



November 17, 2024  
33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time



*"All Are Welcome Here"*

**Mass Schedule**  
Saturday Vigil  
4:00 pm  
Sunday  
9:00 am & 10:45 am  
Daily: Tuesday - Friday  
8:00 am  
Sacrament of  
Reconciliation  
Saturdays  
3:00 pm - 3:30 pm  
Office Hours  
Monday -Thursday  
8:30 am - 3:30 pm  
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Music Director  
Daniel J. Perez

### **Baptism for Infants and Preschool Children under 7 years old**

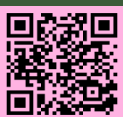
At Baptism, infants and preschool children are initiated into the Christian community and begin a life-long journey as a committed disciple of Christ. Since the child cannot make this commitment on their own, the parent who requests Baptism states that they wish to pass on the faith in which they believe and live. Parents wishing to have their infant or preschooler Baptized are required to attend Baptism Preparation. This gives them the opportunity to reflect on the meaning of Baptism and to have their questions answered concerning the Sacrament of Baptism and the ceremony. In order to begin preparing for their child's Baptism, parents are asked to contact the parish office at 954-564-1010 prior to the anticipated birth or adoption process. We wish to celebrate this joyful time with you!

### **Marriage**

Blessed Sacrament parish wishes to support couples as they prepare for the Sacrament of Marriage through prayer and action. For this reason, guidelines have been established for marriage preparation by the Archdiocese of Miami. This is not done to create obstacles, but to increase the opportunity for a lasting, loving marriage in a society where divorce is prevalent. Couples should contact the parish office at 954-564-1010 at the time of their engagement to allow time to complete the necessary preparation.

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November 17, 2024  
Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Daniel 12: 1-3  
Psalm 16  
Hebrews 10: 11-14, 18  
Mark 13: 24-32

**People Of Faith, Arise!  
All Will Be Well.**

Truly, the Scriptures and Tradition of the Church bring us a hopeful message. One might be caught up with fright at the thought of the end of time on earth. However, it is not the purpose of today's scriptures to frighten you or predict the specific end of time. Rather, we are to be encouraged.

The Book of Daniel and the thirteenth chapter of Mark's Gospel have components of what is known as "apocalyptic literature." Apocalyptic writings reveal or disclose truths not apparent to others living at the time of their writing. Such are meant to encourage the oppressed community they are written to. The readings we have today were written at a time of persecution and contain a message that is meant to encourage people to hold onto their faith. God will not abandon us.

The Book of Daniel makes clear people with insight to the Lord will have a good eternal life. They will arise to this, "But the wise shall shine brightly like the splendor of the firmament, and those who lead the many to justice shall be like stars forever."

Scripture and Tradition lead us as Roman Catholic Christians to know there are the "four last things". They are death, judgement, heaven and hell. The Creed we pray every Sunday says, "[he] will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and the life of the world to come." Now, realize we do not know when the end will come as mentioned above. The gospel passage makes this clear, "But of that day or hour, no one knows." Rather than predict the time of "the end" it registers urgency.

It is urgent at any time to begin to live a life that recognizes Jesus as the one sent by the Father to show us a way of life that opens us to the Father's grace. And, once open to that grace to live serving God by serving others. This causes all to have fullness and fulfillment in a community of faith, that is the Church founded by Jesus Christ himself on Peter the Rock. Mark grabs attention through the use of spectacular terms and images so that we will not waste time choosing to live in Grace. Salvation is the promise of God. Do not delay taking God up on His promise.

People who have insight recognize God's urgency in calling us to His love. They arise to the call and rise with Christ. Once each person rises to the call, he or she finds fear melts away. All people find comfort in the community of faith that supports faithful living. Together we discover all will be well.



Watch Father Bob's weekly video reflection



**Next Week's Readings**  
**Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**  
**Dn7:13-14;Rev.1:5-8;Jn18:33b-37**

### SCRIPTURE SHARING

Join us on Thursday Evenings from 7 to 8:00PM in the chapel. A group of us spend time reading the upcoming Sunday readings and talking about them. It's a great inspiring time.



**Thanksgiving Day Celebration!**

**10:00am**  
**November 28**  
**10:00am**

Thursday, November 28th is Thanksgiving Day in the United States. Some of you are new here in "the States." Please come and celebrate our gratefulness to the Lord for the gifts we have. The Liturgy takes less than an hour and is a very simple celebration.

### Stewardship

#### Time, Talent Tithing

It is our way of showing gratitude to God for life itself. It is also your way of being part of the mission and participating in the challenge of spreading the Good News of Love.

Attendance last week:	241
Tithes Collected:	\$4,821.00
Per Capita:	\$20.00

This week's second collection is for the Campaign for Human Development.

# Parish Life

## EXIT HYMN

### Hear Our Praises (R. Morgan)

**V1:** May our home be filled with dancing, may our streets be filled with joy;  
May injustice bow to Jesus, as the people turn to pray

**V1:** May Your light shine in the darkness  
As we walk before the cross  
May Your glory fill the whole earth  
As the water o'er seas

#### Refrain:

**From the mountains to the valleys  
Hear our praises rise to You!  
From the heavens to the nations  
Hear our singing fill the air**

Hallelujah, hallelujah  
Hallelujah, hallelujah (we sing)  
Hallelujah, hallelujah  
Hallelujah, hallelujah (we sing)

### Advent Evenings With the Eucharist And, Evening Home With the Family

During the upcoming season of Advent, we will worship the Lord in His Eucharistic presence. This will occur on **December 5th, 12th and 19th**. Each evening will begin at **7:00PM and end at 8:00PM**.

I look forward to a peaceful hour each of those evenings with all of you in the presence of the Lord in the Eucharist. Besides time in prayer and worship, a brief reflection will be offered.

It is a simple spiritual exercise fit for everyone of any age. Therefore, parents, please make plans with the whole family. Bring your children, the young and the teens,

*Fr. Bob*

### CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF MIAMI LAUNCHES RELIEF FUND FOR THOSE AFFECTED BY HURRICANE MILTON

In response to the devastating impact of Hurricane Milton across the state of Florida, Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Miami Inc., is establishing a dedicated donation fund to assist those affected by the hurricane.

Monetary donations can be made at Catholic Charities' website [www.ccadm.org](http://www.ccadm.org). **One hundred percent of all funds** received will be directed to providing humanitarian relief and assistance to those affected by Hurricane Milton.

Catholic Charities can be followed on Facebook, Instagram, and X (Twitter,) or visit their website for the latest news and updates.

### St Vincent de Paul Society Publix Gift Cards! In \$10.00 increments.

Needed now! Publix gift cards in \$10 increments. This will help the St. Vincent de Paul Society provide supplies for families during the Holidays as well as other times of the year as needed. Place them in the S.V.D.P. box in the foyer of the church.

**THANKS!**

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK**  
Angiolina Armenti, Mary Benivegna, Carl Bocchino, Margarita Bogle, Michael Bryant, Ronald Gustinella, Richard & Cathy Harper, Dil Hatchett, John Hunter, Patrick Keough, Doris Lakso, John LaNeve, Gail Martin, Sean Martin, Luz Mercado, Teresita Nazareno, Lauren Nicole, Austin R., Renette Valcourt, Sr. Frances Vass, OSC, Nancy Zakem, Marie & Jeff, Monica Yassa, Lucas Zaky

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday, November 16

4:00pm †Mary-Ellen Batcho & Ruth/Stanley Chaner  
by Ed Batcho

### Sunday, November 17

9:00am Blessed Sacrament Parish

10:45am †Bernard & Shirley Sharkey  
by Family  
†Bill Crepage by Wife

### Monday November 18

NO MASS

### Tuesday, November 19

8:00am †Mary-Ellen Batcho  
by Richard & Maria Stahl

### Wednesday, November 20

8:00am Past & Present Members & Benefactors of St Vincent de Paul Society

### Thursday November 21

8:00am †Fr. Ken Wolnowski  
by Parish

### Friday November 22

8:00am †Joe Johnson by Parish

### Saturday, November 23

4:00pm †Ed & Yolande Batcho  
by son, Ed Batcho  
†Georg & Anita Polt  
by Family

### Sunday, November 24

9:00am †Dan Blaho, Jr.  
by Mom & Dad  
10:45am †Anthony C. Mazzurco Sr  
by Friend  
†Margaret Cosgrave  
by Vivian Fuentes