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ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

# Newsletter

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## October, month of the Holy Rosary

*"The Rosary is the most beautiful and the richest in graces of all prayers; it is the prayer that touches most the Heart of the Mother of God...and if you wish peace to reign in your homes, recite the family Rosary."*

Pope Saint Pius X

*"The beginning of the way, at the end of which you will find yourself completely carried away with love for Jesus, is a trusting love for Mary."*

*"Today as in other times the Rosary must be a powerful weapon to enable us to win in our interior struggle and to help all souls."*

St. Josemaria

**ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH**

Financial Report  
AUGUST 2020

<b>RECEIPTS:</b>	
Collections	28,714.16
Second Collections	625.00
Fund Raisers	- 0 -
Cemeteries Funds	50,002.25*
Other Income	2,058.64
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$81,400.05</b>
<b>DISBURSEMENTS:</b>	
Salaries & Benefits	18,653.02
Rectory, Church & Offices	9,919.16
Budgeted Committees	161.49
Contributions/Aid	1,650.00
Scholarships	- 0 -
Second Collections	255.00
Cemeteries Expenses	13,014.76
Other Expenses	524.89
Diocesan Assessment	2,366.83
Parish Support-Seminarians	401.91
Capital Expenditures	- 0 -
<b>TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES:</b>	<b>\$46,947.06</b>
<b>EXCESS RECEIPTS OVER DISBURSEMENTS:</b>	<b>\$34,452.99</b>

\*Took \$50K out of Diocese Cemetery Savings for new St. Joseph Cemetery fence, of which \$40K was given to us by the Quapaw Indians several years ago for the fence.

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**Parish Council News**

Several weeks ago, Father Joe Marconi held a Parish Town Hall meeting to discuss holding the 2020 Spaghetti Supper.

This is a major fundraiser for our parish each year. In the interest of the health of our parish and the community, it was decided the Spaghetti Supper would be cancelled this year due to COVID-19. Please remember how important it is to continue your stewardship. We pray this long-time tradition will continue in 2021.

Wishing You a

Happy  
Birthday!



## OCTOBER

01	Dean Chambliss	12	Laura Kauffman	22	Pam Blake
02	Karen Cash	12	Steve Massanelli	23	Renee Mayer
03	Kenny Scott	13	Bruce Bellefeuille	23	Wendy Ruggeri
03	Rose Mary Smith	13	Lori Echlin	23	Jeff Winkler
04	Richard Burleigh	13	Cynthia Forestiere	24	Kathleen Phillips
04	LeAnn Saffold	14	David Jackson	26	Sunny Abraham
04	Debbie Yount	15	Cassie Braden	26	Susanne Chambliss
05	Lynn Bryant	16	John Elkins	27	Cooter Failla
05	Louise Duck	16	Savannah Morgan	27	Ayn Freygang
06	John Via	18	Cindy Fakouri	28	Kyle Dean
07	Garrett Dennis	19	Barbara Billinger	28	Lexi Parker
07	William Parker	19	Jack Culpepper	29	Eddie Rinchuso
09	Nancy Gieringer	19	Walter Theriot	30	James Belvedresi
10	Sarah Camarillo	19	Mary Winkley	30	Donald Lain
10	Barbara Sanders	20	Hazel Turchi	31	Linda Simpson
11	Tyler Clay	21	Elizabeth Love		
12	Michael G. Cash	22	Ximena Alvarez		

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01	David & Maria Jackson	09	Jack & Janie Culpepper
02	Cameron & Shannon Morgan	12	Pat & Cindy Sutliff
02	Neil & LeAnn Saffold	17	Steve & Paula Massanelli
03	Matt & Kim Soto		
08	Ross & Ann Allen		
08	Mark & Mary Ives		



**Catholic Daughters of the Americas**  
**Court Our Lady of Victory, #564**  
**September 27, 2020**

The regular meeting of CDA was called to order by Regent Mary Ann Kizer. Silent roll call of officers was done. Minutes were read for the February 23, 2020 regular meeting. No corrections were noted. Also, an explanation of proceedings due to the COVID-19 pandemic dated July 11, 2020 was also read. Kathryn Brickey gave the Treasurer's report.

**Circle of Love Reports**

- **Education** - It was noted that the deadline for the CDA scholarship application was Wednesday, September 30<sup>th</sup>. At this point, no applications had been received.
- **Family** - Gretchen Zell reported on the following: support ad for Birthright; annual Birthright diaper drive; Blessings of Animals, October 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10:30am; October is Respect Life month. A red rose will be placed on the altar each weekend during October. October is Down Syndrome Awareness month. The Christ the King's Respect Life Month Speaker series was shared. St. Francis holy cards were distributed to members present.
- **Leadership** - No chair and no report at this time.
- **Legislation** - Connie Boutwell reminded members that the last date to register to vote is October 5<sup>th</sup>.
- **Quality of Life** - Angelique Ford noted the purpose of her committee was to do things to improve the quality of life for people. It was discussed that an option might be that members bring can goods to the meetings for Neighbor to Neighbor. It was noted that our Court has budgeted a \$100 quarterly or \$400 a year for the St. Peter's Food Kitchen. Individuals were encouraged to let Angelique know when they helped at the Food Kitchen. Priest Appreciation was discussed. It was agreed that our court would make a monetary donation to Father for \$100. It was suggested that the Knights of Columbus should be asked if they wanted to match or share the amount given to Father. Angelique will contact Tim Boutwell, Grand Knight regarding this.

**Other Committees**

- **Membership** - Trudy Pascale had discussed with Regent Kizer the possibility of the court sponsoring a Bunco party. It was decided not to due to the issues of social distancing.
- **National Charitable Projects** - Emma LaFitte would like our court to have a Hat Fashion Show. Donations would go toward the National Charitable Projects. Barbara Akins agreed to assist Emma with details.

**Unfinished Business:**

- **Financial Review**---Emma LaFitte reported that the Court's books were audited and were found in order.
- **New Officers**---The new officers that were elected and will served the next 2 years were: Regent – Mary Ann Kizer; Vice Regent – Deb York; Recording Secretary – Gretchen Zell; Financial Secretary – Kerry Ellen Campbell; Treasurer – Kathryn Brickey
- **"No Bake" Bake Sale**---Kathryn Brickey reported that the court may have made \$1000 on the "No Bake" Bake Sale in May. Donations were still coming in.
- **National Convention**---Kathryn Brickey reported that the National Convention was cancelled in July due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Registration fees were refunded.
- Catholic Daughter of the Year was announced by Kathryn Brickey. It was Gretchen Zell.
- **Tamale Sale**---It was reported that the court had about 50 dozen of tamales that can be sold. It was discussed to reduce the price to \$10. An announcement will be placed in the church bulletin.

**New Business**

- Gretchen Zell will contact the County Judge's office regarding the possibility of a CDA proclamation for October 18<sup>th</sup>.
- Deb York made a motion that CDA sponsor a "No Bake" Bake Sale in November. Angelique Ford seconded the motion. An announcement will be placed in the bulletin.
- Mary Ann Kizer noted that the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of our court would be December 21, 2021.
- Angelique Ford will chair Mask Sewing for Frontline Workers. She will investigate the 'ends and outs' of this project.

**Financial Secretary Report** - Connie Boutwell reported for Kerry Ellen Campbell. \$275 was taken in. This amount included dues and donations for the "no bake" bake sale.

**State Officer's Report** - Connie Boutwell reported that the State CDA Convention will be held in El Dorado, April 9-11, 2021. State officers discussed having a virtual workshop. Local officers will be sent a questionnaire and asked to return it to Trudy Pascale. State officers chose "Show Love To One Another" for the theme for the Education Contest. All media will be accepted. Deadlines were as follows: February 1<sup>st</sup>---entries due to local court chair; March 1<sup>st</sup>---local winning entries due to state court chair; April 1<sup>st</sup>---state winning entries due to national chair. National Director assignments will be known in October. Junior Catholic Daughters is for girls that are 6-18 years of age. It was noted that El Dorado was preparing for the 1<sup>st</sup> JCDA court.

**Announcements:**

- The Fun Tax will be mailed.
- On CDA Sunday, October 18<sup>th</sup>, at 10:30am, the rosary will be prayed at the grotto prior to Mass. An announcement will be placed in the bulletin.
- Attendance Prize Drawing---Emma LaFitte won a mum. Connie Boutwell won the 50/50 drawing.

Submitted by,

Gretchen Zell, Recording Secretary

# Peace Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi



Lord, make me an instrument of your peace.  
Where there is hatred, let me sow love.  
Where there is injury, pardon.  
Where there is doubt, faith.  
Where there is despair, hope.  
Where there is darkness, light.  
Where there is sadness, joy.  
O Divine Master,  
grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled,  
as to console;  
to be understood, as to understand;  
to be loved, as to love.  
For it is in giving that we receive.  
It is in pardoning that we are pardoned,  
and it is in dying that we are born to Eternal Life.  
Amen.

THIS  
MONTH IN

## Mass

### October 04

**TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME**

Is 5:1-7

Phil 4:6-9

Matt 21:33-43

### October 11

**TWENTYEIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Is 25:6-10

Phil 4:12-14, 19-20

Matt 22:1-14

### October 18

**TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Is 45:1, 4-6

1 Thes 1:1-5

Matt 22:15-21

### October 25

**THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Ex 22:20-26

1 Thes 1:5-10

Matt 22:34-40



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