

# St. John the Baptist Catholic Church PSR News October 9, 2019

# **October, Month of the Most Holy Rosary**

The month of October dedicated to the Holy Rosary. According to an account by fifteenth-century Dominican, Alan de la Roch, Mary appeared to St. Dominic in 1206 after he had been praying and doing severe penances because of his lack of success in combating the Albigensian heresy. Mary praised him for his valiant fight against the heretics and then gave him the Rosary as a mighty weapon, explained its uses and efficacy, and told him to preach it to others.

# So how do you pray the rosary?

- Make the Sign of the Cross and say the "Apostles' Creed"
- 2. Say the "Our Father"
- 3. Say three "Hail Marys" for Faith, Hope, and Charity
- 4. Say the "Glory Be"
- Announce the First Mystery and then say the "Our Father"
- 6. Say ten "Hail Marys" while meditating on the Mystery
- 7. Say the "Glory Be" (Optional: Say the "O My Jesus" prayer requested by Mary at Fatima)
- 8. Announce the Next Mystery; then say the "Our Father" and repeat these steps (6 through 8) as you continue through the remaining Mysteries.
- Say the closing prayers: the "Hail Holy Queen" and "Final Prayer" Make the "Sign of the Cross"

#### Joyful Mysteries (Monday and Saturday)

- 1. The Annunciation of Gabriel to Mary (Luke 1:26-38)
- 2. The Visitation of Mary to Elizabeth (Luke 1:39-56)
- 3. The Birth of Our Lord (Luke 2:1-21)
- 4. The Presentation of Our Lord (Luke 2:22-38)
- 5. The Finding of Our Lord in the Temple (Luke 2:41-52)

#### Sorrowful Mysteries (Tuesday and Friday)

- 1. The Agony of Our Lord in the Garden (Matthew 26:36-56)
- Our Lord is Scourged at the Pillar (Matthew 27:26)
- 3. Our Lord is Crowned with Thorns (Matthew 27:27-31)
- 4. Our Lord Carries the Cross to Calvary (Matthew 27:32)
- 5. The Crucifixion of Our Lord (Matthew 27:33-56)

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#### Glorius Mysteries (Wednesday and Sunday)

- 1. The Glorious Resurrection of Our Lord (John 20:1-29)
- 2. The Ascension of Our Lord (Luke 24:36-53)
- 3. The Descent of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost (Acts 2:1-41)
- 4. The Assumption of Mary into Heaven
- 5. The Coronation of Mary as Queen of Heaven and Earth

#### <u>Luminous Mysteries</u> (Thursday)

- 1. The Baptism of Our Lord (Matthew 3:13-16)
- 2. The Wedding at Cana (Jn 2:1-11)
- 3. The Proclamation of the Kingdom of God (Mark 1:14-15)
- 4. The Transfiguration of Our Lord (Matthew 17:1-8)
- 5. The Insitution of the Holy Eucharist (Mt 26)

### **Thank our volunteers**

Without our adult and teen volunteers, we could not have PSR. I want to thank each and everyone one of them. They are faithfully here every week helping bring the children closer to Jesus. We even have a volunteer who makes sure everyone has their caffeine for the day. Be sure to thank the following as you see them.

#### **Our Adults**

Lesli Brown, Christine Barrow, Diane Farfsing, Lorraine Franz, Linda Greer, Debbie Hansell, Missy Huffman, Hub Martini, Crystal Mumfrey, Jennifer Palmer, Carly Shoemaker, Sheila and Jim Wilhelm, Ron Wong

#### **Our Teens**

Ruby Barrow, Samantha Catron, Samantha Farfsing, Josie and Wilson Farris, Emma and Jason Huffman, Emily Wesling, Isabella and Makayla Wong

# **3rd and 4th Grade Retreat**

The 3rd and 4th Grade retreat will be held on Saturday, October 19 from 9:30—11:30 am at the new church. This is a great opportunity for the kids to pray, have fun, and learn about their faith outside of the classroom. The retreat is free of charge and registration is due by Monday, October 14. If you need another copy of the registration form, contact Teresa Palmer at tpalmer@stjb.net or by phone at 513-367-9086 x 218.

# **Level 3 in Action**

Level 3 was at the New Church for class this past week. They did a great job greeting parishioners as they arrived for mass.

While they were in class, they also made cards for Mariann Bybee who turns 90 later this month.

Here are some upcoming 90 birthdays!

- Mariann Bybee— October 21
- Mary Lape—October 25
- Father Bill Doorman—November 18



# **CLOW Lectors and Leaders**

We are looking for additional Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW) lectors and leaders at the 8:30 am mass. This would be a rotation similar to other ministry schedules. Students in grades 7-12 can be lectors for CLOW. High School and young adults can learn to lead CLOW. Adults will need to take the Child Protection class and have a background check. If you are interested, contact Teresa Palmer at 513-367-9086 x 218 or by email at tpalmer@stjb.net.

# Upcoming Dates

# October

- October 13 NO PSR
- October 19 Retreat Grades 3 & 4 at 9:30
- October 20 Level 1 meet at New Church at 9:55—Dismissed after 11:15 mass
- October 22 Makeup Confirmation meeting 7pm in Jr. High building
- \* October 23 Makeup 1st Reconciliation meeting 7pm in Jr. High building
- October 27 Level 6 meet at New Church at 9:55—Dismissed after 11:15 mass

# November

- November 1 All Saints Day (Holy Day of Obligation)
- \* November 3 Level 5 meet at New Church at 9:55—Dismissed after 11:15 mass
- November 3 Level 8 meet at New Church at 9:55—Dismissed after 11:15 mass
- November 6 NO Level 8 PSR
- \* November 17 Level 4 meet at New Church at 9:55—Dismissed after 11:15 mass
- November 19 First Reconciliation Practice at 7pm (New Church)
- November 20 First Reconciliation at 7pm (New Church)
- November 24 Level 3 meet at New Church at 9:55—Dismissed after 11:15 mass
- November 27 No JR High PSR

