

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday, October 13, 2024



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28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



They were exceedingly astonished and said among themselves,
“Then who can be saved?” Jesus looked at them and said,
“For human beings it is impossible, but not for God.
All things are possible for God.” - Mk 10:26-27

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MASS Intentions

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October 12, Saturday - Sobota

Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday

9:00AM For the Members of Our Lady Mother of Mercy
Secular Discalced Carmelites

- ❖ For Raymond Konowalski (B'Day) req. Family
- ❖ For Dan Murphy ❖ † Rolando Romero

5:30PM For the Intentions of All Parishioners

October 13, Sunday - Nedela

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wis 7:7-11; Heb 4:12-13; Mk 10:17-30

7:30AM For Paul Varchetti & Family

- ❖ † Edward Leininger req. Jim & Carol Bentley
- ❖ † Jim Fleck req. Emmy Evangelista
- ❖ † David Chupa req. Wife ❖ † John Maciag req. Wife
- ❖ † Loretta & Giovanna DiCicco ❖ † Betty Moses

9:30AM For the Poor Souls in Purgatory req. RMG

- ❖ For the Intentions of the Knights of Columbus-
St. Nicholas Council & Families
- ❖ For Margaret Giannone (Bapt. Ann.) req. Family
- ❖ For Danielle Brown ❖ For Jillian Haio
- ❖ For Jack Babich (B'Day)
- ❖ † Sebastiano Abate (B'Day)

11:30AM (Slovak) ❖ For Kirk Boehling req. Kathy Holka

- ❖ For Jan & Natalia Plzak req. Maya Lamer
- ❖ For Eman Louis ❖ For the Broski Family
- ❖ For Nancy & Anna ❖ † Hilary Ross
- ❖ † Marie Martorana (B'Day) req. Family

2:00PM *Baptism: Audrey Ellis Wright

8:30PM For Tim & Victoria Roddy & Family

- ❖ For Jan & Natalia Plzak ❖ For Inam Sharrak
- ❖ † Sharon Joan Zammit req. Matthew LaPorte
- ❖ † Samier Thomas ❖ † Sadeq Elias Alsaffar
- ❖ † Bassam Dankha & Family req. HA

October 14, Monday - Pondelok

9:00AM For Jonathan Wilkins req. Grandmother

- ❖ For Therese Stout ❖ † Michael Foley & Family
- ❖ † Mike Kripl req. Ralph & Karen Basile

12:00PM For the Blue Army of Our Lady of Fatima

- ❖ For John Mangano (B'Day) req. Family
- ❖ For Samantha, Eli & Ave Shamoan ❖ † Mitchell Bak

October 15, Tuesday - Utorok

Memorial of Saint Teresa of Jesus,

Virgin and Doctor of the Church

6:00AM For Sarah Mazurkiewicz (B'Day) req. Family

- ❖ For Diane Belkowski req. Family
- ❖ For Azzam & Jandark & Family
- ❖ † Olga & Waclaw Piatek

12:00PM For Deacon Gerald Smigell (Ord. Ann.)

- ❖ † Matthew Margiewicz
- ❖ † Mitchell Bak ❖ † Grace Perrone

October 16, Wednesday - Streda

Memorial of Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin

9:00AM (Latin) For Mark Varchetti ❖ For Eman Louis & Family

- ❖ † Antonio Moscone
- ❖ † Florentino & Catalina Isip req. Family

12:00PM In Thanksgiving ❖ For Ruwaid & Mervet Kashat

- ❖ † Ben Drozdowski (11th Ann)
- ❖ † Herman Beste req. Family

October 17, Thursday - Štvrtok

Memorial of Saint Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr

6:00AM For Glen & Amy Varchetti & Family

- ❖ For Hirmiz Odesho & Family req. HA
- ❖ For Ruby McHugh (1st B'Day) req. Sue Lechner
- ❖ † Antonio Moscone

12:00PM For Grant Dzieciolowski (B'Day)

- ❖ For Vicki Babbie req. Friend
- ❖ For Tristan Wilkins req. Family
- ❖ † Peter MacDonald

7:00PM For Genelle Haio req. Dad & Mom (B'Day)

- ❖ For Paul & Carroll Schuller (Wed. Ann.)
- ❖ For Taylor Drozdowski
- ❖ † Sabriya, Hanna & Iman Boutany

October 18, Friday - Piatok

Feast of Saint Luke, Evangelist

6:00AM For a Special Intention req. Marie Kerry

- ❖ For Maryn Hinds
- ❖ For Cassie & Larry Giroux (Wed. Ann.)
- ❖ For Nate & Theresa Robinson & Fam.

12:00PM For Grant Dzieciolowski (8th B'Day)

- ❖ † Charles Celusnak (B'Day) req. Julie Celusnak & Family
- ❖ † Kaveon Dux ❖ † Ann M. Pullis

October 19, Saturday - Sobota

Memorial of Saints John de Brebeuf, and Issac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs

9:00AM For Sophia Skrocki & Family

- ❖ For Louise Hand ❖ For Terry & Anne Haio
- ❖ † Amparo Fernando req. Family

5:30PM For the Poor Souls in Purgatory req. RMG

- ❖ For Mike MacDonald
- ❖ For Fr. John Bustamante req. Family
- ❖ For Sr. Mary Albert O. P. req. Dan & Jan
- ❖ For Donald Trump & Family req. Galea Family
- ❖ For Ken & MaryAnn Warner req. Bob & Cindy Hasenauer
- ❖ † Rafael Drensek req. Family

October 20, Sunday - Nedela

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 53:10-11; Heb 4:14-16; Mk 10:35-45

7:30AM For William Timmerman (B'Day)

- ❖ For Carl & Alyssia Varchetti & Family
- ❖ For Emmanuel, Hollya & Gabriel Asmar
- ❖ For Zach G req. Family

- ❖ † Lisa Johnston req. MoJo ❖ † Erna Craig
- ❖ † William "Rick" Yamin (B'Day) req. Friends

9:30AM *Baptism: Elizabeth Elaine Suchland

For the Intentions of All Parishioners

11:30AM (Slovak) ❖ For the Poor Souls in Purgatory

- ❖ For All Priests ❖ For the Schuller Family
- ❖ For Alphonsa Thomas req. Family
- ❖ † Mark & Lena Pepaj
- ❖ † Donna Obrzut ❖ † Antonio Moscone

8:30PM For Monir & Alia Korkis & Family

- ❖ For Jalela Arafat Saroki
- ❖ For Ray Khan & Family
- ❖ For Gjekaj Family req. Friend
- ❖ For Bridget Pietro (B'Day) req. Mom
- ❖ † Samier Thomas ❖ † Sadeq Elias Alsaffar



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Ss. CYRIL & METHODIUS Regular HOLY MASS SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY: 9:00AM & 5:30PM (Vigil)
SUNDAYS: 7:30AM, 9:30AM, 11:30AM (in Slovak) & 8:30PM
MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS: 9:00AM & 12:00PM
TUESDAYS & FRIDAYS: 6:00AM & 12:00PM
THURSDAYS & FIRST FRIDAYS: 6:00AM, 12:00PM & 7:00PM

Ss. CYRIL & METHODIUS CONFESSION SCHEDULE:

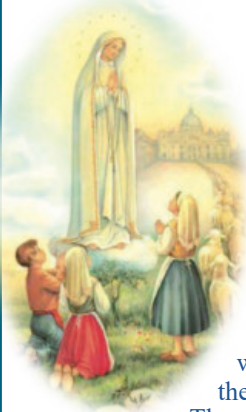
MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS: 8:30AM - 9:00AM & 11:30AM - 12:00PM
TUESDAYS & FRIDAYS: 5:30AM-6:00AM & 11:30AM-12:00PM
THURSDAYS & FIRST FRIDAYS: 5:30AM - 6:00AM, 11:30AM - 12:00PM & 6:30PM-7:00PM
SATURDAYS: 8:30AM - 9:00AM

REGULAR OFFICE HOURS:

MONDAYS: 10:00AM - 5:00PM
TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS & FRIDAYS: 11:00AM - 5:00PM
WEDNESDAYS: 10:00AM - 2:00PM
***Office is closed during 12:00PM Holy Mass**

OVERNIGHT EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:

THURSDAYS, 1:00PM - FRIDAYS, 12:00PM (until 7:00PM on First Fridays)



October 13th: Final Apparition of Our Lady of Fatima

Monday, October 14: Marian Procession, Devotions and Social after the Noon Holy Mass

During World War I, Pope Benedict XV made repeated but forlorn pleas for peace, and finally in May 1917, made a direct appeal to the Blessed Mother to intercede for peace in the world. Soon, Our Lady began to appear at Fatima, Portugal to three shepherd children, Lucia dos Santos, age 10, and her cousins, Francisco and Jacinta Marto, ages 9 and 7. Fatima was a small village about 70 miles north of Lisbon.

October 13, 1917: The prediction of a public miracle caused intense speculation throughout Portugal and the journalist, Avelino de Almeida, published a satirical article on the whole business in the anti-religious newspaper "O Seculo." People from other parts of the country descended by the tens of thousands on the cova despite the terrible storm that lashed the mountain country around Fatima on the eve of the 13th. Many pilgrims walked barefooted, reciting the Rosary as they went, all crowding into the area around the cova. By mid-morning the weather again turned bad and heavy rain began to fall.

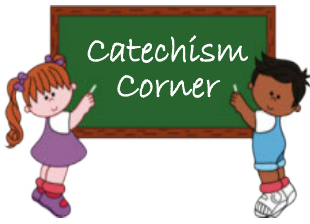
The children reached the holm oak around noon and then saw the flash of light as Mary appeared before them. For the last time, Lucia asked what she wanted: "I want to tell you that a chapel is to be built here in my honor. I am the Lady of the Rosary. Continue always to pray the Rosary every day. The war is going to end, and the soldiers will soon return to their homes." Again Lucia made requests for cures, conversions and other things. Our Lady's response was: "Some yes, but not others. They must amend their lives and ask forgiveness for their sins."

Sister Lucia tells us that at this point Mary grew very sad and said: "Do not offend the Lord our God any more, because He is already so much offended." Then, opening her hands, she made them reflect on the sun and, as she ascended, the reflection of her own light continued to be projected on the sun itself. After she disappeared, as the people witnessed the great miracle which had been predicted, the children saw the visions foretold during the September apparition.

The Great Miracle of the Sun

The greatest miracle to occur since the Resurrection is also the only miracle ever precisely predicted as to date, time of day and location. Although it is popularly known as "The Miracle of the Sun" and October 13, 1917, has come to be known as "The Day the Sun Danced," a great deal more took place. The solar phenomena included the dancing of the sun, its fluctuations in color, its swirling and its descending toward the earth. There was also the stillness in the leaves of the trees in spite of howling winds, the complete drying of the rain-soaked ground and the restoration of clothes all wet and covered with mud so that, as eye-witness Dominic Reis, put it, "They looked as though they had just come back from the cleaners." Physical cures of the blind and the lame were reported. The countless unreserved public confessions of sin and commitments to conversion of life attest to the authenticity of what they saw.

The miracle is reported to have been seen from as far as 15-25 miles away, thus ruling out the possibility of any type of collective hallucination or mass hypnotism. Doubters and skeptics had become believers. Even O Seculo's on-site reporter, Avelino de Almeida, now reported affirmatively and stood by his story later on in spite of harsh criticism.



Catechism Corner

The Catechism Program is excited that we have been given another opportunity to help the Seminarians at Sacred Heart Major Seminary with their Neighborhood Outreach Halloween

Project. Each Halloween, they open their doors and hearts to their neighbors, inviting them in for a night of fun, games, and trick or treating as they continue to Unleash the Gospel within the Heart of the City. They are expecting over 2,000 people so your help is greatly appreciated. We will be collecting bags of candy this Wednesday, October 16, during Catechism Class.

Please Note: All parishioners are welcome to donate candy as well and can do so by leaving their candy in the marked box in the vestibule or in the Parish Office. We will gratefully accept a donation of any size as *"No act of kindness, no matter how small is ever wasted."*

CLASS SCHEDULE

Wednesday, October 16, at 6:15PM - Class

Wednesday, October 23, at 6:15PM - Class

Wednesday, October 30, at 6:15PM - Class

If you have any questions, please contact:

Carroll or Paul Schuller at

cschuller@saintcyriels.church or (586) 726-6911

N.O.W. Teen Ministry • Monday, October 14

Navigating our World with Christ

7:00PM—8:45PM • Fr. Mikus Hall

N.O.W.-Navigating our World with Christ-offers high schoolers a variety of ways to deepen their relationship with God through weekly youth group meetings called "N.O.W. Nights." They include teaching & testimony, spiritual

formation, games, snacks, small group discussions, and prayer time. We ask that teens have turned 14 years old before December 1 of last year and be at least freshmen to attend.

Our next N.O.W. Night takes place this Monday, October 14, from 6:45PM-8:45PM.

Questions about N.O.W. Teen Ministry: Heidi, (586) 859-0194

EDGE Middle School Youth Ministry • Thursday, October 17

TOPIC: "Surrender"

7:00PM - 8:45PM • Fr. Mikus Hall

EDGE offers 6th, 7th, and 8th graders a variety of ways to deepen their relationship with God through weekly youth group meetings called "EDGE Nights." They include teaching & testimony, prayer & social time, games, snacks and fun!

EDGE Nights take place every Thursday (except the first Thursday of each month) from September through May, in the Parish Hall from 7:00 – 8:45PM. *The next EDGE Night takes place this Thursday, October 17 and is a night to win the battle for our life if we surrender to God and accept His Lead.* Meet with old friends and make new ones. Together, we are embarking on a journey towards Christ, where we all walk together.

Questions about EDGE Middle School Ministry:

Heidi, (586) 859-0194

Pancake Breakfast

THIS SUNDAY, October 13

8:00AM - 1:00PM • FR. MIKUS HALL

COST IS A FREE-WILL OFFERING

Breakfast Includes:

Pancakes, Sausage, Eggs, Roasted Rosemary Potatoes, French Toast, Orange Juice, Coffee-Regular & Decaf, and Toast/Butter or Jelly.

Hosted by: St. Nicholas Council 7011 Knights of Columbus

A free-will offering will be collected at the breakfast will be donated to charity after paying food costs. Any charity proceeds raised will support the Knights four-fold ministries which are: Service to the Poor; Aid the Mentally Impaired (MI); Support of Priests and Seminarians; and Support Right-to-Life (RTL). Thank you for your support.



Together We Pray for the United States • October 14

Let's unite our voices together in prayer during the days leading up to the election on November 5th. Everyone is invited to unite our prayers together with fellow parishioners and patriots by praying the Rosary each day, wherever we are, at either 7:00AM or 7:00PM (or both).

And through the intercession of Our Lady we will ask God to Protect our Religious Liberties and preserve our rights to Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness. Begin with the Election Prayer by Servant of God, Fr. John A. Hardon, S.J., followed by the recitation of the Holy Rosary and conclude with the Memorare and the Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel.

Election Prayer for our Nation

Lord Jesus Christ, You told us to give to Caesar what belongs to Caesar, and to God what belongs to God. Enlighten the minds of our people in America. May we choose a President of the United States, and other government officials, according to Your Divine Will.

Give our citizens the courage to choose leaders of our nation who respect the sanctity of unborn human life, the sanctity of marriage, the sanctity of marital relations, the sanctity of the family, and the sanctity of the aging. Grant us the wisdom to give You, what belongs to You, our God. If we do this, as a nation, we are confident You will give us an abundance of Your blessings through our elected leaders. Amen.

Composed by (Servant of God) Father John Anthony Hardon, S.J.

Imprimatur: +Rene H. Gracida, Bishop of Corpus Christi, July 7, 1992

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Occasionally, a public Rosary is recited in front of the outdoor Slovak Cross. This week we will pray outdoors on Monday, October 14, at 5:30PM. Please bring your rosary and a lawn chair.

Catholic Charities Disaster Relief

Many people have asked about sending support to those impacted by the recent hurricanes. "Catholic Charities USA, the official relief agency of the Church in the United States, has an online donation mechanism. Please note, 100% of donations made via these links go to support recovery efforts. Catholic Charities USA works directly with local Catholic Charities agencies in the affected areas to provide humanitarian relief."

Hurricane Helene: <https://www.catholiccharitiesusa.org/?form=helene>

Hurricane Milton: <https://www.catholiccharitiesusa.org/2024/10/09/catholic-charities-launches-relief-fund-for-those-impacted-by-hurricane-milton/>



Going Deeper Into What the Catholic Church Teaches

Tuesday, October 15 • 7:00PM-9:00PM • Overflow Room

TOPIC:

JESUS CHRIST: Who is He?

Why does Jesus stand out above all other people in human history?

All are welcome to join the OCIA sessions to learn more about what we believe as Catholics. Whether you've already been Baptized and Confirmed doesn't matter.

~ Simply come to listen and learn ~

Eucharistic Adoration ~ Hearts Deepest Longing

THURSDAYS, 1:00PM - FRIDAYS, 12:00PM
until 7:00PM on FIRST FRIDAYS ONLY



Numberless are the things which urge us to free ourselves entirely from our faults. Heaven holds our promises, hell threatens us, and earth can at any moment hurl us into eternity. Our heart is well aware of its own wretchedness is still full of God's gifts. It is drawn by the infinite goodness of Christ's Heart and never stops encouraging us. But how do we actually begin such an undertaking? We

see that we ought to do it but don't know how. Seek Jesus, especially before Him in the Blessed Sacrament, and ask Him to teach you how to amend and reform yourself. We ought to begin first with great courage and a generous mind. We must have the good and determined will of correcting ourselves and never stopping until we are completely cleansed. If we fail to any faults within us we fool ourselves and must ask our dear Lord to reveal to us our failures and shortcomings; those things which stand between us and Him. We must have a sincere desire to cooperate with Him with the divine grace He will freely give to us. This is the first and main thing on our part; from this we derive our strength, anything less will hardly affect any good. This strong determination of always striving by God's grace to cleanse our hearts is the first hope of future purity of heart. It is the first sign of future perfection, the first token whereby future saints are distinguished, and lastly, the first characteristic of the true disciple of Christ's Most Sacred Heart. ~ Paul Ray

Can You Spend One Hour with Our Lord?

At Gethsemane, Jesus said to the apostles, "Couldn't you watch with me even one hour? Keep watch and pray so that you will not give into temptation. For the spirit is willing but the body is weak." (Matt 26:40-42) Our Lord is calling you to stay with Him for one hour.

If you are able to commit to spend one hour with Our Lord EACH WEEK, please contact: Annette, (586) 247-7214

ADDITIONAL COMMITTED ADORERS NEEDED!

Additional adorers are needed during all night hours,
but one more Committed Adorer is especially needed on:
Fridays: 2:00AM-3:00AM

PLEASE REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR OUR
SICK PARISHIONERS, THOSE WHO HAVE
DIED, FAMILY MEMBERS & FRIENDS &
THOSE WHO SERVE IN THE MILITARY

Boxes of Joy Available

After All Holy Masses Next Weekend • October 19 & 20

Give the gift of joy! Send a Christmas gift to a child in Central or South America who would not otherwise receive a gift this Christmas. **Box of Joy** is a program of Cross Catholic Outreach (CCO) that provides a gift to the children served at their program centers in Central and South America.

Boxes of Joy will be available next weekend, October 19 & 20, after all Holy Masses. Each box has instructions and gift suggestions. Take a box home with you, choose whether it will be for a boy or a girl and choose the age; then fill it with small items that will add up to a big Christmas surprise for a needy child in South or Central America. This can be a fun project for your kids or grandkids, as kids know best what other kids will love.

Return your **Box of Joy** when you come to Mass two weeks later, November 2 & 3. All Boxes must be returned by Sunday, November 3. They will be delivered to a local collection center on Monday and from there, shipped to Cross Catholic Outreach (CCO) in Florida. CCO will see that all **Boxes of Joy** are delivered to program centers in South and Central America in time for Christmas.

Thank you for your participation in this important program!

Learn About the Liturgy • October 26

You have been told that the Holy Mass is the summit of our Catholic faith. You know that the bread and water are transformed into the Body and Blood of our Lord, but do you understand what the liturgy is? What place does the liturgy have in the spiritual life? Do you know the meaning behind the prayers, gestures, motions, and actions of the priest and people throughout the Mass? Do you know how to participate in the celebration?

Explore the depths of the mystery of liturgy with Father Juraj. Father will guide you through the world of liturgy in order to better understand why the priest, deacon, altar servers, and the people of God do what they do, say what they say, and participate as they do in the liturgical rites of the Mass and in other sacraments. It will help you as well to consciously join in the celebration. There will also be time for questions and answers.

Join Father Juraj and your fellow parishioners in the Overflow Room on the 4th Saturday of each month, beginning on Saturday, October 26, immediately following the 9:00AM Mass.

Bring a friend and take this opportunity to deepen your faith and truly appreciate the gift that is at the center of our Catholic life!

Spiritual Adoption of an Unborn Baby Update

A sincere thank you to everyone who spiritually adopted an unborn baby over the last week, officially or unofficially. By the end of this month the baby's heart will be beating. So far, we have 152 babies officially adopted:

Boys: 62

Girls: 68

Not yet named: 22

Please look out for the poster with all the baby names on red hearts in the vestibule and the WATCH ME GROW posters both in the vestibule and in the bulletin.

As a reminder, this prayer was written by Archbishop Fulton Sheen over fifty years ago. We are participating in a beautiful spiritual work of mercy through our prayers.

If you were unable to obtain a prayer card please contact the Parish Office, (586) 726-6911. There is a children's program which can be found online at www.HolyHeroesSpiritualAdoption.com.

Respect Life
Month



I CAME SO THAT
THEY MIGHT HAVE
LIFE

During the Easter Vigil liturgy, the single flame of the Easter candle shines through the darkness. That small flame spreads as each person's candle is lit and the light of Christ is shared with others. Before we know it, the entire Church is ablaze with the warm glow of candlelight and the darkness has been vanquished.

We are each called by God to be that light of Christ that breaks through the darkness. We are called to be his disciples, continually transformed by our encounter with him and sharing in his mission. Jesus came that we might have life.

Part of the impetus for the Eucharistic Revival was a concern that some Catholics do not believe, or at least do not understand, that Jesus is truly present in the Eucharist. Even though our human senses perceive bread and wine, the Eucharist is Jesus—body, blood, soul, and divinity. Similarly, many people do not realize or acknowledge the sanctity of human life when it is hidden in the womb. Both instances call for us to help others recognize these sacred gifts that may not be perceivable through our human senses. We need to help others understand that just because something may not be apparent to our eyes does not mean that it is not there or that it is not important.

We live in a society that rejects those who are weak, fragile, or vulnerable. Yet, it is precisely within these conditions that a person is most in need of our care and protection. Pope Francis reminds us that “every child who, rather than being born, is condemned unjustly to being aborted, bears the face of Jesus Christ, bears the face of the Lord, who even before he was born, and then just after birth, experienced the world's rejection.” [1]

The U.S. bishops have affirmed that, while it is important to address all the ways in which human life is threatened, “abortion remains our pre-eminent priority as it directly attacks our most vulnerable brothers and sisters, destroying more than a million lives each year in our country alone.” [2]

As Pope St. John Paul II wrote, “we are facing an enormous and dramatic clash between good and evil, death and life, the ‘culture of death’ and the ‘culture of life’. ...we are all involved and we all share in it, with the inescapable responsibility of choosing to be unconditionally pro-life.” [3]

In the face of challenges such as abortion and physician-assisted suicide, we may feel that we are not equal to the task of overcoming the darkness. Yet, we are not alone. Jesus tells us, “I am with you always, until the end of the age” (Matthew 28:20).

The God who became man to save us still dwells among us. For Christ is “the light [that] shines in the darkness, and the darkness has not overcome it” (John 1:5). He is the one who overcame death and continually raises us to new life. He remains close to us always, seeking us out in each moment of our lives.

Jesus gave his very flesh to give us the gift of eternal life and invites us to the most profound experience of this gift in our celebration of the Eucharist. When we meet Jesus in the Eucharist, this encounter has the power to change us. The Eucharist has the power to transform the depths of our hearts and the heart of our culture. United to the power of his Eucharistic Presence, may we work to ensure that each person has life—and has it in abundance.

[1] Pope Francis, “Address of Holy Father Francis to Participants in the Meeting Organized by the International Federation of Catholic Medical Associations,” September 20, 2013 (Vatican City: Libreria Editrice Vaticana, 2013).

[2] Forming Consciences for Faithful Citizenship: A Call to Political Responsibility from the Catholic Bishops of the United States, Introductory Letter, p. 8. (Washington, D.C.: United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, 2024).

[3] Pope John Paul II, *Evangelium vitae*, (Vatican City: Libreria Editrice Vaticana, 1995), no. 28.

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COME, ENCOUNTER CHRIST

FOR YOUTH + FAMILIES

6:00 - 8:00 PM
October 27, 2024

Church of the
Holy Family, Novi

AOD.ORG/COME-ENCOUNTER-CHRIST

Hey, Teens and Parents!

Fr. Libor, N.O.W. and EDGE Youth Ministries are inviting you to join us for the “Come, Encounter Christ” Adoration Night! Our Parish has reserved pews/seating for the event!

WHAT TO EXPECT: ADORATION, CONFESSION, COMMUNITY

WHERE: CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY, NOVI

WHEN: SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27, 6:00PM - 8:00PM

WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?

**AFTER THE EVENT, OUR PARISH WILL MEET IN THE
PARKING LOT (Church of the Holy Family) AND HAVE CIDER AND DONUTS!**

*We will all meet at Church of the Holy Family, 24505 Meadowbrook Road, Novi, MI, 48375

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