



31st SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

When he reached the place, Jesus looked up and said, "Zacchaeus, come down quickly, for today I must stay at your house." And he came down quickly and received him with joy. - Lk 19:5-6

MASS SCHEDULE

Mass of AnticipationSaturday, 5:30pm
Sunday Mass..... Sunday, 8:00am and 11:00am
Monday and Wednesday 12:00pm
Tuesday and Thursday..... 9:00am

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Monday and Wednesday, 11:30am; Saturday, 5:00pm
Tuesday and Thursday, 8:30 am

Sacrament of Baptism: Baptism preparation is by appointment. Please call the Parish Center for more information.

Sacrament of Matrimony: Please call Parish Center at least ten months before the wedding date to begin preparation.

Sacrament of the Sick: Please call the Parish Center.

Sacramental Emergencies: 330-817-3635

Urgent need for the Anointing of the Sick

Bulletin Deadline

Bulletin announcements are due to the Parish Office on Wednesday one week prior to the weekend of publication.

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday.....9:00am-4:00pm

PASTORAL TEAM

Curé d'Ars Staff

Pastor Rev. Fr. Joseph Cao , x301
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"We are a predominantly African-American multi-ethnic community of Catholic Christians. We seek to be a beacon of hope, a sign of the healing and reconciling presence of Christ to all by being a center of religious education, spiritual development, and social activity that celebrates the ethnic and cultural values of our members and by participating in the communities in which we live and work to address the social needs of our times."



Scripture Readings FOR TODAY

First Reading: For you love all things that are and loathe nothing that you have made. (Wis 11:24a)

Psalm: I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God. (Ps 145)

Second Reading: We always pray for you, that our God may make you worthy of his calling and powerfully bring to fulfillment every good purpose and every effort of faith. (2 Thes 1:11)

Gospel: "For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save what was lost." (Lk 19:10)

Readings for the Week:

Sunday: Wis 11:22—12:2/Ps 145:1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13, 14 [cf. 1]/2 Thes 1:11—2:2/Lk 19:1-10

Monday: Rom 11:29-36/Ps 69:30-31, 33-34, 36 [14c]/Lk 14:12-14

Tuesday: Rom 12:5-16b/Ps 131:1bcde, 2, 3/Lk 14:15-24

Wednesday: Rom 13:8-10/Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9 [5a]/Lk 14:25-33

Thursday: Rom 14:7-12/Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14 [13]/Lk 15:1-10

Friday: Rom 15:14-21/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 [cf. 2b]/Lk 16:1-8

Saturday: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8, 9 [5]/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22

Next Sunday: 2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14/Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15 [15b]/2 Thes 2:16—3:5/Lk 20:27-38 or 20:27, 34-38

Saints & Special Observances

Sunday: 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time; National Vocation Awareness Week; Daylight Saving Time Ends

Monday: St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop

Tuesday: Election Day

Saturday: The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Next Sunday: 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

THE WEEK AHEAD MASS INTENTIONS:

- Sunday, **Nov 3, 8 am**
All Souls Intentions
- Sunday, **Nov 3, 11 am**
All Souls Intentions
- Monday, **Nov 4, noon**
All Souls Intentions
- Tuesday, **Nov 5, 9 am**
All Souls Intentions
- Wednesday, **Nov 6, noon**
All Souls Intentions
- Thursday, **Nov 7, 9 am**
All Souls Intentions
- Saturday, **Nov 9, 5:30 pm**
All Souls Intentions

Imagine God coming to you at this very moment saying, "Today I must stay at your house!" How do you react when you hear those words? God must stay at your house. There is no time to clean or organize things or make any preparations. There is no time to back-track and catch up on things that may have slipped by during the week. God is coming and doesn't care how things look! **God just wants to spend time with you.** God's mercy is very wide. It is so wide that we sometimes have difficulty accepting just how unconditional and free it really is. We may find ourselves thinking that there must be some folks who don't deserve it or aren't worthy. All are worthy. The book of Wisdom tells us, "But you have mercy on all and you overlook people's sins that they may repent." There is no way around it: God must offer mercy. We are lost and we desperately need it.



REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYER

Please Pray for Our Members, Relatives, & Friends

Ramona Allen, Betty Ashford, Annie Berry, Hasan Bennett, Denise Chinn, Minnie Cassell, Barbara Christian, Lavon Curry, Ben Duran, Tep Falcon, Leon Gibson, Lucille Glenn, Cecil Glenn, Mary Ignatin, Cathy Jordan, Nell Jones, Raven McElroy, Derek Mosley, Lawrence Pierre, Mary Praylo, Maria Singleton, Samaria Stovall, Miles Tatum, Earlie Taylor, Joan Thomas, Jim Tyson, Desaree Venema, Robert Vigil, and Ginnie Ward's family.

Please Pray for the Repose of the Soul:

Mary Gambrell,

Please Pray for Our Homebound

Easter Butler, Lola Clemons, Janette Frye, Gerard Haas, Mary Haas, Toledo Mays, Lisa McGee, Shaneil Moore, and Dorothy Urban

For homebound needs, please contact Deacon Clarence at x304

Please Pray for All Caregivers

Lord Jesus, we ask you to bring your healing touch to those we know to be sick, afraid, or worried. Amen.

**Social Justice Action for Criminal Justice:
Eliminate Eyewitness "Showups":**

Please join the Cure d'Ars Social Justice Committee, the Montgomery Pilgrims, and the Together Colorado Interfaith group to form a 1,000 person presence at Shorter AME Church on Thursday, Nov. 14th, 2019, at 6PM. This will be a scripted non-violent action. **Showups** have been shown as an unreliable and biased identification of suspects in the investigation of a crime. These often lead to wrongful convictions and discrimination. For more information contact: Sr Marion 303-945-1799.



**Mercy & Mary Retreat with
Fr. Michael Gaitley**

When: November 8, 7:15pm - 8:15pm,
November 9, 7:30am - 4:00pm
Where: Our Lady of Loreto Parish
Cost: \$49.95



Who: Join the Marian Missionaries of Divine Mercy, and the Archdiocese of Denver for an inspiring Mercy & Mary Retreat, featuring bestselling author of *33 Days to Morning Glory* and acclaimed speaker Fr. Michael Gaitley, MIC. Take time to recharge and refocus as you learn the secrets of this "Time of Mercy". Enjoy talks by Fr. Gaitley, Mass, Adoration, testimonies with the Marian Missionaries and much more! More details on the website: <https://marianmissionaries.org/>

Hope Communities Food Drive

In a joint effort with other congregations, schools and clubs, the Hope Communities is asking for Cure d' Ars to provide 100 boxes of Macaroni and cheese (any brand) and 100 cans of corn (any brand). The intent is to place two of each into "Thanks-in-a-bags" that will go to 50 needy families in our community for Thanksgiving. **Please bring your contributions to the vestibule by November 10th.** - Martina Torres 720-593-4455



What do Simone Biles, Donna Brazile, and Kobe Bryant all have in common? They are devout members of the Catholic faith. On July 24, 1990, the National Black Catholic Clergy Caucus (NBCCC) of the United States established November as National Black Catholic History Month. In celebration, the **Blair-Caldwell African American Research Library** will display a special exhibit in honor of Black Catholics during the month of November, created by the Office of Black Catholic Ministry at the Archdiocese of Denver. The library has a permanent gallery that highlight the contributions of local Black Catholics, past and present. Kateri Joda Williams, the new Director, invites you to explore the displays of the Knights of Peter Claver and the Ladies Auxiliary in addition to photos of Deacon Clarence McDavid, State Senator Angela Williams, the late Adetunji Joda, Sr., and Servant of God, Julia Greeley, Denver's own Angel of Charity who is one of six Black candidates for canonization.



And he said to them: "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; pray therefore the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into His harvest." (Luke 10:2)



The Parish Council invites all parishioners to mark your calendars and participate in Stewardship of Ministry (Talent) Weekend, November 16th and 17th! The

weekend will feature a showcase of all the ministry, committee and volunteer opportunities in our parish, and an invitation for us all to "get in where we fit in" the service of our Lord.

Saint Paul reminds us that we find our hope in the "emptiness" and "humility" of Christ Jesus. It requires a willingness to lay aside personal privilege; emptying ourselves in the service of others; embracing values different from worldly values. It requires an understanding that to be "in Christ" is to be a servant, as Christ came as a servant.

Angel Eyes helps Colorado families cope with the sudden, unexpected death of an infant or toddler, including SIDS, SUID, SUDC, miscarriage and stillbirth loss, while raising awareness and supporting research. For information or services contact us at 303.320.7771 or info@angeleyes.org.



This weekend, all Catholics are being asked to support the **Annual Seminaries' Appeal**. Your gift will convey your gratitude for today's priests, while also encouraging our seminarians in their daily growth to the priesthood. Please visit sjvrm.org to donate today. Thank you.