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Noelmas Schedule & Intentions November 10 - 17

Sunday 22nd Sunday after Pentecost
8:00 am Joseph & Mildred Neisen Family †
10:30 am Pro Populo

Monday St. Martin of Tours, Bishop & Confessor, Comm. St. Menas
12:10 pm Henry Wand †

Tuesday St. Martin I, Pope & Martyr
7:00 am John T. O’Heren †

Wednesday St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin, Comm. St. Didacus
Michael & Leona Metzger Family †
12:10 pm

Thursday St. Josaphat, Bishop & Martyr
12:10 pm Private Intention

Friday St. Albert the Great, Bishop & Martyr
7:00 am Protection of Life from Conception to Natural Death

Saturday St. Gertrude the Great, Virgin
8:00 am Cindy Neisen

Sunday 23rd Sunday after Pentecost
8:00 am The Barton Family
10:30 am Pro Populo

Thank you to everyone who gave up part of their Sunday last week to listen to Fr. Portzer’s plan for our parish. An extra thanks to all of those who helped with setting up and with the clean up afterwards!

Because of the poor audio system in the hall, many people could not hear parts of the presentation. An insert is included with both of the main points. Contact Fr. Portzer with any questions.

ACSA envelopes are available in the vestibule. It is important to make check payable to Annual Catholic Social Services Appeal. Also be sure to write your name and address on envelope, especially if giving cash. The Diocese will record all donations and you will receive a tax deductible year-end statement directly from the Diocese for all donations made to ACSA.

Please contact the parish office with any questions.

Men’s Group meeting November 21
Will gather together at St Rose to pray rosary before the Blessed Sacrament at 6:30 pm. Fr. Portzer will give talk in parish hall beginning at 7:00 pm. Topic of evening is “The Goal of Human Life”. For males ages 16 & up. Contact Mark Rankin 217-224-6904.

Holy Hour for Priests
Fr. Zachary Edgar, of Illinois Veteran’s Home (All Faiths Chapel, 1707 North 12th, Quincy) will officiate at a Holy Hour (Expositions & Benedictions) on Sunday November 17, from 2:00-3:00 pm. Please come pray for Fr. Edgar, your pastor, and the priests who are awaiting our prayers in purgatory. All are welcome. St. Joseph, Faithful Guardian of Carmel Secular Carmelites.

Diocesan Campaign Justice & Hope Collection is November 24. The annual collection makes it possible to provide hope and assistance of food, clothing, housing, education and medication to local people living in poverty. 100% of your contribution stays within our Diocese.

Veterans Day is November 11th
We thank all of those who have served our country in the military and ask God’s blessing upon them and upon their families for the sacrifices they have made.

Inside November Issue of Oremus
Be sure to read article Some Perspective on the Amazon Synod located on page 5. Author speaks very wisely and addresses some concerns of the faithful. In his closing he says, “Well, things are a real mess, but as we’ve seen, messes have come and gone throughout Church history and we continue to come and go even today. While the while sainthood are born and the faith is preserved among the faithful, no matter how many or few. Be faithful and persevere in the Truth!”

Women & Children Beware
The autistic teenage boy, known as “the hugger”, is back. The boy is quite strong and wants to give bear hugs. Last year he got a hold of two parishioners on different days before and after Mass. Most recently he got a hold of a parishioner in the parking lot. It’s been reported that he likes to hug children too. He does live in the neighborhood. Fr. Portzer advises women to get pepper spray. Always be aware of your surroundings and please let the office know immediately if you have any encounters.

Area Events

November 16 Blessed Sacrament Parish Holiday Bazaar 9:00 am to 2:00 pm at the Knights of Columbus on S. 30th, in Quincy

St. Anthony Pancake & Sausage Breakfast
2223 St. Anthony Road, Quincy, IL
Sunday, December 8, 2019 7:30 am - Noon
Adults $8, Children $4 (under 5 free)
Advance Meat Orders: Sausage, Chops, or Ribs $3.50 / $12. Sibs. $20; Cooked links Sibs. (precoked weight) $5. $25
Call orders to 217-257-2108 through 5 p.m., November 30th. No orders accepted after 30th.

K.C. Breakfast is Served!
Serving breakfast every Sunday from 8:30 am to Noon. Featuring Scrambled Eggs, Sausage, Bacon, Ham, Fried Potatoes, Pancakes, Biscuits and Gravy, Fruit Cocktail, Toast, Coffee, Milk and Orange Juice. Adults, $6.99 / Kids 6-12, $3.50 / Kids 5 and under FREE. Come enjoy a good breakfast and support the Knights!