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Forsake me, not, O Lord, my God; be not far from me! Make haste and come to my help, O Lord, my strong salvation!

- ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

THIS WEEK

SATURDAY OCTOBER 30

8:00 am.....Daily Mass 3:00-3:45 pmConfessions-PAC 4:00 pmVigil Mass

SUNDAY OCTOBER 31

7:00 am.....Mass 9:00 am....Mass 10:15 amPSR-*OLOM School* 10:30 am....Mass 12:00 pm....Mass 3:00 pmBlessing of the Graves-*GOP* 6:00 pm....Mass

MONDAY NOVEMBER 1

8:00 amAll Saints Day Mass
12:00 pmAll Saints Day Mass
6:00 pmAll Saints Day Mass
6:30 pmRCIA-St. Ann
7:00 pmBaptism Seminar-Mary Our Mother Rm
7:00 pmSt. Vincent de Paul-St. Jerome

TUESDAY NOVEMBER 2

8:30 amRosary Makers-Coffee Shop
9:00 amCalled By Faith-PAC
12:00 pmDaily Mass
6:00 pmDaily Mass & Novena
7:00 pmCharismatic Prayer-St. Gabriel

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 3

8:00 am Daily Mass 12:00 pm Daily Mass 6:00 pm Family Holy Hour-Church

THURSDAY NOVEMBER 4

8:00 amDaily Mass 12:00 pmDaily Mass 6:30 pmHigh School Bible Study-JPII House

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 5

7:30 amFirst Friday Devotion
8:00 amDaily Mass
9:00 amMoms & Tots-Guardian Angels Nursery
12:00 pmDaily Mass

Prayer LINE

For Prayer Line requests, contact: Ms. Genie Ogden: (225) 293-2367 or Ms. Carroll Benedetto at <u>wlb14@aol.com</u>

ALL SAINTS DAY A HOLY DAY

Celebrate the Feast of All Saints with us on:

Monday, November 1st at 8:00 am, 12:00 noon and 6:00 pm

ALL SOULS DAY

Tuesday, November 2nd at 12:00 noon and 6:00 pm

Remembering MONSIGNOR FREY

On Saturday, October 30th, we remember in a special way our second Pastor, Msgr. Andrew Frey on the 9th anniversary of his death. Fr. Cleo Milano encourages all who attend Mass on this day to remember Msgr. Frey in prayer



and in thanksgiving for his faithful priesthood and vision of leadership for Our Lady of Mercy Parish.

Food for the HOLIDAYS

"For I was Hungry and you gave me to eat."

During the month of November, each of us is encouraged to be bread for others. Empty baskets



will be arranged around the Tabernacle in the Sanctuary. Please bring non-perishable food items to be given to the needy of our area for Thanksgiving and Christmas.

On the COVER Phillip Mullins



FEAST OF ALL SAINTS

OUR BELOVED DEAD WHO HAVE RETURNED TO THE LORD

(OCTOBER 16, 2020 - OCTOBER 22, 2021)

BURIED FROM OUR LADY OF MERCY

Gary Alford William Auten **Patricia Avery** Frances Barcelona **Thomas Barfield** David Belcher **Richard Boeker** Sam Bonfanti **Emily Bonnette Charles Bourgeois Patrick Bourgeois Audrey Brignac Esther Bryson** Pete Buhler **Ruthie Bullock** Maury Buzbee **Frances Cangelosi Donald Carey** Joseph Carmena Myrtle Couvillion **Rosa Dairs** Mary Denicola

Jacinto Edera Marilyn Ehr **Charles Favaro** David Fontenot Patsy Fontenot Jean Giurintano **Rose Graphia** Edwin Graves, Sr. John Graves **Elizabeth Guglielmo Elsie Guidry** Adrienne Gunther Nelson Hebert Fred Heroman Wayne Paul Hirschey Thanh Hoang **Richard Houston** Vito Impastato Debra Jackson Dave Kimball Jeremy Klimavicz Jude Knutsen

Tim Lamonica **JoAnn Landry** Sr. Rita Lanie Percival LeBlanc Kenneth Litz, Sr. Karen Macus **JoAnn Maggio** Mary Jane Merrill William Middleton Lee Moreau Patricia Moreau **Charles Murphy** Yvonne Nelson Hy Nguyen **Violet Norris Angelina Oufnac** Frank Panepinto Vern Patin, Sr. **Richard Pastorek** Francis Pellegrin **Ken Pellegrin Verline Pellegrin**

Paul Plaisance Aimee Planchard Louis Prejean Louise Prosser **Aaron Roy Robert Ruffino** Luke Savoie Christine Serio **Byron Smith Joyce Spedale Dorothy Stevens Janet Stewart Betty Toepfer** Ann Valluzzo Gertrude VanDevender **Barbara Vignes** Ellen Ward **Robert Weimer** Paul Werling Virginia White Lloyd Williams

Called to Action

PARISH LIFE

FAMILY HOLY HOUR

On the 1st Wednesday of each month, we have Eucharistic adoration available specifically for families.

What makes it family friendly? There is praise and worship, to sing our prayers, a coloring page based on the monthly devotion, and it's flexible. If your family only has 15 minutes - come! If you are looking for a whole hour of rest, stay the whole time! It's for you to bring all ages to the Blessed Sacrament and not worry about squirmy little ones being a distraction.



"Let the children come to me, and do not prevent them; for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these." Mt 19:14

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 3rd • 6:00 PM • CHURCH

MERCY BLOOD DRIVE

Wednesday, November 10th

9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Parish Activity Center

BLOOD DRIVE



OUR LADY OF MERCY BLOOD DRIVE

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 10TH, 2021 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM IN THE PARISH ACTIVITY CENTER

SCHEDULE YOUR APPOINTMENT AT: OLOMCHURCH.COM

Called to Action PARISH LIFE

your smile begins

You will *love* how you *feel* at Our Lady of Mercy Catholic School.

OPEN HOUSE Wednesday, November 17, 2021 8:00 am - 12:00 pm RSVP Required



(225) 924-1054 olomschool.org 400 Marquette Avenue Baton Rouge, LA

January 18, 2022 Application Deadline



MERCY OWLS BIKE TRIP TO THE TAMMANY TRACE

Thursday, November 11th 10:00 am Meet at Brooks Bike Shop (415 E Gibson St. Covington)

Join the Mercy OWLS for a bike trip through the Tammany Trace.

Meet at the Brooks Bike Shop in Covington (416 E Gibson St) at 10:00 am on Thursday, November 11th.

Bike rental will be available at Brooks Bike Shop or bring your own! If renting a bike, please arrive early.

Enjoy lunch with us after the ride at the Abita Brew Pub (lunch paid individually).

Registration is open on the church website: olomchurch.com/event/owlsbiketrip/

For more information, contact: Ms. Jeanne Smith jeannecazessmith@gmail.com



PARISH LIFE

FEASTS OF ALL SAINTS AND ALL SOULS

Dear Friends of the Our Lady of Mercy Columbarium Garden of Peace,

As the days of fall arrive, we are reminded of this special time of year when we mark the approaching Feasts of All Saints and All Souls. We remember before God our deceased loved ones. It is said that a great deal can be known about a community by looking at its cemeteries. Our beautiful Columbarium Garden of Peace reflects respect and bestows great reverence to our beloved dead.

I want to extend the invitation for you to join us for the BLESSING OF THE GRAVES at



Our Lady of Mercy Garden of Peace on Sunday, October 31, 2021 at 3:00 pm. There will be the recitation of the Holy Rosary, the traditional blessing of graves, and the individual mentioning of each person inurned in this sacred place.

Thank you for choosing and supporting the Columbarium Garden of Peace at Our Lady of Mercy.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

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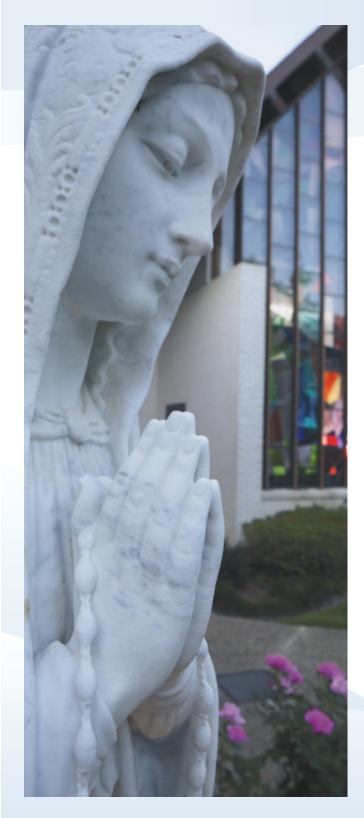
Rev. Cleo J. Milano, Pastor

"Our Columbarium garden will be a history of people, a perpetual record of yesterday, a sanctuary of peace and quiet today and a statement of care and belief in tomorrow. Our beautiful Garden of Peace exists because every life is worth living and remembering, always."

God Bless our Beloved Dead!

Called to Prayer

GARDEN OF PEACE COLUMBARIUM



FINAL RESTING PLACE IN SACREDNESS, DIGNITY, AND RESPECT

The Mercy Columbarium Garden of Peace is open to all parishioners and non-parishioners, Catholic and non-Catholic.

Columbarium niches are available in two sizes - each cremain niche holds a space for two persons. They are \$5000 for a small niche and \$7500 for larger niches.

As the Feast of All Saints and All Souls approach and we remember and honor our beloved dead, pondering our final resting place and making preparations is important.

There is no greater gift one can give to family than planning final arrangements that fulfill one's specific wishes and take the burden off of others.

Call the Church Office to make your appointment - (225) 926-1883

Called to Prayer

PARISH LIFE

Mass Intentions **NOVEMBER 6, SATURDAY**

8:00 am Jacqueline Labat

4:00 pm Alex Spano / Shirley K. Gaudin / Kevin Keyser / Bruce Hilbrecht / Paula LeBaron, Joe & Jenny Serio, Jackie & John Kenaley / Ellie Sances / Shawn Kean / Sheila Ann Murphy / Jill Barfield Hamilton / Paul Plaisance / Peggy Schoemann / Kevin & Gary Keyser / Robert Wiemer, Sr. / James Guglielmo / Sidney Longwell / Ginger White / Dorothy B. Stevens / Hy Van Nguyen / Bill Auten / Rose Graphia / Trina Gubancsik / Wilma Strueh, Edwin Graves, Viola Lutz & Vernita Carroll / Bill Markus /Minel & Sallie Gaudin / Charles Hardison / Poor Souls in Purgatory / Francis Savier Trinh Le / SPECIAL INTENTION: Shannon Cormier & Family

NOVEMBER 7, SUNDAY

7:00 am..... Adrienne M. Gunther / Poor Souls in Purgatory / Poor Souls who have passed away from COVID 19

9:00 am..... Roy Jones / Olivia Frank Lamonica / Aimee Planchard & Mary Rose Planchard / JoAnn Landry /

SPECIAL INTENTION: Irene Bourgue

10:30 am... Anthony Saia / Donna Ledet / Brenda Fremin / Dennis Phillips / Vito Impastato & Terry Orillion / Mike Little / Theodore Bourg & John Michael Bourg / Jean Millet Blum / Steve Martin / Anthony Daguano / Liera Porche / Percy, Ann & Paul Moise / Ronald Bovard / SPECIAL INTENTION: Daniel Grant

12:00 pm... Thomas & Deumite Families / John Graves / Melissa Savoie & Luke Savoie / Charles & Eugene Nolan / Charles Bertrand

6:00 pm Frank Panepinto / Charles Bourgeois / Bourgeois, Gautreau, Politz & Territa Families / Nola Mathes / Ruby Seneca

NOVEMBER 8, MONDAY

8:00 am Poor Souls in Purgatory 12:00 pm... Louis Bayus

NOVEMBER 9, TUESDAY

12:00 pm... Sandy J. Roppolo / Patricia Ann Hebert Durbin

6:00 pm Fred Nodier & Lawrence Nodier / Michael Fakouri / Iray Young / Irvin A. Wilhite / Thomas Barfield / Ruthie Ann Bullock / George Mervin Simon, Rosa Simon & Danny Simon, Selden Tibbetts & Grace Tibbetts / Priscilla Barbay Bourgeois, Oscar Micaud, Paul Martin, Audrey Johnson, Bob Johnson, Matthew Johnson / Anna Mae Cascio LaPorte /Francis Pellegrin / Joanne Graffeo Landry / David Ledet / SPECIAL INTENTIONS: Marcus Johnson & Rohan LaFleur / Lauren Guillory, Jamie Tullier

NOVEMBER 10, WEDNESDAY

8:00 am Joseph Quinlan, Sr. 12:00 pm... Bruce Hilbrecht

NOVEMBER 11, THURSDAY

8:00 am Alma H. Bergeron 12:00 pm... Joseph Amorello

NOVEMBER 12, FRIDAY

8:00 am Lan Van Hoang 12:00 pm... Ines Tolentino & Simplicio Tolentino / Walter Comeaux / John Graves / Dr. Aaron Roy / Thomas Barfield / Ruthie Ann Bullock / Debra Claire Jackson / Edith Foy / Jo Ann Landry / Kenneth Pellegrin / Irene Beary / Louis Smith / Rose Graphia / Deceased members of Voltz & Hooe Families / Andrew Acuff/ Rose Graphia

Sanctuary Light Memorials

The sanctuary light in the church burns this week in loving memory of

Neil Daigle

The sanctuary light in the Adoration Chapel burns this week in loving memory of

Jim Stalls

In Sympathy to the Families of:

- Sandra Bruce
- John L. Daniel
- Vern Patin, Sr.
- Anna Bourdier Fussell
- Mia James
- Barbara Palm Vignes
- **Bill Marks**

MERCY PRAYS

Layne Arceneaux Patricia Bonnette **Ruth Boudreaux** Ronnie Bourgeois, Sr. Marie Capone Francisco Castellanos Paul Catalanatto Darryl Cazes Sonya Bueche Chauvin **Marjorie Collins** Janie Constantino Joseph Corsentino **Rita Corsentino** Gordon Craig Pete Crifasi Julie Hannie

Warren Knecht Wade Labat Sid Lawton John Paul Lorio Jason Martin Kevin Minor Luke Mumfrey Barrett Murphy Colleen Peak **Bessie Pizzalato** Pauline Rushing Jim Thompson Bart Tullier Dana Vidrine **Kim Whitehead** Wayne Watson

Called to Worship

MASS SCHEDULE & TIMES

WEEKDAYS

MASS TIMES:

M, W, Th, & F: 8:00 am & 12:00 pm Tues: 12:00 pm & 6:00 pm

RECONCILIATION:

M - F: 45 minutes prior to Mass

SATURDAY

MASS TIME: 8:00 am RECONCILIATION: 3:00 - 3:45 pm VIGIL: 4:00 pm

SUNDAY

MASS TIMES: 7:00 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am, 12:00 pm & 6:00 pm

NURSERY: No Nursery at this time

PRE-SCHOOL BIBLE CLASS: No Bible School at this time

ON CAMPUS RADIO

87.9 FM Listen to Mercy's Daily Masses live

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY RADIO

1380 AM - WPYR Listen daily at noon and 10:30 am on Sunday for Mercy's Mass live broadcast

Weekend of November 6th and 7th						
4:00 pm*	7:00 am*	9:00 am	10:30 am	12:00 pm	6:00 pm	
Fr. Milano	Fr. Milano	Fr. Milano	Fr. Milano	Fr. Minj	Fr. Minj	
Extraordinary Ministers						
L McCann J Smith M Downing R Torry C Abshire	J Pastorek B Babin A Haywood L Dawkins T Penouilh	Dcn Duplantis R Beyer L Saab L Gemmill S Maggio	Deacon Grant J Angers B Rigby Dcn Duplantis P Tullier	Deacon Grant A Nodier M Nodier T Patin K Darnall	K Walker M Roussel C Schutte G Tibbetts J Schiro	
Lectors						
K Steintrager D McCrary	E White A Wilson	C Lee D Deshotels	D Massad M Massad	E Joffrion L Holliday	E Pavlovich C Steele	
Altar Servers						
J Hernandez P Kelly		E Altazan E Guillet	B Bailey K Sauviac	J Joffrion E Peek	S Rebaldo H Schiro	
The complete Ministry Schedule is published on our website at www.olomchurch.com. Called to serve? Contact Deacon Grant to volunteer for liturgical ministry. *These liturgies are celebrated without incense.						

The live-stream of the 12:00 noon Daily Mass can be found on the church website at www.olomchurch.com and youtube.com/olombr. The Sunday 10:30 am Holy Mass can be found on WBRZ+; olomchurch.com; and youtube.com/olombr.

WE ARE HERE FOR YOU

Our Lady of Mercy Catholic Church

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PASTOR	Father Cleo Milano
VICAR	Father Nutan Minj, IMS
PERMANENT DEACON	Deacon Kirk Duplantis
PERMANENT DEACON	Deacon Richard Grant
ADMINISTRATION	Mr. Randy Arabie
PRINCIPAL	Mr. Chris Porche

OFFICE HOURS

Priests gladly see people by appointment.

Parish Activity Center

444 Marquette Avenue Baton Rouge, LA 70806 (225) 928-6216

Our Lady of Mercy Catholic School

400 Marquette Avenue Baton Rouge, LA 70806 Phone: (225) 924-1054 Fax: (225) 923-2201 olomschool.org

Communications

Ms. Christy Haldane christy.haldane@olomchurch.com





Commitments Needed for Our Adoration Chapel Ministry

Committed adoration is a beautiful way to express your faith and devotion. Our Adoration Chapel is open to you 24 hours a day. We invite you to come visit the Lord and seek His counsel. Although every hour of the day is opened for commitment, your devotion is especially needed during the following times:

SUNDAY...... 12 am, 1am, 2 am

MONDAY..... 10 pm, 12 am, 2 am

TUESDAY......6 pm, 8 pm, 9 pm, 2 am

WEDNESDAY.....1 am, 3 am, 7 pm

THURSDAY.....2 am, 4 am, 11 pm

FRIDAY.....1 am, 3 am

SATURDAY..... 12 am, 1 am, 3 am, 7 pm, 8 pm, 10 pm

Urgent Needs - Tuesday 6 pm

If you are able to offer yourself in prayer to the Lord, please contact Ms. Michelle Schroeder at 225.229.1930

Exciting News! You can now commit to a weekly hour of Adoration from your phone, tablet or computer. Simply go to <u>www.adorationpro.org/olomchurch</u> and click on Weekly Commitment to see what times are open and sign up. You can set weekly reminders to be sent to you by text or email.



