



Pastor

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Mass Times

Sunday 9:00 a.m.
Mon., Tues. & Thurs.
8:30 a.m.
Thursday Novena 9:00 a.m.
Saturday 5:30 p.m.

Confessions

Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.

Religious Ed

Sunday
10:00 - 11:00 a.m.

Saint Katharine Drexel
109 New England Rd.
Trenton, GA 30752

Mass Times

Sunday 11:30 a.m.
Wednesday 5:00 p.m.

Confessions

Wednesday 4:30 p.m.

November 5, 2017



In an emergency

Please call Fr. Tom's cell phone directly at (423) 637-4850.

Nursery

Our nursery is open for Sunday Mass beginning at 8:30 a.m. and is located downstairs in the church.

Altar Flowers



Thank you to Robin Parks for providing altar flowers this weekend. Next weekend's flowers will be provided by Lisa Govan. To make changes to the schedule please visit the Ministries tab at olmcc.com.

Community Thanksgiving Service



The Lookout Mountain Community Thanksgiving Service will be held on Wednesday, November 22nd at 7:00 p.m. at Church of the First Born, 3418 St. Elmo Ave. Everyone is invited to attend this wonderful opportunity to gather with other congregations to thank God for all that He has provided. A offering will be collected to support Widow's Harvest.

Pope Francis' November Prayer Intention

Christians in Asia. That Christians in Asia, bearing witness to the Gospel in word and deed, may promote dialogue, peace, and mutual understanding, especially with those of other religions.

Dedication to Jesus

Lord Jesus Christ, take all my freedom, my memory, my understanding, and my will. All that I have and cherish you have given me. I surrender it all to be guided by Your will. Your grace and Your love are wealth enough for me. Give me these, Lord Jesus, and I ask for nothing more. Amen.

- St. Ignatius of Loyola

Mass Intentions for the Week

November 4 - Janice Fortune

November 5 - People of the Parish

Readings for Next Sunday, November 12th

First Reading Wisdom 6:12-16

Second Reading 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

Gospel Matthew 25:1-13

We seek many things in this life, but we seek first the Lord and his wisdom. By so living, we will keep vigil for the Lord as we wait his return in glory.



November 6 - Miller Epps

November 6 - Mary Ellen Mazo

November 6 - Lauren Vukin

November 9 - Lolly Jones

November 11 - Beth Voges

November 12 - Michael Willingham

Thank You!

Thanks to everyone who joined us last Sunday for our Oktoberfest celebration. It was a great evening filled with food, fun, and family.

CCETN Bake Sale Next Weekend



Catholic Charities 28th Annual Bake Sale is next weekend. All proceeds remain in Chattanooga to fund the many Catholic Charities' programs. We are still in need of volunteers to provide items for the bake sale and help with setup and sales. Please sign up to provide items on our website or a signup sheet in the narthex. Contact Rhonda Brown for more information. Please support this worthy cause.

Liturgical Minister Schedules

Saturday, November 11th

Lector: Jimmy McGinness

Eucharistic Ministers: Judy Anderson
Mark Anderson
Sissy Tarumianz

Altar Servers: Alden Mazo
Bella Perry
Olivia Perry

Sunday, November 12th

Lector: Scott Hill

Eucharistic Ministers: August Anderson
Ann Epps
Mc Ferguson
Jim Sabourin
Andy Stockett
Mary Voges
Harriett Whitaker

Altar Servers: Sig Brown
Alyse Coakley
Conor Coakley

Greeters: Rich Boschi
Christine Willingham

Prayer List

Ann Aiken	Nancy Maclellan
Brother Anselm	Barbara McLellan
Greg Brown	John McLellan
Celia Davenport	Peter Mullady
Mamie Everette	Paul Palmer
Janice Fortune	Wayne Pickett
Jeff Gouveia	Alice Smith
Fred Hale	Mary Vorder Bruegge
Janie House	Camilla Pollock-Flynn

Please contact the office with needed changes, including updates and additions.



We hope each household has now received their campaign information packet either following Mass or by mail. If you have not received a packet please contact the office and we will gladly have one sent to you, 706-820-0680. Please submit your pledge cards by mail or in the collection basket by November 17th.

Legendary UGA Coach Vince Dooley to Speak at OLMCC

Mark your calendars! Legendary University of Georgia coach Vince Dooley will speak at the OLMCC men's club at 7 PM, Wednesday, November 29, in the parish hall. Coach Dooley remains one of the most widely respected coaches and athletic directors in the country. Many consider his years at UGA to be among the best and most famous of all time. More details will follow, but in the meantime put it on your calendar.

Fall Women's Social



Please join the ladies of the parish for an evening of wine, appetizers, and fellowship on Thursday, November 16th at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Michelle Viscomi, 405 Linden Way. The sign-up link is available at www.olmcc.com and signups are also available in both narthexes.

Christmas Party

All adults of the parish are invited to mark their calendars for our annual Christmas Party on Sunday, December 3rd at 6:00 p.m. in the parish hall. More details to follow!



NOVEMBER 5, 2017



THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



MALACHI 1:14B–2:2B, 8–10

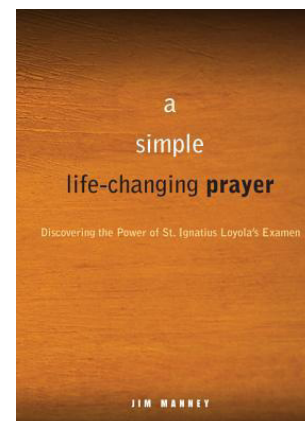
PSALM 131:1, 2, 3

1 THESSALONIANS 2:7B–9, 13

MATTHEW 23:1–12

REFLECTION

Jesus critiques the actions of the scribes and Pharisees. He describes them as being prideful and self-important, who make their devotions in order to be seen, who love the seat of honor and being called “Rabbi.” Jesus instructs his disciples to avoid becoming prideful and boastful. He reminds us that those who exalt themselves will be humbled, but those who humble themselves will be exalted. A common saying tells us that “humility isn’t thinking less of yourself, it’s thinking of yourself less.” When you make a game-winning shot in basketball, or get the best score on a test, how do you respond? How do others respond? When we accomplish something, it can be easy to make a big deal out of it. And we should appreciate our successes. But when you celebrate your achievements in front of others, are you being humble? How do you react when you see someone else calling attention to their successes?



A Simple, Life-Changing Prayer: Discovering the Power of St. Ignatius Loyola’s Examen
JIM MANNEY

ACTION

One way to remember the gifts in our daily lives is an Ignatian process called the Daily Examen, which consists of five simple steps. The first step is to become aware of God’s presence. The second step is to review your day with gratitude by focusing on people or things that you are thankful for. The third step is to become aware of your emotions, asking whether there is one particular thing that you are most grateful for. The fourth step is to pray on one part of your day that stood out in your reflection. And the final step is to look toward tomorrow, asking for guidance and gratitude. While some people practice the Daily Examen once or more a day, there is no requirement to it. It is a personal prayer, and can take only a few minutes. Consider trying a daily Examen for a week. As you become more aware of the gifts in your life, ask yourself, “How can I be a blessing to others every day?”

JOURNALING QUESTIONS

- Reflect on the way you act each day. Do you think that you act humbly? Why or why not?
- Think about gratitude. What blessings are you grateful for? When you reflect back on your day, do you feel closer to God?