## 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time November 10, 2023

1 Kgs 17:10-16 Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 Heb 9:24-28 Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44

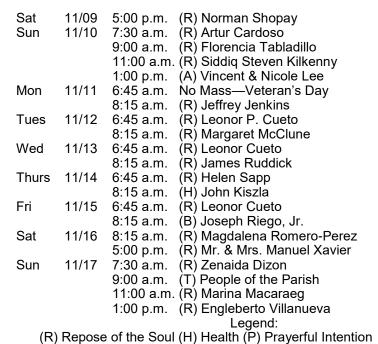
"Praise the Lord, my soul!"



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### Altar Flowers for the Anniversary of Michael & Izetta Scott Mass Intentions



(A) Anniversary (B) Birthday (T) Thanksgiving

December 2024 Intentions Opened November 1



### All Saints' Mass Our 3rd Grade Students

Please pray for the recovery of the sick listed in our Book of Intentions and the following:



Michelle Garcia, Dennis Kolkebeck, Adrienne Varin, Sandra K. Andrakin, Patricia Butler, Hau Thi Vu Nguyen, Bill Telepak, Pauline Soop, Rose Marie Watterson, Elaine Paschal, Maria Bongco, Ramon Dela Cruz, Carol Marsh, Francisco Gan, Dino Tan, Donna Wade, Jenny Quandt, Michael Raymundo Co, Christian Salcedo, Marsha Morse, Sean Salvatin, Rolando Cortez, Paul Cruel, Meredith Morrow, Laura Starkey, Maria de Fatima Pereira, Eileen Hayes, Barbara Donley, Cecilia Tan, Sherry Thomas, Barbara Helms, Colin Larkin, Jerry Schilz, Alma Johnson, Lisa Santini, Liz Thurin, Rosie & Don Klatt, Aurora Basilio, Leonor Cruel, Mark Nees, Albert Tan Co. Ron Pearman, Patricia Weber, Bernice Cure, Margaret Haddad, Monika Pangelinan, Gladys Haddad, Julia Haddad

## Please remember the following recently deceased (and their families) in your prayers:

Barbara Peck, David Barnhardt, Jane Gasper, Renato Duey, Margaret McClune O.P.L., Fr. Donald Bramble, O.P., Helen Sapp, Cindy Tarantino, Delores Franko, Nina Hurst, Rita Schneider, Martha Parada de Reid, Lucita Rios, Marta Leda Aversano Franchini, Dorothy Szabo, Siddig (Steve) Kilkenny

~names will be listed approximately 3 months as space allows~













### **Pastor's Corner**



It was fun preaching on the Solemnity of All Saints for our school kids a few weeks ago. I pointed out to them that while many people think All Saints Day celebrates only famous canonized saints, like Saints Dominic, Catherine, Teresa, and Francis, the truth is it is meant to celebrate all of

the saints in Heaven, whether canonized or not. I explained that the famous canonized saints should be seen sort of like favorite players on an NFL football team. Such athletes can inspire us to be the best we can be. In this spirit, many of us even like to dress like them by wearing jerseys decorated with their names and numbers. This, of course, provided a fun opportunity for me to show the kids my Niners jersey, which sported the name of tight-end George Kittle. I told the kids that at the time I got the jersey, Kittle was my favorite player because I appreciated the good character he modeled. I admired the zealous way Kittle

always seemed to give all of himself to every play on the field, trying like heck to get even one more inch forward before being completely stopped by a tackle. I also dug the way he was so generous about complimenting other players during his press conferences, seeming to delight in the greater glory of the overall team. However, then I went on to say that while Kittle remained



one of my favorite players, lately I had found myself drawing more inspiration from quarterback Brock Purdy. This was because while Brock Purdy was an outstanding quarterback, he did not seem to allow the accolades he received to overtake his humility. Mostly, what I admired about Purdy was the open way he expressed his Christian faith, directing compliments he received about his ability toward the greater glory of God. Purdy also made a point to pray with other believing players on the field, including faithful athletes from the opposing team. I told the kids that, as Christians, the canonized saints were meant to inspire us in similar ways to grow in our own holiness. For example, Saint Dominic had a tremendous impact on key life choices of mine. As a younger person, it was the prospect of preaching that first attracted me to the priesthood. As a kid, mass homilies typically bored me. However, on the rare occasions when a homily did hold my attention, I found the experience so enriching. It made me love the idea of spending a life trying to offer others preaching that at least I would have found interesting. You can imagine then why I would have admired Saint Dominic for starting a religious order dedicated to the charism of preaching! Let us continue to draw inspiration and intercessory prayer from the saints in Heaven on this journey led by Christ home the Father!

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## **Upcoming Events**

#### Knight's of Columbus Breakfast TODAY! Sunday, November 10

After Morning Masses

#### **Veteran's Day - Office Closed**

Monday, November 11 8:15 a.m. Daily Mass Only

#### Women's Bible Study

Mondays 6:30—8:00 p.m. Siena Room

#### YA Men's Bible Study

Fridays 5:30 p.m. Siena Room

#### **SVdP Thanksgiving Food Boxes**

Full Boxes Return TODAY!
Delivery - Saturday, November 16
9:00 a.m. from SVdP Pantry (Alley)

#### **Cabrini Movie Night**

Friday, November 14 6:30 p.m. in Parish Hall

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JOIN US FOR A NIGHT OF WINE AND ADVENT WREATH MAKING. PLEASE RSVP FOR YOUR SUPPLIES. SUGGESTED DONATION \$5.



NOVEMBER 22, 2024 7:00PM - 9:00PM MARY MAGDALENE ROOM

CONTACT: MOTHERS@STDOMSBENICIA.ORG



## In celebration of our second year of service The Gabriel Project Presents "Cabrini" by Angel Studios

This film is based on the life of St. Frances Xavier Cabrini who was canonized by Pope Pius XII on July 7, 1946.

Please join us for fellowship and snacks on Friday, November 15th at 6:30 p.m.

Followed by the showing of "Cabrini" at 7 p.m.

Admission is free. The movie is rated (PG). Parental discretion is advised.





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Parish Office Hours Tuesday - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.