

# *Thirty-first Sunday of Ordinary Time November 5, 2017*

*In today's Gospel, Jesus lays judgment on the scribes and Pharisees for the hypocritical way they lived out their faith. The criticisms he levies are all about the ways righteousness turns into self-righteousness, and how religious belief turned into something that was more about elevating themselves than about what they could do for God or their neighbor. Good stewards know that discipleship means finding ways to serve, and searching for ways to be a servant--to live as a servant of Christ. When faith is authentically lived out in community everyone is enriched, and God is glorified. Reflect this week on how you live out your faith.*

## Saturday, November 4, 2017

**5:00 p.m.**

Intention: Jose I & Jose L. Borges †

Requested by: Madelena Borges

Intention: Albert M. Dias †

Requested by: Louie & Julie Barroso

**7:00 p.m. (St. Mary's)**

Intention: For All Those Inscribed in the St. Mary's Memorial Book

## Sunday, November 5, 2015

### *31<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**7:30 a.m.**

Intention: Frank Silveira †

Requested by: Wife (RIP)

**10:00 a.m.**

Intention: Louis F. Terra †

Requested by: Alan & Mary Oliveira

Intention: Frank A. & Mary M.

Vierra †

Requested by: Kevin & Laurette Locke

**11:30 a.m. (Portuguese)**

Intention: All Deceased Family

Members †

Requested by: Fatima Melo

Intention: Supreme Officers & All

Deceased Members of the PFSA #26

**6:30 p.m. (Spanish/St. Mary's)**

Intention: People of the Parish

## Monday, November 6, 2017

**NO 8:00 a.m. Mass**

## Tuesday, November 7, 2017

**8:00 a.m.**

Intention of: Kelly & Nisa Cox †

"Happy Anniversary"

Requested by: Sarah Cox

Intention: Eduardina Silveira †

Requested by: S.P.R.S.I.

## Wednesday, November 8, 2017

**8:00 a.m. Mass**

Intention: Manuel & Nivia Cardoso †

Requested by: Manuel & Gina Rosa

Intention: Anibal Luis †

Requested by: Carlos & Luisa Luis

## Thursday, November 9, 2017

*Feast of the Dedication of the*

*Lateran Basilica*

**8:00 a.m.**

Intention: Filomena DaCosta Fontes †

Requested by: John Fontes Family

Intention: Esperance Brasil †

Requested by: Clarence Silveira Family

**11:00 a.m. Senior Day Mass**

Intention: Evangelina & Jose Pereira †

Requested by: Arthur & Anna Cabral

**7:00 p.m. Y.M.I. Memorial Mass**

**(Mission Church)**

Intention: All Deceased Members of the

Young Men's Institute †

## Friday, November 10, 2017

**8:00 a.m.**

Intention: All Deceased family

members. †

Requested by: Joao & Maria Bertao

Intention: Joao & Carolina Pereira †

Requested by: Laura Pereira

## Saturday, November 11, 2017

**2:00 p.m. Wedding of:** †

*Cynthia Rodriguez & Carlos Tamayo*

**5:00 p.m.**

Intention: Jose Lourenco, Maria

Goncalve & Daniel Nunes †

Requested by: Jose & Maria Lourenco

Intention: Joe Macklin †

Requested by: Wife

**7:00 p.m. (St. Mary's)**

Intention: Joaquin Mancebo †

Requested by: Wife

Intention: Adelino M. Dias †

Requested by: Gino & Debbie Almeida

## Sunday, November 12, 2015

### *32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time*

**7:30 a.m.**

Intention: Joe L. Mendes †

Requested by: Wife & family

**10:00 a.m.**

Intention: Joe V. & Maria Lourenco †

Requested by: Tony Lourenco

Intention of: Antonio & Valquiria

Sousa ☺

Requested by: Dave & Tina Deniz

**11:30 a.m. (Portuguese)**

Intention: Francisco Fagundes †

Requested by: Wife

Intention: All Deceased Family

Members †

Requested by: Joe & Maria Matos

**6:30 p.m. (Spanish/St. Mary's)**

Intention: People of the Parish

**Please Keep in Your Prayers:** Eliza Alves, Vasco & Dina Anacleto, Adrian & Grace Alejandre, Joyce Ebertowski, Joseph Belo, Jack Betschart, Maria Bettencourt, Kari Boutte, Diana Brown, Gloria Casas, **Jose & Maria Caetano**, John Cardozo, Dan Coelho, Vitalina Coelho, Sarah Cox, Mike Droter, Jessica Flynn, Elvira Freitas, Amelia Garcia, Jared Germann, **Maria Gonsalves**, Alex Gonsalves, Patrick Leyden, Frank Machado, Ester Martinez, Carmelia Mattas, Maria F. Melo, David Mendonca, Carmen Mora, Matthew Morris, Jose Nunes, Maria Mercedes Nunes, Dan Ramos, Riley Rhoads, Joe D. Rocha, **Cassie Ruben**, Norman Silva, Antonio Soares, Lily Sousa, Sylvia Souza Mary Suarez, Jeanne Tristant, Jose Rodrigues Vieira, Nora Villarreal and Matthew Westcott. *We pray for God's healing power and grace. Please remember if you have an ill family member or friend that you would like to include on our prayer list or even have a visit by the priest call the parish office at 667-8961.*

## **Religious Education News**

**Thank you** to all who decorated a trunk and also to all who donated candy, cupcakes, chips, hotdogs, hotdog buns and water towards trunk or treat your donations and generosity were greatly appreciated. We also thank all the volunteers who helped set up, clean up, worked the games, in the kitchen and bounce houses. We had a bumper crowd. Thank you!!

**1<sup>st</sup> Year Confirmation Students** please begin making your parent/student interview appointments. You can call the CCD office at 632-7163. All appointments need to be completed **by November 15<sup>th</sup>**.

**Help is needed on Sunday, Nov. 19<sup>th</sup>** in preparing a meal for the 2<sup>nd</sup> year Confirmation Students & Sponsors. We are in need of 10 large lasagnas. May be store bought or homemade. If you can help out please call Dina at 632-7163.

**1<sup>st</sup> Communion Parent/Child Meeting** will take place in the Parish Hall on **Saturday, Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup> from 8:30-10:00am** in Spanish/Portuguese and **10:30-12:00** in English or **Sunday, Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup> from 12:30-2:00pm** in English or **2:30-4:00** in Portuguese (Spanish Reconciliation and 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion will be discussed. **This is for 2<sup>nd</sup> Year students and parents.** **Notes will be sent home thisweek for each child to decide the session they would like to attend.**

**Drivers needed on Wednesday, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup>** to transport students from Holy Rosary Church to the Nursing homes in Turlock. We will meet at Holy Rosary at 6pm and return by 8pm.

**The Tradition of giving Advent & Christmas gifts during Mass continues.** We are now accepting donations for those gifts in memory or honor of a loved one. The gifts will be labeled accordingly. If you would to be a sponsor please call Dina at 632-7163. These gifts will be given to every child that is in attendance during the weekend

**We Congratulate** the newest member of our Catholic Faith Community who is being baptized this weekend: **Kristen Marie Davis** daughter of Joshua & Cecilia. We pray that she and her family will continue to grow in faith and in the love of Jesus as they remain close to His church.

### **COME AND BUY SOME HOT DELICIOUS FILHOS....**

**Portuguese Prayer Group will have their annual Filhos Sale THIS Sunday, Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> beginning at 6:00 a.m.**



**November is to Remember the Faithful Departed** ones who have gone to their rest. **Envelopes are available to list the names of those who have died.** These are placed in the special memorial box at the altar for our own memorial during the month.

### **Attention Senior Citizens**

Join us for our monthly gathering on **Thursday, Nov. 9<sup>th</sup>** beginning with Mass at 11:00 a.m. followed by a delicious luncheon & Bingo in the Parish Hall. Remember, this is open to ALL senior citizens free of charge.

### **Next Weekend Combined Special Collection will be for the following:**

**Campaign for Human Development-** The CCHD makes a difference in low-income communities by funding programs that address the root causes of poverty. More than ever, CCHD needs your support.

**Catholic University of America-** is the national university of the Catholic Church located in Washington, D.C. It provides an academically rigorous education guided by Catholic intellectual tradition to 6,0000 students every year. *Please be as generous as you can for both of these special collections.*

**Attention Festa Participants:** If you borrowed any clothing for the parades, please return as soon as possible. Thank you.

**Turlock Together & Hilmar Helping Hands Announces annual Christmas Box Sign-ups for Stevinson, Hilmar & Delhi,** Tuesday December 5<sup>th</sup> from 9am to 12 noon at the *Covenant Church, Hilmar.*

Please bring Photo ID, Proof of Residence Proof of all persons living in household with s/s #'s. Distribution day will be Saturday Dec. 23 from 8 a.m. to 4:40 p.m. at Turlock Fruit & Nut Co.

**November is the perfect time to Purchase an Annual Memorial Candle in honor of a loved one or for a special intention.** Your memorial candle by our Lady of the Rosary or St. Joseph's statue will "burn" for one full year in honor of your loved one or your special intention.

A plaque displaying the name of your intention will be mounted in front of each candle. And will remain for one year. The annual offering for each candle is \$250.00.

For further information please pick up a form at the church entrance or call the parish at 667-8961.

**PLEASE NOTE: Weekly candles are available in the front rows at Our Lady and St. Joseph statues for weekly devotion as well as all the candles at St. Anthony and Sacred Heart of Jesus.**

**CLEANING TEAMS NEEDED** for our new church. A team can consist of 7 or more members who would be responsible to clean the new church every 2 months. You can make this a bonding experience with family and friends. Anyone who would like this opportunity to serve in this special ministry is asked to call Carmel Caetano 668-0795.

Thank you in advance for your time and talent in serving your parish.

### **Have A New Baby??**

Our next Pre-Baptismal class will be held **Thursday, November 16<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.** in the parish center. Please pre-register by filling out the registration forms by stopping at the office or log onto the [www.hilmarholyroary.org](http://www.hilmarholyroary.org).

**Our offering collection for October 28 & 29 \$4,012.00**

Last year October 29 & 30  
\$5,083.00

**Thank you, Obrigado & Gracias**

**Please remember to use your contribution number on all donations made.**