

**NOVEMBER 1, 2020  
SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS**

**SCRIPTURE REFLECTION THIS WEEK**

Today's feast remembers all the sainted women and men who have gone before us and intercede for us at the throne of the Lamb. While we may know many 'saints' in our lives, the Saints we celebrate today are raised up as universal examples of conversion, holiness, and faith. Saints from every continent who are remembered today invite us to contemplate our own call to holiness and faithfulness to the Gospel. Those who endure are counted among the blessed, proclaimed by Jesus in Matthew's Gospel today. May we be blessed to follow in their footsteps, inspired by their faithfulness to the call of Christ in their lives, and be counted in their number when all the Saints go marchin' in!

**YOUR SACRIFICE THIS WEEK**

Thank you for your sacrificial gift for our church. Our goal to meet our budget is \$5,000.00. Thank you for your generosity and faithfulness in these difficult days!

**SUNDAY OFFERING 10/25/2020**

In Church	\$1700.00
Cash App	\$ 85.00
Vanco On-Line	\$ 320.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2105.00</b>
World Missions	\$ 31.00
Local Charities	\$ 29.00
Building Fund	\$ 10.00

**BUILDING UPDATE**

Work continues to move dirt for the water retention basin that will be installed under the parking lot. It is hoped that work on foundations can begin next week. Please continue to pray for the safety of our workers and for good weather to allow progress to move forward.

**ELECTRONIC GIVING OPPORTUNITY**

Electronic giving is an option for your support of St. Agnes+Our Lady of Fatima. Go to our parish website at [www.saolf.org](http://www.saolf.org) and click on the tab marked "Make a Gift." Instructions are given there for electronic giving as well as a number for giving by text message. CASH APP will be available for the

indefinite future. Please consider using the VANCO electronic giving option described above so that all gifts may be streamlined and properly credited in the church accounting procedures. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

**MASS INTENTIONS AND  
SCRIPTURES THIS WEEK**

**Nov 1 Solemnity of All Saints**  
*Is 45:1, 4-66-9 Ps 96:1, 3-5, 7-10  
1 Thes 1:1-5 Mt 22:15-21*  
5:00 pm For the Parish  
8:30 am Marjorie Connally, dec.  
10:30am All Souls Intention

**Nov 2 Commemoration of All Souls**  
*Wis 3:1-9 Ps 23:1-6 Rom 5:5-11  
Jn 6:37-40*

**Nov 3 Weekday**  
*Phil 2:5-11 Ps 22:26-32 Lk 14:15-24*

**Nov 4 St. Charles Borromeo, bishop**  
*Phil 2:12-18 Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 Lk 14:25-33*

**Nov 5 Weekday**  
*Phil 3:3-8 Ps 105:2-7 Lk 15:1-10*

**Nov 6 Weekday**  
*Phil 3:17-4:1 Ps 122:1-5 Lk 16:1-8*

**Nov 7 Weekday**  
*Phil 4:10-19 Ps 112:1-2, 5-6, 8-9  
Lk 16:9-15*

**Nov 8 Thirty Second Sunday of Year**  
*Ex 22:20-26 Ps 18:2-4, 47,51  
1 Thes 1:5-10 Mt 22:34-40*  
5:00pm Irene Persely, dec.  
8:30am For the Parish  
10:30am James and Gloria Forte, dec.

*Daily Scripture texts are also available at  
the Catholic Bishops' website @uscbb.org*

**LITURGICAL MINISTRY UPDATE**

We will begin in December to schedule regular liturgical ministers as best as possible using the scheduling software we were using before the pandemic. Every effort will be made to contact ministers before scheduling to ensure availability. As there is still no directive for returning to regular church obligations, we will do our best to accommodate those who are not able to attend at this time. Please note:

1. One reader will be scheduled for each mass for the Scriptures.
2. No Eucharistic Ministers will be assigned until we can return to Communion under both bread and wine.
3. Greeters will not be scheduled, but Ushers will be in place to assist with helping find seats and direct the Communion procession.

Thank you for your patience in these days as we move to some level of normal and active participation of all in our Sunday worship.

**WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY UNDERWAY**

Bible Study is on Wednesday mornings from 10:30 to noon led by Deacon Hardin Martin. The log-in information is below.

1. Download the ZOOM app to your computer or open in your browser.
2. The meeting code is **874 1604 7716**
3. The passcode is **229898**
4. Follow the directions on your screen and Deacon Hardin will welcome you in.
5. You may also call in for the study at 1-312-626-6799. You may need to use the code and password above.

Materials are being gathered to help your study and reflection that can be used online or by hard copy. Next **morning session is Wednesday, November 4.**

**MONDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY**

The next Monday Night Bible Study is November 2 at 7pm on ZOOM. Here is the information to log on using the ZOOM app:

Meeting ID: 871 0738 4830  
Password: 708043  
Phone Number: 301 715 8592

**A NEW NAME?**

We are looking for a new name for our parish hall once it is completed next year. Do you have an idea? A name? Please email Brother Bob with your ideas and they will among those considered as we look to our new parish center. Many have suggested naming it after the donor, but she wanted nothing with her name on it. There has been support for:

- LEGACY HALL
- HERITAGE HALL
- FOUNDERS' HALL

What do you think? A decision will be made on December 1, 2020.

**+PRAY FOR THE SICK+**

*We pray for all those who are affected in any way by the Corona Virus, or by any physical or spiritual illness at this time, especially the following:*

Ogechi Achunine Mary Avery Georgia Atkinson Kalima Assami Joyce Baker David Baker Bessie Bolles Joyce Blanton-Smith Donna Blythewood Anna Broadhead Christine Byrd William Byrd Marcella Caffie Rosemarie Criniti Marion Campbell Annette Cardwell Kathy Clayton Catherine Dominic Terrell Cole Maddy Coughlin Robin Davis Edna Evans Catherine Ford Richard Gayle James Nakima Della Gholson Myron Gholson Toni Griffin-France Adriene Hall Wendell Harris JoAnn Hinson Althea Hite Ursula Hite Patricia Heard Estelle Hodges Kyllan Hughes Valada Hutchinson Maxine Jackson Andrea Johnson Joseph Jones Brianna Jones Evelyne Jones Reaber Jones Craig Kelly Lynne Kelly Michelle Kennedy Janie Kincaid Francesca Lehu Dolores Malby Elizabeth Malby LeVerta Marshall Bill Miller David McClain Chantel McConnell Chaquita McClinton Sharon McDuffie Terri Mohr Verendez Moore Theda Nichols Lounette Payne Erma Pollard Nisha Presley Sue Scott Regina Shanklin Jerry Shelton Kevin Sipp John Strozier Barbara Sudberry Janice Thompson Hubert Watson Desiree Webb Aris White Catherine Young James Keifer Kathy Heard Eboni Edwards Monique Johnson Margie Jones Barbara Marshall Brown Naomi Matthews Fay Grady Rachael Glaster Odessa Marshall Jame Hoyle Judy Guzy Dean Hodges Sr. Latina Thomas Constance Durrah Mary Roberts Donald Leftwich James Jackson Marcia St. John Sabrina Wilson Betty Moore Ophelia Swain Fidela Lozada Evelyn Morson-Eddie Alonzo Givens Juanita Carter Regina Woodard Beverly Greene Reed Jahiem Wilson Ali'Bey Warren Family William Jackson Kardier Jackson Carol Hollinger Mattie McDonald Anita Gullett Carson Wetherwax.

*Pray for our service women and men!*

**FORMED:**

Go to the website at (<https://watch.formed.org>) to keep current in your faith! For more information please contact Br. Bob.

**PARISH PICTORIAL DIRECTORY**

Has finally arrived! Work will be done to have directories available to those who had photos taken,

and then additional directories will be made available. Thanks for your patience. How young we all look in the photos!

#### COVID19 UPDATE

Please be vigilant in seeking out the correct information with regard to the Covid19 Virus and current precautions for coming to worship on Sundays. We are still observing physical distancing and the wearing of face masks, and hand sanitizer is available. **Due to the cold weather, the doors of church will be closed. Please use the sanitizer provided as you enter the church, or feel free to carry your own.** If you have the opportunity to get a flu shot this year, check with your doctor to receive the best recommendation for you. Stay safe and well!

#### ST. JOSEPH ACADEMY OPEN HOUSE

For our young women who may be interested in attending St. Joseph next fall. Covid restrictions require that families register ahead of time at [www.sja1890.org/admission/visit](http://www.sja1890.org/admission/visit). For more information call Mackenzie Schuler at 216-619-1937.

#### ST. EDWARD HIGH SCHOOL

Is also preparing to welcome new students. Dates for entrance testing are set for Nov 4 at 5:30 pm For more information or to register contact Admissions at 216-521-2204. Open House dates require registration at [sehs.net/openhouse](http://sehs.net/openhouse) and are set for Nov 2.

#### POPE FRANCIS NEWS

Many have heard of Pope Francis' remarks regarding the recognition of same sex couples for protection under law. While some have raised questions about this, it is consistent with Pope Francis' call to respect all people, treating all with dignity and respect, and protecting all people – even if we should disagree in how they live out their lives. Pope Francis is not changing church teaching on marriage and family life, but recognizes the human right of all to live in and belong to a family with protections afforded by law. Civil unions are not sacramental marriages, but all persons need to be respected. Should you have any questions about what you have “heard,” please feel free to reach out to Br Bob or Deacon Martin.

#### IN NOVEMBER WE REMEMBER

Since we are unable to personally write the names of loved ones in the Book of the Dead here in church,

please send the names of the loved ones you wish to be remembered to [brotherbob@saolf.org](mailto:brotherbob@saolf.org). These names will be gathered each week and placed on the altar for remembrance during the month. Candles in memory of those who have passed this year will be lighted and placed at the Baptismal Font through the month of November.

#### THANKSGIVING EVE

Plans are to celebrate Mass on Thanksgiving Evening at 7pm on November 25 to give thanks for the blessings received this year and to mark the Fifth Anniversary of the dedication of our church. Mass will be streamed live on Facebook and available on our website on Thanksgiving Day.

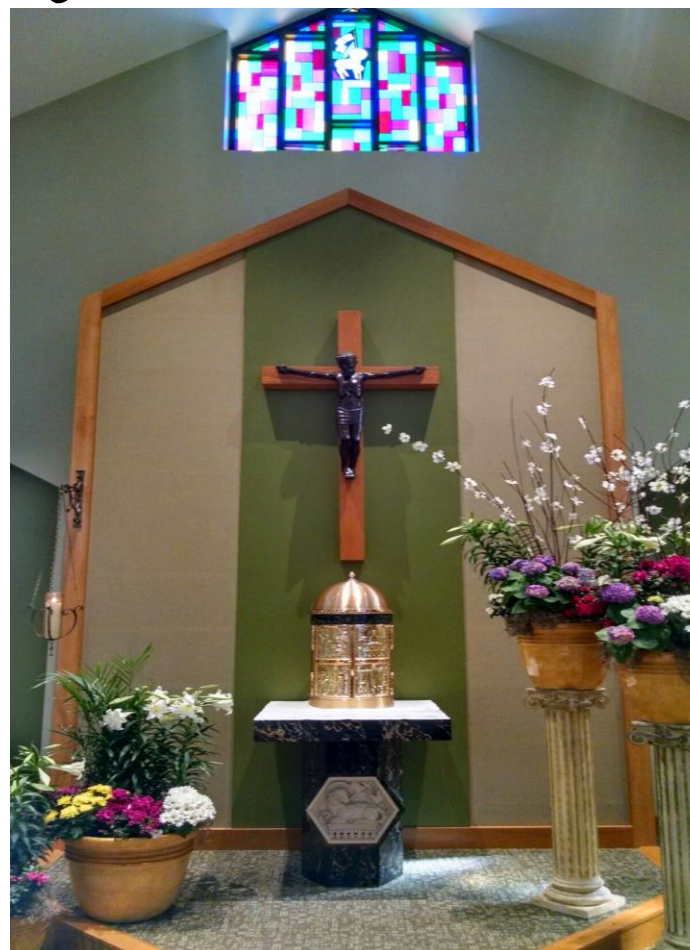
#### HOLY HOUR FOR ELECTION EVE

A time of prayer and adoration on Monday evening, November 2 at St. Peter Church, 1533 E. 17<sup>th</sup> St. in anticipation of the Election Day on November 3. Church opens at 7pm with opportunity for Eucharistic Adoration and Confessions. Sponsored by the Newman Catholic Campus Ministry at Cleveland State. Parking available in lot behind the church.

#### PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

This past week the Parish Pastoral Council met in extraordinary session to consider the first letter sent by Bishop Malesic to the faithful of the Diocese in regard to the upcoming election this week. While the letter addressed concerns regarding voting with and informed conscience and the importance of supporting an agenda consistent with our Faith, it fell short of addressing the violence and division facing our country, the systemic racism that has been exposed, and the concerns of our community as related to COVID19 and the Black Lives Matter Movement. Our parish council is preparing a response in collaboration with the other parishes in our community to raise these concerns with Bishop Malesic at the beginning of his time of service. A copy of the letter from Bishop Malesic is available on the diocesan website and through the Office of Ministry to African American Catholics. Once the Council response is prepared, it will be posted to our website and available in hard copy with the bulletin in church. Please remain prayerful and vigilant in making our voice heard in our nation and in our Church!

## St. Agnes+Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Church



### MISSION STATEMENT

*Saint Agnes + Our Lady of Fatima Church is a visionary Catholic Christian Community.*

*As a diverse parish, we embrace  
Africentric worship,  
Christ centered hospitality,  
and missionary service.*

*Sustained by the wisdom of our elders  
and energized by the spirit of our youth,  
we come together in faith  
as a church family  
to give witness to the liberating message  
of the Gospel*

#### Fatima Family Center

6600 Lexington Ave.  
LaJean Ray, Director  
216-391-0505

6800 Lexington Avenue  
Cleveland, Ohio 44103

A Ministry of the Capuchin Franciscan Friars  
Visit the Capuchins at [www.capuchin.com](http://www.capuchin.com)

#### PARISH INFORMATION

Office: 216-391-1655  
FAX: 216-391-7919  
Friary: 216-431-8854  
Website: [www.saolf.org](http://www.saolf.org)

#### Mass Schedule:

Sunday: 5:00 (Vigil)  
8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.  
Weekday: As Scheduled  
Holyday: 7:00 p.m.

#### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturdays 4:00 pm or anytime by appointment.

#### Sacrament of Baptism for Infants:

Arrangements made in advance with Carolyn Mack. Godparents must be practicing Catholics.

#### Sacrament of Marriage:

Preparations begin with priest or deacon BEFORE setting a date and six months prior to intended date. Contact Brother Bob or Deacon Martin before setting a wedding date.

#### Sacrament of the Sick and Home Visits:

Please contact the parish office.

**Parish Registration:** Welcome to our parish. To register, please contact the parish office.

#### PARISH STAFF:

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**Bulletin Deadline: Tuesdays at 12 noon**