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SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY (OT 27) – 2 OCTOBER 2022

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READINGS & INTENTIONS

Sun, Oct 2, Sixteenth Sunday After Trinity (OT 27)
Habakkuk 1:2-3; 2:2-4 / Psalms 95:1-2, 6-9 / 2 Timothy 1:6-8, 13-14 / Luke 17:5-10
DWSM: Propers p. 1055 & Readings: p. 1007
Order of the Mass: pp. 663-706
5 p.m. Quintin Prietos, Departed
7 a.m. Frank & Cecile Verkaik, Departed
9 a.m. Delaney Family, Departed
11 a.m. Intention for People of the Parish
5 p.m. Marvin Kuntz, Departed

PASTORAL EMERGENCY SUPPORT

Emergency Pastoral Care Hot Line
Please call (210) 370-7838 - Emergency calls only including last rites, anointing, and imminent death. For anything else please contact the parish office at (210) 695-2944.

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Mon, Oct 3, Feria
Galatians 1:6-12 / Luke 10:25-37
7 a.m. All Souls in Purgatory

Tue, Oct 4, St. Francis of Assisi
Galatians 1:13-24 / Luke 10:38-42
7 a.m. Intention for God's Children

Wed, Oct 5, St. Faustina Kowalska, Virgin
Galatians 2:1-2, 7-14 / Luke 11:1-4
7 a.m. Ray Bennett, Departed

Thu, Oct 6, Bl Marie Rose Durocher, Virgin
Galatians 3:1-5 / Luke 11:5-13
7 a.m. Evelyn Clay, Departed

Fri, Oct 7, Our Lady of the Rosary
Galatians 3:7-14 / Luke 11:15-26
7 a.m. Intention for Linda Nicholson

Sat, Oct 8, St. Denis, Bishop & Martyr, & Companions, Martyrs
Galatians 3:22-29 / Luke 11:27-28
7 a.m. Intention for Parish Staff & Clergy

Vigil Mass - Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity (OT28)
5 p.m. Intention for Faith Maier

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GOSPEL MEDITATION

October 2, 2022 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

As adults, unless we are dealing with children, “obedience” is not a word we typically like to hear. It often brings connotations of military protocols, deference to superiors at work, or conforming to laws and practices. In a culture that has learned to challenge authority, being obedient is understood more as something I “have” to do, not “want” to do. Do you ever see merit in wanting to be obedient? Encouraged to develop independent, self-sufficient egos and personas, we learn to focus on our own wills and merits as we strive for success and achieve a sense of well-being. Giving ourselves over to the will of another, especially when done blindly, can sometimes carry more risk than we are willing to take. Also, blindly following orders without any deference to ethics or morality can lead to atrocious crimes and violence against humanity.

St. Ignatius of Loyola states, “There are three sorts of obedience; the first, obedience when a strict obligation is imposed upon us, and this is good; the second when the simple word of the superior, without any strict command, suffices for us, and this is better; the third, when a thing is done without waiting for an express command, from a knowledge that it will be pleasing to the superior, and this is the best of all.” St. Ignatius sees obedience as an act of love. When the person we are obeying genuinely has our best interest in mind, acting themselves with love and integrity, then what St. Ignatius says makes excellent sense. When mutual trust and a bond of love and respect are present, obedience can lead to freedom and truth.

We ask God to increase our faith. In other words, increase our trust that God knows best how to live and act in this world. We desire the same confidence, determination, and patience Jesus had that the fulfillment of God’s vision would one day come. Nurturing a deep love of God and trusting in his providence, we obediently do what we know is pleasing to God: love, repent of sin, show mercy, be compassionate and fight injustice. As we willingly give witness to our faith, we do only what we are obliged to do, expecting nothing in return. Spared from the task of having to figure it all out for ourselves, we discover freedom. ©LPi

Stop & Reflect

Faithful Departed

Question: How can we pray for the dead throughout the year?

Answer: We commemorate the faithful departed on November 2nd each year. However, we can and should continue to pray for the dead. Our growth in Christian perfection takes a long time. At the time of our death, many of us might not be saints yet. But God, in His mercy, allows for those who love Him to experience purification after death. Our word for that state is Purgatory. It’s the antechamber of heaven, so to speak. We know we’re getting in the house, but we’re not quite ready to go all the way in. There’s rain to shake off our coats and dirt that’s clogging our shoes.

Here on earth, we can pray for the souls in Purgatory. One way is to request that your parish offer a Mass for the intention of a specific loved one. We can also remember the departed in our daily prayers. Just as we have special intentions for family and friends here on earth, we can pray for those who have died. It’s also a good act of Christian charity to pray for the forgotten, those who have no one else to pray for them. God knows who they are! ©LPi

To add someone to the parish’s Prayer Requests List , please send an email to joliveros@ourladyoftheonement.org

PRAYER REQUESTS

Brothers & Sisters, we ask that you keep the following members in your prayers.

- > Pope Francis
- > Bishop Lopes
- > Valentina Vuittonet
- > Unborn children
- > All souls of the departed who might be forgotten or have no one to pray for them

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UPCOMING EVENTS

HEALING MASS - The Alexander House Apostolate is hosting a Healing Mass in honor of the guardian angels offered in memory of children who died before birth and for the healing of their parents. Have you suffered the loss of a child before birth? No matter how a child is lost, the child deserves to be remembered and commended to the care of the Lord. Join us on **Sunday, October 2, 2022, at 3 p.m.** at 30457 Leroy Scheel Rd., Bulverde, TX 78163 for this special Mass on the Feast of the Angels. If you have not been able to commemorate your child at a Mass, come and join us. RSVP: EVENTBRITE.

FUND RAISER FOR ALLIED WOMEN'S PRO-LIFE CENTER - Please join The Atonement Catholic Academy and Our Lady of the Atonement Catholic Church in collecting supplies for the Allied Women's Center! The fundraiser will take place from Monday, October 3 to Thursday, October 6, 2022. You can drop off donations from 7:45 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. at the school's front office. Some of the supplies needed are: diapers, sizes 4, 5, & 6; car seats and strollers; baby clothes; pack & play toys, etc. Please contact the St. Gianna Molla Pro-Life Club at the Atonement Catholic Academy.

WHISKEY, CIGARS, & JESUS MEN'S RETREAT - Back by popular demand. Gather in fellowship, hear interesting talks on the art of making great spirits (both beverage & eternal kind) and cigars. Share great food, relax with a daily cigar (or more), grow in our walk with the Lord, and spend time in worship! The retreat will be held at Sanctus Ranch, 2647 River Bluff Circle, Pipe Creek, TX, **October 7th - 9th, 2022**. For more information or to register, simply scan the QR Code or visit us at www.sanctusranch.com/events.



FATIMA CANDLELIGHT ROSARY PROCESSION - Honoring Our Lady of Fatima on **Thursday, October 13, 2022, at 7 p.m.** Please join us for the 3rd annual special celebration of our Blessed Mother's last apparition in Fatima in October of 1917. We will have Adoration, Benediction, Reflection, a Candlelight Rosary Procession around the parish, and Consecration. Please contact Bill Vogt at (210) 961-2981 for additional information.

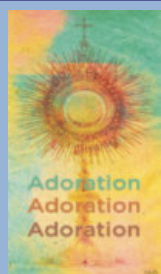
PUBLIC SQUARE ROSARY CRUSADE - America is at a historic crossroad. God is more offended than ever as people ignore Our Lady's maternal request to "stop offending God." It's urgent that we heed Our Lady's request and stop sinning if we hope to enjoy God's blessings and to avert His wrath. That's why we're doing the Public Square Rosary Crusade. Join us here at Our Lady of the Atonement Catholic Church, in the school's Common Room at **noon on Saturday, October 15, 2022**, for our Rosary Rally. Please RSVP via email to newcomers@ourladyoftheatonement.org by Thursday, October 13, 2022.

ALLIED WOMEN'S CENTER 13TH ANNUAL GALA - The Allied Women's Center is excited about its annual Gala to raise money to save endangered babies from abortion. This year, it will be on **Friday, October 21, 2022, at Holy Trinity Banquet Hall, 20523 Huebner Rd., San Antonio, TX**, check-in 6 to 7 p.m., dinner and program 7 to 9 p.m. Keynote speaker is Claire Culwell, who does not simply know something about the affliction of abortion, she is victim of abortion herself because her mother and grandmother attempted to terminate her life. Claire had a twin sister who died as a result of the work of an abortionist. But through the grace of God, Claire miraculously survived so she could share her story with us. Attire is business or business casual. Attendance and the delicious dinner are **FREE**. Donations requested. Advance registration is required, deadline is October 15, 2022. Table sponsorships are available. For more information or to reserve your seats, call Tere Haring, (210) 224-7077 or go to www.alliedwomenscenter.com.

NEWCOMERS GATHERING - Our Parish Newcomers Ministry will be hosting a gathering on **Saturday, October 22, 2022, at 10:00 a.m.** in the Common Room. This will be our final gathering of the year. Come and learn about our parish history, hear from some of our ministries & organizations, and take a guided tour of the parish. Bring the children. Refreshments will be provided.

SACRED MUSIC EVENT - Join us on **Sunday, October 30, 2022, at 6:30 p.m.** when The Adult Choir and The Academy Chamber Choir will be performing Maurice Durufle's *Requiem*, alongside other anthems in celebration of the Solemnity of All-Saints (Nov 1) and the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All-Souls, Nov 2.)

SAVE THE DATE - Our parish Fall Bazaar is scheduled for **Saturday, November 12, 2022, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.** More information to come. Please stay tuned. If you are interested in setting up a vendor booth, please email elizama@ourladyoftheatonement.org. *Deadline for vendor registration is October 28, 2022*



ADORERS NEEDED - We need ONE more adorer for:

Friday: 11 a.m.-12 noon, 4-5 p.m., 5-6 p.m., and 7-8 p.m.,

Saturday: 3-4 a.m., 5-6 a.m., noon-1 p.m., 1-2 p.m., 3-4 p.m., 4-5 p.m., 5-6 p.m., 6-7 p.m., 7-8 p.m., and
Sunday: 1-2 a.m.

Please send text to Cathy School at (210) 275-5104 to commit to one of these hours.
We rely on our COMMITTED WEEKLY ADORERS to keep Adoration going in our parish.

"And he came to the disciples and found them sleeping; and He said to Peter,

"So, could you not watch with me one hour." (Matthew 26:40)

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 11 a.m. (Sung Mass)
 5 p.m. (Said Mass)
Monday through Saturday
 7 a.m. (Said Mass)



Sunday 8:30 a.m. to 9 a.m., and 10:30 a.m. to 11 a.m.
Wednesday 3 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Thursday 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
Saturday 7:45 a.m. to 9:30 a.m.

WE ♥ OUR VOLUNTEERS

Our Lady of the Atonement Catholic Church and The Atonement Catholic Academy are always looking for volunteers. If you are interested in volunteering your time and/or talents, please contact Mr. Anastacio Hinojosa at ahinojosa@atonementonline.com.



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Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - Sacred Heart Chapel - Friday 7:45 a.m. to Sunday 6:15 a.m.
Parish Family Adoration Hour - First Thursday of the month - 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.
Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament - First Saturday after the 7 a.m. Mass
Morning and Evening Prayer - Mon - Sun, 6:30 a.m. & 4:30 p.m.
Parish Rosary - Saturday after the 7 a.m. Mass



MINISTRIES & ORGANIZATIONS

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament - Catherine School
(210) 275-5104, adoration@ourladyoftheatonement.org

Adult Inquiry Class - Alan Becker, (210) 273-9426
inquiry@ourladyoftheatonement.org

Altar Guild - Jessica Coleman, (210) 479-5863
altarguild@ourladyoftheatonement.org

American Heritage Girls - Catherine Henriquez, AHG Coordinator,
Kristine Jeter AHG Vice Coordinator
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Atonement Moms Group
atonementmomsgroup@ourladyoftheatonement.org
<https://OurLadyofAtonement.flocknote/AtonementMoms>

Bereavement Ministry
bereavementministry@ourladyoftheatonement.org

Culture of Life Ministry - Phil Sevilla, (210) 784-0518
cultureoflife@ourladyoftheatonement.org

Catholic Youth Organization (CYO) Athletics
cyopresident@atonementonline.com

Educating on Nature & Dignity of Women (ENDOW)
Glorian Roman-Ashby
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Fr. Paul of Graymoor Knights of Columbus Council #16730
Mark Cerda, Grand Knight (210) 692-4245
knightsforcolumbus@ourladyoftheatonement.org

God's Comfort in Loss (after miscarriage)
Marcela Elsner, Renee Keller, & Claire Jenkins
godscomfortinloss@ourladyoftheatonement.org

Newcomers Ministry - Karen King
newcomers@ourladyoftheatonement.org

Rosary Guild - Catherine School (210) 275-5104, or
Grace Howard, (210) 887-8562
olrg@ourladyoftheatonement.org.

St. Cuthbert Home Visitation Ministry
Dr. Jesus Garcia Gallegos - (210) 993-2127
stcuthberthomevisitation@ourladyoftheatonement.org

St. Joseph the Worker Prayer Group - Bill Vogt, (913) 961-2981
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The Troops of St. George - Robert Wallace - tsg815.org
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***We are here to help any parishioner.
Please reach out to us in your time of need.***



MEET OUR STAFF

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Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m.**

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FINANCIAL SUPPORT

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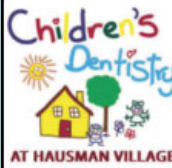
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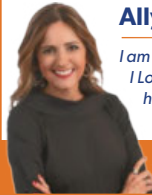
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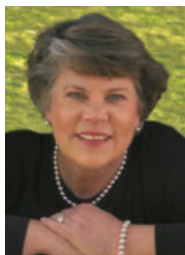
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