

# ST. GERTRUDE THE GREAT ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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TRADITIONAL LATIN MASS: Sundays 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM High, 11:30 AM, 5:45 PM

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Rev. Vili Lehtoranta, *Chap. to Oblates & School* • Rev. Thomas Simpson • Rev. Anthony Brueggemann



October 2, 2022  
ROSARY SUNDAY  
PENTECOST XVI



## ¶ ROSARY SUNDAY

Today is **Rosary Sunday**. Please bring your roses to the Communion Rail to be blessed after the High Mass. The Rosary Confraternity will then lead the outdoor procession.

The annual **Rosary Confraternity Breakfast** follows the procession. Don't forget your tickets! Join us for a delightful breakfast, as well as to hear the talk prepared for us by Fr. Lehtoranta.

The **Blessing of Religious Articles** will be available at the Communion Rail after the *Low Masses*. The second collection will be taken up for the support of our seminary.

There are **no Sunday Classes**, due to the Procession and Breakfast. **Vespers** with **Benediction** and **October Devotions** are at **4:30 PM**. Please note the special time and be sure that at least five or six of you attend upon Our Lord and Our Lady.

## ¶ FEASTS THIS WEEK

Pay homage to "the greatest saint of modern times," as Pope Pius X called St. Therese of the Child Jesus, whose feast is **Monday**. **Tuesday** is the feast of St. Francis of Assisi, who is said to be the saint most like Our Lord. **Wednesday** we honor the martyrs Ss. Placid and Companions, while St. Bruno's feast comes this **Thursday**. Don't forget **First Friday** devotions on the feast of the Holy Rosary, and All Night Adoration.

### Collection Report

Sunday, September 25<sup>th</sup>.....\$8,351.00  
Thank you for your generosity. Remember St. Gertrude the Great in your will.



## ¶ FIRST FRIDAY

**8:00 AM** Low Mass  
**10:55 AM** Confessions  
**11:25 AM** Low Mass, Benediction  
**5:00 PM** Exposition  
**5:15 PM** October Devotions, Confessions  
**5:45 PM** Low Mass  
**6:30 PM** Sacred Heart Devotions

### All Night Adoration

*First Friday Reparation Intention: In reparation to the Sacred Heart, and that the Family Rosary be a daily prayer in every family.*

## ¶ YOUR PRAYERS

Please pray for Mary McGuire, Jim Soli, Donald MacLarren, and all of the intentions recommended to us.

## ¶ NEXT SUNDAY: PENTECOST XVIII

Catechism Classes will be at 10:40 AM. There will be no Vespers.

📖 *Set Your Missal:* Pentecost XVIII, second collect of St. John Leonardi, third of Ss. Denis & Companions. Trinity Preface.

## ¶ ROSARY CONFRATERNITY

Enrollments in the Rosary Confraternity will take place on **Sunday, October 9<sup>th</sup>**, after the High Mass. *You must be present at the ceremony to be enrolled.* We ask for a **one-time enrollment donation** of **\$25**. These funds are used to have an annual Mass offered for all members, and to purchase roses for Our Lady on Rosary Sunday. As well we try to have Masses offered for deceased members. If you would like to be enrolled in the Confraternity on the 9<sup>th</sup>, please contact the office.

## ¶ OCTOBER DEVOTIONS

The **October Devotions** (Rosary, Litany and Prayer to St. Joseph) are recited every school day at **3:10 PM**. Every **Wednesday** the Rosary is recited before the Blessed Sacrament Exposed at **3:00 PM**, with Benediction and Holy Communion at approximately 3:20 PM. **Friday** evening the Devotions are at **5:15**, and **Saturday** at **8:20 AM**.

Wedding  Banns

*First time: Stephen Lawrence  
& Angelica Rios*

**THE ROSARIES OF THE ANGELS**

“I am sending an angel before you, to guard you on the way.”

Many of us were taught by the sisters in grade school that our guardian angels finish the rosaries during which we fall asleep. And before we dismiss this pious thought, think about how close the angels are to the rosary, how much a part they are of each mystery. In fact, the rosary could be called an angelic form of prayer.

It is, after all, the archangel Gabriel at the Annunciation who first taught us the words of the Hail Mary itself, which remains our verse of meditation throughout the mysteries. Angels are present in the Garden of Gethsemane, and in the Garden of the Resurrection. There are angels depicted at the Ascension, the Assumption, and the Coronation. Even the “Glory bes” echo angelic words of heavenly praise.

Pope Leo XIII teaches us: “In reciting the rosary, we meditate upon the mysteries of our Redemption... [and] in a manner emulate the sacred duties once committed to the angelic hosts. The angels revealed each of these mysteries in its due time, they played a great part in them; they were constantly present at them... What more divine, what more delightful, than to mediate and pray with the angels? ...Praying the rosary devoutly can actually connect us with the holy angels.”

Only the sisters knew that praying the rosary “dozingly” did that as well.



**THE POWER OF THE ROSARY**

Is it not sad that though millions of Catholics are daily saying the Hail Mary, many of them say it so badly? They repeat it hastily, not even thinking the words they are saying. They thus deprive God’s Mother of the great joy they could so easily give her and deprive themselves of the wondrous graces that she wishes to give them.

One Hail Mary, well said, fills the heart of Our Lady with delight and obtains for us indescribably great graces. One Hail Mary, well said, gives us more graces than a great many badly said.

Fr. Suarez, the holy and learned Jesuit, declared when dying that he would willingly give all the many learned books he wrote, all his life’s labors, for the merit of one Hail Mary. How well this great man understood the priceless value of this beautiful little prayer which is so little understood by many Catholics.

St. Bernard and all the saints say that it was never heard, at any time or in any place, that Mary refused to hear the prayers of her children on Earth. Oh, why don’t we Catholics realize this most consoling truth? Why do we refuse the love and consolation that God’s Sweet Mother is offering us? Lamentable is the ignorance which deprives us of such help and consolation.

**MY ROSARY**

When days are dark and dreary  
And life seems hard to me,  
I long for words of comfort  
And seek my rosary.

I say a prayer upon it  
For courage to renew  
The strength that seems depleted,  
And find the skies more blue.

I bless the friends now living  
For them a prayer is said,  
And ask for God’s compassion  
Upon the righteous dead.

Upon my precious rosary  
Each bead seems to entwine  
A bit of sacred solace  
That’s like a holy shrine.

In sorrow or in sunshine  
I seek my rosary,  
And find it growing daily  
More dear and dear to me.

—Cora May Preble



**THE LITTLE FLOWER - OCTOBER 3**

Flower of the mountain!  
Little Therese!  
Sweet child of Jesus’ own Heart!

Show us your little way.  
Help us all to obey.  
Teach us your heavenly art.

You who were dear to Him,  
Keep us all near to Him.  
Look down, dear saint, from above.

Help us to live like you  
In all we say and do,  
Dear little child of God’s love.

— Sr. M. Josita, O.S.F.

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## ✠ THE BISHOP'S NOTE ✠

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October has come, and with it, the chilly autumn weather. The cats are really enjoying this time of year and spend a good portion of the time outdoors. In other parts of the country the weather hasn't been so pleasant. Mr. Lotarski was just showing me pictures from the aftermath of Hurricane Ian. Tampa Bay is completely dry. Tom and Karen Simpson report that they are fine and did not lose their power. **Fr. McKenna's** parents, however, saw the worst of the storm in Fort Meyers. The eye of the hurricane passed right over them and they say that the storm surges were 18 feet high! Thankfully, all whom we know are safe; but we ought to pray for those who are still suffering the effects of the storm.



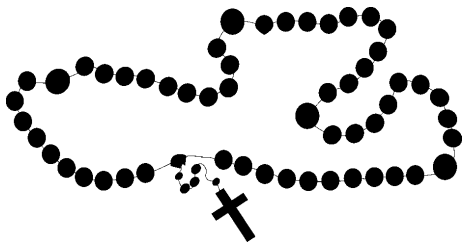
Moving on from Florida news to that of Texas, Fr. McKenna's Dallas mission, St. Anthony's, is moving locations. **Fr. Simpson** is down there helping our coordinator move everything needed for Mass, and then will go on to offer Mass in Austin and El Paso.

St. Michael's feast day, the 29<sup>th</sup> of September, was **Bishop da Silva's** first anniversary of consecration. In his sermon at the school Mass, **Fr. Brueggemann** reminded us that his consecration by Bishop Dolan was so providential. Bishop da Silva did so much to help us with our needs as he ordained our four new priests and provided a bishop. God's providence is such a wonderful thing to contemplate. We are grateful to the Good God and to His Excellency for all they did to help us.

**Fr. Thielen's** health is improving, but it has been a long haul for him. He reports that he is, with caution, able to offer Mass and do sick calls again. Your prayers for him are working, so please keep it up!

We begin the month of the Rosary. What a month of blessings it will be. Remember to pray your Rosary daily, and if you can, come to the October Devotions which we have scheduled for each day with the school children. Pope Pius XI said, "Let not even one day pass without saying it, no matter how burdened you may be with many cares and labors."

– **Bishop McGuire**



### All Night Adoration Guard of Honor October 2022

**7:00 PM - 8:00 PM:** David Swinney, Doby Curran  
**8:00 PM - 9:00 PM:** Kirby Bischel, Quentin Gorton  
**9:00 PM - 10:00 PM:** Justin Soeder, Paddy Omlor  
**10:00 PM - 11:00 PM:** Nick McClorey, Alfonso Capetillo  
**11:00 PM - 12:00 AM:** James Kolenich, Paul Puglielli  
**12:00 AM - 1:00 AM:** Levi Giese, Collin Smith  
**1:00 AM - 2:00 AM:** Keith Elflein, Pierce Kiernan  
**2:00 AM - 3:00 AM:** Dan & John Brueggemann  
**3:00 AM - 4:00 AM:** McConnell Brothers  
**4:00 AM-5:00 AM:** Matthew Giese, Zachary Doyle  
**5:00 AM - 6:00 AM:** Joseph Simpson, Bill Herman  
**6:00 AM - 7:00 AM:** John Riggs, Robert Rosendale

☞ *If you cannot make your hour, please contact the church office immediately: (513) 645-4212.*

☞ *If you have finished your hour but no one has arrived to relieve you, please call Fr. Brueggemann (513-378-2705) or Fr. Simpson (513-378-2870) to substitute.*

#### ¶ MARK YOUR CALENDAR

**Candlelight Fatima Rosary Procession, Thursday, October 13.** Don't miss our final Rosary Procession of the year, always so beautiful with the little candles.

**Forty Hours, October 21-23.** Opening services begin on Friday evening and will be followed by the Chili Supper. Adoration continues on Saturday, and the Devotion closes on Sunday evening with the Procession and Benediction.

**All Saints Sunday, October 30.** Prepare a costume and presentation about a saint with your child for the All Saints' Party after the High Mass!

#### SAINT FRANCIS - OCTOBER 4

Francis loved the birds, the bees,  
And all God's wonder-land.  
He called the beasts his brothers,  
And fed them from his hand.  
He sang a song to Sister Moon,  
And one to Brother Sun,  
For all were God's fair creatures,  
And to him a load of fun.



He liked to see the pretty flowers  
Come out in early spring,  
And all the tall green shade trees  
Would cause his heart to sing.  
But best of all he loved his God.  
He loved his Savior most,  
His God upon the altar,  
His God within the Host.

– *Sr. M. Josita, O.S.F.*

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# ✠ CALENDAR

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| <b>MON</b> | <b>10/3/22</b>  | <b>ST. THERESE OF THE CHILD JESUS, V</b>   |
|            | <b>8:00 AM</b>  | <b>Low Mass</b> †James M. Lehman – 38 <sup>th</sup> anniversary of death ( <i>Nikki L. Lehman</i> )                        |
|            | <b>11:25 AM</b> | <b>High Mass</b> †Jim McNally & Birthday, Mark McNally ( <i>Susan McNally</i> )  |
|            | <b>3:10 PM</b>  | <b>October Devotions</b>   |
| <b>TUE</b> | <b>10/4/22</b>  | <b>ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI, C</b>  |
|            | <b>7:00 AM</b>  | <b>Low Mass</b> His Excellency †Bishop Daniel L. Dolan ( <i>Maria Casole</i> )   |
|            | <b>8:00 AM</b>  | <b>Low Mass</b> For the sanctification of priests ( <i>Alter Christus Confraternity</i> )                                  |
|            | <b>11:25 AM</b> | <b>High Mass</b> Repose of the soul of †Bishop Dolan ( <i>Brian Parnell</i> )  |
|            | <b>3:10 PM</b>  | <b>October Devotions</b>   |
|            | <b>5:00 PM</b>  | <b>Low Mass</b> †Ruth Sieverding Kieffer ( <i>Mike Sieverding</i> )  |
| <b>WED</b> | <b>10/5/22</b>  | <b>SS. PLACID &amp; COMPANIONS, MM</b>   |
|            | <b>7:00 AM</b>  | <b>Low Mass</b> In honor of St. Therese, for a special intention ( <i>Dan &amp; Rose Wright</i> )                          |
|            | <b>8:00 AM</b>  | <b>Low Mass</b> Fr. Fliess ( <i>Alter Christus Confraternity</i> )   |
|            | <b>11:25 AM</b> | <b>High Mass</b> †Thomas E. Simpson – 69 <sup>th</sup> anniversary 8/4 ( <i>Tom &amp; Karen Simpson</i> )                  |
|            | <b>3:00 PM</b>  | <b>October Devotions, Benediction</b>  |
|            | <b>3:20 PM</b>  | <b>(approx.) Distribution of Holy Communion</b>  |
|            | <b>5:10 PM</b>  | <b>Low Mass</b> †Fr. Cekada ( <i>Mary Beth Grumblatt</i> )   |
| <b>THU</b> | <b>10/6/22</b>  | <b>ST. BRUNO, C</b>  |
|            | <b>7:00 AM</b>  | <b>Low Mass</b> Fr. Ojeka – save travel in your journeys ( <i>Dan, Mary &amp; family</i> )                                 |
|            | <b>8:00 AM</b>  | <b>Low Mass</b> †Jacob Vogel ( <i>Mike Sieverding</i> )  |
|            | <b>11:25 AM</b> | <b>High Mass</b> Michael Volz – Happy Birthday ( <i>Kuebler</i> )  |
|            | <b>3:10 PM</b>  | <b>October Devotions</b>   |
|            | <b>5:00 PM</b>  | <b>Low Mass</b> Bishop Selway ( <i>Alter Christus Confraternity</i> )  |
| <b>FRI</b> | <b>10/7/22</b>  | <b>THE MOST HOLY ROSARY • FIRST FRIDAY</b><br>ST. MARK, PC & COMPANIONS, MM  |
|            | <b>8:00 AM</b>  | <b>Low Mass</b> Special Intention ( <i>Anne Marie Omlor</i> )  |
|            | <b>10:55 AM</b> | <b>Confessions</b>   |
|            | <b>11:25 AM</b> | <b>Low Mass, Benediction</b> Poor Souls & †Paul Faith, rest in peace – 18 <sup>th</sup> anniversary ( <i>Linda Faith</i> ) |
|            | <b>5:00 PM</b>  | <b>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</b>   |
|            | <b>5:15 PM</b>  | <b>October Devotions, Confessions</b>  |
|            | <b>5:45 PM</b>  | <b>Low Mass</b> †Mike Briggs ( <i>Maria Miller</i> )   |
|            | <b>6:30 PM</b>  | <b>Sacred Heart Novena</b><br><i>All Night Adoration</i>   |
| <b>SAT</b> | <b>10/8/22</b>  | <b>ST. BRIDGET, W</b>  |
|            | <b>7:10 AM</b>  | <b>Confessions</b>   |
|            | <b>7:30 AM</b>  | <b>High Mass</b> Anastasia Prell ( <i>Joe &amp; Beth Prell</i> )   |
|            | <b>8:20 AM</b>  | <b>Salve, October Devotions, Benediction</b>   |
|            | <b>8:50 AM</b>  | <b>Sermon</b>  |
|            | <b>9:00 AM</b>  | <b>Low Mass</b> Fr. Dutertre ( <i>Alter Christus Confraternity</i> )   |
| <b>SUN</b> | <b>10/9/22</b>  | <b>PENTECOST XVIII • ST. JOHN LEONARDI, C</b><br>SS. DENIS, BP & COMPANIONS, MM  |
|            | <b>7:05 AM</b>  | <b>Rosary</b>  |

## Our Beloved Dead – October

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|-------------------------|------------|
| Marie B. Bludau         | 10-01-1983 |
| Laverne Elmlinger       | 10-02-1992 |
| James Lehman            | 10-03-1984 |
| Belvie M. Mills         | 10-03-1995 |
| Matilda E. Hamer        | 10-04-1981 |
| Elizabeth M. Richter    | 10-05-2006 |
| Susan Schmidt           | 10-06-1999 |
| Joan Weigand            | 10-06-2012 |
| Joseph M. Andreotta     | 10-06-2021 |
| Victor William Feighery | 10-09-1988 |
| Nadine E. Henry         | 10-10-2009 |
| C. Baumgartner          | 10-14-1987 |
| Mark Moser              | 10-15-1987 |
| Edwin Lavern Newman     | 10-22-1984 |
| Rev. Gunther Richter    | 10-19-2008 |
| Agnes Bandy             | 10-20-1985 |
| Marie F. Borger         | 10-20-1988 |
| Nicholas J. Bischak     | 10-21-2005 |
| Vera L. DuBroca         | 10-21-1988 |
| Ken Brown               | 10-24-2004 |
| Laurence Brueggemann    | 10-24-1995 |
| Frank J. Koerner        | 10-25-2005 |
| Patricia Patton         | 10-30-2018 |



## Servers

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| <b>FRI 10/7</b> | <b>5:45 PM LOW:</b> T. Lawrence   |
| <b>SAT 10/8</b> | <b>7:30 AM HIGH:</b> P. Omlor<br><b>8:40 AM LOW:</b> Brueggemann Bros.  |
| <b>SUN 10/9</b> | <b>7:30 AM LOW:</b> Brueggemann Bros.<br><b>9:00 AM HIGH:</b> MC: M. Simpson TH: T. Lawrence ACS: C. Arlinghaus, N. Kolenich TORCH: A. Constantino, N. & D. Hudson, M. Kolenich, C. Van Der Putten, B. McGinnis<br><b>11:30 AM LOW:</b> A. McClorey, J. Kolenich<br><b>5:00 PM BENEDICTION:</b> G. Miller, Seminarian<br><b>5:45 PM LOW:</b> Seminarian |

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| <b>7:30 AM</b>  | <b>Low Mass</b> Fr. Thomas Ojeka ( <i>Collin Smith</i> )                                  |
| <b>9:00 AM</b>  | <b>High Mass</b> Lexi's intentions ( <i>M. Sutton</i> )                                   |
| <b>10:40 AM</b> | <b>Catechism Classes</b>  |
| <b>11:05 AM</b> | <b>Rosary</b>   |
| <b>11:30 AM</b> | <b>Low Mass</b> Nina Krawczyk – complete restoration of health ( <i>Krawczyk Family</i> ) |
| <b>5:00 PM</b>  | <b>October Devotions, Benediction</b>   |
| <b>5:45 PM</b>  | <b>Low Mass</b> For the people of St. Gertrude the Great                                  |

**Offered privately by Fr. Lehtoranta on 10/1:**  
Happy Anniversary Dad & Mom (*Simpson children*) (from 10/2)