SUNDAY MASSES & CONFESSIONS: See inside

BAPTISMS & MARRIAGE: For these Sacraments please notify the church office as soon as possible so that we may advise you of the requirements. Thank you.

NEW PARISHIONERS: Please fill out registration card and return to ushers or the church office.

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NOVEMBER 1, 2015
ALL SAINTS DAY

WE LONG TO SEE GOD’S FACE

“Lord, this is the people that longs to see your face.” This antiphon for today’s responsorial psalm offers the focus for today’s readings. As we on earth celebrate the triumph of all the saints—the ones officially canonized by the Church, and the countless others who have also reached heaven—we add nothing to their glory. But we give ourselves reason to hope. We too long to see the face of God and believe that we can one day be counted among those whose robes, as John tells us in the book of Revelation, are washed “white in the blood of the Lamb.”

The passage from John’s First Letter offers further assurance: we are God’s children who will one day see God. But today’s Gospel pulls us past longing and reassurance into action. Jesus clearly tells us what we must do to be counted among the saints. We must be poor in spirit, hungry for holiness, merciful, single-hearted, and peacemakers! Then we too will see the face of God.

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**All Saints Day**
November 1, 2015

See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God.
— 1 John 3:1

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**Mass Schedule**

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**TODAY’S READINGS**

**First Reading** — John’s vision of a vast throng from every nation and people, whose robes had been made white in the blood of the Lamb (Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14).

**Psalm** — Lord, this is the people that longs to see your face (Psalm 24).

**Second Reading** — By God’s love, we may be called God’s children (1 John 3:1-3).

**Gospel** — The Beatitudes: your reward will be great in heaven (Matthew 5:1-12a).

The English translation of the Psalm Responses from the Lec-

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**CATHOLIC EDUCATION FUND**

The Second collection this week will be taken up for the Church of the Resurrection Catholic Education Fund.

This fund is specifically designed to provide financial aid to needy and deserving children in our parish who otherwise would not receive a Catholic education.

Our gratitude to all who consistently and generously support this endeavor

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**RESURRECTION PRAYER LINE MINISTRY**

For prayer requests or to sign up as a volunteer call: 481-1170.

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**NEW GIFT SHOP HOURS BEGINNING OCT. 1**

- **Thursdays** 8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
- **Saturdays** 2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
- **Sundays** 8:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

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**Monday Nov. 2 is All Souls Day**

Mass times: 8:00 & 9:30 a.m.

Latin Mass: 11:45 a.m.
The Call to Greatness
1 John 3:1-3, Matthew 5:1-12a, Revelation 7:2-4 and 9-14
For Sunday, November 1, 2015, All Saints

When we are young, we carry within us ambitious dreams for our future. We imagine what we may be one day—an astronaut, a doctor, a professional athlete. In our minds, nothing seemed impossible for us. There seemed to be nothing we could not achieve if we only had the opportunity.

With hard work and determination, many of us are able to realize the dreams of our youth. However, most likely, we came to understand that our goals were unrealistic or not what we really wanted. So we set our sights on other careers. Through our whole life we are always looking to the future, considering what seems good to us, and taking the opportunities to reach our goals.

Each of us knows in our hearts that we are called to something great. We often think of it only in earthly terms, in terms of a career or in terms of financial success. However, the greatness we are called to is not something that can be measured in money or power or fame or influence. Rather, the greatness we are called to cannot be fully realized in this life. It is something that can only be fully achieved once we pass from this life into the eternal life of heaven. We are each called to be great saints.

It is natural for us to feel a bit of trepidation when we hear that we are called to be great saints. We might think that we cannot be like Blessed Mother Teresa of Calcutta, Saint Francis, or the other great saints. And it is true, we cannot be like them. They served God’s plan in their own way and there will never be saints like them again. However, we are called to serve God’s plan in our own way, too, and there will never be saints like us again. Each of us is irreplaceable in God’s kingdom. Not even a Saint Francis could do what we alone are called to do. It may not seem like much, and no one may seem to notice us, but it is important and necessary in the eyes of God.

The founder of Opus Dei, Saint Josemaria Escriva, taught that each of us is called to be a saint right where we are. We do not have to move to another country, change our line of work, or live in a monastery. Rather we are called to radiate the love and goodness of God in our schools, in our places of work, in our homes, and in our communities. Many of us often fall into the temptation of thinking that we could be better Christians if only things were different in our lives. We would be better people if only we were not married or if only we were not surrounded by so many immoral people at work or if we lived in another part of the country. But those are all excuses that blind us to the work of grace that God offers us. God put us where we are to serve his purpose. And, no matter what difficulties we face, he will provide us with all we need to be great saints if only we dedicate ourselves to doing his will in all things and loving others in all circumstances. On this feast of All Saints, we are not gathered to celebrate the lives of the saints we know about. They already have their own feast days. Instead today we celebrate all the unknown saints, all those who lived simple, quiet lives of charity and prayer. They went unnoticed for the most part, but God worked through them in ways that only he knew. They may be our parents, our teachers, our priests, deacons, or nuns who were examples of holiness to us.

Today we also celebrate the high calling we each have to be saints in our own right. God has called us to be his sons and daughters through baptism and has placed the Holy Spirit in our hearts so that we may know his will and do it through every minute of our existence. It is a matter of surrendering ourselves to his plan no matter how difficult it may be or how little sense it may make to us. Then we can lay hold of all the promises Jesus spells out for us in today’s Gospel—to find the comfort, the peace, the joy, and the glory that our hearts long for but that only God can give.

Douglas Sousa, STL

The first reading focuses us for today’s solemnity. In the Book of Revelation, St. John reports “a vision of a great multitude, which no one could count: from every nation, race, people, and tongue” (Revelation 7:9)

This is Good News. Salvation has come not only for Israel, but for the Gentiles as well. Here is the fulfillment of God’s promise to Abraham, that by his seed all the nations of the world would bless themselves (see Genesis 22:18).

The Church celebrates many famous Christians on their individual memorials, but today she praises God for all His “holy ones,” His saints. That is the title St. Paul preferred when he addressed his congregations.

Divinized by baptism, they were already “saints,” by the grace of God (seeColossians 1:2). They awaited, however, the day when they could “share in the inheritance of the saints in light” (Colossians 1:12).

And so do we, as the Scriptures give us reasons for both celebration and hope. In our second reading, St. John tells us that to be “saints” means to be “children of God”—and then he adds: “so we are!” Note that he speaks in the present tense.

Yet John also says that we have unfinished business to tend. We are already God’s children, but “what we shall be has not yet been revealed.” Thus we work out our salvation: “Everyone who has this hope based on him makes himself pure, as He is pure” (1 John 3:1-3).

We do this as we share the life of Christ, who defined earthly beatitude for us. We are “blessed,” he says, when we are poor, when we mourn, when we are persecuted for his sake. It is then we should “Rejoice and be glad, for [our] reward will be great in heaven” (Matthew 5:12).

Until then, we pray with the Psalmist: “Lord, this is the people that longs to see your face.” Salvation has come through Abraham’s seed, but it belongs to all nations. For “the Lord’s are the earth and its fullness; the world and those who dwell in it” (Psalm 24:1).

Yours in Christ,
Scott Hahn

PRAYER
O God our Father
source of all holiness,
the work of your hands is manifest in your saints,
the beauty of your truth is reflected in their faith.
May we, who aspire to have part in their joy,
be filled with the spirit that blessed their lives
so that, having shared their faith on earth,
we may also know their peace in your kingdom.

-Michael Buckley, The Catholic Prayer Book.
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“I will give you shepherds after My Own Heart.”
—Jeremiah 3:15

Please pray for our seminarians

If you feel that God is calling you to the priesthood, please contact the Vocations Office.
www.dioceseofvenice.org/vocations  •  941-486-4720  •  VeniceVocations

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MINISTRY OF THE SICK

IMPORTANT NOTE TO ALL PARISHIONERS AND VISITORS:

When admitted to the hospital please register as Catholic and notify the parish office immediately, 481-7171. Resurrection priests visit the hospitals daily.

To protect your privacy hospitals do not give out information on patients without their permission.

The following hospitals are attended to by the parish in which they are located:

* Gulf Coast Hospital - visited daily by St. John XXIII Parish, 561-2245
* Lee Memorial Hospital - visited daily by St. Francis Xavier Parish, 334-2161
* Lee Memorial and Hospice at Health Park - visited daily by St. Columbkille Parish, 489-3973

NATIONAL VOCATIONS AWARENESS WEEK

"As Catholics, we firmly believe that God has a plan for our lives! He calls some to marriage, some to the priesthood, and others to religious life or to live as single people. Fully living our own vocations ---- and teaching young people how to discern God's call ---- is a serious duty, but also a joyful one.

The first week of November is National Vocations Awareness Week, which was instituted by the U.S. Bishops in 1976. This year, the beginning of the week falls on All Saints Day ---- a happy coincidence, because a vocation, in its fullest sense is the path to heaven.

During this week, please pray about how God is calling you to live your vocation more deeply. Further, encourage young people in your life ---- children, grandchildren, students, friends and parish members to be open if God calls them to priesthood or religious life."

Vocation Awareness Weekend - St. John Vianney College Seminary in Miami is hosting a Vocation Awareness Weekend from Friday, November 6 at 8:00 p.m. to Sunday, November 8 at 11:00 a.m. This is open to all young men, juniors in high school and older. Come and experience what daily life is like for one discerning God’s call to the priesthood! There is no cost for the weekend and transportation is provided. To register, please contact the Diocese of Venice Office of Vocations at 941-486-4720 or email scanlan@dioceseofvenice.org.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

O God, Father of all Mercies, Provider of a bountiful Harvest, send Your Graces upon those You have called to gather the fruits of Your labor; preserve and strengthen them in their lifelong service of you.

Open the hearts of Your children that they may discern Your Holy Will; inspire in them a love and desire to surrender themselves to serving others in the name of Your son, Jesus Christ.

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Through the intercession of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary, all the Angels, and Saints, humbly hear our prayers and grant Your Church’s needs, through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

RESURRECTION CALENDAR

ALL events take place in the Parish Center unless otherwise stated.

Adoration, First Fridays, 8:30 - 9:30 a.m.
Bereavement & Beyond Ministry, Every Monday, 8:30am.
For more information call Alouise 481-8168
Coffee & Donuts, Sundays after 10:30 Mass beginning Oct. 4
Craft Club, Tuesdays, 8:30 - 10:30 a.m.
Men’s Club, 2nd Monday of month, 7:00p.m., Sept. - May
Our Lady of Miraculous Medal Novena, Saturdays after the 8:00a.m. Mass, church
Prayer for Priests, Thursdays after the 8:00a.m. Mass, chapel
RCIA, Sundays, 3:30p.m., call 482-6883 for information
Rel. Ed., September - May
Resurrection for Life, 2nd Wednesday of Oct, Jan, Apr. 9 am
Resurrection Prayerline Ministry, call Deanna Latell 481-1170.
Rosary, before daily Masses and Tues. & Thurs., 1:30p.m., chapel
Rosary Makers, 3rd Thursdays Oct. thru May, 9-11 a.m.
St. Vincent DePaul Board Meeting, 1st Tues. every month, 7:00 pm. For SVDP assistance call 239-600-6749, or email, svdp@resurrectionch.org
Teams of Our Lady, call Joann for more information, 482-7982
Women’s Guild, 3rd Wednesday every month, 8:30a.m. Sept. - May

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This week’s Sanctuary Candle:
In Loving Memory of
Raymond Gier
by wife Chloe

WEEKLY OFFERING October 25, 2015
Reg. Offertory: $21,870.05
Latin Mass: $370.00
SVDP: $820.00

2015 CATHOLIC FAITH APPEAL
Our commitment for this year is $360,000.00
Pledges made thus far Total: $350,773.36
Payments made thus far Total: $335,712.06
We still need $24,287.94 to reach our goal.
Please join our parish family in making a sacrificial gift to the CFA

Altar Flowers This Week:
In Loving Memory of
Anita Herman
by Ed & Judy Hilferty
In Loving Memory of
Thomas Roberts Sr.
by Friends at Resurrection

5:00 Mass Music:
11-1-15
Gathering: SS292
Offertory: SS221
Communion: M296, SS363
Recessional: SS325
Mass Parts: SS40, 43, 45, 47, 48
SS: Spirit and Song (purple book)
RB: YP Glory & Praise (red book)
M: Missalette

Need 5 ushers (seasonal) for the
5 PM Saturday Mass
Please call the parish office if you are able to volunteer. 481-7171.

Women’s Guild News
Workers are needed for our Annual Craft Bazaar on Nov. 6th and 7th, including volunteers to bake for the Bake Sale.
We will be setting up for the Bazaar on Thursday Nov. 5th. Lunch will be provided for workers. If you can help even for a few hours contact the Parish Center….or just show up on Nov. 5th!
We are still collecting vintage Christmas items, collectibles, used books and all handcrafted items which can be left at the Parish Center marked “for the Guild”.

Gather my saints together unto me, Those that have made a covenant with me by sacrifice.
~ Psalm 50:5
Women’s Guild Annual Craft Bazaar

Friday, November 6, 8:30 to 4 and Saturday, November 7, 8:30 to noon

The Women’s Guild presents their Annual Craft Bazaar with beautiful handcrafted items including quilts, wreathes, ornaments, shell crafts, decorated table top Christmas trees, and crocheted and knitted items. There will be vintage Christmas items, used books, jewelry, and collectibles. A new feature this year will be a dollar table where all items will be a bargain for $1.

The Raggedy Ann and Andy, pictured above, which are Daisy Kingdom certified, along with their doll sized red “Radio Flyer” wagon will be our highlighted raffle. The dolls are at the Parish Center reception area for viewing. Raffle tickets can be purchased there: 1 ticket for $1 or 6 tickets for $5. Raffle proceeds are to benefit the St Vincent De Paul Society. There will also be a rosary quilt and other gift baskets to be auctioned/raffled during the bazaar.

Also back by popular demand is our home baked items sale. This includes such a variety, too numerous to detail here. So come out to our bazaar and stop in the Coffee Café, which opens at 8:30, for goodies to keep your strength up while shopping. Bring a friend or neighbor and share the fun.
In the main entrance of the church is a beautiful new kiosk that holds a large variety of inspiring CDs, best-selling Catholic books, informative booklets, and more! The CDs are audio recordings of inspiring talks on various topics of Catholic life to help build up your faith in God and give inspiration in your life. You will hear the best speakers in the world, such as Dr. Scott Hahn, Archbishop Fulton Sheen, Blessed Mother Teresa, Matthew Kelly, Fr. Robert Barron, and many more.

Come check out this fabulous resource today. You’ll be glad you did!!

Inspiring resources to deepen your Faith!
Faith-filled Catholic CDs, books, and booklets

We are proud to introduce an exciting addition to our parish community! Make sure to stop by our new kiosk featuring life-changing materials from Lighthouse Catholic Media.

• The materials feature the world’s best Catholic speakers and authors—bishops, priests, deacons, and well-known Catholic lay men and women.

• You can listen to a CD in your car or at home, deepen your understanding and love for the Catholic Faith, and then pass the CD on to someone else.

• There are hundreds of titles available and we plan to order new titles after the current ones run out. So keep checking back!

We ask for a donation of $2 per booklet, $3 per CD and $4 per book to help continue this program. Checks can be made payable to the parish. Donations will be used to cover the cost of the initial materials and towards the purchase of additional materials.
Catholic Charities, Clare House, in Fort Myers offers an afterschool program for underprivileged children in elementary school. The children in the program make up 35 families.

Each year, RYM delivers a full Thanksgiving dinner to each of the families. It’s a great experience for the teens to meet the families and personally give them the dinners.

On Monday, November 23th we will deliver the dinners, enjoy cake with the children, sing songs, and celebrate the Thanksgiving holiday. They look forward to seeing us and count on us for their Thanksgiving dinners!

Would you kindly help us with any of the following donations:

* FROZEN TURKEY
* Rice * stuffing mix * cranberry sauce * potatoes
* canned sweet potatoes * corn muffin mix * canned veggies,
* gravy * sweets/desserts

If it’s more convenient to make a monetary donation, we’ll grocery shop for you!

No amount of help is too big or too small!

Please drop off your donations at the Parish Center no later than Sunday, November 22nd

And do not neglect doing good and sharing; for with such sacrifices God is pleased. – Hebr. 13:16
BIBLE STUDY BEGINS!

Parables
Are stories
To teach,
To Reflect,
To Understand!
Over & Over!

Key to
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Vitality?
Listen!
Meditate!
Understand!

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See you soon!
Joanne MacPeek

Solemnity of All Saints

Blessed are
the poor
in spirit,
for theirs
is the
Kingdom
of heaven.
Matthew 5:2

November 1, 2015

PURCHASE A PERSONALIZED PAVER FOR YOUR FAMILY!

As we continue to beautify and pave our Parish Center’s Faith Formation and Youth Ministry entrances, let us remember that the Youth are the foundation of our Church’s future!

This is a Fundraiser for Resurrection Youth Ministry

9” X 6” paver
1-3 lines of engraving
20 spaces per line
$100 Fee
$20 additional fee for ClipArt
(Image must be black & white only)
Should you have any questions, please contact Vikki Melchiorre, Youth Director, 239-481-5144 or email vikki@resurrectionch.org

In all your ways be mindful of him, and he will make straight your paths. ~ Proverbs 3:6

NAME:________________________________________________________

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Adding Clipart email to vikki@resurrectionch.org

PLEASE JOIN US IN THE PARISH CENTER FOR DONUTS AND COFFEE AFTER THE SUNDAY 10:30 MASS

November 1, 2015
Theology on Tap - This exciting program for young adults (18-39), allows them to learn about the faith while building community. Theology on Tap is held at various parishes throughout the Diocese. Each location hosts a series of weekly talks and discussions on relevant topics in a relaxed atmosphere. Free babysitting, icebreakers, trivia, and food and drinks are provided... BYOB. Upcoming dates are as follows:

**Fort Myers Area** - Thursdays, November 5 to November 18, 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at St. Cecilia Parish.

Magnificat - All women are invited to a breakfast sponsored by Magnificat, a ministry to Catholic women. The breakfast will be held Saturday, November 7, 9:30 AM – 12:30 PM at the Holiday Inn Airport at Gulf Coast Town Center, Fort Myers. Our speaker, Peggy Rowe-Linn, is a wife, mother, lawyer and Florida Supreme Court Certified Appellate Mediator. She is devoted to Sts. Padre Pio and Mother Teresa, who have been instrumental in her faith. She is especially devoted to the Blessed Mother, who she believes intervened in saving her life. Peggy loves helping people and restoring their faith in Jesus Christ. Please call Joanne Tarantino at 239-887-0060 or Shirley Ruehl at 239-949-7015.

Veterans Day Mass - The Annual Veterans Day Mass is being held at the Sarasota National Cemetery, 9810 State Road 72 (Clark Road) in Sarasota (five miles east of I-75) on Wednesday, November 11 at 3:00 p.m. Opening ceremonies begin at 2:45 p.m. The Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Frank J. Dewane. All priests, deacons and faithful are invited to attend and participate in honoring the men and women who have served our country and are serving us today. Active military personnel are encouraged to wear their uniform. There will be ample seating and parking.

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**Oplatki Wafers**

The Christmas wafer (oplatek, plural oplatki) is a Central European Christian Christmas tradition celebrated in Polish families during Christmas Eve Vigil.

The unleavened wafers are baked from pure wheat flour and water, are usually rectangular in shape and very thin; they are identical in composition to a round wafer which becomes the Host after the Consecration during Mass in the Roman Catholic Church. Being only a reminder of the Body of Christ used in private homes, Oplatki lack sanctification by a priest or bishop. The Oplatki wafers are embossed with Christmas related religious images, varying from the nativity scene, especially Virgin Mary with baby Jesus to the Star of Bethlehem.

**COST IS $3.00**

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**The Stamp of a Saint**

“The stamp of the Saint is that he can waive his own rights and obey the Lord Jesus.” ~ C.S. Lewis

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