

Dear Sisters and Brothers,

All too often at an anniversary we tend to look backward with great nostalgia and longing. This is good. But we can't do this too long! Some may say it was so much better way back then! Others look too far forward failing to see the beauty of the present moment. Still others look forward with anxiety. What will come in the years ahead? Will we be here? What will we look like?

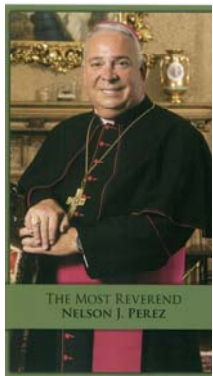
I believe the Lord is asking us to stay right in the present moment filled with grace! We stand in a great tradition that tells us grace has been present in the past and is abundant today! The present still tells us that Christ's presence is powerfully among us now and will continue to be with us in the days and years and even decades ahead.



Today as we come to the table of the Lord at the Eucharist, we give great thanks to God who has been with the parish of Our Lady of Guadalupe from its start 50 years ago. I want to thank Bishop Roger for his presence, support and prayer. I want to thank my brother priests and deacons who gather with us and who have served this parish. Your prayer and sacrifices have inspired this

parish to grow in holiness. You have courageously shepherded this community for 50 years. The countless staff and parishioners who call this parish home have welcomed the poor, the lost, as well as the curious to make this parish a family of mercy and forgiveness.

We implore our Blessed Mother to continue to watch over us named after her most wonderful title of Our Lady of Guadalupe! She is our patron and the patroness of the Americas.



I gladly say this! We are not ending our celebration with this Liturgy and dinner to follow. Bishop Nelson Perez has informed me that he will preside at our feast day liturgy on December 12th. So, the party goes on until that day! Through the intercession of our Lady, her beloved Juan Diego, all the saints, and those who have gone before us into the Kingdom of God, may we ask for God's blessing and may we all give great thanks to our God: Father, Son and Spirit, for our family: Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish.

Rev. Kevin C. Shemiga

What's Happening

Sunday, October 8

Mass 8:30 & 10:30 am
 PSR (All Rooms) 9:30-10:30 am
 Sunday Night Live 6:30-8:00 pm

Monday, October 9

St. Denis

St. John Leonardi

Confessions 5:45 pm
 Evening Prayer 6:15 pm
 Evening Mass 6:30 pm
 PSR (All Rooms) 6:30-7:45 pm

Tuesday, October 10

Morning Prayer 8:15 am
 Mass 8:30 am
 Guadalupe Ringers, CH 7:00 pm
 OLG MFTIN, MR 8:00 pm

Wednesday, October 11

St. John XXIII

Morning Prayer/Communion 8:30 am
 Scripture Study, TE 9:15 am
 Rosary, MR 6:00 pm
 Bereavement Grp., MR 7:00 pm
 K of C, CR 7:30 pm

Thursday, October 12

Magnificat Choir, CH 7:00 pm

Friday, October 13

OFFICE CLOSED

**No Morning Prayer
 No 8:30 AM Mass**

Saturday, October 14

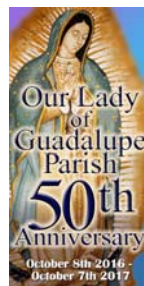
St. Callistus I

Blessed Virgin Mary

Office Closed
 Perpetual Adoration Ends 8:00 am
 Mass, CH 4:30 pm
 Confessions 5:30 pm

Sunday, October 15

Mass 8:30 am & 10:30 am
 PSR (All Rooms) 9:30-10:30 am



**HAPPY
 50TH ANNIVERSARY
 OUR LADY OF
 GUADALUPE**

The Closing Mass of Our 50th Anniversary
Yearlong Celebration

October 7 & 8, 2017
The 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our Lady of Guadalupe Church

Macedonia, Ohio

*** Gathering Hymn ***

O God Beyond All Praising

1. O God be - yond all
2. Then hear, O gra - cious
3. With - in your might - y

prais - ing, We wor - ship you to -
Sav - ior, Ac - cept the love we
will, O Lord, All things that you have

day, And sing the love a -
bring, That we who know your
made, And none you have cre -

maz - ing That songs can - not re -
fa - vor May serve you as our
a - ted that can re - sist your

pay; For we can on - ly
King; And wheth - er our to -
will. For you have made

won - der At ev - 'ry gift you
mor - rows Be filled with good or
all things, the heav - en and the

send, At bless - ings with - out
ill, We'll tri - umph through our
earth, And all that is held

num - ber And mer - cies with - out
sor - rows And rise to bless you
in your heav - en and on the

end: We lift our hearts be -
still: To mar - vel at your
earth. You are the Lord of

fore you And wait u - pon your
beau - ty And glo - ry in your
ev - 'ry - thing, We praise you night and

word, We hon - or and a -
ways, And make a joy - ful
day, May your will be our

dore you, Our great and might - y
du - ty Our sac - ri - fice of
pur - pose, O God, show us your

Lord. _____
praise. _____
way. _____

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*** 1st Reading ***

Isaiah 5: 1-7

Let me now sing of my friend, my friend's song concerning his vineyard. My friend had a vineyard on a fertile hillside; he spaded it, cleared it of stones and planted the choicest vines; within it he built a watchtower, and hewed out a wine press. Then he looked for the crop of grapes, but what it yielded was wild grapes.

Now, inhabitants of Jerusalem and people of Judah, judge between me and my vineyard: What more was there to do for my vineyard that I had not done? Why, when I looked for the crop of grapes, did it bring forth wild grapes? Now, I will let you know what I mean to do with my vineyard: take away its hedge, give it to grazing, break through its wall, let it be trampled! Yes, I will make it a ruin: it shall not be pruned or hoed, but overgrown with thorns and briars; I will command the clouds not to send rain upon it. The vineyard of the LORD of hosts is the house of Israel, and the people of Judah are his cherished plant; he looked for judgement, but see, bloodshed! for justice, but hark, the outcry!

The word of the Lord.

THANKS BE TO GOD.

*** Response ***

Psalm 80: 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year A

Owen Alstott

The vine - yard of the Lord is the
house of Is - ra - el.

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*** 2nd Reading ***

Philippians 4: 6-9

Brothers and sisters: Have no anxiety at all, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God. Then the peace of God that surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus.

Finally, brothers and sisters, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is gracious, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Keep on doing what you have learned and received and heard and seen in me. Then the God of peace will be with you.

The word of the Lord.

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*** Gospel ***

Matthew 21: 33-43

Jesus said to the chief priests and the elders of the people: "Hear another parable. There was a landowner who planted a vineyard, put a hedge around it, dug a wine press in it, and built a tower. Then he leased it to tenants and went on a journey. When vintage time drew near, he sent his servants to the tenants to obtain his produce. but the tenants seized the servants and one they beat, another they killed, and a third they stoned. Again he sent other servants, more numerous than the first ones, but they treated them in the same way. Finally, he sent his son to them, thinking, 'They will respect my son.' But when the tenants saw the son, they said to one another, 'This is the heir. Come, let us kill him and acquire his inheritance.' They seized him, threw him out of the vineyard, and killed him. What will the owner of the vineyard do to those tenants when he comes?" They answered him, "He will put those wretched men to a wretched death and lease his vineyard to other tenants who will give him the produce at the proper times." Jesus said to them, "Did you never read in the Scriptures: *The stone that the*

builders rejected has become the cornerstone; by the Lord has this been done, and it is wonderful in our eyes? Therefore, I say to you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people that will produce its fruit."

The Gospel of the Lord.

PRAISE TO YOU, LORD JESUS CHRIST.

*** Offertory Hymn ***

Adios, Oh Virgen de Guadalupe

Tradicional

1. A - dios, Oh Vir - gen__ de Gua - da -
2. Good-bye, O Vir - gin__ of Guad - da -
3. Good-bye, O Vir - gin__ of Gua - da -
4. Good-bye, O Mo - ther__ most lov - a -
5. A - dios, Oh Vir - gen__ de Gua - da -

lu - pe,__ a - dios oh Ma - dre__ del Sal - va -
lu - pe,__ good-bye O Mo - ther__ of the Sa -
lu - pe,__ good-bye O Mo - ther__ of the Re -
ble__ Here__ I leave you__ my hea -
lu - pe,__ a - dios oh Ma - dre__ del Sal - va -

dor. Des - de que ni - no__ nom - brar - te
vior. Since I was small__ I've known your
deemer. Be - fore your thone__ all__ your
rt. Good-bye O Vir - gin in com - pra -
dor. Des - de que ni - ño__ nom - brar - te

su - pe,__ e - res mi vi - da,__ e - res mi
name,__ You are my li - fe,__ you are my
peo - ple,__ al - ways ga - ther,__ all of your
ble.__ Give me my La - dy,__ give me my
su - pe,__ e - res mi vi - da,__ e - res mi

vi - da,__ mi so lo a - mor.
li - fe,__ my on - ly love.
peo - ple__ full__ of love.
La - dy__ your bles - sing.
vi - da,__ mi so lo a mor.



*** Communion Antiphon ***

Come To The Banquet

James Chepponis



Come to the ban - quet, come to the feast.



Eat the bread of life! _____



Share in the sing - ing, share in the joy.



Drink the cup of love!

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1. Draw near and take the body of the Lord.
And drink the holy blood for you outpoured.
Saved by his body, hallowed by his blood,
with souls refreshed, we give our thanks to God.
2. Salvation's giver, Christ, the only Son,
who by his cross and blood the victory won.
Gave up his life for greatest and for least,
Himself the victim and himself the priest.
3. Come forward then with faithful hearts sincere,
and take the promise of salvation here.
The Lord, who faithful servants loves and shields,
to all believers life eternal yields.
4. With heav'nly bread makes those who hunger whole,
gives living waters to the thirsting soul.
Before your presence, Lord, all people bow.
In this your feast of love be with us now.



*** Going Forth Hymn ***

Our Lady of Guadalupe

Julianne Malley Kuchcinski

Ludwig van Beethoven



1. Our La - dy of Guad - a - lup - e,
2. Our La - dy of Guad - a - lup - e,
3. Our La - dy of Guad - a - lup - e,



Ho - ly Moth - er of God's Son,
To Juan Di - e - go, she appear - ed,
Pa - tron - ess of A - mer - i - cas,



Bles - sed Vir - gin, God's own daugh - ter,
Told him to pick ros - es in his
Com - fort ills, be near the dy - ing,



Ho - ly, pure, and grace - filled one;
til - ma on a win - ter day.
you are here for all of us.



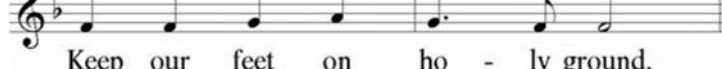
Be our aid as here we _ trav - el
To the bish - op he did hur - ry,
Be our strength when e'er we _ strug - gle,



On the _ earth but heav - en bound.
And to _ their a - maze - ment be,
Be our hope in times of fear.



Help us fol - low your ex - am - ple,
On his cloak there was her im - age,
You are ho - ly and in Heav - en,



Keep our feet on ho - ly ground.
All who saw did now be - lieve.
Be our light to guide us there.