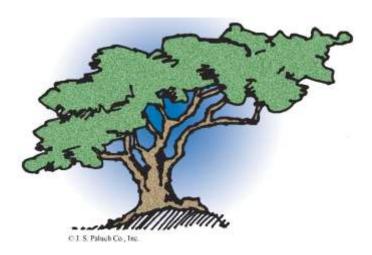
Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time November 18, 2018

Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

— Mark 13:31



ENCOURAGEMENT

This Sunday's Gospel is our final selection from Mark for this liturgical year. It is taken from the end of Jesus' teaching in Jerusalem immediately preceding the account of his arrest and passion. In it Jesus gives his disciples hope to sustain them through his passion and death and any persecution or suffering that they would encounter after his resurrection.

The words from the book of Daniel also provided hope and encouragement to the people of Daniel's time. The encouragement in these scriptures is meant for us as well, for none of us will escape tribulation in our lives. Followers of Jesus will be able to endure suffering with joyful hope, knowing that Christ's love will lead us along the way of discipleship and give us eternal life with God.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Those who lead the many to justice shall be like the stars forever (Daniel 12:1-3).

Psalm — You are my inheritance, O Lord! (Psalm 16).

Second Reading — Where there is forgiveness, there is no longer offering for sin (Hebrews 10:11-14, 18).

Gospel — Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away (Mark 13:24-32).

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MASS INTENTIONS

November 19
† Luigi and † Maria
Casazza
November 20
† Manuel Scerri
November 21
Communal Service
† John B. Benedetti
† Joseph Macias
† Lope Enriquez
November 22
Thanksgiving
November 23
†Diane Rose Rebagliati
November 24
† Joseph, † Frank and
† John DeLuca
† Valentina Agius
November 25
† Joseph Sapiano
† Jerry Sapiano
Italian Catholic Federation
People of the Parish
† Joseph and †Carmen
Spiteri, †Tessy Spiteri
Lencioni

†Denotes deceased – (L) Living

Sunday Collection November 11, 2018

Weekly Need: \$5,000.00
Sunday Collection \$3,454.00
Over/Under \$1,546.00
Archdiocesan Appeal \$881.00

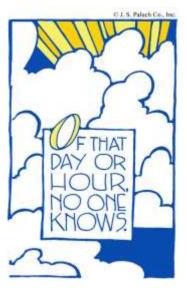
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On Thursday, November 22nd, our Parish will celebrate a special Thanksgiving Day Mass at 9:00 am. During the offertory procession you may want to bring food to be collected for the needy. Only canned items please. (no expired food!) Come with your family to give thanks and praise to God. The parish will be closed November 22nd in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday.

The 2018 Novena and Christmas Mass schedule will be mailed shortly to your homes. Included with the schedule will be a book of raffle tickets for our Parish raffle to be held on December 23rd





All parishioners are invited to attend the ICF Christmas Luncheon, on Monday, December 3rd in Cantwell Hall. No Host Cocktails 11:00 am, Lunch at Noon. Menu will consist of Salad, Turkey, Mashed Potatoes, Vegetables, Bread/Butter, Dessert/Coffee/Tea. The cost is \$12.00 for Members and \$16.00 for Non-Members.

Please call Mary Perata for reservations at 415-239-5936. Reservation deadline is November 29th.

Good Shepherd Sisters' "Purchase with a Purpose" Sale!

A FABULOUS shopping experience—of totally unique items at HUGE savings!

Looking for a great place to start your Christmas shopping??? Stop by the convent of the **Good Shepherd Sisters** and see the *fabulous* products made by women in their self-sufficiency projects in Thailand, which allow the women to work with dignity and provide a future for their children—especially those with special needs. There are many products including toys, tees, totes, backpacks, men's and women's clothing, baptismal dresses, smocked Christmas dresses, cards, home goods and more! You're sure to find some very unique something that you can't live without! Come and be amazed!!

****This Weekend****

Saturday, November 17th and Sunday, November 18th 12-6 pm.

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