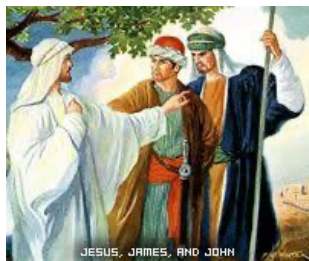
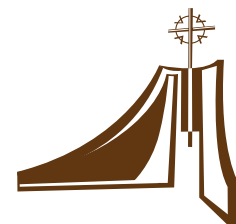


CHURCH of the RESURRECTION NEWS

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29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - B



In this Sunday's Gospel, we continue to read from the section of Mark's Gospel that reports Jesus' journey to Jerusalem. Last Sunday we heard Jesus lament the particular challenges those with many possessions face in order to enter the Kingdom of God. Jesus then predicts his passion to the Twelve, who are amazed and afraid. In this part of Mark's Gospel, Jesus' words to his closest disciples seem to be intended to prepare them for the events that will occur in Jerusalem.

In today's Gospel, James and John ask to be given seats of honor when Jesus enters into his glory. Once again, the disciples seem to be selective in what they hear Jesus say. They want to share Jesus' glory, but do not appear to understand that his glory will be preceded by his suffering. Jesus notes their lack of understanding and predicts the suffering they will endure for the sake of the Gospel. Jesus says that the honor they seek is not his to give. When the other ten hear what James and John have asked, Mark reports that they are indignant. Jesus takes the opportunity to teach them.

Jesus explains the importance of service and sacrifice in the life of a disciple. In particular, he seems to be preparing the Twelve for their leadership roles in the emerging Christian community. Echoing the Gospel we heard several weeks ago (on the [25th Sunday in Ordinary Time](#), Mark 9:33-37), Jesus acknowledges that his teaching is countercultural. In today's Gospel, Jesus contrasts the dynamics within the community of disciples with those shown by the rulers of the Gentiles.

Following Jesus' example of sacrificial love continues to be countercultural in our day as well. We might take this opportunity to consider our models of authority and examine our own exercise of authority. On whose example do we model our leadership? (loyolapress.com) †R.R.

**Lord, let your love be upon us
as we place all our trust in you.**

SUNDAY MASS INTENTIONS ARE FOR:

- 9 a.m. †Algirdas Smolskis (D.Pranaitis)
11 a.m. for living and deceased parishioners
for peace in the world
Lord's blessings for Labdara's rummage sales' living and deceased helpers
for Paseckas' deceased family members (O.Stoncius)
†Ona Dulieba (I.Stanaitis)
†Algimantas Martusevicius (daughter)
†Marija and Bronius Danilevicius (D.Danaitis)
†Albinas and Juozas Kriauciunas (I.Balsys)
†Romas Tumpa (wife)

2024

November 9

Annual Dinner

December (date TBD)

Advent Retreat

December 1

Christmas Concert

December 25

Christmas

Cantors of the Masses:

9 AM - Zibute Janeliunas, Ted Chornomaz

11 AM - Elena Stankus-Lelis, Adriana Karka-Verbyla, Anna Lambie, Aleksia Vadauskas
organist - Ilona Beres

The week's Holy Masses

MONDAY (October 21): 7 p.m. †Hanusia Grabowicz ("Kretinga");

TUESDAY (October 22): 7 p.m. for living and deceased parishioners;

WEDNESDAY (October 23): 7 p.m. †Irena and Henrikas Matusaitis (R.J.Balaisis);

THURSDAY (October 24): 7 p.m. †Hanusia Grabowicz (Jaglowitz family); †Edvardas Peciulis (R.J.Balaisis);

FRIDAY (October 25): 7 p.m. †Ramute and Leopoldas Gumuliauskas (daughter);

SATURDAY (October 26): 9 a.m. †Bronislava Kriauciunas (Balaisis family); 5 p.m. "Vilnius Manor";

SUNDAY (October 27): 9 a.m. †Algirdas Smolskis (M.Marcis); 11 a.m. for living and deceased parishioners; †Jonas Dirmantas (daughter Vida); †Kazimieras Budreckis (daughter Virginija); †Marta Radziunas (D.L.Radziunas); †Liudas Matukas (7th anniv.) (family); †Juozas, Stase and Kazimieras Radzevicius (A.Radzevicius); †Bronius Naudziunas (Zimnickas family); †Linas Butkys (R.A.Cygas); for Gindrienis' and Laurinavicius' deceased family members (L.D.Laurinavicius); thanksgiving intention to Mary of Siluva (R.J.Karasiejus).

Capital Fund - \$ 373,015

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Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi

Sunday (10.13) & "Vilnius Manor" Collections -

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The best way to remember good works - repeat them.

/E. Bacon/

A heartfelt THANK YOU to everyone for your care, support, and effort during the Fall Sale.

May the Lord bless your selfless work and love for others.

Labdara - The Parish Committee for Charitable Causes

We would like to **THANK** Vida Dirmantas - Groen in't Woud and the children, youth and adults who participated with writing and creating beautiful and heart warming Thanksgiving day greeting cards to our friends at "Labdara" nursing home. Through your love, kindness, and generosity, you brought warmth and closeness to those who need it most this Thanksgiving day holiday.

RESURRECTION PARISH ANNUAL DINNER AND "CAPITAL FUND" FUNDRAISING EVENING -

November 9th, 5 pm

Tickets will be available in the parish hall, on Sunday, after 9am and 11 am Mass.

Those who ordered tickets are asked to pay for them Sundays or eTransfer pprenginiai@hotmail.com.

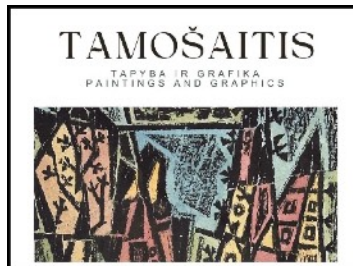
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Daily from 11 am - 4 pm (except Saturdays)

Lithuanian Museum Archives of Canada

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More info about the Embassy of the Republic of Lithuania in Canada for consular mission in Toronto on November 23-24 in advertising board.

TODAY, on October 20th, **10 a.m.** in the parish meeting room **First Communion** registration and activities.

Confirmation registration and activities will begin on **October 27th, 10 a.m.** in the parish meeting room. The registration questionnaire will be handed out at the time of registration.

“Auksinis klubas” will meet on Tuesday, October 29th, 1:00pm in the church cafeteria. Snaigė Šileika agreed to discuss and present a short film about an art exhibition in Lithuania. *(Everything is in Lithuanian).*

The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. In verdant pastures he gives me repose; beside restful waters he leads me; he refreshes my soul.

"In loving memory of those we've lost, may their souls continue to inspire us with their love and memories." "All Souls' Day reminds us that death is not the end, but a transition to a higher realm. May our dear departed find eternal peace and happiness."

We will remember and pray for our departed loved ones who died during 2023 - 2024 on November 1st, 7pm. Let us each take the time to come together in prayer and song, to light a candle for the dearly departed.



“Volunge” women’s ensemble will be singing.

Pope at Audience:

Faith frees us from thinking everything ends here

During his weekly General Audience on Wednesday, Pope Francis reassures the faithful that the Holy Spirit offers us eternal life and that keeping this in mind, with a steadfast faith, "frees us from the horror of thinking that everything ends here." "Faith frees us from the horror of having to admit that everything ends here, that there is no redemption for the suffering and injustice that reign sovereign on earth."

Pope Francis gave this comforting reminder during his weekly General Audience on Wednesday morning in St. Peter's Square, as he continued his catechetical series on the Holy Spirit.

This week, the Pope transitioned from discussing what has been revealed to us about the Holy Spirit in Sacred Scripture, to how He is present and at work in the life of the Church.

"The Holy Spirit is present and operates in our Christian life," the Holy Father said, stressing the Spirit "dwells in us" and "is within us."

'The Holy Spirit is the Lord'

During his remarks, the Pope traced the Holy Spirit's role throughout Church history and His power to advance reconciliation and relationships among Christians.

Pope Francis also reminded those gathered that within the life of the Blessed Trinity, the Holy Spirit is "consubstantial," equal in divinity with the Father and the Son, and that as "giver of life," the Holy Spirit gives us a share in Christ's own life and victory over sin and death.

In this context, he stressed that the Spirit is indeed God. "The Holy Spirit is the Lord. He is God," he said.

Consoling news for the faithful

"In all of this," he asked, "where is the great and consoling news for us?"

"It is," he responded, "that the life given to us by the Holy Spirit is eternal life!"

With faith, Pope Francis reassured, we can have the peace of mind of knowing that there is more that follows beyond the miseries of this life and world.

St. Paul's letter to the Romans, the Pope suggested, reassures of this when he writes, "If the Spirit of Him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, He who raised Christ Jesus from the dead will give life to your mortal bodies also through His Spirit who dwells in you."

Faith gives us hope and peace

Pope Francis concluded by urging the faithful to cultivate faith also "for those who, often through no fault of their own, are deprived of it" and cannot find meaning in life.

"And let us not forget," he said, "to thank Him, who with His death, obtained this inestimable gift for us!"



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