

What more could be
done for my vineyard
that I did not do?

ISAIAH 5:4

When God Daydreamed Us

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

At the end of the Broadway musical *Camelot*, King Arthur finds himself confronted by the fact that his dream of the Round Table and justice for all has died without having borne the fruit he had hoped. A young boy, Tom of Warwick, comes up to him asking if he might be dubbed a knight. Arthur does so, and then commissions him to go forth and tell the story of Camelot to everyone he meets, all with the hope that someone someday will dare to try again to create a world with equal justice for all.

We all live with dreams of what we might be, of what life might be. They seldom turn out the way we had imagined, yet what would life be without such dreams. They push us into new futures. They create hope and new possibilities. They bring meaning to our lives.

The parable of the landowner and his vineyard is really a story of God and the dream God has for us. It is a story of how God withholds nothing from caring for his vineyard that it might bear fruit, that is, from trying to make his dream for us a reality, even to the point of giving his Son over to that dream.

Dreams never come easy. If they did, they would not be dreams. It was so for those who founded this nation in 1776. It is so for parents with dreams for their children. It is so as well for God, who dreams dreams for us in Jesus. ●

Reflect

Do the dreams you have for your life and the lives of your children reflect God's dreams for you?

Catholic Communities

Parish Pastor

Rev. William Pifher

419-446-9288



Our Lady of Mercy

409 E. Main St.
Fayette, OH 43521

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday 8:30 a.m.
Thursday 9:00 a.m.

PASTORAL COUNCIL

Ron Eisel
Pat Eisel
Ray Hollstein
Mike Burkholder
Traci Maginn
Barbara Roby

Clothing items can be donated via our drop off site on the east side of the building. Our store is open on Thursdays from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. Contact Rhonda Monahan at 517-306-7986 for information.



OLM PARISH OFFICE

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MASS SCHEDULE

1st Saturday of month 8:30 a.m.
Saturday 4:30 p.m.
Sunday 10:30 a.m.
Tuesday 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday 9:00 a.m.
Friday 9:00 a.m.

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SACRAMENT INFORMATION

- **Baptism:** Please call Father Pifher at 419-446-9288 to make arrangements for Baptism. A month's notice would be helpful.
- **Reconciliation:** Father will be available for confessions **starting 30 minutes before Mass each week.**
- **New Parishioners:** A warm welcome as you enter our Parish Community! You are asked to register at the parish office or see the pastor as soon as possible. If you are moving from the parish, please inform the office so we may remove your name from our parish records.
- **Anointing of the Sick:** Those who can participate: Anyone who is seriously sick or suffering a grave illness (not a cold, or flu) which is treated or medicated for by a doctor. Also for those of old age which often brings morale or depression factors (body, mind, or spirit). Please make arrangements with Father or call the parish office.
- **Matrimony:** Please contact the Parish Office *six months* ahead of your planned wedding date, for Marriage Preparation and scheduling.
- **RCIA :** The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a series of classes designed to bring new members into the Catholic church. Weekly sessions begin in September. People who have not been baptized, who have not been practicing or who have been raised in another faith are all welcome to register. Parishioners are encouraged to invite interested family members and friends. There is no obligation to join the church. This is simply an opportunity to learn more about the Catholic faith. Contact Fr. William Pifher at 419-446-9288.

BULLETIN DEADLINE: Please note that the bulletin deadline is Tuesday, Noon. Please either call, email at OLOMFayette@olom2441.onmicrosoft.com or put in the collection basket any announcement for the following week's bulletin

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2023

27th Sunday – Ordinary Time

ROSARY WILL BE PRAYED SUNDAY'S AT 8 A.M.

BFF'S ARE BACK

BFF's (Breakfast, friends & fellowship) start back up today!!! We are going to try something different this year. The 1st Sunday of the month the Altar Rosary will offer a BIG breakfast ie. Eggs, sausage, bacon etc. at that time we will be putting a basket out for FREE WILL Donations (this will be our Fund Raiser). The remaining Sunday's we will offer a LIGHT breakfast ie. Donuts, muffins, cookies etc. Please come and join us after Mass on Sunday's. Today will be a LIGHT breakfast.

ROSARY MONTH OF OCTOBER

The Rosary will be prayed every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. for the month of October. On October 18, 2023, 7 p.m., Father Bill will be leading the Rosary and everyone from the Parish is encouraged to attend.

OCTOBER ATTENDANCE

Ushers, please mark the attendance on the sheet in the back of church. Please count all who are in attendance including baby's.

FAYETTE COMMUNITY DINNER

Our Lady of Mercy will be hosting the Fayette Community Dinner on October 18, 2023, 5 – 6 p.m. If you are interested in helping with this event, please see Sherry Renner.

PREVIOUS WEEKS BULLETINS

For your convenience, the previous weeks bulletin will be on the back table.

THE WISDOM OF THE SAINTS – Introduction by Matthew Kelly

"God is not satisfied with appearance. God wants the garment of justice. God wants his Christians dressed in love."- St. Oscar Romero

Do Something Beautiful for God – The Essential Teachings of Mother Teresa

Oct. 8 – You and I are called to do very humble work. There are many people who can do big things, but there are very few people who will do the small things.

Oct. 9 - Charity for the poor is like a living flame; the drier the fuel, the brighter it burns. In your service to the poor do not give only your hands but also your hearts. Charity to be fruitful must cost us. Give, give, give. Give until it hurts. To love, it is necessary to give: to give it is necessary to be free from selfishness.

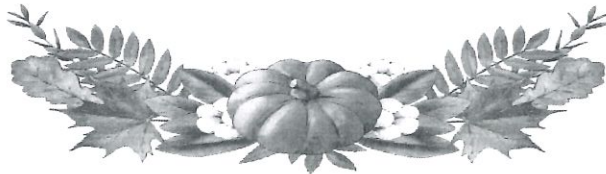
Oct. 10 – Bring love into your homes. If you truly love God, start loving your son or your daughter and your spouse. And the elderly, where are they? In nursing homes! Why are they not with you? And where is the retarded child? In an institution! Why is he not with you? That child is a gift from God.

Oct. 11– A gentleman of the Protestant faith told me: "I love you; I love your work; and I love everything I see here. But there is one thing I don't understand: Our Lady. You are full of Mary." This not difficult to understand I explained to him: "No Mary, no Jesus. No mother, no son. I know you love Jesus. Loving and respecting the women who brought Him into this world is a natural extension of your love for Jesus. Loving Mary is not exclusively Catholic." A few months later he sent me a card with these words print in big letters: "I believe, No Mary, no Jesus! This has changed my life."

Oct. 12 – The constitutions of our religious order state: "We and our poor will rely entirely on divine providence. We are not ashamed to beg from door to door as members of Christ, who Himself lived on alms during His public life and whom we serve in the sick and poor."

Oct. 13 - Faith in action is service. We try to be holy because we believe. In most modern rooms you see an electrical light that can be turned on by a switch. But if there is no connection with the main powerhouse, then there can be no light. Faith and prayer are our connection with God, and power of that connection is service.

Oct. 14 – Every moment of prayer, especially before our Lord in the tabernacle, is a sure, positive gain. The time we spend each day sitting with God is the most precious part of the whole day.



Prayer chain-ANYONE wishing to submit prayer requests can email Anita Van Zile at vanzilejn@hotmail.com or call Pat Eisel at 419-737-2163. **Privacy Issues for Parish Office:** IMMEDIATE FAMILY – must contact the parish office for all prayer requests to be posted in the parish bulletin. Please submit with the exact verbiage requested. Contact Sherry Renner at the parish office at 419-237-2441, no later than Thursday at noon. By law, the parish office does not divulge private information we receive from hospitals.

ST. PETER NEWS

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every Tuesday starting at 8 a.m. ending with Mass at 7 p.m.

Did you know that Deacon Larry Zachrich is also available for Baptisms and Weddings? Contact Larry at 419-966-7091.

FAYETTE/SURROUNDING AREA COMMUNITY EVENTS

---May 6 – Oct. 28 – Farmer's Market @ Fayette Opera House Parking Lot – Saturday's 9 am – 1 pm

---Oct. 13 & 14 7 p.m. Fayette Opera House – Films by Jay Perdue

---Oct. 18 – Community meal – Fayette Methodist Life Center – 5 – 6 p.m., OLOM hosting

---Oct. 21 – Mancino's Archbold, OH – fundraiser for Reach Up, Inc. Jail Ministry

If you know of any Fayette Community events, please either call or visit the office or email to OLOMFayette@olom2441.onmicrosoft.com



DIOCESE OF TOLEDO NEWS

ACA in progress – information and envelopes are on the table in the back.
Our Lady of Mercy is at 99.50%.

HELP WANTED

The Diocese has openings for employment. Check out the list at toledodiocese.org/careers

DIOCESE OF TOLEDO CALENDAR

For additional happenings in the Diocese of Toledo please visit toledodiocese.org/calendar

2023 Century Farm Award Applications Available

Catholic Charities is now accepting applications for Century Farm Awards. This award designation honors Catholic families who have maintained a farm or homestead within their family for at least 100 years in the Diocese of Toledo, with an emphasis on well-preserved working farms.

Applicants will be asked to submit a registration form, copies of old deeds, and pictures to support claims. The information submitted must show family residence and ownership of a farm for at least 100 years in the Diocese of Toledo. Applications should be submitted no later than Tuesday, October 10, 2023. Bishop Daniel E. Thomas will celebrate a Mass honoring Century Farm Award recipients at 8:30 a.m. on Wednesday, October 25, 2023 at Sts Peter & Paul Catholic Church, 307 N. Locust Street, Ottawa, OH. For more information or to request the registration form, please contact: Paula J. Kidney at (419) 214-4898 or email pkidney@toledodiocese.org.

Saints of the Day (www.morningoffering.com)

Week of October 8 -October 14

Sunday, Oct. 8–Blessed Ambrose - Blessed Ambrose (1220-1286) was born in Siena, Italy, the son of a book illuminator. He was born so severely deformed that his parents could not bear the sight of him. They put their son in the care of a nurse who took the child with her to daily Mass at the Dominican church. The child, often fussy, would become calm when he was placed near the altar of relics, and would cry when he was removed. While praying at the altar, the nurse would conceal the child's hideous face with a scarf. This practice continued for a year. One day a pilgrim told the nurse to remove the baby's scarf and prophesied that the child would one day become a great man. A few days later, before the same altar, the child Ambrose stretched out his deformed limbs and pronounced the name of Jesus; from that moment he was miraculously healed into a beautiful and perfectly formed child. Blessed Ambrose grew in piety and was determined to become a Dominican friar. His family and friends opposed his plan and attempted to dissuade such a handsome and talented youth from becoming a poor friar. Ambrose overcame these obstacles and joined the Dominicans at the age of 17. He studied under St. Albert the Great along with St. Thomas Aquinas, and went on to become a preacher, teacher, missionary, diplomat, and peace-broker. His skills with diplomacy earned him the respect of kings and popes alike. His feast day is October 8th.

Monday, Oct. 9–St. John Henry Cardinal Newman - Saint John Henry Cardinal Newman (1801-1890) was the eldest of six children born to a nominal Protestant family in London, England. As a child he loved reading the Scriptures and experienced a conversion to Christianity at the age of fifteen. He became a brilliant academic, an extremely influential Oxford scholar, and an Anglican priest. He was a leader in what was called the "Oxford Movement," which argued for a revival of traditional religious practice in the Church of England. Once anti-Catholic in his religious sentiments, sentiments that were common in England, Newman was increasingly impacted by the Church Fathers and other Catholic writers. His theological views gradually aligned with the Catholic Church in opposition to Anglican doctrine. Through his continued study of Church history he became unable to remain a Protestant in good faith. He made the decision to convert to Catholicism in 1845, which exposed him to much ridicule in his academic and religious circles. Two years later he was ordained a Catholic priest in Rome. He was made Cardinal in 1879. John Henry Newman is remembered for his influential writings on theology and philosophy as well as his founding of the famous London Oratory. Newman wrote forty books and 21,000 letters, some of which had profound influence on the Second Vatican Council, making him one of the most important theologians of his day. His most famous work is his *Apologia* in which he defends his conversion to the truths of the Catholic Church. His feast day is October 9th.

Tuesday, Oct. 10– St. Francis Borgia - St. Francis Borgia (1510-1572) was born in Spain to a noble family, the son of a Duke. On his father's side of the family he was the great-grandson of Pope Alexander VI, one of the notorious "Borgia Popes," and on his mother's side he was the great-grandson of King Ferdinand of Aragon. Francis joined the Spanish court of King Charles V at the age of 18, married, and had 8 children. In 1539 he experienced a profound religious conversion which caused him to renounce the pomp of the royal court, yet he continued his life of public service as the Viceroy of Catalonia. He made great progress in the spiritual life, and after his father's death he became the Duke of Gandia. He built a university and invited the newly-founded Society of Jesus to work in his duchy. After the death of his wife, and after providing for his children, he joined the Jesuits in Rome and was given a prominent position in the order by St. Ignatius of Loyola. Under Francis' leadership and reforms, the Jesuits advanced to such a great extent that he is considered to be their second founder. In the years following Ignatius' death, Francis became head of the order and established Jesuit missions in multiple countries. He also counseled his missionaries in both practical strategies as well as spiritual discipline. St. Francis of Borgia was a celebrated preacher and a key figure in the Counter-Reformation movement. His feast day is October 10th.

Wednesday, Oct. 11– St. John XXIII - Pope St. John XXIII (1881-1963) was the third of thirteen children born to a poor sharecropping family living in Lombardy, Italy. Desiring to serve God with his life, he entered seminary at the age of 12, and, after serving a short stint in the Italian Army, was ordained a priest in 1904. He taught apologetics and church history before being called to service as a military chaplain during the first World War. He later served in Rome on various diplomatic assignments, rising in ecclesiastical rank as bishop and then cardinal-patriarch of Venice. An obscure pick for the Supreme Pontiff, he was unexpectedly elected the 261st Pope at the age of 76. He took the name John which had not been used in over 500 years. The papacy of this presumed "caretaker pope" was expected to be an uneventful one, however, to the surprise of all, shortly into his reign he called the Second Vatican Council. He presided over its first session but did not live to see its completion. He reigned as pope for less than five years before dying of stomach cancer. As Holy Father

(Pope St. John XXIII-cont.)

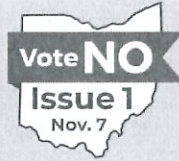
he had a special concern for the equal dignity of humanity, the unity of all Christians, and world peace. He broke with many of the formalities of the papacy and was affectionately called the "Good Pope", in Italian, "il Papa buono." He was canonized by Pope Francis together with Pope John Paul II in 2014. His feast day is October 11th.

Thursday, Oct. 12 – Blessed Carlo Acutis - "For the first time in history we will see a saint dressed in jeans, sneakers, and a sweater..." These are some of the words spoken on the occasion of the beatification of Blessed Carlo Acutis in October of 2020. Blessed Carlo was born on May 3, 1991 and grew up in Italy. He enjoyed amateur computer programming and video games. From an early age he had a great devotion to the Holy Eucharist. He researched sites of Eucharistic miracles and then created a website to categorize them. This website still exists and has also been turned into a traveling exhibition of Eucharistic Miracles which has been seen around the world. Blessed Carlo Acutis suffered from leukemia and died on October 10, 2006 at the age of 15. He is remembered for his cheerfulness and compassion for those in need. He is the patron of computer programmers and youth and was beatified on behalf of Pope Francis on October 10, 2020. His exposed relics can be viewed in Assisi. His feast day is October 12th.

Friday, Oct. 13– St. Edward the Confessor - St. Edward the Confessor (1003-1066 A.D.) was a prince born to the King and Queen of England. His family was exiled from the kingdom when the Danish took control of the country in 1016 A.D. Edward spent much of his life in exile, probably in Normandy. Witnessing the folly of worldly ambition, he became attracted to the life of the Church and grew in piety. When opportunity arose he was persuaded to reclaim the throne of England, which he did in 1042 as one of its last Anglo-Saxon kings. The people supported his rule, and he gained a reputation as a just king committed to the welfare of his subjects. He thwarted invasions, ended unjust taxes, and was profoundly generous to the poor. His reign was marked by peace and prosperity throughout his kingdom. He married a beautiful woman to satisfy the people's desire for a queen, but, having already made a vow of chastity, he obtained his wife's agreement to live together as brother and sister. He was buried in Westminster Abbey, which he built, and after his death many miracles were ascribed to his intercession. This led to his canonization in 1161, and in 1163 the transferral of his body to a new tomb. This was presided over by St. Thomas Becket, the Archbishop of Canterbury, who found Edward's body to be incorrupt. Edward was called "The Confessor" to distinguish him from St. Edward the Martyr. He is buried behind the high altar in Westminster Abbey. He is the patron of kings, difficult marriages, separated spouses, and the English royal family. His feast day is October 13th.

Saturday, Oct. 14– St. Oscar Romero - Óscar Arnulfo Romero y Galdámez was born on August 15, 1917 in Ciudad Barrios, a small town in El Salvador. Oscar discerned very early that God was calling him to be a priest. When he was only fourteen years old he left home to study for the priesthood. He was ordained a priest for the Diocese of San Salvador in 1942. He was a parish priest, editor of the diocesan newspaper, worked with the bishops of El Salvador and in 1977 became Archbishop of San Salvador, the capital city of El Salvador. During this time there was much violence and unrest, with many civilians being killed. Archbishop Romero denounced the actions of the military and the government. He advocated for the poor and oppressed, becoming a "voice for the voiceless". The government turned against the Catholic Church and began arresting and killing priests and closing Catholic institutions. Despite all the violence, Archbishop Romero advocated for non-violent protests and urged the military to obey God, not the orders of men. On March 24, 1980, he was assassinated while saying Mass in the Chapel of the Hospital of Divine Providence. Pope John Paul II gave him the title of "Servant of God" in 1997. In 2015, Pope Francis declared Archbishop Romero a martyr. He was formally beatified on May 23, 2015 and canonized by Pope Francis on October 14, 2018. His feast day is October 14th.

An extreme amendment is on the Ohio ballot in November that threatens the health and safety of women, the rights of parents and the lives of pre-born babies up to 9 months.



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Women.

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Families.

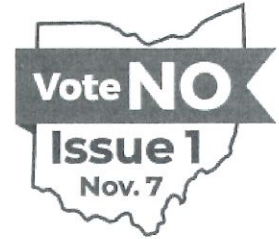
PROTECT

Children.



Early voting starts on Oct. 11. Scan to find out where you can vote early.

Issue 1 is an extreme amendment on the Ohio ballot this November that threatens the health and safety of women, the rights of parents and the lives of preborn babies up to 9 months.



Join Catholics across Ohio in praying a 54-Day Rosary Novena

for defeat of this dangerous amendment

This week the Glorious Mysteries will be prayed Sunday through Wednesday, followed by 9 days of praying the Joyful Mysteries.

Sign up for a daily email reminder with novena prayers here, or at pray54ohio.org.



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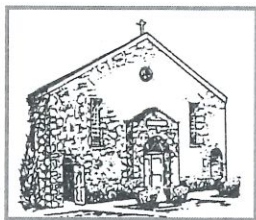
BLESSED CARLO ACUTIS

Feast Day: October 14

"If we get in front of the sun, we get sun tans, but when we get in front of Jesus in the Eucharist, we become Saints."

Born in London, in 1991, Carlo and his family soon moved back to Italy, where he grew up as an ordinary only child. He loved soccer, video games, movies, and all animals— he had four dogs, two cats and many goldfish as pets! From early childhood, he loved Jesus in the Eucharist more than anything else. Using his computer coding skills, Carlo spent four years creating a website dedicated to cataloging every reported Eucharistic miracle around the world (it is still available at www.miracolieucaristici.org/en/liste/list.html). Diagnosed with leukemia, Carlo offered his sufferings to God for the intentions of the sitting pope— Benedict XVI—and the entire Church. His longtime desire to visit as many sites of Eucharistic miracles as possible was cut short by his illness. Carlo died in 2006 and was beatified in 2020. He is a patron of the National Eucharistic Revival.





Our Lady of Mercy Parish



OCTOBER 8, 2023

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Our Lady of Mercy Catholic Church is united by our commitment to minister to the physical and spiritual needs of our rural families and steward the resources entrusted to us. We value the diversity within our Catholic community and invite all to walk with us on our journey of faith.

THIS WEEK'S MASS SCHEDULE

Date	Time	Church	Intention
Sun. Oct. 8	8:30 a.m.	OLM	Marcel Bonin Ruth Obermoser For the People
	10:30 am	SP	For the People
Tues. Oct. 10	7 p.m.	SP	Pat & Juanita Arend
Wed. Oct. 11	9:00a.m..	SP	For the People
Thurs. Oct. 12	9:00a.m.	OLM	For the People
Fri. Oct. 13	9:00a.m.	SP	For the People
Sat. Oct. 14	8:30a.m.	SP	No Mass
	4:30p.m.	SP	Mike & Joyce Britenriker
Sun. Oct. 15	8:30a.m.	OLM	Jeannette Tidwell, Anne Obermoser Colenzo Short
	10:30a.m	SP	For the People

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

- Oct. 11-- Rosary 7 p.m. (every Wed. in October)
- Oct. 11 -- Rel. Ed. 6:45 p.m. Elem.
- Oct. 18 -- OLOM hosting Fayette Comm. Meal 5 p.m. – 6 p.m.
- Oct. 18 -- Family Rosary with Father Bill 7 p.m.
- Oct. 22 -- Youth Breakfast after Mass

SACRIFICIAL OFFERING REPORT

Reported for October 1, 2023

SUNDAY OFFERTORY (14 envelopes) \$ 1,290.00
 LOOSE OFFERINGS \$ 52.00

BUDGET **\$ 1,747.00**
 Over/(Under) (\$ 405.00)

OTHER COLLECTIONS

CPC jar \$ 11.00
 Maintenance \$ 530.00
 Rel. Ed. donation \$ 25.00
 Hall Rental/Basement \$ 125.00
 St. Vincent de Paul \$ 10.00
 Votive Candles \$ 6.00
TOTAL COLLECTION **\$ 2,049.00**

SILENT FESTIVAL

Parishioner's donation \$ 50.00
GRAND TOTAL (to date) **\$ 11,503.62**

NEXT WEEK'S MINISTERS

October 15, 2023

Reader	Pat Eisel
Servers	Evan Beauregard Maeve Maginn
Greeters/ Gifts	Ron & Pat Eisel
Ushers	Ron & Pat Eisel
Ministers of the Eucharist	Until further notice
Money Counters	Barb Bruggeman Michelle Miron

Word(s) of the week (from Merriam-Webster online dictionary)

PRODUCE – to compose, create, or bring out by intellectual or physical effort

“Therefore, I say to you, the kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people that will produce its fruit.”

Matthew 21:43

Dear Padre,

How is an icon different from a regular painting of a saint?

Generally, *icon* means a symbol or image. In the Church, it refers to an image depicting Bible stories or holy people. "Icons express in images the same Gospel message that Scripture communicates by words" (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*, 1160).

Even though an icon is an image created with paints, icons are written, not painted. Icon writing, called iconography, is a vocation as well as a talent. The difference between a painter and an iconographer is that iconographers follow strict rules and standards set forth in Eastern Church canon law and Christian tradition. Rooted in God's word, icons are rich in symbolism. The colors, gestures, and shapes speak spiritually to invite us to pray and worship.

Icons can be written on almost any surface, but historically most were written on wood and had a gold-leaf background. One example of this type of icon is Our Mother of Perpetual Help, which is believed to have been written in the fifteenth century. Pope Pius IX gave it to the Redemptorists in 1865, telling the order to "make her known throughout the world." It now hangs in the Church of Sant' Alfonso in Rome.

To see the original icon in real time and learn more about icons, please visit omphicon.org. ●



The Redemptorists / DearPadre.org

A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

Discernment...involves hard work....We do not find set before us, prepackaged, the life we are to live. No! We have to decide it all the time, according to the reality that comes. God invites us to evaluate and choose: He created us free and wants us to exercise our freedom. Therefore, discerning is demanding.

GENERAL AUDIENCE, ROME, AUGUST 31, 2022



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MONDAY

October 9
Weekday
Jon 1:1–2:2, 11
Lk 10:25–37

TUESDAY

October 10
Weekday
Jon 3:1–10
Lk 10:38–42

WEDNESDAY

October 11
Weekday
Jon 4:1–11
Lk 11:1–4

THURSDAY

October 12
Weekday
Mal 3:13–20b
Lk 11:5–13

FRIDAY

October 13
Weekday
Jl 1:13–15; 2:1–2
Lk 11:15–26

SATURDAY

October 14
Weekday
Jl 4:12–21
Lk 11:27–28

SUNDAY

October 15
Twenty-eighth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
Is 25:6–10a
Phil 4:12–14, 19–20
Mt 22:1–14 or 22:1–10

Know Someone Overly Anxious About Sin?

Since 1964, the Redemptorists' *Scrupulous Anonymous* free monthly newsletter has ministered compassionately to those struggling with scrupulosity. To subscribe, visit ScrupulousAnonymous.org.