

WHAT GOD HAS JOINED **TOGETHER.**

— MARK 10:9 —

Bulletin for October 6, 2024

Presiders: Saturday –5:30pm Fr. Steven Henriksen

Sunday– 8:30am & 11:30am Fr. Shayne Duvall

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Catholic Parish**

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Mass Schedule

Monday, Wednesday & Friday-8:30 a.m.
Saturday-5:30 p.m.
Sunday-8:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.
Rosary after each weekday Mass

Readings for the week of October 6, 2024

Sunday:

Gn 2:18-24/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 (see 5)/
Heb 2:9-11/Mk 10:2-16 or 10:2-12

Monday:

Gal 1:6-12/Ps 111:1b-2, 7-8, 9 and 10c/
Lk 10:25-37

Tuesday:

Gal 1:13-24/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15/
Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday:

Gal 2:1-2, 7-14/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Lk 11:1-4

Thursday:

Gal 3:1-5/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75/
Lk 11:5-13

Friday:

Gal 3:7-14/Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 11:15-26

Saturday:

Gal 3:22-29/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/
Lk 11:27-28

Next Sunday:

Wis 7:7-11/Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 (14)/
Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27



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Gospel Meditation

Encourage Deeper Understanding of Scripture

As a young pastor years ago, I met with a middle-aged couple who had been divorced and civilly remarried. They were frustrated that an annulment had to precede a Church marriage. Sympathizing with their plight, I promised to walk with them along their journey. Once as we sat in my office, the man said to me, “Why is the Church so difficult on marriage?” I replied, “Actually, Jesus’ teaching is what’s difficult.” He furrowed his brow and asked what I meant.

We opened the Bible and together read today’s gospel passage from Mark 10:12 in which Jesus says, **“Whoever divorces his wife and marries another, commits adultery with her...”** My two friends sat in silent astonishment. Surely Jesus understands the complexities of human life and sexual love. The words hung thick and heavy in the air. How could the merciful Lord be so seemingly unrealistic in his expectations, especially with so much divorce and remarriage in our world?

I didn’t know what to say. So, we kept reading. Next, Jesus says, **“Let the children come to me.”** The innocence of children allows them to receive and give love, to trust unconditionally, to believe in love that endures. Most children aren’t yet jaded by statistics, broken hearts, or dysfunctional relationships. Children remind us of the world to come. The couple and I began to talk about child-like trust in Jesus and his teaching, and we continued to move forward. When it comes to the Church’s demanding teaching on marriage, it’s best to approach it as trusting children, whatever situations in which we find ourselves.

— *Father John Muir*

St. Frances of Rome invites you to a Prayer Service for the Commemoration of All of the Faithful Departed.

Saturday, November 2, 2024 at 10:00AM

Please join us as we fondly remember and pray for all of our beloved parishioners who have died.

At the end of Mass you are invited to take home a candle representing your deceased loved one.



SAVE THE DATE!!!!

On Saturday, October 26, 2024, from 8-12 the Clifton Neighborhood will have its Second Bi-Annual Clifton Community Yard Sale! Here’s your chance for a pre-Holiday purge! This event – the “Tricks and Treasures Not So Spooky Yard Sale” –will have a Halloween theme. Participants/vendors are invited to dress up (or not) & pass out treats if they feel so inclined. If you live in Clifton & would like to participate, you may sign up by clicking on the QR code below & providing your name & street address. If you don’t live in Clifton, or don’t have a yard (apartment/condo dwellers) ~ fear not! For a meager \$10 donation, you can reserve a table in the parking lot of St. Leonard Catholic Church on Zorn Avenue to display & sell your stuff! Please email [Katie Garbarino at katiegarbarino@gmail.com](mailto:katiegarbarino@gmail.com) to reserve a table. St. Leonard will also have free coffee & doughnuts available. Be sure to check the QR code regularly for updates.



Collection 9/29/2024 \$1,285

Loose Collections \$374

Online giving \$860

Amount Needed Weekly: \$7,481

YTD vs Budget: \$14,336 Behind

Text Donations

You can now donate to our parish using text messaging! You can use the following phone number to make a donation. Just text **"Give"** to 502-743-4434. It's super easy, and much appreciated.

Mass Intentions for the Week and 2024 Prayer List

Saturday, October 5

5:30PM Arnold Brown †

Sunday, October 6

8:30AM Jim Milliman †

11:30AM S. Hayden Family

Monday, October 7

8:30AM Charlie Wirth †

Wednesday, October 9

8:30AM Bob Despain †

Friday, October 11

8:30AM Arnold Brown †

Saturday, October 12

5:30PM Judy Wayne †

Sunday, October 13

8:30AM Mary Benoit †

11:30AM Honaker Family

Rita Batchelor
Kirk Bergman
Ann Burton
Jerry Clayton
Patricia Elliott
Mary Elmore
Katie Evers
Judy Theobald Fitzhugh
Allie & Masey Goatley
Michelle Hagan
Virginia Hammond
Pat Haunz
Jim Hausman
Robert Hausman
Terry Hickey
Betsy Hilinski
Erin Hohman
Joseph Hohmann
Rita Hohmann
Janet Kessler
Kathy Leonard
Ana Lucia Lister & Family
Alphonse Lukau
Reece McCrae
Joyce McKiernan
Anne McMahan
Ann Mary Mehling
Joyce Mitchell
Don Mirka
Toni Mullins
Freda Nicholson
Kim Osborne
Nancy Ostertag
Annie Pendleton
Susan Rappa
Raleigh Ridge
Lisa Runyon
Ed Schoenbaechler
Jeff Schulz

Norman Scott
Garland Sharpe
Kameron Sutton
Linda Waddell
Diane West
Gerard White (son)
John Elvis Williams
Leora Williams
Jack Woodward
Arthur Woolery
Mary Wright