space will permit for a more intimate celebration of the Eucharist and will reduce heating and cooling costs.

WEEKEND FINANCIAL UPDATE

November 10th, 2019

All Saints

Sunday Collection: **\$3,472**

Fuel: **\$1,572**

St. Charles

Sunday Collection: **\$1,026**

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, November 16th

4:00: (SC) Normand Champagne, *14th anniversary, by Molly & Don Burke*

4:00: (AS) Celeste Jalette, *by Renaud Family*

Sunday, November 17th

7:30: Pierre Aucoin, *by Beverly Aucoin*

9:00: Parishioners of St. Charles

10:15: Jeff Henault, *by a friend*

Monday, November 18th - All Saints

8:00: Ludovic Levreault, *by family*

Tuesday, November 19th - St. Charles

9:00: Edward & Mary McCarthy, *by family*

Wednesday, November 20th - St. Charles

9:00: Wally Evans, *by Brother Donald*

Thursday November 21st - All Saints

8:00: Louis & Gertrude Martinelle, *by family*

Friday, November 22nd - All Saints - Holy Day

8:00: Omer & Beatrice Jolicoeur, *by Gerard Martel*

Saturday, November 23rd

4:00: (SC) Parishioners of St. Charles

4:00: (AS) Jean Paul Perreault, *1st anniversary, by Pauline & Family*

(AS) Emma Dussault, *birthday remembrance, by Denise & Larry Leduc*

Sunday, November 24th

7:30: M/M Herve Bibeault, *by Arline & Roger*

9:00: Elizabeth & Octave Bousquet, *by family*

10:15: Charles E. Blanchette, *by family*

Estimados miembros de la comunidad hispana:

Una de las grandes alegrías de mi tiempo aquí en Todos los Santos ha sido ministrarte y conocerte. ¡Tu comunidad es de fe vibrante y alegría santa! Gracias por todo lo que hace fielmente por nuestra comunidad parroquial. Como administrador temporal aquí, ha sido mi tarea evaluar cuáles son las necesidades de su comunidad y cuál es la mejor manera de satisfacerlas. Las dos cosas que decidí hacer cuando conocí mejor a su comunidad fueron las siguientes: (1) Asegurarme de que tuviera un cuidado pastoral estable y accesible de un sacerdote que pudiera atenderlo en su propio idioma y (2) Proporcionar un hogar parroquial estable para apoyar a su comunidad. Por desgracia, no soy el cura, que será capaz de proporcionar el mejor cuidado para ustedes y La parroquia de Todos los Santos ya no es una que puede proporcionar un hogar estable en el futuro previsible. Su comunidad necesita un sacerdote de habla hispana y una parroquia que sea financieramente estable para que su comunidad pueda seguir creciendo y prosperando. El domingo pasado, yo, junto con el diácono José, P. Sweet y Lakesha, nos reunimos con algunos de los líderes de su comunidad. Hemos discutido la situación con honestidad, la claridad y la transparencia. Todos hemos estado de acuerdo, incluso el P. Nolasco y Silvio Cuellar, que el mejor arreglo es reubicar su comunidad a un nuevo hogar en Holy Trinity, donde el P. Sweet y su parroquia te darán una cálida bienvenida y continuarán beneficiándose de los muchos regalos que traes. Esperamos completar esta transición en enero. Sé que este movimiento no fue planeado, a pesar de que se discutió en el pasado, y puede ser una sorpresa. Pero le pido que recuerde que las personas a quienes se ha encomendado su comunidad realmente creen, después de mucha discusión y oración al Espíritu Santo, que este es el mejor movimiento para estabilizar su comunidad y ayudarlo a continuar creciendo. Aliéntense unos a otros en este proceso. Si bien Todos los Santos ha sido su hogar, y nunca es fácil mudarse, todavía es una familia. Quiero que pienses en este proceso como un movimiento que cualquier familia haría de un hogar a otro. Todos los enlaces y conexiones que ha formado, todo el trabajo bueno que está haciendo, todos los ministerios que tiene, todo lo que hace que una familia, viajará con usted a su nuevo hogar. Nada de eso se perderá. El edificio será diferente, pero mientras la familia permanezca unida, no se pierde nada. Entonces, por favor, permanezcamos juntos como familia durante este proceso. Llegar a los líderes de nuestra comunidad si tiene alguna pregunta o inquietud. Cada uno de ustedes es importante para esta comunidad, cada uno de ustedes es valorado y necesitamos que todos y cada uno de ustedes ayuden a nuestra familia a hacer

esta transición a nuestro nuevo hogar. Reza a Nuestra Santa Madre, también. Ella nos ayudará en este proceso. En enero, el Diácono José y yo dirigiremos nuestra comunidad en oración con la Virgen de Guadalupe. Luego, traeremos su imagen que ha colgado en Todos los Santos, con nosotros a Holy Trinity, donde el P. Sweet y su comunidad nos darán la bienvenida a nuestro nuevo hogar y entronizarán a Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe allí. Ella nos guiará, ella va a caminar con nosotros, que nos animará. Entonces, por favor, comprenda que este es un movimiento bueno y necesario, que fortalecerá a su comunidad. ¡Pero debemos permanecer juntos como una familia! Vamos a orar unos por otros y por favor, llegar a mí o Diácono José o Lakesha si tiene alguna pregunta o inquietud.

¡Gracias por tu fe, tu amor y tu esperanza!

P. Joe

Las lecturas de la semana del 17 de Noviembre de 2019

Domingo:	Mal 3, 19-20/Sal 98, 5-6. 7-8. 9 [cfr. 9]/2 Tes 3, 7-12/Lc 21, 5-19
Lunes:	1 Mac 1, 10-15. 41-43. 54-57. 62-63/Sal 119, 53. 61. 134. 155. 158 [cfr. 88]/Lc 18, 35-43
Martes:	2 Mac 6, 18-31/Sal 3, 2-3. 4-5. 6-7 [6]/Lc 19, 1-10
Miércoles:	2 Mac 7, 1. 20-31/Sal 17, 1. 5-6. 8 y 15 [15]/Lc 19, 11- 28
Jueves:	1 Mac 2, 15-29/Sal 50, 1-2. 5-6. 14-15 [23]/Lc 19, 41- 44
Viernes:	1 Mac 4, 36-37. 52-59/1 Crn 29, 10. 11. 11-12. 12 [13]/Lc 19, 45-48
Sábado:	1 Mac 6, 1-13/Sal 9, 2-3. 4 y 6. 16 y 19 [cfr. 16]/Lc 20, 27-40



Grados 1-6

Nov. 17@10:15am
**Family Liturgy and 11am
Class**

Dec. 1 @10:15am **Family
Liturgy and 11am Class**

Dec. 8 11am

Grados 7-8

Nov. 17@10:15am
Family Liturgy

Nov. 19@7pm

Dec. 1 @10:15am **Family
Liturgy**

WELCOME!

No matter what your present status is in the Catholic Church,
No matter your current family or marital status,
No matter your personal history, age, income, background, gender, race, ethnicity or spirituality,
No matter your self-image of holiness or virtue,
You belong to Jesus Christ and you belong to us!
You are invited, accepted and respected
at All Saints and Saint Charles Borromeo.
We want to share our Roman Catholic way of faith and life in Christ with you!



Our parish communities will be celebrating Thanksgiving in two special ways this year. We invite you to participate in both of these upcoming events. Mark your calendars now!

THANKSGIVING ECUMENICAL PRAYER SERVICE

Sunday, November 24, 2019 at 3pm
Saint Charles Borromeo Church

Join together with other local clergy from the City of Woonsocket to thank God for his many gifts and to invoke his continued blessing over our city. Fr. Kiley, as a native son of Saint Charles, will preside and Fr. Joe will preach.

THANKSGIVING DAY MASS

Thursday, November 28, 2019 at 9am
Saint Charles Borromeo Church
"From Our Table to Yours"

Join our parish communities for the greatest act of thanksgiving, the Eucharist, on Thanksgiving morning. We invite you to bring from your homes food or drink that will be blessed during the Mass and then shared with your loved ones later in the day. A table will be prepared at the front of the church for you to place your own item. It could be a loaf of bread, a side dish, a bottle of wine, a dessert, even a bit of salt and pepper. Bring anything that you will share at your own meal to be blessed and then shared from our table to yours! (Please note that there will be no 8am Mass on Thanksgiving Day in All Saints.)

SAINT CHARLES PARISH: A MORE THAN 170-YEAR LEGACY OF FAITH, SERVICE AND FELLOWSHIP

In this space, we hope to include pictures and memories shared by Saint Charles Parishioners. Thanks to Wayne and Becky Kilcline for sending these along! Email any pictures or memories to Deb at allsaintsrectory2@hotmail.com.



*Fritz Page, Arthur Keegan, Bob Camara
with Our Lady of Fatima, 2007*



*Liz Smith and Fr. Finnegan, First Communion 2010 (above)
First Communion 1980 with Fr. King (below)*

