



**October 23, 2016  
Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## Perception- Colour My World Part II

I am not sure how many of you made the connection with that great and enduring Chicago song last week, "Colour My World"

*As time goes on  
I realize  
Just what you mean  
To me  
And now  
Now that you're near  
Promise your love  
That I've waited to share  
And dreams  
Of our moments together  
Color my world with hope of loving you.*

I couldn't help but think of those words in the context of "ChristLife"- Discovering Christ, and Following Christ. As we come to our Ministry Fair this weekend, what a great thought of coloring His world and our world, coloring His Kingdom by accepting a ministry in His Church. Please join us after mass this weekend and sign up to share your gifts with us in a specific ministry in our St. Paul Family. I understand the apprehension in people of stepping forward, but thanks to our growth in ChristLife, I am looking for many more people joining us in our ministry. I am confident that ChristLife has put us well on the road to having more proclaimers of the Word, teachers of our children and youth, and more disciples serving in all of our ministries and volunteer opportunities.

Remember, Jesus chose very ordinary, down-to-earth, individuals to lead His Church and things have not changed. He still uses very ordinary, broken, struggling people to lead and serve His Church. Jesus' Perception was perfect. He saw beyond my fault/my weakness and chose me, and you too! If we all had to go through a complete psychological profile for ministry in His Church, I am sure very few of us would be left to serve Him, but His Grace makes it possible.

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## Mass Intentions

Week of: Oct. 24— Oct. 30, 2016

7:30 am Mon.: Carl Ludwig-Long (RIP)

7:30 am Tues.: Nolen Hughes (RIP)

6:00 pm Wed.: Frances Plia (sp. int.)

7:30 am Thurs.: Arthur Scheilder (RIP)

**11:00 am Fri.: Funeral Mass for Rosie Morris**

5:30 pm Sat.: Francis O'Boyle (RIP)

8:00 am Sunday: Clarence Brook (RIP)

10:30 am Sunday: John Lewis & Patty Butz (RIP)

**Adoration This Week:** Monday-Friday: 8am-12pm  
Wed. 6:30 pm-7:30pm



## Prayer Intentions

Bessie Saway  
Hayden Schmitt

### Repose of the Soul

Fr. Richard Somers  
Liz Donahue

Kenneth Dean DeMoney, friend of Jennifer Janes  
Rosie Palmer Graves, friend of John Colette & Sherri Pitts

**Sacrament of Reconciliation: Sat 4:30-5:00pm or by appt.**  
**Lectio Divina- Tuesdays @ 10 am**

## New Announcements



\*RCIA- Tuesday, October 25th. Meal at 6:30pm, class begins at 7:00pm Topic- Who is Jesus? ALL ARE WELCOME!

\*Tuesday, November 1st- Solemnity of All Saints - Mass @ 7:30 am and 6:00 pm

\*The Big Deal 5K Color Race- Nov. 3rd @ 6pm. Register on our website. We are excited to have sponsorship nights at Raising Canes on Oct. 24th from 6:00-9:00 pm and Five Guys on Nov. 7th from 4:00- 10:00 pm. Bring the family and tell your friends!



\*November First Friday Healing Mass will be held on Nov. 4th at 10 am followed by our Senior Adult Brunch.

\*Join the Armed Forces Ministry on Nov. 5th @ 4:45 pm to pray the rosary for our US Armed Forces and our country.



\*Our Mass of Remembrance will be on November 17th at 6pm. If you lost a family member over the past year, please check our board so that we can remember them at our mass.

**Thank You!** Weekly offering for October 16th: \$19,667

2nd collection this weekend- World Mission Sunday

## Reminders

\*Ministry Fair- This weekend, October 22nd and 23rd after all masses.

\*Ministry Fair Retreat- October 30th at 2pm-*mandatory* for all who sign up for a ministry even if you are continuing in the same ministry.

\*Women's Guild : Mon. Oct 24th @11am. Learn and create new crafts. Bring your lunch. Drinks and dessert provided. Mon. Oct 24th @7:00pm - Potluck! Bring your favorite dish and recipe for a blind tasting. Please bring Halloween treats for the children at the Prevention of Violence Center.

\*St. Dominic Ministry will be preparing and taking lunch to the families of ICU patients this Tuesday, Oct. 25th. Sign up sheets are in the back of church.

\*Trunk or Treat will be held this Friday, Oct. 28th @ 7pm Stop by the table in the back of church to participate or get more information!

\*St. Paul Women's Guild Craft Fair -Nov. 12th & 13th. Bring in items no later than Oct. 29th, please. If something is dropped off, please label it. Sign up in the back of church to help out!



September 28 - November 6, 2016

*Altar flowers are donated by Robert & Kay Moody in memory of Albert & Sue Tillman and Bob Moody.*

Wedding flowers have been donated by Terry & Violet Wray  
in honor of their wedding. Congratulations and may God bless your marriage!



**CARDINALFEST 2016—Sunday, October 23, 2016 from 11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.** at the St. Richard Catholic School Football Field. Carnival Food, Chili Cookoff, Costume Contest, Games, Inflatables, Student Performances and more!! Bring your blankets, lawn chairs and stay for FAMILY FUN & FELLOWSHIP. Everyone is invited. Wristbands available at the door or may be purchased by contacting St. Paul Parishoner/Cardinalfest Chair Emily Garner at emily.mgggroup@gmail.com.

**Saint Joseph Catholic School's Open House is Sunday, November 6 at 2:00 p.m.** This is a student-inspired, performance-filled showcase. Incredible art, academics, theater, music and athletics - not to mention that one-of-a-kind spirit which makes Saint Joseph the exceptional place that it is. See for yourself the bright, shining soul of Saint Joseph. For more information, please contact Kristi Garrard, Director of Enrollment, 601-898-4812.

**Saint Joseph Catholic School** has an immediate opening for a Special Events Coordinator; duties include assisting with Open House, working with reunion classes at Homecoming, assisting with Draw Down, and other events. If interested, please contact Mr. Doug Jones at djones@stjoebruins.com.

**\*\*BULLETIN:** Information must be submitted in writing by note or email to the parish office **no later than 12:00 noon on Wednesdays** for the following weekend. When sending an email, please put **"BULLETIN"** in the subject line. Thank you for your cooperation!

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I love the following parody on Jesus' choices for the Twelve:

Dear Sir,

Thank you for submitting the resumes of the twelve men you have picked for management positions in your new organization. All of them have now taken our battery of tests. We have run the results through our computer, and also arranged personal interviews for each of them with our psychologists and vocational aptitude consultants. The results of all the tests are included, and we advise that you study each of them carefully.

It is the opinion of the staff that most of your nominees are lacking in background, education and vocational aptitude for the type of enterprise you are undertaking. Besides, they do not have the team concept. We have found ample evidence of jealousy and rivalry among them. Therefore, we would recommend that you continue your search for persons of experience and proven ability.

- \* Simon Peter is emotionally unstable and gives in to fits of temper— definitely not the man you would want to head your organization.
- \* Andrew has absolutely no qualities of leadership. He is just a follower.
- \* The two brothers, James and John, are too hot-headed. Besides, they place personal interest above company loyalty.
- \* Thomas demonstrates a questioning attitude that would undermine morale.
- \* Matthew, the tax collector, is undoubtedly a man of ability, but would project the wrong image for an organization such as yours.
- \* James, son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus have radical leanings. Hence, their unsuitability.

There is one of the candidates, however, who shows great potential. He is the man of ability and resourcefulness, good with people, has a keen business mind, and has contacts in high places. He is highly motivated, ambitious and responsible. That man is Judas Iscariot. We recommend him as your controller and right-hand man.

We wish you every success in your new venture.

Sincerely yours,

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