

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

ALL SOULS

2 SUNDAY
10:15 -- 11:30 AM NO SOR Classes (school)
3 MONDAY
6:45 -- 8:15 PM St. Martin De Porres
Matthew Bible Study (Quinn Hall)
4 TUESDAY
6:00 PM -- 12:00 AM: Eucharistic Adoration (Quinn Hall)
7:00 PM -- 8:30 PM: Book Club (Quinn Hall)
5 WEDNESDAY
12:00 AM -- 11:00 PM: Eucharistic Adoration (Quinn Hall)
7:00 PM -- 8:30 PM: RCIA
6 THURSDAY
9:00 AM -- 1:00 PM: Eucharistic Adoration (Quinn Hall)
1:15 PM -- 6:00 PM: Eucharistic Adoration (Church)
6:15 PM -- 11:00 PM: Eucharistic Adoration (Quinn Hall)
7 FRIDAY
First Friday
8 SATURDAY
9:00 AM: Confessions
9 SUNDAY
Dedication of the Lateran

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, November 3, 2008

6:45 AM Genevieve Ann Deikel 8:30 AM All Souls Novena

Tuesday, November 4, 2008

6:45 AM All Souls Novena 8:30 AM Fr. Robert Lewis

Wednesday, November 5, 2008

6:45 AM All Souls Novena 8:30 AM Marie Lowell

Thursday, November 6, 2008

6:45 AM All Souls Novena 8:30 AM Thanksgiving

Friday, November 7, 2008

6:45 AM All Souls Novena 8:30 AM Felix Gutierrez

Saturday, November 8, 2008

8:30 AM All Souls Novena

5:00 PM Mary Stuart & Fr. Jose Bermudez (Living) Fr. Perkins

Sunday, November 9, 2008

7:30 AM People of Holy Cross Fr. George

9:00 AM Thomas Troy Fr. Yaga

10:30 AM All Souls Novena Msgr. Hill

12:00 PM Cecilia Lima & Juracy Maria Fr. Perkins

**Schedule for Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist to serve
2nd Weekend 11/8/08 & 11/9/08**

5:00 PM	Carlos Hernandez; Nancy Gallagher
7:30 AM	Stephan Beauchesne; Charlotte King; Martha Matocha
9:00 AM	Annemarie Rogers; Paul Whelan; Peter Ramjug
10:30 AM	Pat & Millie Durbin; alternate: Denise & John Szczur
12 Noon	Carlos Hernandez; Virginia Perdone

COLLECTIONS:

Offertory 4th Sunday of October 2008 \$ 6,571.05
 Offertory 4th Sunday of October 2007 \$ 6,222.60
 POOR BOX Gift of Peace.....\$ 153.30
 11/02 Social Concerns; 11/09 Birthright

BOOK GROUP NEWS: The Holy Cross Book Group will discuss Willa Cather's *Death Comes for the Archbishop* at its next meeting on Tuesday, November 4th. All adults are welcome; join us at 7:00 PM in the dining room of Quinn Hall. For more information, call 301-942-8790.

THE MONTHLY FOOD AND CLOTHING DRIVE will take place this weekend after all Masses. We have a special need for food this month as we start preparing our Thanksgiving Baskets. Left over Halloween candy is welcome!

NO BIBLE STUDY TIMELINE THIS WEEK!

On November 6 the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for Holy Hours in the Church at 1:15. The Sacred Heart Novena and Benediction will be celebrated at 5:45. At 5 PM there will be a Scripture passage, a prayer response and the Chaplet of Mercy led by the Respect Life committee. All are invited to join in this prayer for our parish.

CONFIRMATION SCHEDULE

Confirmation Retreat on Tuesday, Nov. 11th:

- ✓ Have you returned your retreat permission slip?
- ✓ Do you need a letter sent to your school?
- ✓ Be in the basement of Quinn Hall by 1:00 PM
- ✓ Dismissal will be at 7:00 PM from the church.

Confirmation Rehearsal on Friday, Nov. 14th:

- ✓ Bring your sponsor and your red robe. -- Be in the church by 7:00 PM

Confirmation Day, Saturday, Nov. 15th:

- ✓ Confirmandi and sponsors *only* be in Lewis Hall by 10 AM
- ✓ Mass with Bishop González will begin at 10:30 AM

POLITICAL LIFE AND MORAL OBLIGATION: "In the Catholic Tradition, responsible citizenship is a virtue, and participation in political life is a moral obligation," according to the U.S. Catholic bishops (*Faithful Citizenship, No. 13*). We urge all eligible parishioners to participate in the election next Tuesday. The insights of the Scriptures and Catholic social teaching are important guides for our decisions about issues and candidates. We urge you to become informed about the issues and how Catholic teaching has been applied to them, and to examine the positions of candidates in light of Catholic teaching. If you would like information about Catholic teaching on our civic responsibilities, please visit adw.org or faithfulcitizenship.org.

BE SURE TO READ YOUR OFFERTORY BROCHURE: This week, you will receive a brochure that is being mailed to you. This brochure not only contains information regarding the nature of the Parish Offertory Program, it also contains information on the current giving of our parishioners and the income and expense budget of our parish.

You are asked to carefully study the brochure and to note the financial giving recommendations that it contains. These recommendations are categorized by personal income so that they are fair to all.

Next weekend, during Mass, you will receive a commitment card and will be asked to indicate your weekly commitment. Regardless of whether you give monthly, quarterly, etc., please indicate the amount that your gifts represent on a weekly basis.

If you have not used envelopes or checks in the past, please begin to do so. It is very important for us to know how many members of our parish are actively involved in offering their financial support. If you would like to receive envelopes or have questions about using envelopes, call Mary Anne Gadbois at the rectory at 301-929-1020 extension 18 or email her at gadbois@hcrosschurch.org.

Please make a conscious effort to examine your spending priorities, see where our parish is currently placed within them and, then, adjust your priorities as you deem necessary based on our obligation to support the work of the Lord. If you do change the amount that you give, you should begin giving that new amount on November 30, 2008, the first Sunday of Advent.