

## *Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ November 4, 2018*

*Take some time to reflect on the first part of Jesus' response to the scribe. Consider whether you have put any other gods before the one true God—what people, things, attitudes, and behaviors are getting in the way of your relationship with God? What do you need to do in order to truly love God with all your heart, soul, mind, and strength?*

### Saturday, November 3, 2018

**2:00 p.m. Wedding of:**

**Julie Rocha & Steven Sousa**

**5:00 p.m.**

Intention: Frank Brindeiro †

Requested by: Finely Huff Family

Intention: Maria Fatima Castro †

Requested by: Oscar & Luisiana  
Drumonde

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

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

### Sunday, November 4, 2018

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

**7:30 a.m.**

Intention: Orlando Luis †

Requested by: Manuel & Leonette  
Andre

Intention of: Kelly & Nisa Cox  
"Happy Anniversary"

Requested by: Sarah Cox

**10:00 a.m.**

Intention: Louis F. Terra †

Requested by: Jorge & Bernadette Vieira

Intention: Mary Vierra †

Requested by: Kevin & Laurette Locke

**11:30 a.m.**

Intention: All Souls in Purgatory †

Requested by: Francisco F. &

Guilhermina R. Costa

Intention: Maria Lucia Borges †

Requested by: Family

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

Intention: People of the Parish

### Monday, November 5, 2018

**8:00 a.m.**

Intention: Alcina Bettencourt †

Requested by: Odelta Andrade

### Tuesday, November 6, 2018

**8:00 a.m.**

Intention: Aurora & Manuel Rosa †

Requested by: John & Fatima Dias

Intention: All Souls in Purgatory †

Requested by: Maria Silva

### Wednesday, November 7, 2018

**8:00 a.m.**

Intention: Joao & Maria Mancebo †

Requested by: Laura Pereira

### Thursday, November 8, 2018

**8:00 a.m.**

Intention: Manuel Rodrigues †

Requested by: Fernando & Mary Rodrigues

Intention: Joe & Mamie Carvalho †

Requested by: Delores Mendes

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

Intention: Matthew & August Martins

Requested by: Paul Caetano Family

### Friday, November 9, 2018

**8:00 a.m.**

Intention: Antonio & Florinda Lopes †

Requested by: Maria Galhandro

### Saturday, November 10, 2018

**2:00 p.m. Wedding of:**

**Andrea Butler & Francisco Rodriguez**

**5:00 p.m.**

Intention: Avelino Serafina Barcellos †

Requested by: Judy Sousa

Intention: Bruce, Hubert, Frances &

Elmer Challberg † & all living and  
deceased family members

Requested by: Irene Challberg

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

Intention: Marie Avila †

Requested by: Joe & Janice Louro

### Sunday, November 11, 2018

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

**7:30 a.m.**

Intention: Welsh Family Ancestors †

Requested by: John & Ann Steffen

**10:00 a.m.**

Intention of: Manuel & Maria Almada

"Happy 40th Anniversary"

Requested by: Children & Grandchildren

**11:30 a.m.**

Intention: Joe B. Coelho †

Requested by: Wife & Family

Intention: Rosa Silveira †

Requested by: Husband

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

Intention: People of the Parish

**Please Keep in Your Prayers:** Joao Avelar, Eliza Alves, Joao Avila, Mary Beaman, Maria Belo, Jack Betschart, Leonor Brasil, Violet Brazil, Stephen Coelho, Elizabeth de Sousa, Elvira Freitas, Jared Germann, Cheryl Komos-Morse, Joe Lemos, Patrick Leyden, Joe B. Machado, Esther Martinez, Leonor Melo, Gloria Jean Mendes, Manuel Mendes, Phyllis Mendes, Carmen Moura, Prescilla Moura, Felismina Noronha, Maria Nunes, Jordan Ouse, Eliseu Pacheco, Joe & Lourdes Rocha, Maria Rocha, Maria Rosa, Raymond Sequeira, Joe Silveira, Ellen Silveira, & Jeannie Tristant.

**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+

**2<sup>nd</sup> Year Confirmation Parents** will have a mandatory meeting on **Wednesday, Nov. 14<sup>th</sup>** in the Mission Church from 7:00-8:30pm. Please plan now on attending.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Year Confirmation Students and Sponsors** have a retreat on **Nov. 18<sup>th</sup>**, from 8:30-5:00pm

**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. 18<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. They may be store bought or homemade. We also need kitchen help from 11:30-12:30pm 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. 1<sup>st</sup> from 9:00-12:00pm, or Sunday, Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup> from 1:00-4:00pm.** 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 this week for each child to decide the session they would like to attend.**

**Thank you** to all who decorated a trunk and also to all who donated candy, cupcakes, chips, hotdogs, hotdog buns, soda 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!!

**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 Masses.

## **November is a time to Remember the Faithful Departed**

During the month of November, we are called in a special way to remember our loved ones who have gone to their rest. The month of November especially *All Souls Day* is a traditional time for visiting graves of loved ones, as is the anniversary of death. Envelopes are available this weekend to list the names of those who have died. These are placed in the box in front of the altar for our own memorial during the month. Let us remember the Souls in purgatory in our prayers and they will surely intercede for us, in union with our blessed Mother and all the Saints. Let us continue to pray for those who have gone to their rest this year especially: **Jose G. Silveira Maria Ligia Nunes, Jose M. Tavares, Joao T. Abreu, Egidio M. Almeida, Matthew Manuel Freitas, Manuel C. Vieira, Laurinda S. Cunha**  
**Zachery R Moore, Francisco Feliciano, Marlisa Ann Baptista, Jose L. Moreno Madalena Da Gloria Borges, Maria Emma Azevedo, Jose Aleixo Chibante, Anthony Vierra, Jose Silva Mendes, Raul Apolinario, Michael A. Silva, Sherie Mendes**  
**Maria Fatima Melo, Salvador M. Flores Richard Moore, Manuel Vieira Silva Alvarina P. Galante & Isabelle "Belle" Faria**

**Portuguese Prayer Group will have their annual Filhozes Sale THIS Sunday, Nov. 4<sup>th</sup> beginning at 6:00 a.m.**

### **Attention Senior Citizens**

Join us for our monthly gathering on **Thursday, November 8<sup>th</sup> beginning with the recitation of the Rosary 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.

**PLEASE NOTE: The monthly gathering will be changed to the third Wednesday of the month beginning December 19<sup>th</sup>.**

**Bosom Buddies- Hilmar Breast Cancer Support Group** will meet on Monday, November 5<sup>th</sup>, beginning 6:00 p.m. at the Parish Center with guest speaker nutritionist Katilyn Xavier.

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

**Once again we extend a BIG THANK YOU/OBRIGADO** to the Festa Committee: **President: : Tony & Cidalia Drumonde**

**Vice President: Leroy & Arlene Vierra, Secretary: Ines & Antonio Vieira, Treasurer: Mary Xavier, as well as the numerous people who assisted the committee in many ways with their many hours of hard work behind the scenes to bring it all together.** May our community grow closer together and closer to our loving God as a result of our prayers and gathering during these holy days. Pray for us, Holy Mother of God, that we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

**We Congratulate** the newest member of our Catholic Faith Community who is being baptized this weekend: **Carter Leo Couto** son of Gary and Fallon. We pray that he and his family will continue to grow in faith and in the love of Jesus as they remain close to His church.

**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 6,000 students every year. *Please be as generous as you can for both of these special collections.*

### **THANK YOU**

We thank the **Gloria Ramos** for donating the beautiful Altar Flowers at St. Mary's in loving memory of her sister **Adeline Souza.** Thank you for beautifying our church with this gesture of love and remembrance.

**Our offering collection for October 27 & 28 \$7,601.00** (Festa Weekend)  
Last Year October 28 & 29 \$4,012.00  
**Thank you, Obrigado & Gracias!**