

November 18th 2018
33rd Sunday in
Ordinary Time

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Guardian Angels Prayer

Angel of God, my Guardian dear, to whom God's love commits me here; ever this day, be at my side, to light and guard, to rule and guide. Amen

OFFICE HOURS

Mon, Tue, Thu 8AM-3PM;
Wed 8-11AM

Pastoral Staff

Pastor:

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Masses:

Saturday: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 8:30 AM & 11:00 AM

Weekdays: Monday - Thursday 7:30 AM Friday 7:30 AM = June-August;
9:00 AM = September-May

Holy Days: See Bulletin for Schedule

Shopping Certificates:

Reloadable Certificates available at the Parish Office

Confession Hours:

Saturday: 3:00 – 3:30 PM and by Appointment

Monday through Thursday: 7:00 -- 7:30 AM

Baptism:

Preparation classes are scheduled the **Third Wednesday** of the month 7:00-9:00 PM. Parents and/or God parents are expected to be registered members of this parish and attend the Preparation Class. Please call the Parish Office at 303-433-8361.

Marriages:

Contact the parish office nine months prior to the marriage date. One of the parties must be a registered member of our parish for at least one year. Both must participate in the Marriage Preparation Program.

Sacrament to the Sick:

In case of serious illness or deaths in the family, contact the parish office immediately. Do not wait until death is imminent.

R.C.I.A. For the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, please contact Deacon Miller at 303-514-7950.

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*Presentation
of the
Blessed
Virgin Mary*

Wednesday, Nov. 21st

Daily Mass Intentions - Nov 17th - Nov 25th

SAT 17	4:00 pm	Jack & Frances Brinkerhoff † (Maxine Kestel)
SUN 18	8:30 am	For the People of the Parish
SUN 18	11:00 am	Jeanne Gallardo † (Ray Gallardo & Family)
MON 19	7:30 am	In reparation for the victims of abuse (Guardian Angels Parish)
TUE 20	7:30 am	Joseph Nguyen † (Tien & Dao Nguyen)
WED 21	7:30 am	For the Souls with no family to pray † (Tien & Dao Nguyen)
THU 22	7:30 am	Joe & Emma Romero † (Virginia McClerkin)
FRI 23	9:00 am	For the Students of Guardian Angels
SAT 24	4:00 pm	Louise, Rich, Jim & Ken Gavito † (Cheryl & Fran Gavito)
SUN 25	8:30 am	Tony Santistevan † (Santistevan Family)
SUN 25	11:00 am	For the People of the Parish

The Story & You—33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

The other day I was scrolling through the photos on my phone. I'd forgotten that I'd taken pictures of our backyard urban garden last year. There, in still life, stood cold and dreary January. But the next picture opened up another world: the hoeing and planting, and the beautiful rows and rows of the tiny greens of May. And then, with just a click, there they were: thousands of lush, plump red tomatoes, ready for harvest, ready for their destination at food banks around town. Yum.

My favorite photo is one the day before our big freeze last month. Their baskets overflowing, the gardeners left a few hundred yellow and green and red tomatoes in a bucket on our porch, ready to be taken away as soon as they had room in their overflowing truck.

It's the last picture that's so stunning, though. Just a week after the frost, our backyard morphed from the Garden of Eden into a Halloween ghost town. Dead, sad branches moaned. Lifeless, leafless plants bent over into sad farewell. And there it all was, right there, on a phone I'd been ignoring for years. Life and death are accessible to me now, every time I click "Photos."

That's what this 33rd Sunday has always been about. We are ordered to open our hearts to the life and death we each carry deep in our hearts. Yes, winter is upon us, and we know not the day nor hour when we will see Jesus.

But here's the good news. Jesus is Lord of the summer and the winter. Bidden or unbidden, death awaits us all. Our job is to keep planting, and harvesting, and waiting in joyful hope.

How do you hold life and death deep in your heart?

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Offertory for:	11/04/18	11/11/18
Offertory:	4,156.45	3,554.00
Maintenance	487.00	110.00
Children's Collection	409.10	536.31

Thank you for using your offertory envelopes, & thank you for writing the amount of your donation on the envelope.



Let's not forget the poor and the needy. As in previous years, **The Men's Club** is taking all the items you can bring for the **Thanksgiving boxes**, also **Volunteers to stuff them and help with the distribution.** Your support is really needed and appreciated to help the poor, the needy and the disabled. Thank you for your generous support. Please bring your donations to the church vestibule. On behalf of all the recipients of our baskets, thank you for your continued support.

Guardian Angels Catholic Church presents...
Pilgrimage to Portugal, Spain & France, featuring Santiago de Compostela, June 14 - 25, 2019. Highlights: Fatima, Aljustrel, Valinhos, Batalha Monastery, Porto, Santiago de Compostela, Cathedral of Burgos, Monastery of Santa Maria Real de las Huelgas, Lourdes, Grotto of Massabielle, Carcassone, Barcelona, La Sagrada Familia. For more information contact Fr. Dan Zimmerschied at gangelndenver@gmail.com or call 303-433-8361.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION: November is a month of remembrance for the dead, and cemeteries have long been a focus for prayer. Our tradition holds great respect for bodily remains, since the body was created and redeemed by God, was once the "dwelling place of the Holy Spirit," and has a destiny of life with God in glory. Early church contrasted greatly with those of the pagans. The ancient Christian funeral liturgy ended with the relatives and friends; it expressed affection and showed their faith that the grave would not be the last word. Pagans were horrified and thought that any contact with the dead was degrading. Every year on their loved one's "birthday to life, Christians would return to the place of their burial to mark their profound communion with those whose lives were hidden in Christ. They were attracted to the catacombs or burial grounds just as we are today, and often celebrated the Eucharist at the tomb.

SAVE THE DATE! The 3rd Annual Catholic Women's Conference of Denver **"The Holiness of Women"** will be held April 27, 2019 at CU South Denver Campus, Lone Tree, CO. The speaker line up includes Colleen Carroll Campbell, Everett Fritz, Sister Maris Stella, and Father Nick Larkin. Visit DenverCatholicConference.com to learn more. Early Bird registration begins Jan 1st!



On Thanksgiving Day our Mass will be at 9:00 AM; if you would like to bring your food to be blessed, you may do so. Please feel free to bring what you would like to be blessed during the Mass, and enjoy your Thanksgiving Dinner with family and friends!

ENCOURAGEMENT

This Sunday's Gospel is our final selection from Mark for this liturgical year. It is taken from the end of Jesus' teaching in Jerusalem immediately preceding the account of his arrest and passion. In it Jesus gives his disciples hope to sustain them through his passion and death and any persecution or suffering that they would encounter after his resurrection.

The words from the book of Daniel also provided hope and encouragement to the people of Daniel's time. The encouragement in these scriptures is meant for us as well, for none of us will escape tribulation in our lives. Followers of Jesus will be able to endure suffering with joyful hope, knowing that Christ's love will lead us along the way of discipleship and give us eternal life with God.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Those who lead the many to justice shall be like the stars forever (Daniel 12:1-3).

Psalms — You are my inheritance, O Lord! (Psalm 16).

Second Reading — Where there is forgiveness, there is no longer offering for sin (Hebrews 10:11-14, 18).

Gospel — Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away (Mark 13:24-32).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 18:35-43
Tuesday: Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 19:1-10
Wednesday: Rv 4:1-11; Ps 150:1b-6; Lk 19:11-28
Thursday: Rv 5:1-10; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 19:41-44.
Thanksgiving Day—Suggested: Sir 50:22-24; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19
Friday: Rv 10:8-11; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Lk 19:45-48
Saturday: Rv 11:4-12; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Lk 20:27-40
Sunday: Dn 7:13-14; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Rv 1:5-8; Jn 18:33b-37

LECTOR	EMHC	SERVERS	USHERS
Thurs 11/22 Thanksgiving 9:00 AM Bernell Saiz	Deacon Henry Robert Mondragon Janet Wesenberg	Moses Gonzales Brianna Gonzales	Any Ushers Attending



Notice of Student Non-Discrimination Policy -
 The Catholic schools of the Archdiocese of Denver, under the jurisdiction of Archbishop Samuel J. Aquila, S.T.L. and at the direction of the Superintendent,

state that all of their Catholic schools admit students of any race, color, national or ethnic origin to all the rights, privileges, programs and activities generally accorded or made available to students at the schools. Furthermore, Archdiocesan schools admit handicapped students in accord with the policy on Admissions, 4.2.1. in compliance with the American disability act. These schools do not discriminate on the basis of race, age, handicap, color, national or ethnic origin in the administration of their educational policies, employment practices, scholarship and loan programs, or athletic or other school-administered programs.

ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK OF 11/17/18-11/25/18

SATURDAY 10:30-2:00 PM Basket Ball Games
 3:00 PM - Confessions
 4:00 PM Mass

SUNDAY: 8:30 AM Mass
 9:30 - 10:45 **Catechism Class**
 9:30-12:30 **Donut Sunday**
 11:00 AM Mass

MONDAY: 7:30 AM Mass
 3:00-6:45 PM Basket Ball Practice

TUESDAY: 7:30 AM Mass
 10:20 AM Rosary
 11:00 AM Funeral Mass
 3:00-4:30 PM Basket Ball Practice
 4:30-7:00 PM Basket Ball Games

WEDNESDAY: 7:30 AM Mass
 6:00-7:00 PM Knights of Columbus Meeting
 7:00-9:00 PM Baptism class

THURSDAY: 9:00 AM Mass Thanksgiving Day

FRIDAY: 9:00 AM Mass - Mass

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 4:00 PM Mass

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Let us pray for the sick: Especially for Mary Martinez, Pedro Olivas, Mary Gomez, Rosa Maria Santos, Mary Medina, Paul Andrade, Jim & Betty Jacobs, Robert Mondragon, Stephanie Casillas, Nora Federico, Greg & Debbie Acosta, Michelle Bogossian, Amber Acosta, Melinda Angel, Hope Martinez, Daniel Hernandez, Theresa Gussoni, Francisco Gallardo, Fred Martinez, Patrick Gonzales, Pat Carabetta, Rueben Zuniga, Lena Saccommano, Jacob Schilling, Elsie Montoya, Mary Anne Apodaca, Betty Faubion, Pablita Romero, Gladys Merrill, Christine Tarin, Joe Zamora, Nancy Davolo, Max Martinez, Michael Hudson, Juanita Mendez, Manuel (Chico) Perez, Liliana Abela Ruiz, Lucille Cordoba, Virginia McClerkin, Cynthia Mondragon, Eleanor Prunk, Bernell Saiz; **Let us pray to the Lord; Lord, hear our prayer**

Let us pray for the deceased: Jeannette Southwick,

Let us pray to the Lord; Lord, hear our prayer

Please let the office know if there are any changes in your health

LECTORS	EUCARISTIC MINISTERS	SERVERS	USHERS
Sat 11/24 4:00 pm Jennifer Bowie	Joe Sandoval Linda Sandoval Lou Mottola	Maddie Bowie Emma Bowie	Larry Covillo Loyce Malleck Joe Steffonich Patrick Fulton
Sun 11/25 8:30 pm Robert Mondragon	Deacon Miller Marilyn Cameron Dennis Cameron	Allison Ryszkawski Sofia Medina	Dave Rasmussen Kenneth Archuleta Luis Gallardo Greg Montoya
Sun 11/18 11:00 am Mat Flores	Michelle Trujillo Larry Trujillo Dorothy Brown	Anthony Olivas Nivena Olivas	Mark Munoz Anthony Palma Mitch Casados Jase Metz