

Mass Intentions for the Week	
<u>Sat Oct 05</u>	ST FAUSTINA KOWALSKA
8:00 am	Shrine Volunteers & Employees
11:30	Bernadette Remedios
4:00	Alfred Frosolone 🕆
<u>Sun Oct 06</u>	27th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
9:00 am	Helen Promowicz
12:00 pm	Teresa Palomo B-Day
5:00 pm	Luigi Aiezza
<u>Mon Oct 07</u>	OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY
11:30 am	Perpetual Mass
4:00 pm	Anna Andreola 🕆
<u>Tue Oct 08</u>	TUE. 27TH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME
11:30 am	Victoria Szpara
4:00 pm	Dorothy Komosinski
<u>Wed Oct 09</u>	<u>ST DENIS &amp; JOHN LEONARDI</u>
11:30 am	Giuseppe Bozzo
4:00 pm	Nan DiNardo
<u>Thu Oct 10</u>	THU. 27TH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME
11:30 pm	Phyllis Peters DeSantis
4:00 pm	Sr. Elizabeth Domin
<u>Fri Oct 11</u>	ST ALEXANDER SAULI
11:30 am	St Alexander Sauli
4:00 pm	St Alexander Sauli
<u>Sat Oct 12</u>	SAT. 27th WEEK of ORDINARY TIME
8:00 am	Teresa Gillingham
11:30 pm	Robert "Bob" Connors
4:00 pm	Clara & John Tavano
<u>Sun Oct 13</u>	28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
9:00 am	Frank Manzo, Bel and Family
12:00 pm	Joseph Nocera
5:00 pm	Mundek

Meditation for the 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

God desires for us to love and to be loved as he loves. Scripture says it is not good for man to be alone, "I will make a suitable partner for him." This statement can be found in today's first reading from Genesis. Moreover, it is the faithful and fruitful union of a man and a woman that ensures the continuation of a good human life as a husband and wife come together as one couple. Again from scripture, 'the two of them become one flesh."

The Church teaches and believes that the sacrament of marriage is Christ's confirmation that, "what God is joined together, no human being must separate." The bond of marriage itself speaks to us of the love and fidelity that God shows towards everyone. Therefore by virtue of our baptism, we are consecrated to God in Christ and to one another that we might be brought to glory in the Kingdom of Heaven.

From the very beginning the Lord God created us not to be alone, thus relationships with God and with one another are truly worthy of an omniscient God, the creator of the universe and all things and who desires that love be the energy that gives meaning to our creation. And yet we are not just his creation, but also God's children. His only son Jesus Christ is our brother, therefore the Kingdom of Heaven belongs to us. Let us embrace it with the childlike wonder that it deserves.

Throughout the month of October, the Gospel of Mark narrates Jesus' journey to Jerusalem. As he is traveling and engaging the people, the Pharisees pose a test for him. Either they were testing his opinion or seeking to entrap him. The issue that was raised by the Pharisees was and still is ongoing. Marriage from the Sacramental viewpoint is a vocation, not merely a convention. In other words implicit in marriage is the notion of discipleship as the occasion of following more than simply choosing. Jesus clearly stipulates that marriage matters both as a cultural concern and a religious one.

Discipleship emerged to create a link between being relational in the world that often exemplifies suffering. And so marriage reinforced by discipleship helps hopefully to balance the ideal and the reality of life. Scripture also points us to the fact the good news is that we have help along the way - and that help is Jesus Christ. Sharing our common origin through creation, we are brothers and sisters in the Lord by faith will uniquely set apart. "Consecrated for the journey of life" is our and every disciple's destination.

## Vocation View 10/06/24

Jesus taught many things in the Bible that are hard accept-like today's Gospel –things our society would rather not listen to. It takes courage to preach an unpopular message. If you feel that brave call Contact Fr. Albino Vecina (716) 754-7489 or email ave@fatimashrine.com

## Intercession for Life 10/06/24

For all Catholics: that on this Respect Life Sunday, the Lord will strengthen our resolve to protect the gift of every human life; We pray to the Lord:

# ZACCARIAN APOSTOLATE OF PRAYER OCTOBER

That the young Barnabites, from the first steps in their formation, animated by the apostolic zeal of Saint Paul and the memory of our venerable Fathers, may welcome the missionary mandate of the Lord with joy as the reason of their consecration. Let us Pray

#### THE HOLY FATHER'S INTENTION FOR OCTOBER For a shared mission

We pray that the Church continue to sustain In all ways a Synodal lifestyle, as a sign of co-responsibility, promoting the participation, the communion and the mission shared among priests, religious and lay people.



**Bible Reflection Group** Every Monday @ 7:30 in the Fatima Hall Next Meeting: October 07, 2024 Discussing: Wis 7:7-11, Heb 4: 12-13, Mk 10:17-30

# **DO YOU WANT TO WATCH REMOTELY?**

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