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 At that, he said to them,
 "Then repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar
 and to God what belongs to God."
[MT 22:15-21](#)

Dear Friends,

The political arena is very complicated. The mystery of God in contrast is very simple. Jesus refused to enter into the realm of politics. Instead when he was offered the Roman coin, he praised his Father.

The Pharisees desired to silence Jesus by drawing him into politics. Any dialogue or arguments there surely would have not gone well. Jesus instead turned to God the Father. He acknowledged politics and government, but we belong solely to the Father.

What does this mean? This profoundly means we are made in the image of God. The writings in the book of Genesis that girded the teachings of Jesus was very clear that God created us. God desires us. God has given us the way to Him and with him. In this time of intense arguments about politics and candidates we are to turn with Jesus to the Father for wisdom and guidance. We believe the holy spirit is present in the teachings of Jesus given through the Church.

As a pastor I am to guide the Church in making decisions that reflect the mercy and justice of the Father. We are to stand with Jesus who is in union with the poor, the unborn, the elderly and the prisoner. We look to leaders who respect all peoples and their rights. We give thanks that we live in our country which protects the right to worship and to follow the ways of Christ who is leading us home to God.

On Monday, October 19th, the Sacrament of Penance will be celebrated at 6:30 PM in the Church with our PSR students and all adults who would like to participate. Four priests will be present. There will be no 6:30 PM Mass.

Rev. Kevin C. Shumiga



Saturday, October 17

Mass, CH 4:30 pm
 (Live Streamed on Facebook)
 Anointing of the Sick @ 4:30 Mass
 Confessions 5:30 pm
 Olivewood Carvings Sales after Mass

Sunday, October 18

Mass, CH 8:30 am
 Mass, CH 10:30 am
 PSR (All Rooms) 9:30-10:30 am
 Olivewood Carvings Sales after Mass
 Confirmation Service Retreat ... 11:00 am-5:30 pm

Monday, October 19

Confessions, CH 5:45 pm
 Evening Prayer, CH 6:15 pm
 PSR (All Rooms) 6:30-7:45 pm
 Sacrament of Penance, CH 6:30 pm
 No 6:30 Evening Mass

Tuesday, October 20

Mass Live Stream on Facebook..... 12:00 pm

Thursday, October 22

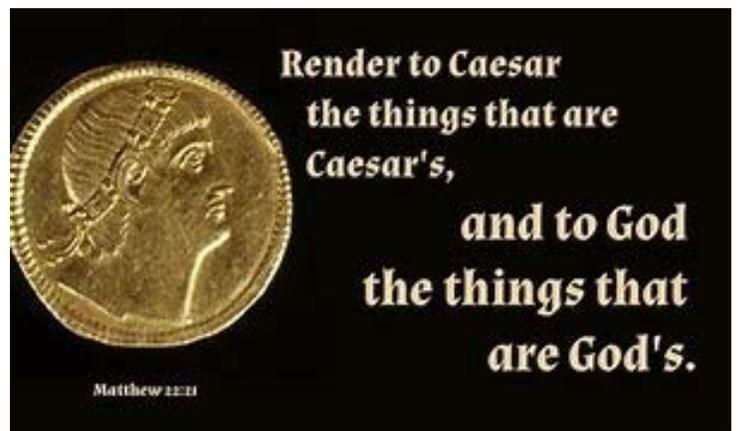
Mass Live Stream on Facebook..... 12:00 pm
 Theology of the Body @ St. Barnabas 7:00 pm

Saturday, October 24

Mass, CH 4:30 pm
 (Live Streamed on Facebook)
 Confessions 5:30 pm

Sunday, October 25

Mass, CH 8:30 am
 Mass, CH 10:30 am
 Trunk or Treat 12:00-2:00 pm





The 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time October 18, 2020

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church
Macedonia, Ohio

The Liturgy of The Word

*1st Reading:

Isaiah 45: 1, 4-6

Thus says the LORD to his anointed, Cyrus, whose right hand I grasp, subduing nations before him, and making kings run in his service, opening doors before him and leaving the gates unbarred: For the sake of Jacob, my servant, of Israel, my chosen one, I have called you by your name, giving you a title, though you knew me not. I am the LORD and there is no other, there is no God besides me. It is I who arm you, though you know me not, so that toward the rising and the setting of the sun people may know that there is none besides me. I am the LORD, there is no other.

The word of the Lord. **THANKS BE TO GOD.**

*Psalm:

Psalm 96: 1,3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-10

Give to the Lord glory and honor.

**O sing a new song to the LORD;
sing to the LORD, all the earth.**

**Tell among the nations his glory,
and his wonders among all the peoples.**

**For the LORD is great and highly to be praised,
to be feared above all gods.**

**For the gods of the nations are naught.
It was the LORD who made the heavens.**

**Give the LORD, you families of peoples,
give the LORD glory and power;
give the LORD the glory of his name.
Bring an offering and enter his courts.**

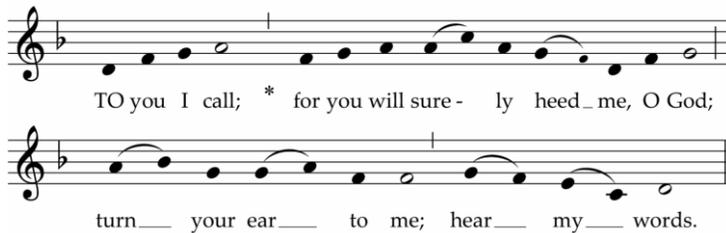
**Worship the LORD in holy splendor.
O tremble before him, all the earth.
Say to the nations, "The LORD is king."
He will judge the peoples in fairness.**

Give to the Lord glory and honor.

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*Gathering Antiphon

cf. Ps. 17: 6,8



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1. Guard me as the apple of your eye.
Hide me in the shadow of your wings.

2. Praise the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, both now and forever,
the God who is, who was and is to come at the end of the ages.

*Glory To God

RECITED by ALL

**Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.**

**We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.**

**Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.**

**For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.**

*2nd Reading:

1 Thessalonians 1: 1-5b

Paul, Silvanus, and Timothy to the church of the Thessalonians in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ: grace to you and peace. We give thanks to God always for all of you, remembering you in our prayers, unceasingly calling to mind your work of faith and labor of love and endurance in hope of our Lord Jesus Christ, before our God and Father, knowing, brothers and sisters loved by God, how you were chosen. For our gospel did not come to you in word alone, but also in power and in the Holy Spirit and with much conviction.

The word of the Lord. **THANKS BE TO GOD.**

*Alleluia Verse: (Philippians 2: 15d, 16a)

Shine like lights in the world
as you hold on to the word of life.

*Gospel:

Matthew 22: 15-21

The Pharisees went off and plotted how they might entrap Jesus in speech. They sent their disciples to him, with the Herodians, saying, "Teacher, we know that you are a truthful man and that you teach the way of God in accordance with the truth. And you are not concerned with anyone's opinion, for you do not regard a person's status. Tell us, then, what is your opinion: Is it lawful to pay the census tax to Caesar or not?" Knowing their malice, Jesus said, "Why are you testing me, you hypocrites? Show me the coin that pays the census tax." Then they handed him the Roman coin. He said to them, "Whose image is this and whose inscription?" They replied, "Caesar's." At that he said to them, "Then repay to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God."

The Gospel of the Lord. **PRAISE TO YOU, LORD JESUS CHRIST.**

*Homily:

Reflection on The Word

*Profession of Faith

The Apostle's Creed

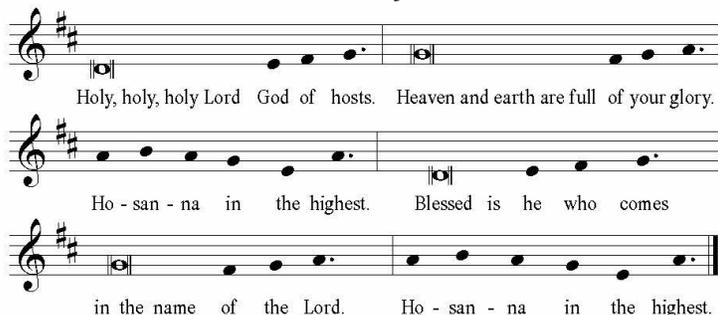
**ALL: I believe in God, the Father almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
(At the words that follow, up to and including "the Virgin Mary," all bow.)
Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried; He descended into hell;
on the third day He rose again from the dead;
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty;
from there He will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.**

*Prayers of the Faithful

Response: **Loving God, hear our prayer**

The Liturgy of The Eucharist

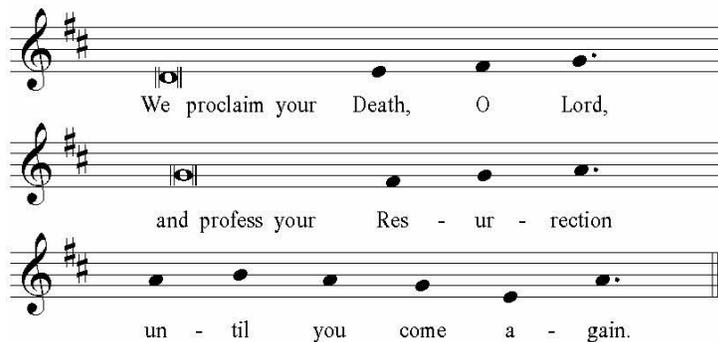
*Holy



Holy, holy, holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Ho - san - na in the highest. Blessed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the highest.

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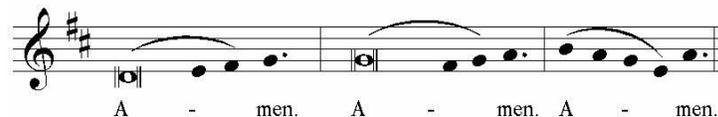
*Mystery of Faith



We proclaim your Death, O Lord,
and profess your Res - ur - rection
un - til you come a - gain.

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*Amen



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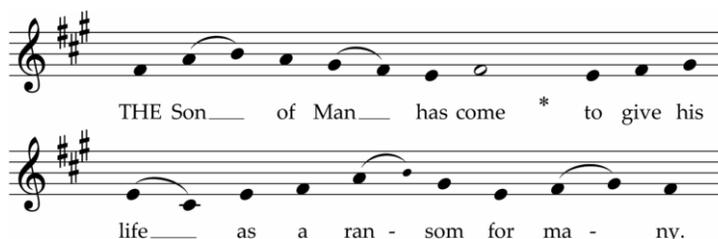
*Lamb of God

RECITED by ALL

**Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us.
Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world,
grant us peace.**

*Communion Antiphon

Mark 10:45



THE Son of Man has come * to give his
life as a ran - som for ma - ny.

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(from Ps. 40)

1. You do not ask for sacrifice and offerings, but an open ear.
You do not ask for holocaust and victim. Instead, here am I.
2. In the scroll of the book it stands written that I should do your will.
My God, I delight in your law in the depth of my heart.
3. Your justice I have proclaimed in the great assembly.
My lips I have not sealed; you know it, O LORD.
4. O LORD, you will not withhold your compassion from me.
Your merciful love and your truth will always guard me.
5. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.
As it was in the beginning, is now, and shall be,
world without end. Amen.

*Dismissal



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| Amato, Janice | Flaherty, Elaine | Mulby, Annette |
| Ballard, Tom | Frosty | Murmann, Bob |
| Beaty, Jan | Funk, Bill | Perry, Hunter |
| Bell, Mic | Furlong, Robert, Jr. | Petal, Margo |
| Bender, Neil | Galus, Bob | Peters, Richard |
| Bernazzoli, Larry | Gates, Sue | Procyk, Ron |
| Blackwell, Joan | Gilmore, Sharon | Puma, Tessa |
| Blaze, Amanda | Giordano, Madeline | Riley, Patrick |
| Blaze, Olivia | Gordon, Patricia | Schindler, Jack |
| Boley, Ken | Granger, Pete | Schindler, Richard |
| Brower, Dan | Grasson, Donna | Schoeller, Jeff |
| Brower, Jean | Grgak, Renee | Sebastian, Brian |
| Bryson, Laura | Gruber, Jessica | Seminsky, Martha |
| Carroll, Bobby | Hall, Justin | Shemuga, Patricia |
| Citraro, Joseph | Herrick, Marge | Shumar, Samantha |
| Citraro, Kathleen | Hetzal, Jan | Szabados, William |
| Craft, Robert | Hunter-Hetzal, Kim | Tonsetic, Brian |
| D'Angelo, Sharon | Janko, Jack, Fr. | Ward, Cory |
| Danko, Matt | Kane, Alex | Wills, Patrick |
| Das, Tulsi | Kawa, Bob, Fr. | Witmer, Rose |
| Delgrosso, Tyler | Kelsey | Yax, Dave |
| Dodd, Joyce | Kirby, Isabel | Zangara, Karen |
| Drager, Erika | Kopkas, Dorothy | Zeman, Roy |
| Ferrara, Michele (Mike) | Kucharski, Charlie | |
| | Law, Thomas, Sr. | |
| | Lebree, Judy | |
| | Lohr, Jennifer | |
| | Malley, Steven | |
| | Matejka, Richard | |
| | Mickey, June | |
| | Mikolay, Shirley | |

Monday, October 19	
6:30 pm.....	Helen C.J. Wolfe
Tuesday, October 20	
12:00 pm.....	All Souls
Thursday, October 22	
12:00 pm	George & Ursula Drabik
Saturday, October 24	
4:30 pm.....	All Souls, Greg Dell
Sunday, October 25	
8:30 am.....	All Souls & People of OLG
10:30 am.....	Edward Diebold

Readings for the Week of October 18, 2020

Sunday	Is 45:1, 4-6/1 Thes 1:1-5b/Mt 22:15-21
Monday	Eph 2:1-10/Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday	Eph 2:12-22/Lk 12:35-38
Wednesday	Eph 3:2-12/Lk 12:39-48
Thursday	Eph 3:14-21/Lk 12:49-53
Friday	Eph 4:1-6/Lk 12:54-59
Saturday	Eph 4:7-16/Lk 13:1-9
Sunday	Ex 22:20-26/1 Thes 1:5c-10/Mt 22:34-40

Join us as we celebrate Halloween in a safe, family friendly environment here at OLG! On **Sunday, October 25, from noon to 2PM**, Children are invited to come and walk the parking lot here at OLG as staff and parishioners pass out candy from their decorated trunks of their vehicles. There will also be games for the children to participate in. All activities will be outside, so please dress for the weather!

*****Volunteers Needed.*** Trunks and more trunks! Let's fill the parking lot with decorated trunks and pass out candy. Prizes for best decorated trunks! To reserve your space- sign up in the narthex, email matt@olg.cc, or call 330-468-2194, ext. 131.**



On Monday, October 19, at 6:30, all PSR grades will be attending a Penance service. Families are invited to attend as well. After the service, students and families will have the opportunity to receive the

sacrament of reconciliation.

Got Leaves?

Our confirmation classes will be attending a day of service retreat in a couple of weeks. We are looking for some households from our parish that could use some help in outside cleanup at their homes. Leaves are starting to fall and if you or someone you know could use the help, we would be happy to help clean them up. This is outside yard cleanup only! The date will be Sunday, October 18 from 1-3pm. Please contact me to sign up ASAP, as I will only be looking for 10-12 households. Thank you!
Matt Griffith, DRE , 330-468-2194, ext. 131

Harvest the Knowledge: a free virtual speaker series

Jennings is thrilled to offer a valuable, free virtual speaker series to the community that you can join online or by phone! Northeast Ohio trusted resources are providing information that can help you guide others about safe driving for seniors, Medicare open enrollment, available veterans benefits, estate planning, Catholic burial and preplanning, advanced directives, and more. Speakers will be each Wednesday, October 14-December 16 from 12:00noon - 1:00p.m. Details and registration at www.jenningsohio.org/harvest .

One Minute With God

Happiness is trusting in God more than anything

Collection Report

October 11, 2020

Sunday Offering\$4,639.00
Vanco (EFT) General Offertory (10/5-10/11)\$2,190.00
Total Offertory\$6,829.00

Rejuvenate, Replace, Repair\$518.00
Vanco (EFT) RRR (10/5-10/11)\$526.00
Total RRR donations\$1,044.00

Total Collections: \$7,873.00

158 Vanco EFT participants

**Thank you for sharing that
which God has so generously shared with you!**

**Anyone wishing to enroll in EFT may do so
by visiting donations.olg.cc**

Monthly Diocesan Assessment: \$7,384.00
Monthly Health Benefits: \$7,045.00
Monthly Pension: \$1,871.40

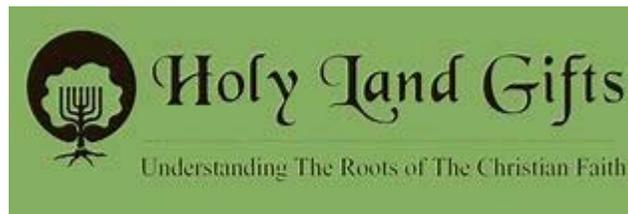


On Monday December 7th the welcoming committee is planning a special Festival of Trees and Wreaths in honor of Our Lady of Guadalupe feast day. SAVE THE DATE and Start planning your themes. Father Kevin is having a special mass at 6:30 p.m.

involving the PSR children and we will be having our silent auction winners after the mass. We are asking Ministries and families in our Parish to contribute a themed decorated 3 foot artificial Christmas tree or wreath to be brought to the church starting Nov 1st. A silent auction will be set up for your bids during the four weeks of November, so you may acquire the Christmas tree of your choice. Profits from this auction will go to our parish to help with expenses during our quarantine period. Please join us on December 7th for the 6:30 mass and announcements afterwards. For more information, please contact Mary Leben at 330-467-9305.

Protecting God's Children

The Diocese of Cleveland's "Protecting God's Children" program is a continuing effort to instruct and inform everyone about the protection of children from sexual abuse. To report any past or present suspected inappropriate behavior toward children by priests, deacons, religious, lay ecclesial ministers or personnel associated with the Church, please contact the Diocesan Response Service Office at 216-334-2999 or via email at response_services@dioceseofcleveland.org. You are also asked to immediately inform local authorities about inappropriate behavior.



The weekend of October 17/18, there will be a display of handmade articles for sale such as Nativity Scenes, Crucifixes, Rosaries, and many other beautiful religious items.

Because of conflict in the region, many Christian families in Bethlehem are struggling to make ends meet.

Holy Land Gifts represents over 150 Christian families who make a living by selling traditional Olivewood handcrafts and religious articles.

When you purchase one of these beautiful gifts, you are helping artisans in the Holy Land provide for their families who live and work with dignity in the region fraught with tension.

Thank you for supporting this project to keep the Christians present in the Holy Land.



Please join The Living Bread Radio Network Tuesday, October 20 at 7:00pm for Living Bread Radio's premier "Virtual Fundraising Banquet."

This year our featured speaker will be Fr. Cedric Pisegna, C.P., one of the most highly regarded voices in Catholic media today.

It was an extremely difficult decision to go to a "Virtual Banquet" this year but due to stringent health restrictions it would be impossible for us to gather in person. It will be very easy to watch from www.LivingBreadRadio.com and begins at 7:00pm.

I hope you can gather your friends, some appetizers, a nice bottle of wine, and join us to hear Fr. Pisegna's exclusive message for the Living Bread Radio Family. There will also be an inspirational message from Fr. John Riccardo.

For more information or questions, please call 888-966-2903.

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MINISTRY FOR THOSE IN NEED UPDATE

The Ministry For Those In Need at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church is starting its busiest time of the year and we would like to inform our parishioners of our current and upcoming activities.

First off, we would like to thank our parishioners for your great generosity during COVID. With your support, we have continued helping those less fortunate and contributed to our local emergency food banks in the area.

In September, our Ministry was working on the Back to School Supply Drive with the St. Vincent de Paul Society of the Diocese of Cleveland. As mentioned in our article last week, we are preparing to help with supplies as requests come in. The Akron school system plans to start in-class learning the end of October and we are anticipating receiving requests for supplies. While we cannot accept actual school supplies this year, in the past a full set of supplies was valued at \$17. If you would like to make a monetary donation to pay for the equivalent of one or more sets please designate it on an envelope and drop it in the collection basket at church.

October is when Blanket Sunday occurs. Envelopes for this project (winter warmth) are in you envelope packet. If you wish you could donate via the envelopes, or if you prefer, you can bring new or like new blankets, sheets, etc to church and place them on the table in the foyer. We will be collecting these items next week as well.

November 14-15 will be our Food Pantry Collection. Feel free to bring any non-perishable items to church and we will place them in our pantry (let them set a few days) and use these items in our Thanksgiving food basket delivery.

And finally, December brings us to the Advent Christmas Tree! We are very happy to announce that the agencies involved would like to keep things as usual by providing an actual present to the children and special needs adults at Hattie Larlham and Our Lady of the Wayside. Ornaments will be placed on the Giving Tree November 21st and the gifts are due back December 13th! We are starting a week earlier to give our parishioners 3 weeks to purchase your gift. This will give you more time if you select to purchase your gift on line.

The members of the Ministry For Those In Need thank you so very much for your support!

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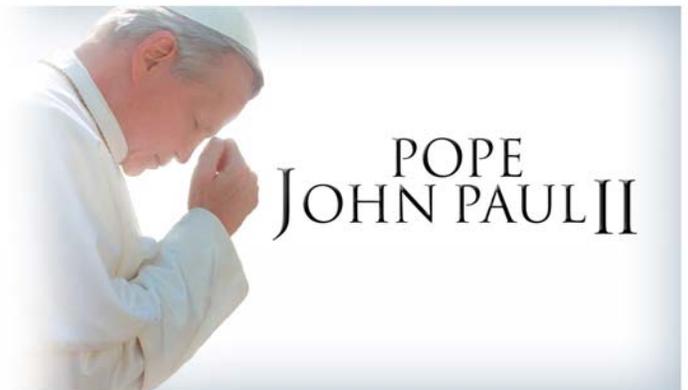
PICK OF THE WEEK

October 18, 2020

WATCH

POPE JOHN PAUL II

This epic film follows Karol Wojtyła's journey from his youth in Poland through his late days on the Chair of St. Peter. It explores his life behind the scenes: how he touched millions of people, changed the face of the Church and the world, and how he defended the dignity of mankind.



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