

NOVEMBER 23 - SATURDAY

Rv 11:4-12; Lk 20:27-40

Vigil Readings: *See Sunday*4:00 PM – *English* - Fr. Jim – *Intention of
Hugo Lienhart*6:00 PM – *Spanish* - Fr. Rudy**NOVEMBER 24 – SUNDAY***Sunday Readings:*

Dn 7:13-14; Rv 1:5-8; Jn 18:33b-37

9:00 AM – *Spanish* - Fr. Rudy – *Those enrolled in the
All Souls Memorial*11:00 AM – *English* – Fr. Samuel – *Those enrolled in
the All Souls Memorial*12:30 PM – *Spanish* - Fr. Rudy**NOVEMBER 25 – MONDAY**

Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5; Lk 21:1-4

NOVEMBER 26 - TUESDAY

Rv. 14:14-19; Lk 21:5-11

7:00 PM – *Spanish* – Fr. Miguel**NOVEMBER 27– WEDNESDAY**

Rv 15:1-4; Lk 21:12-19

9:30 AM – *English* – Fr. Samuel - *Michael Lander***NOVEMBER 28 – THANKSGIVING DAY**

Sir 50:20-24; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19

11:00 AM – *Bilingual* - Fr. Rudy**NOVEMBER 29 – FRIDAY**

Rv 20:1-4, 11-21:2; Lk 21:29-33

9:30 AM – *English* – Fr. Samuel – *Intention of
Denny Richards***NOVEMBER 30 - SATURDAY**

Rom 10:9-18; Mt 4:18-22

Vigil Readings: *see Sunday*4:00 PM – *English* - Fr. Jim – *John F. O'Keefe*6:00 PM – *Spanish* - Fr. Rudy**DECEMBER 1 – SUNDAY***Sunday Readings:*

Jer 33:14-16; 1 Thes 3:12 – 4:2; Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

9:00 AM – *Spanish* – Fr. Rudy11:00 AM – *English* – Fr. Samuel – *Angela Bausch*12:30 PM – *Spanish* – Fr. Rudy**English Mass Ministry Schedule: Nov. 30/Dec. 1****Lectors:**

4:00 PM – R. Ogden

11:00 AM – B. Kramer

Eucharistic Ministers:

4:00 PM – M. Sonenschein/S. Terschack

11:00 AM – L. Washam

Servers:

4:00 PM – S. Heidemann/M. Sonenschein

11:00 AM – J. Ruter

Offertory Family:

4:00 PM: Keller

11:00 AM: N/A

FROM THE FINANCE COMMISSION

Last Week's Collection: \$12,174
 Offerings received to-date: \$158,487
 Amount needed to catch up: \$9,513
 Our Weekly Goal is \$8,000

Thank you for your generosity.

Make it easy on yourself. ***Use our direct debit system for your Sunday Stewardship offering.*** To take advantage of this convenience, please call 513-541-1563.

CELEBRATING THEIR BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK: Steve Oberjohann (24), Dylan Boliske (26), Tony Shiplett (27), Jacqueline Hagerman (27), Maddie Meyers (27), Nancy Mercer (28), Tim Maley (28), Kelly Hennessy (29).

FOUR GRAND CLUB: Congratulations to our Week 11 winners: Jean Roberts, Don Rutz, and Tony Hennies. They each won \$25.

Make a long-lasting difference! Leave a Legacy by remembering St. Boniface Church in your Will. For more information contact Jenni Lindgren at 513-541-1563, ext. 151.

FR. RUDY'S REFLECTION:

Fr. Rudy Coaquira-Hijale,
MCCJ, pastor

As we commemorate the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, we are reminded of Christ's eternal reign, from the beginning to the end — "the Alpha and the Omega." This solemn feast, celebrated on the Sunday before the first week of Advent, invites us to reflect on Christ's kingship over all creation. It also marks the

close of the liturgical year and prepares our hearts for the new one to come.

In our Archdiocese, today we are also celebrating *Together Sunday*, a special moment for Catholics to return to Mass and rediscover the joy of worshipping together. It is an invitation to welcome one another as we prepare to enter the Advent season. At this critical time, when we face life's many challenges, we are called to embrace the gift of the Eucharist as the means to draw closer to Christ and each other.

Unfortunately, the reality is that many Catholics do not attend Mass regularly. The October count in our Archdiocese of Cincinnati reveals that Mass attendance has decreased by 29% over the past ten years and 38% over the last fifteen years. This *Together Sunday*, let us rally and rekindle our community spirit. This is an opportunity to begin anew, as many Families of Parishes are embarking on the "Culture" phase of the Beacons of Light initiative. Together, we can foster a culture of proactive outreach, one that not only brings people back to Mass but also strengthens our relationships with the Lord and one another.

As Padre Pio once said, "Every Holy Mass, heard with devotion, produces in our souls marvelous effects, abundant spiritual and material graces which we ourselves, do not know." The Eucharist is our source of grace, the true presence of Christ that gives us strength, peace, and hope. This *Together Sunday*, let us welcome all with open arms and hearts. Let us embrace Christ through the Eucharist and deepen our faith as a community, preparing for the beautiful journey that Advent promises.

STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY: Two weeks ago, we had the opportunity to learn about some of the ways we can serve our Parish. This is your invitation to step forward and truly play a part in making St. Boniface a united, well-maintained Parish. Please feel free to call the Parish Office, 513-541-1563, and the staff will be glad to assist by directing you to the appropriate contact person. Thank you for your care and commitment to St. Boniface.

TASTE OF LEBANON MEDITERRANEAN FOOD FESTIVAL: Sunday, November 24, Noon – 6p.m.: You are welcome to join St. Anthony of Padua Maronite Catholic Church's community at our inspiring 10:30 am Liturgy and/or our Fall Taste of Lebanon Mediterranean Food Festival at 2530 Victory Parkway, Cincinnati, OH 45206. The festival highlights will include a delicious Mediterranean cuisine (Carryout and Dine-In options), entertaining fashion show, traditional dance performances, and free admittance and parking. A detailed menu and additional information is available on our website (TheTasteOfLebanon.com) where pre-orders can easily be placed.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATION TO THE PONTIFICAL MISSION SOCIETIES: Your gift enables religious sisters in India to provide hospital care and education to children with various disabilities and sicknesses in low-income communities. Your support helps catechists to purchase bicycles in Africa to reach distant villages to share God's word of love and hope. Your contribution enables young men to become priests and young women to become sisters in order to train their local Catholics to become self-sufficient and Christ-like leaders. If you wish to further support our 1,100 mission dioceses, please go to: www.givecentral.org/pontificalmissionsocieties.

MEN INQUIRING ABOUT THE PERMANENT DIACONATE: Any man who may be discerning a possible vocation to serve the Church as a Permanent Deacon should contact Deacon Mark Machuga, Director of the Office of the Diaconate, to discuss the discernment process, prerequisites and the formation cycle. Deacon Mark can be reached at 513-263-6641 or deaconoffice@catholicaoc.org