

Our Lady of the Holy Souls Catholic Church

1003 North Tyler Street - Little Rock, Arkansas 72205
"Encounter Jesus, Serve Others."



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THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - November 5, 2023

Traveling Chalice for Vocations



Has God been asking you to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life? Our Vocations Chalice is a beautiful way to pray for vocations. A prayer for vocations is provided for your use.

Every weekend, the chalice will be presented during the closing Mass Announcements and can be returned on Fridays at the 7:00 a.m. Mass or to the Church Office during the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. To be assigned a week or for more information, please contact the Church Office at 501-663-8632 or office@holysouls.org.

3rd Annual • Holy Souls Boy Scout Troop 27



To order, scan the QR Code for the online form.
Email OLHStroop27@gmail.com for more information.

10-12 SERVINGS

Estimated cooked weight
is 4.5 lbs. Great for the
holiday gatherings!

\$50 EACH

Smoked then frozen,
heat up at anytime!
Over \$100 Value!

PROCEEDS

Go towards Troop
Campouts, Summer Camp &
Scouting Adventures!



Money due by time of pick-up. Cash, CC/
Debit or Checks (Payable to BSA Troop
27) are accepted.



Invitation to the Men of the Parish

If you are interested in:

- Helping those in need
- Serving our parish
- Growing in your Catholic faith
- Having exclusive access to top-rated insurance protection for your family
- (yeah...and a little fun along the way)
- Then the Knights of Columbus is the organization for you!
- Please consider joining us!
- For more information, please contact Pete Stabnick at 501-663-8632 or office@holysouls.org.



Holy Sews MINISTRY



Holy Sews invites you to our next Workday on Sunday, November 12, from 12 Noon to 4:30pm in the Benedict House, Tyler & "H" Streets. We will be making the beautiful layettes for stillborn babies who are too tiny and fragile for regular baby clothes. Even if you don't sew, there are many other things you can do to help this ministry fulfill its commitment to its mission. You can even do your part at home.

SENIOR HIGH CYM

2023-2024 Schedule
9th - 12th Grade

Regular Meetings: 6:00 - 8:15 at the Benedict House

November 8, 15, & 29

JUNIOR HIGH CYM

2023 - 2024 Schedule
7th - 8th grade

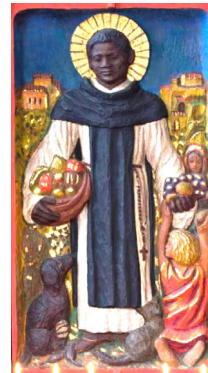
Regular Meetings: 3:00 - 5:00 at the Benedict House

November 15 & 29

Have Questions?
Please contact Andrew Baka at
abaka@holysouls.org

Saint of the Month

Saint Martin de Porres



PATRON SAINT:

African Americans, Biracial People, Barbers,
Public Health Workers, Innkeepers

Birth: 1579 **Death:** 1639 **Canonized:** 1962

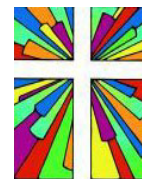
- + **St. Martin de Porres** was a mixed-race Peruvian friar who devoted his life to **servicing the poor and the sick in Lima, Peru.**
- + He was **born in 1579** to a **Spanish nobleman and a freed slave**, but his **father abandoned** him and his sister when they were young.
- + He **learned barbering and medicine** from a surgeon, and **joined the Dominican order** as a lay brother at the **age of 15.**
- + **Learn more next week . . .**

Learn, Pray, Be a Saint

SEARCH #153 RETREAT

Registrations are being accepted for Search #153, a retreat to help juniors and seniors in high school get to know themselves better, deepen their friendship with Christ, and find support in living out their faith. The December Search is open to high school juniors and seniors. Search #153 will be held at St. John Center, Little Rock, on December 1-3. The fee is \$150. For more information and registration forms visit our website at: <https://www.dolr.org/sites/default/files/documents/search-153.pdf>. Partial scholarships available: <https://www.dolr.org/sites/default/files/documents/diocesanscholarshipapplication.pdf>

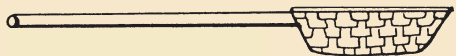
Petitions of the Ministry of Praise



November 2023

Pope Francis' Intentions:

We pray for the Holy Father, as he fulfills his mission, may he continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him with the help of the Holy Spirit.



COLLECTIONS/STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

Mass attendance --	Adults	Children	Total
Sept. 30 & October 1	800	142	952
October 7 & 8	871	103	974
October 14 & 15	764	119	883
October 21 & 22	816	142	958
October 28 & 29	803	120	923

Diocesan Collections –

World Mission Sunday \$ 1,599

Weekend Collections –

Sept. 1 & October 1 \$ 17,606
 October 7 & 8 \$ 28,868
 October 14 & 15 \$ 23,155
 October 21 & 22 \$ 19,625
 October 28 & 29 \$ 30,739

Total October Collections \$ 119,992

Total Oct. Budgeted Collections \$ 120,000

Actual Collections (7/1/23 - 9/30/2023) \$ 409,282

Budgeted (7/1/23 - 9/30/2023) \$ 390,000

Amount in excess of Budget \$ 19,282

Children's Collection \$ 999

Maintenance Fund \$ 1,615

Thank you for supporting our church.

Our Lady's Way

Praying Together
 "To Jesus Through Mary"



Who: You

What: Join our intercessory rosary prayer group and cover our parish, our diocese, our country, our world in prayer by saying the Rosary, the Hail Holy Queen, the Litany of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Prayer of St. Michael, and the Sub Tuum Praesidium with us.

When: On Wednesday mornings at 9:00 a.m.

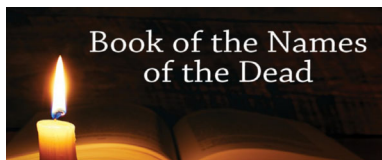
Where: Holy Souls Gathering Room in the Church or pray with our group in spirit at a time and place of your choosing

How: With hearts filled with gratitude.

Encounter Jesus, Serve Others



A Children's Book Drive is being held during the month of November for the children served by Helping Hand. Books will be distributed in mid-December. Please donate new or gently used books for children of all ages. Collection bins are available in the Church Vestibule. Our goal is 400 books. If you would like to make a monetary donation or order books and have them shipped, please contact Pete Stabnick through the Church Office (501-663-8632 or office@holysouls.org. Sponsored by our Knights of Columbus, Council 812.



Book of the Names of the Dead

During the month of November, everyone is invited to write the names of their departed loved ones in The Book of the Names of the Dead. It is located between the St. Anne's statue and the Our Lady of Confidence Shrine in church. They will be specially remembered at all the Masses at Holy Souls during this month.



The Catholic Diocese of Little Rock is committed to protecting children and young people. If you are aware of abuse or have been abused by Clerics, Church volunteers, or Church workers, please contact the State of Arkansas Hotline for Crimes against Children at 1-800-482-5964 and the Chancellor for Canonical Affairs, Dcn. Matthew A. Glover, (501) 664-0340 ext. 361. For pastoral assistance please contact the Victim Assistance Coordinator for the Diocese of Little Rock: Laura Gosponer, (501) 664-0340, ext. 425. Diocese of Little Rock, 2500 N. Tyler St., Little Rock, AR 72207.

Thanksgiving



Baskets

If you know of someone who could use a little help at Thanksgiving with a Thanksgiving basket, please call Wendy in the church office by November 10th. All information is kept confidential. We normally give the same people a basket at Christmas time as well.

Mass Intentions

FOR THE WEEK



To read the daily reading online, go to www.usccb.org/nab/today.shtml

Monday, November 6

7:00 a.m. Mass

Rom 11:29-36; Ps 69:30-31, 33-34, 36; Lk 14:12-14

Fr. Maraiah Pasala by Our Lady's Way Rosary Group

Tuesday, November 7

7:00 a.m. Mass

Rom 12:5-16; Ps 131:1-3; Lk 14:15-24

Al Treadway by John & Christina Bohannon and Chuck & Deborah Johnson

Wednesday, November 8

5:30 p.m. Mass

Rom 13:8-10; Ps 112:1-2, 4-5, 9; Lk 14:25-33

Rita Wurtz by Anita Creviston

Thursday, November 9

7:00 a.m. Mass

DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN BASILICA -

Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9; 1 Cor 3:9-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22

Frank & Marie Kremers by Nancy Bynum-Mack

Friday, November 10

7:00 a.m. Mass

ST. LEO THE GREAT - Rom 15:14-21; Ps 98:1-4; Lk 16:1-8

Thomas L. & David Goodgame by Rita Goodgame

8:15 a.m. School Mass

Special Intention for Our Lady of the Holy Souls School by Holy Souls Parish

Saturday, November 11

4:00 p.m. Vigil Mass

ST. MARTIN OF TOURS - Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27; Ps 145:2-5, 10-11; Lk 16:9-15

Jennifer Boccarossa by The Boccarossa Family

Sunday, November 12

8:00 a.m. Mass

32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - Wis 6:12-16; Ps 63:2-8; 1 Thes 4:13-18; Mt 25:1-13

Fr. Jean Miramon by Cecile Wilson

10:30 a.m. Mass

Intention of Parishioners

5:30 p.m. Mass

Micaela Villasmil by Beatriz Varela

Mass Intentions may be offered for the *Rest of the Soul of a deceased loved one or for healing, a special occasion, or a special intention for yourself, a family member, or friend. Please contact Stacey in the Church Office for more information.*



In order to keep our bulletin prayer list up-to-date for the sick, names will remain on the list for four weeks. Then their name will be written in the Book of Intercession where they will be remembered during every Mass. To continue for another four weeks, please call the church office.

OUR PARISHIONERS -- Benjamin Stuart; Glennabell McCumpsey; Kelly Ochoa; Alice Stuff; Tom Johnson; Noel Oman; Lillian Henriquez; Judy Sims; Doug Schneider; Nick Kirchner; Curt Lassiter; Chris Price; Karen Blanzenski; Morgan Payne; Tracey Gibby; Cathy Donovan; Aloise Medlock; Gary Korte; Sam Williamson; Alice Price; Frances DeLeuil; Hank & Carole Schulte; Russell Dority; Roberta Cagle; Sally Crisp; Annette Wahlgreen; James Louviere; Bernice Woods; and Margaret Olberts.

OUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY MEMBERS -- Lucille Marconi; Frances Heffington; Craig Cagle; Eleanor Suttle; Ellen Perkins; Jack Finley; John Oaks; Suzanne Hanratty; Bill Margrave; Millie Cross; Sarah Graham Goin; Corbin Binz; Mason Harder; Robert Hall; Eileen Connell; Dorothy Ehlebracht; David Menz; Pete Pilkington; D. J. Pilkington; Tyler Grubb & family; Gary Davis; Loris Fullerton; Aid Maria Vega Morales; Tom Bartsch; Amanda Cogburn; John Cullen; Orville Bolin; Evan Hargett; and Glenn Bratcher.

THOSE WHO HAVE DIED -- **Melissa John**, wife of David John, and mother of Jett John.

OUR SEMINARIANS -- **Jesus Tovar**, **Cody Eveld**, and especially Our Lady of the Holy Souls' seminarian **Phillip Zawislak**.



The diocesan initiative One Church invests each year in a small mission church in our diocese that needs a leg up to become a thriving community. The 2023-2024 partner is Blessed Stanley Rother Church in Decatur. All funds donated to One Church for the next 12 months will be used to renovate the church. Please pray for this project and give today. To give or for more information, visit dolr.org/one-church.



Please welcome the following newly baptized children of God into our church community:

Michael Bailey Crosby, IV
son of
Michael & Kaitlyn (Bodenner) Crosby

Benjamin Guy Steele
son of
James & Kiley (Patteson) Steele

Around the Diocese . . .

CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY AT UALR: CCM Little Rock invites all Catholic students to visit them for food, fun and fellowship on the 1st & 3rd Fridays at 5:30 p.m. at Stabler Hall 408. Questions? Contact Yasmin Basilio at 501-707-4083.

JERICHO WAY FUNDRAISER: An Evening of Jazz with award winning performer Melba Moore plus Rodney Block, Michael Eubanks and Grady Nichols performing with their bands on Sat., Dec. 2 from 6 - 9 pm at Robinson Center - William Grant Still Ballroom, 426 W. Markham St. This event will replace the Sleep Out in the Rock event on the eve of National Roof Over My Head Day. Hors d'oeuvres and Cocktails. Tickets \$100 and may be purchased at www.littlerock.com/robinson-center/robinson-center/events or www.littlerock.com/events.

SILVER ROSE Coming to Central Arkansas - Knights of Columbus Council 10167 will be sponsoring a Silver Rose and rosary ceremony in Honor of Life and Our Lady of Guadalupe on Saturday, November 11, at 3:30 p.m. in CTK's church in front of Mother Mary. The journey of the Silver Rose begins each year in March and ends on Dec. 12, the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe. During that time, eight Silver Roses travel from town to town along eight routes throughout North America. Most of those routes begin in Canada and end in Mexico. Only one route has a Silver Rose passing through Arkansas and CTK has been privileged to host the rose for a day. Please spread the word, and please join us!

MEN'S DAY OF PRAYER AND HEALING: Silent men, forgotten fathers, failed relationships-Abortion hurts men, too. If you or someone you know is carrying the pain of a past abortion encounter, please share this message of hope: God's love and mercy are limitless! Come find help and healing at this one-day retreat for men, Saturday November 13, 2023 in River Valley area (between Ft. Smith & Subiaco)*. Text or call the CONFIDENTIAL direct phone line 501-663-0996 or email projectrachel@dolr.org for more information. (*The exact retreat location will only be shared with participants.)

VIRTUAL HEALING RESOURCE: Project Rachel is offering a NEW healing opportunity for help and support after abortion. We will host monthly online gatherings to discuss a specific topic related to healing from abortion trauma. These Virtual Healing Resource (VHR) gatherings can be accessed via ZOOM, so that anyone, anywhere, can participate from the comfort of their own space, anonymously if desired, with a virtual group. For safety and confidentiality only registered participants will receive the ZOOM link. **Please call or text 501-663-0996 CONFIDENTIALLY to inquire about joining our next session.** During the gathering a facilitator will share their own story of hope and healing, there will be time for discussion and reflection, plus practical tips for continuing the healing journey. Our gatherings will be rooted in prayer asking Jesus, the Divine Healer, for help. VHR gatherings will be held from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. on the first Monday of the month, beginning in November (except for January, which will be the 2nd Monday).

Responding to the Word This Week

Jesus reminds us to practice what we preach.

Who in my life has been a good example of integrity in word and deed?

Jesus, be with me . . .

*To reflect on this Sunday's readings online, go to www.usccb.org/bible/readings/110523.cfm

CATHOLIC YOUNG ADULT GROUP

SIPS ~AND~ SCRIPTS

FOOD, DRINK,
FELLOWSHIP,
AND THE WORD!

1ST SUNDAY OF EVERY MONTH
PARISH HALL FOLLOWING 5:30PM MASS



OUR LADY OF THE HOLY SOULS

On Sunday, Nov. 5th, join us for a
Friendsgiving Potluck
with Adoration to follow

2024 Lector Workbooks

Lectors, please pick up your issue of the 2023-2024 Lector Workbook in the Altar Servers Room. The book begins December 3.

REGISTRATION FOR NEW MEMBERS

Registration for new members is completed in the church office or online by visiting our web page, www.holysouls.org. Please contact the church office or go online at www.holysouls.org if you have moved, changed your telephone number, or email address. When parishioners reach 18 years of age, they should register separately from their family.

RCIA

If you are interested in becoming Catholic, please contact Susej Thompson at 501-663-8632 or office@holysouls.org.

RETURNING CATHOLICS

If you are interested in returning to the Catholic Church, please contact Susej Thompson at 663-8632 or office@holysouls.org.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturdays from 2:30 to 3:30pm and Wednesdays from 4:00 to 5:00pm or call the church office for an appointment.

CHURCH VISITS

The Church is open for private prayer time on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday from 7:30am-3pm and on Wednesday from 7:30am -5:15pm. Please enter through the door on Harrison St. side by piano or the handicapped door in the front of church.

BAPTISM

Baptisms are scheduled on an individual basis. Please call the church office for more information.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Contact the church office a minimum of six months in advance.