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MASSES & CONFESSIONS / MISAS Y CONFESIONES
This Week / Esta Semana

Monday, October 12

Tuesday, October 13

7:00pm - St. Cecilia

Misa/ Spanish Mass with English
 (Rae Hernandez)

7:30-8:00pm - St. Cecilia

Confesiones / Confessions

Wednesday, October 14

5:30pm - St. Augusta

Mass (Phil & Elena Barona)

6:00-6:30pm - St. Augusta

Confesiones / Confesiones

Thursday, October 15

8:30am - St. Cecilia

Mass (Special Intention)

9:00-9:30am - St. Cecilia

Confesiones / Confesiones

Friday, October 16

8:30am - Sorrowful Mother

Mass (Mary Ann Dolezal)

9:00-9:30am - Sorrowful Mother

Confesiones / Confesiones

Next Weekend / El Próximo Domingo

Saturday, October 17

4:00 pm - St. Augusta

Mass (Louise Nelson)

Reader: Linda Duttlinger

Euch Min: Julie Mlynarczyk

Sunday, October 18

8:00 am - Sorrowful Mother

Mass (Mary Ann Dolezal)

Reader: Robyn Schatzel

Euch Min: Michelle Risner

10:00am - St. Cecilia

Mass (People of our Pastorate)

Reader: Bridget Helms

Euch Min: Edward Habrowski

12:15pm - St. Cecilia

Misa / Spanish Mass (People of the
 Pastorate)

Lector: Claudia Sadowski

Min Euc: Chilo Gutierrez

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP

Last Weekend's Regular Collection

St. Cecilia - \$4,121.00

St. Augusta - \$1,274.74

Sorrowful Mother - \$735.00

(*does not include online giving)

ONLINE GIVING

St. Cecilia

[https://onrealm.org/
 StCecilia/-/give/now](https://onrealm.org/StCecilia/-/give/now)

or

Via Text: StCecilia to 73256

St. Augusta

[https://faith.direct/enroll/choosegifts/
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Sorrowful Mother

[https://
 www.osvonlinegiving.com/4336](https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/4336)

From Father Mike

In today's second reading, Paul tells the Philippians, "I have learned the secret of being well fed and of going hungry, of living in abundance and of being in need. I can do all things in him who strengthens me." Trusting that God will take care of us may sound a bit unrealistic because it does not seem to deal with all the work we have to do in order to make a living and find the money it takes to house, clothe, feed, and care for our families. Pope Francis just released this past week his newest encyclical *Fratelli Tutti* (On the Fraternity and Social Friendship). In it, he proposes that in the midst of continuing hunger, poverty, war, and other forms of violence is a vision for a more just society that puts the human person as the focus rather than money. His concrete way to realize that vision is to recognize ourselves as brothers and sisters who are God's children and one another's keepers. It is a timely letter as he points out that our experience of a global pandemic reminds us that we are all in the same boat together. Even Paul, whose goal was to not be a burden to those he was evangelizing, tells the Philippians "Still, it was kind of you to share in my distress" as they helped him get food while he was in prison. COVID-19 has been a blessing in the sense that it has provided us the awareness of our common humanity, our reliance on one another, and the opportunities to care for each other. In this we can experience the fullness of God's care for every person, who "will fully supply whatever you need, in accord with his glorious riches in Christ Jesus." (Philippians 4:19)

Del Padre Miguel

En la segunda Lectura de hoy, Pablo les dice a los filipenses: "Sé pasar privaciones y vivir en la abundancia. Estoy entrenado para todo y en todo momento: a estar satisfecho o hambriento, en la abundancia o en la escasez. Todo lo puedo en aquel que me fortalece." (Filipenses 4, 12-13). Confiar en que Dios cuidará de nosotros pudiera parecer un poco irreal porque no parece ocuparse de todo el trabajo que tenemos que hacer para ganarnos la vida y encontrar el dinero necesario para albergar, vestir, alimentar y cuidar de nuestras familias. El Papa Francisco acaba de publicar la semana pasada su encíclica más reciente *Fratelli Tutti* (Sobre la Fraternidad y la Amistad Social). En esta encíclica propone que a pesar de que del hambre continua, la pobreza, la guerra y otras formas de violencia, hay una visión para una sociedad más justa que pone a la persona humana como el centro en vez de darle el lugar al dinero como prioridad. Su forma concreta de realizar esa visión es reconocernos a nosotros mismos como hermanos y hermanas, como los hijos de Dios que somos y cuidarnos los unos a los otros. Es una carta oportuna, ya que señala que nuestra experiencia de una pandemia mundial nos recuerda que todos estamos juntos en el mismo barco. Incluso Pablo, cuyo objetivo era no ser una carga para aquellos a quienes evangelizaba, les dice a los filipenses: "Sin embargo, hicieron bien en compartir mis pruebas" (Filipenses 4, 14) mientras lo ayudaban a conseguir comida cuando se encontraba en la prisión. El COVID-19 ha sido una bendición en el sentido de que nos ha proporcionado a conciencia nuestra humanidad común, nuestra dependencia de los unos con los otros y la oportunidad de cuidarnos unos a otros. En esto podemos experimentar la plenitud del cuidado de Dios por cada persona, quien "proveerá a todos sus necesidades, según su inmensa riqueza en Cristo Jesús." (Filipenses 4,19).

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

How easy it is, especially in these times, to be consumed by the cares and distractions of the "here and now," forgetting about what matters most—living for the Kingdom of Heaven. The stewardship way of life, with its emphasis on the virtuous use of our Time, Talent, and Treasure, allows us to embrace daily life and all its demands—with eternity in mind.

How do we keep focused on the Kingdom of Heaven? St. Paul shares his secret for an eternity-driven life. In our Second Reading from his Letter to the Philippians, Paul says, "I know how to live in humble circumstances; I know also how to live with abundance. In every circumstance and in all things I have learned the secret of being well fed and going hungry, of living in abundance and of being in need." In other words, Paul has learned to live the stewardship way of life.

What is the secret? It is this: "I can do all things in him who strengthens me." How? Through this: "My God will fully supply whatever you need, in accord with his glorious riches in Christ Jesus." It is so simple! But it is not easy. It takes both courage and humility to live this way. God will supply these to us if we ask.

REFLECCION SOBRE LA CORRESPONSIBILIDAD

¡Qué fácil es, especialmente en estos tiempos, ser consumido por las preocupaciones y las distracciones del "aquí y ahora", olvidándose de lo que más importa: vivir para el Reino de los Cielos! El modo de vida de administración de bienes, con su énfasis en el uso virtuoso de nuestro Tiempo, Talento y Tesoro, nos permite abrazar la vida cotidiana y todas sus demandas, con la eternidad en mente.

¿Cómo nos mantenemos enfocados en el Reino de los Cielos? San Pablo comparte su secreto para una vida impulsada por la eternidad. En nuestra segunda Lectura de su carta a los filipenses, Pablo dice: "Sé pasar privaciones y vivir en abundancia. Estoy entrenado para todo y en todo momento: a estar satisfecho o hambriento, en la abundancia o en la escasez." En otras palabras, Pablo ha aprendido a vivir el modo de vida de la administración de bienes.

¿Cuál es el secreto? Es esto: "Todo lo puedo en aquel que me fortalece". ¿Cómo? A través de esto: "Mi Dios, a su vez, proveerá todas sus necesidades, según su inmensa riqueza en Cristo Jesús." ¡Es tan simple! Pero no es fácil. Se necesita valor y humildad para vivir de esta manera. Dios nos los suministrará si lo pedimos.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION ACROSS THE PASTORATE

ST. CECILIA

Religious Education Classes for all youth K-12 are on Sunday, 11:00am-12:00pm. This includes youth preparing for First Reconciliation, First Communion, and Confirmation. Last day for registration is 10/14/20. No classes on October 18 due to fall break.

Ripe for Harvesting - Pick an apple from the Giving Tree in the church foyer to buy needed items for Religious Education.

Volunteers to help teach or assist in person are still welcome contact Trish Wyrobek 219-742-9236.

ST. AUGUSTA

CCD Grades 1-6 meet the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays 6:00-7:00pm beginning right after the 5:30 Mass. The first day of classes is Oct. 21.

Confirmation Class meets on the 2nd, 4th, and 5th Wednesdays of the month, 6-8pm, beginning Oct. 14.

Volunteers to be **catechists or assistants** are still welcome, especially someone for the first Wednesday of the month. For registration or other information, contact Jeannette Marter at 219-992-9010.

SORROWFUL MOTHER

SMC Kids

We are back and had a great start to our faith formation. Next week October 18 there will not be class due to fall break. The gospel weeklies will be sent home for the kids to work on at home with the parents. Please bring it back on October 25. Please bring the registration fee of \$25 per child in an envelope.

Youth Group/Confirmation

We are meeting on October 14 6:30pm - 8:00pm. We will not be meeting on October 21. Please bring the registration fee of \$25 per student in an envelope.

ONLINE CATECHESIS

For families choosing to do virtual religious education or wishing to supplement the experience at the parish, check out our diocesan weekly resource "At Home in Faith" at www.dol-in.org/AtHomeInFaith materials are posted on Fridays. These weekly lessons include a video and two page handout suitable for children and adults. Videos are posted to the office Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/DoLINCatechesis> on Sundays. These links are provided as extra material and tips for parents. Available directly from our diocesan Office of Catechesis.

COMMUNION FOR GLUTEN INTOLERANT

If you are in need of low gluten host please contact your parish office.



OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

All parishes in the pastorate are in need of additional help with the weekend Mass, especially Sacristans, those who help set up everything for Mass, and Hospitality Ministers, those who are helping seat and direct people around the church or into our overflow areas. Contact your parish office to sign up or for more details.

Sorrowful Mother has need of volunteers to help with the Food Pantry on Thursdays, 11:30am-12:30pm to unload and sort supplies. and each Saturday, 7:30-11:00am to assist serving clients. Contact Linda Duttlinger at 219-828-7611.

SEEKING DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS

Our Pastorate is seeking a full time Director of Operations (35-40 hours per week). Candidate will oversee the administration of strategic planning, human resources, finances, facilities, and communications across the parishes. Bachelor's Degree in Business, Accounting, Finance or related area, or equivalent experience is required. Proficiency with computers, especially Microsoft Office programs, is required, and experience with accounting software and social media is preferred. Proficiency with the Spanish language and Latino cultures is desired. Submit resume and references to fr.mmckinney@dol-in.org.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY



“The celebration of World Mission Day is also an occasion for reaffirming how prayer, reflection and the material help of your offerings are so many opportunities to participate actively in the mission of Jesus in his Church. The charity expressed in the collections that take place during the liturgical celebrations of the third Sunday of October is aimed at supporting the missionary work carried out in my name by the Pontifical Mission Societies, in order to meet the spiritual and material needs of peoples and Churches throughout the world, for the salvation of all.”

Pope Francis

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HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Sunday, October 11	9:00-10:15am, Sorrowful Mother - SMC Kids Grades K-8 11:00am-12:00pm, St. Cecilia - Religious Ed Grades K-12
Tuesday, October 13	7:30-8:00pm, St. Cecilia - Confessions
Wed., October 14	6:00-6:30pm, St. Augusta - Confessions 6:30-8:00pm, Sorrowful Mother - Confirmation/High School 6:00-8:00pm, St. Augusta - Confirmation Class
Thursday, October 15	9:00-9:30am, St. Cecilia - Confessions 11:30am-12:30pm, Sorrowful Mother—Food Pantry sort
Friday, October 16	9:00-9:30am, Sorrowful Mother - Confessions
Saturday, October 17	7:30-11:00am, Sorrowful Mother - Food Pantry assistance
Sunday, October 18	NO SMC Kids - Sorrowful Mother - Fall Break NO Religious Ed - St. Cecilia - Fall Break

HEARTS ON FIRE
APPEAL PRAYER

*Our Shared Commitment
in Christ's Work...*

Loving and generous God, Your Son, Jesus Christ said, "I have come to set the world on fire, and how I wish it were already blazing" (Luke 12:49).

By the power of your Holy Spirit
May our hearts be set on fire with love for You and all our neighbors.
May we recognize the abundance of Your loving gifts in our lives.
May we respond with trusting generosity as we participate in the Catholic Ministries Appeal, and support Christ's mission in the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana.
With Mary and Joseph, we ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

 **CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL**
September 2020 - December 2021
Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana

FORMING CONSCIENCES for FAITHFUL CITIZENSHIP

It is important for Catholics to be politically active. Pope Francis has stated that "We (Catholics) need to participate for the common good".

The attached link is provided to assist in making prayerful and conscientious decisions in the upcoming elections.

<https://www.usccb.org/offices/justice-peace-human-development/forming-consciences-faithful-citizenship>

