

October 28, 2018
30th Sunday of Ordinary Time

"The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy!" That refrain we sing today in response to the first reading. Jeremiah the Prophet announces 'good news' to God's people living in exile in Babylon; the Lord is delivering us from exile! We are going home! In the Gospel Jesus gives sight to a blind man. He gave us sight too when we were baptized. We began to see all things through the eyes of the Jesus. The letter to the Hebrews reminds us every high priest is taken from among men, "beset by weakness" but called by God to bring people to God.

Holy Day of Obligation



**This Thursday, November 1st, we
celebrate the Solemnity of All Saints.**

**Masses will be at:
6:30am, 9am, Noon and 7:30pm**

**Friday, November 2nd is a day of special
devotion as we pray for All Souls**

**Masses will be at:
7am, 9am, Noon and 7:30pm**

**If you wish to have your beloved
deceased remembered in our Masses of
November, please return their names on
one of the special envelopes.**

It is Appreciation Sunday when Knights of Columbus and others have chosen to say 'Thank You' to the priests of the Church who have kept their commitment to serve Christ and His People.

Our remembrance of those buried in the past year will be November 4 at 11am Mass with choir recital at 10:40am

Do you know our family roots as a Catholic family of faith? It is 150 years since the Catholic people of Delaware and Maryland were established as a Diocese by Blessed Pope Pius IX in 1868. A book with the history of Catholics here has been published and is available at the Rectory. Cost: \$35 and \$15 for a comic book format of the history for young people. There is a two page spread on our parish and every church of our Diocese.

Trunk or Treat on Tonight Sunday, October 28 from 6pm to 7:30pm in Masci Hall. Come and join the games inside. Children through 6th grade are invited to attend. Best Decorated Trunk will win 2 Free Passes to Nov. 2nd Sunday Breakfast Buffett.

St. Helena's Church will conduct a Thanksgiving food drive for the needy families in our parish and community. This is made possible through the tremendous generosity of our parishioners and CCD school children. Today after all masses, you will have an opportunity to pick up a grocery bag listing 4 or 5 food items needed for this food drive. **The food will be collected after the masses on Nov 10th and 11th in the church vestibule.** You can be doubly blessed by purchasing the food with "Supermarket Script Cards" which will be sold at our Harvest Festival or at the rectory. God's blessings to all of you.

BINGO

**Every Thursday Evening
In Masci Hall**

**Doors open at 5:30pm
Games begin at 7:00pm**

Cookie Jar, Door Prizes, Food!

WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, October 27

5:00pm (SR) Yvette Dumont

Sunday, October 28

7:00am (SR) Harry Brake

9:00am (WK) The People of the Parish

11:00am (SR) John Hazewski

Monday, October 29

No 7:00 am Mass

9:00am (SR) Anthonio Luzzo

Tuesday, October 30

7:00am (DV) Paul O. Knight

9:00am (SR) Barbara Shreffler

Wednesday, October 31

No 7:00 am Mass

9:00am (SR) Salvatore Ferraro

Thursday, November 1

6:30am (DV) All Souls

9:00am (WK) Mary Kate Geaghan

12:00pm (SR)Maureen Paggett

7:30pm (SR) James Bock

Friday, November 2

7:00am (Cap)

9:00am (WK) Margaret Mary and Ellen Theresa
Muldoon

12:00pm (SR) Jennie and Tony Piscella
Jennie and Jim Di Campli

7:30pm (SR) All Souls

Saturday, November 3

9:00am (WK) All Souls

5:00pm (WK) Christopher Lauer

Sunday, November 4

7:00am (DV) Stanley Masters

9:00am (SR) All Souls

11:00am (SR) The People of the Parish

IHM School is hosting our fall **Open House** on **Thursday, November 9th** in the school library/media center at **9:30 am and 6:30 pm**. Please contact Admissions for more information at admissions@ihm.org or visit our school website at www.ihm.org/IHM_School for the RSVP form.

Daylight Savings Time Reminder

Say goodbye to daylight savings time.

Remember to set clocks back 1 hour on next Sunday November 4.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, October 28

2nd Collection: World Mission Sunday

7:00pm Youth grp. -Reg. Ed Office

11:00am Child. Liturgy/Word-Church

Monday, October 29

6:00pm Youth Choir-Church

6:30pm Religious Ed Class-School

6:30pm Script Study- Rel. Ed. Office

7:00pm YAH Crafts-Convent

7:00pm RICA-Rectory

Thursday, November 1 All Saints Day

Masses-6:30am, 9:00am, 12:00pm, 7:30pm

5:30pm Bingo-Masci Hall

7:30pm Adult Choir-Church

Friday, November 2 All Souls Day

Masses-7:00am, 9:00am, 12:00pm, 7:30pm

9:30am Adoration-Church

Please Pray For Our Sick Parishioners

Anne Ambagis, Ruth Bower, Charles Brumbaugh, Jean Capodanno, Tony Cutrona, Patricia Darmanin, Jayne Davenport, Bob Davis, Julia Davis, Gerri Episcopo, Sara Garrison, Sarah Hess, Ella Kirksey, Shirley Kosek, James Lafferty, Sue McLaughlin, Edward Mebs, Gay Meriggi, Dan Moley, Dora Pacitti, Fr. Roy Pollard, Terri Reed, Dorothy Rich, Helen Rupnicki, Kathleen Schaubert, Irma Shock, Caitlin Soper, Frank Sullivan, William Thomas, Catherine Thomson, James Whisker, Ann Wilson, Cindy Zych, Jacqueline Childs, Mary Gabel, Chris Molitor, Alline Da Grossa, Toni Di Lezio, Sister Dorothy Prettyman, Sharon Dean, Janet Szubieolski,

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Don't you and your spouse deserve a beautiful, romantic weekend away together? The next Marriage Encounter weekend will be November 2-4, 2018 in Rehoboth Beach, DE. For more information, visit our website at www.wwme-delmar.org or to register for the weekend, please call Tony and Linda Massino at 302-220-9833.

ST. HELENA'S CHRISTMAS BAZAAR
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10 AND
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11



Please note our time change – Saturday we will be open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Last year's Christmas Bazaar was a huge success thanks to our wonderful parishioners and our dedicated Bazaar Committee. Please help us make this year's Bazaar just as successful!

FOOD! FOOD! FOOD! Our Bazaar **FOOD COURT** will be open all day Saturday with yummy treats for the entire family. We will be featuring lots of takeout items in ready-to-freeze containers. Stock up on delicious sausage & peppers, meatballs, soups, etc. to help you get through the upcoming busy season and chilly weather.

Join us on Sunday, November 11 for Breakfast at the Bazaar from 8 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. and stay for the raffle drawings at 1 p.m.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR WOULD LIKE TO JOIN THE BAZAAR TEAM, PLEASE CALL SUE GARRETT, 762-6568.

WE NEED YOUR HELP! PLEASE GIVE A FEW HOURS OF YOUR TIME:

NAME _____
PHONE # _____
EMAIL _____

I CAN WORK:

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10 _____

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11 _____

SETUP, FRIDAY, NOV. 9 _____

CLEANUP, SUNDAY, NOV. 10 _____

DON'T MISS THE GIGANTIC ATTIC TREASURES SALE! Early birds can enter at 8:00 a.m. for the first chance to gobble up the bargains. We have a lovely array of china (including complete dinner services), Christmas decorations, home décor, and furniture, toys for kids of all ages, electronics and jewelry. Attic Treasures will be open from 9:00 a.m. until 2 p.m. on Saturday, 11/10 and from 9:00 a.m. to Noon on Sunday, 11/11.

BAKE TABLE

Our ladies try very hard to call everyone for donations to the Bake Table. You are very welcome to donate your favorite baked good whether you have been called or not!

Please call ahead to reserve your favorite cake or baked good item. Call Janet, 762-5064 or Kathy 302-319-1190. If you get the answering machine, just leave your name, phone number and item you wish to pre-order. We will return your call to confirm your order.

BISHOP'S 5K WILL BENEFIT CATHOLIC CHARITIES OUTREACH

Please join Catholic Charities for the 3rd Bishop's 5K Run/Walk from 9 am to 11 am on Saturday, November 10, 2018, at Glasgow Regional Park, 2275 Pulaski Highway, Newark, DE 19702. The totally adaptive Run/Walk will step off at 10 am. Pre-register for the event by visiting Bishops5K.com. Registration is \$20 plus an event fee of \$2.50. Day of registration will be \$25 plus event fee. All registered runners/walkers will receive a t-shirt, and be in the running for prizes. All proceeds will benefit Catholic Charities outreach efforts. Call Catholic Charities at 302-655-9624 with any questions about the Bishop's 5K.

The Offertory Collection for the weekend of 10/14 was \$4,559.00 and the on-line collection was \$1,736.00 for a total of \$6,295.00.

Thank you!

REMEMBER THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED
HONOR DEDICATED CAREGIVERS

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2018

11AM MASS

10:45AM CHOIR RECITAL

THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED 2017-2018

Squireck, Twila, November 11-21-17
Squireck, Matthew, November 2-8-18
Russell, Doris, December 3, 2017
Recce, Carla, December 17, 2017
Zwickert-Urff, Virginia, December 27, 2017
Calvarese, Louis Jr., January 8, 2018
Giovino, Marie, January 26, 2018
Mosser, Bonnie Leo, February 4, 2018
Frey, Catherine, February 8, 2018
Fiorentino, Mary, March 9, 2019
Dunning, Michael, March 24, 2018
Brodoway, Nicolas, April 10, 2018
Ruhl, Dorothy, May 5, 2018
Hazewski, John, May 6, 2018
Angeline, Jennie, May 23, 2018
Moyer, Gerald, June 9, 2018
Roberts, Judith, June 17, 2018
Manelski, Edward, June 29, 2018
Czapka, Francis, August 25, 2018
Fitzpatrick, John, August 31, 2018
Callaghan, Joan, September 4, 2018

Jesus says: "I have overcome the powers of death...Come and dwell with me and know that where I am your God is."