

Pastor

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Mass Times Sunday 9:00 a.m. Monday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. Saturday 8:30 a.m. Saturday 5:30 p.m.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Confessions Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.

Office Hours Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

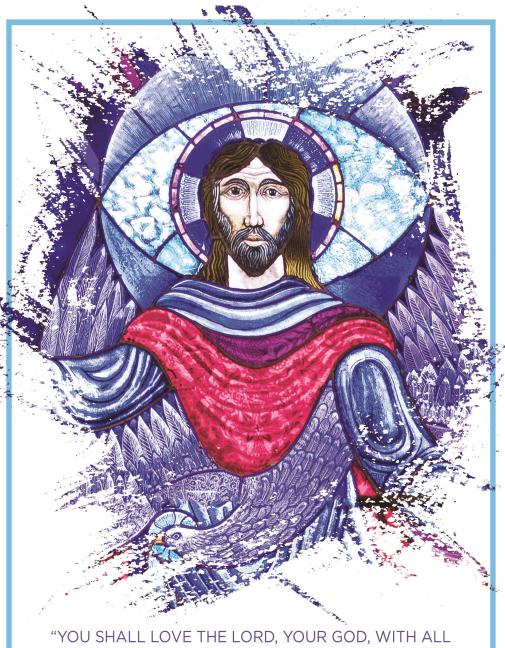
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October 29, 2023



"YOU SHALL LOVE THE LORD, YOUR GOD, WITH ALL YOUR HEART, WITH ALL YOUR SOUL, AND WITH ALL YOUR MIND." — MT 22:37

30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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In the Hospital

If you or someone you know will be going in the hospital please call the office, or have a family member or hospital chaplain call for you. Federal privacy laws prevent hospitals from notifying us.

In Case of Emergency

Please call Fr. Mark's cell phone directly at 770-365-5200 in emergency situations.

Nursery

Sheron Williams is available to provide care for children whose parents wish to drop them off at the nursery before Mass. The nursery is open 8:45 A.M. -10:15 A.M. Please remember that the nursery is open year-year round and is available this summer.

Hot Meals Ministry

Hot Meals Ministry is always in need of more volunteers. Pease consider signing up on SignUpGenius via olmcc.com for a slot anytime from 1:00 P.M. - 3:30 P.M. on Mondays, or you can show up at Shuler Hall to see what it's all about and assist as needed. Thanks to your generous support both physically and financially.

Online Giving

Love, serve, and give generously this fall. Our parish offers Online Giving as an additional option to support our ongoing mission, ministries, and programs. Your generosity and support make our church's work possible! Visit olmcc.com to sign up and get started today. You may also contact the church office if you need with enrollment or have questions.

Schedule Change

There will be no Morning Mass on Thursday, November 9. Rather, Rick Johnson will lead a Communion Service in the chapel at 8:30 A.M.

Pope Francis' October Prayer Intention



For the Synod. We pray for the Church, that she may adopt listening and dialogue as a lifestyle at every level, and allow herself to be guided by the Holy Spirit towards the peripheries of the world.

Mass Intentions

October 28 - People of the Parish October 29 - People of the Parish

Readings for Next Sunday, November 5

First Reading	Malachi 1:14b-2:2b, 8-10
Second Reading	1 Thessalonians 2:7b-9, 13
Gospel	Matthew 23:1-12

The prophet denounces those priests who in their pride have turned away from the Law, causing others to go astray. Jesus, too, is critical of those religious leaders who fail to practice what they preach. All, rather, are called to greatness through humility and service, by sharing their lives with others.



November 2 - Mariel Huelskamp November 3 - Corky Florek November 4 - Gary Mazo November 5 - Julie Baxley

Happy Anniversary!

62 yrs. on November 4 - Lyndia and Dick Crotteau

Men's Bible Study and Dinner

The Men's Group Dinner will be Tuesday, November 7 from 5:30-7:30 P.M. in Shuler Hall. This will be our last First Tuesday dinner until February. All men are invited. The next Men's Bible Study will meet on Tuesday, November 14 at 6:30 A.M. in Shuler Hall.

BLINGO for Babies

Join us for a fun night of BLINGO. Where bling meets bingo! All proceeds from this event benefit the families and children who receive support through the Chattanooga Pregnancy Help Center! For more information or to RSVP, please contact kgomillion@ccetn.org by October 31st! Saint Jude's Seiner Hall, November 7, 2023 - 6:00 P.M. Tickets are \$125.00 per person.

Liturgical Minister Schedules

Saturday, November 4

Lector: Rick Johnson

Altar Server: Volunteer Needed

Sunday, November 5

Altar Server: Hudson Wilkinson

To Gather & Grow Update

The current status of our capital Campaign:		
Authorized amount incl HVAC:	\$ 3,190,826	
Collected to date:	\$ 3,023,625	
STILL NEEDED:	\$ 167,201	

Collection Last Week

Offertory, October 21 & 22: \$

4,082

Prayer List

Mark Anderson	Samra Mims
Harvey Brown	Margaret Nelson
Nancy Burtch	Eddie Parks
Bob Coleman	Ryan Petty
Sharon Collins	Jack Pollock
Haley Frierson	Cara Reed
Charles Gerber	Nancy Robinson
Franklin Haney	Marilyn Shelton
Nyla Johnson	Hector Varela
Susan Johnson	Sara Varela
Julia Jones	Sheron Williams
Shelia Kesler	Tom Wilson
Allen Lupton	Bill Young
Jeff Messinger	Jerry Zent

Please contact <u>aperry@olmcc.com</u>, to request names be added or removed from the Prayer List. Thanks for your cooperation.

Adult Enrichment

Adult enrichment with Dick Crotteau continues October 29 following 9:00 A.M. Mass and will continue through November 5. We will meet in Shuler Hall. Please join us for lively and interesting conversation!

Solemnity of All Saints

All Saints Day, Wednesday, November 1, is a holy day of obligation. Masses will be celebrated at Our Lady of the Mount at 8:30 A.M., at St. Katharine Drexel at 5:00 P.M., and at Our Lady of the Mount at 7:00 P.M.

All Souls Day

All Souls Day Mass will be celebrated at Our Lady of the Mount at 8:30 A.M., followed by a blessing of the graves in the memorial garden.

For the St. Katharine Drexel blessing of the graves, meet at Lake Hills Cemetery in Trenton at 2:30 P.M. Mass at St. Katharine Drexel will be celebrated at 5:00 P.M.

Second Collection Next Weekend

Next weekend's second collection is for the seminarians of the Archdiocese of Atlanta. We have been blessed with many vocations to the priesthood, and your prayers and generous gifts today support nearly 40 men who are now preparing for future priestly service in north Georgia. Please give generously.

Hot Meals Ministry Support

Donations to our food pantry are always welcome. Please drop off items at the office or before Mass in the blue container in the side narthex. We are trying to restock as we get ready for the winter months.

Hot Meals Ministry financial contributions are always a way to participate in the ongoing good work of feeding those in need. Simply write HMM on the memo line of your check if you would like to support Hot Meals Ministry with a monetary donation.

Community Conversation

A community conversation will be hosted by Neighbors for Gun Violence Prevention on Wednesday, November 8 at 1:00 P.M. at Church of the Good Shepherd. Visit <u>safertn.org</u> to learn more.

2023 Giving Thanks, Giving Back THANKSGIVING DRIVE

7 Years Serving Orchard Knob Middle School Families

Because of the generosity of the community, we were able to share over 250 Thanksgiving Dinners with OKM & OKE families in 2022. Please help us as we prepare Thanksgiving Dinner packages for families again this year by purchasing the following items to make a complete dinner for a family by <u>November 15, 2023</u>:

Please place the followings items in a box or gift bag:

- 1 \$15-\$20 gift card for turkey, hen, or ham
- $4-15~\mathrm{oz.}\ \mathrm{cans}$ whole kernel corn
- 4-15 oz. can green beans
- 1 4ct. (7.25 oz. boxes) Mac & Cheese
- 1 large box instant potatoes
- 1 large box Stove Top stuffing
- $2-\mathrm{cans}\ \mathrm{cranberry}\ \mathrm{sauce}$
- 2 packs turkey gravy
- 2-boxes cake/brownies mix



HUNGRY

- Please bring items to the OKMS Family Resource Center anytime between 7:30 am - 1:00 pm by November 15th.
- Dinners will be distributed on November 17th 7:30am to 1pm & November 18th from 8am to 12pm. *Feel free to decorate the dinner boxes for the occasion.*
- **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED** for distribution on both days from 7:45 am to 12:00pm. Please contact Tonya if you would like to volunteer.

For more information, please contact:

Tonya Turman Community Forward School Coordinator (423)493-7793, ext. 43029 <u>turman_t@hcde.org</u>

