

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS



Lord, You told us, "the harvest indeed is abundant but the laborers are few. Pray, therefore, the Lord of the harvest to send laborers into His harvest."

We pray that You stir within our hearts the desire and courage to be faithful witnesses to the Gospel. Inspire the faithful in our Diocese to make the gift of self and work in Your Vineyard as priests, deacons, religious, and consecrated men and women. Safeguard our clergy and religious from worldly temptations. Strengthen our seminarians in their discernment and sustain those who participate in missionary work. Bless those called to the holy covenant of marriage and form the domestic church as a school of discipleship.

Lord, may we be attentive to the movements of the Holy Spirit and responsive to the call to serve Your people in the Church. Mother Mary, true model of service, intercede for our own vocations. We ask this through Christ, Our Lord. Amen.

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From our Deacon Hicks while on spiritual retreat:

DAWN AT SUBIACO

*THE LIGHT AGAIN BEGINS TO SPREAD
ACROSS THE EASTERN HILL
COLORS CHANGE AS SHAPES APPEAR
THE AIR IS COOL AND STILL*

*THE MONKS AWAKE - ABOUT THEIR TASKS
OF LOVING, WORK, AND PRAYER
BLACK ROBES MOVING TO AND FRO
PROVIDE AN ANCIENT AIR*

*THE ORDER BOUND BY BENEDICT'S RULE
TRADITION, CONSTANT, SURE
PROVIDES A PLACE WHERE ONE CAN COME
TO SEARCH FOR TRUTH THAT'S PURE*

*HIGH IN THE TOWER BENEATH THE CROSS
A BELL BEGINS TO RING
CALLING ALL THE MONKS TO PRAYER
RESPONSES THAT THEY SING*

*IN THE SLEEPY VILLAGE DOWN BELOW
THE PEOPLE HEAR THE BELL
IT MAY SERVE AS A WAKE UP CALL
BUT WHO CAN REALLY TELL*

*THE BELL MAY MOVE THEIR THOUGHTS AS MINE,
TO THINK OF SPIRITUAL GRACE
SOUNDS CAN BE A POWERFUL FORCE
AROUND THIS HOLY PLACE*

*I COME HERE TO SEARCH FOR HIM
HOPING I'LL FIND ME
IN HIM I HAVE MY BEING
THAT IS SOMETIMES HARD TO SEE*

*IT'S BOUND UP IN OUR GIFT OF FAITH
HOPE AND LOVE ARE THERE
RECONCILIATION, THE EUCHARIST, AND PEACE
IF ONLY I WOULD DARE*

*I MUST FORGIVE AND THEN FORGET
THE DEEDS THAT I HAVE DONE
AND MORNING BREAKS WITHIN MY HEART
THEN GOD AND I ARE ONE*

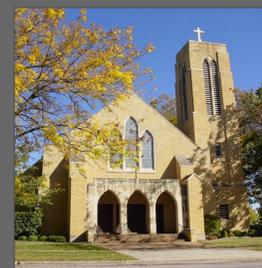
R. FIELDER

HOLY GHOST CATHOLIC CHURCH

October 26, 2025

EVERYONE WHO EXALTS HIMSELF WILL BE HUMBLLED, BUT THE ONE WHO HUMBLLES HIMSELF WILL BE EXALTED.

LUKE 18:14



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READINGS FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

- Monday, 10/27: Romans 8:12-17; Ps 68:2,4,6-7ab,20-21; Luke 13:10-17
- Tuesday: Ephesians 2:19-22; Ps 19:2-5; Luke 6:12-16
- Wednesday: Romans 8:26-30; Ps 13:4-6; Luke 13:22-30
- Thursday: Romans 8:31b-39; Ps 109:21-22,26-27,30-31; Luke 13:31-35
- Friday: Romans 9:1-5, Ps 147:12-15,19-20; Luke 14:1-6
- Saturday: Revelations 7:2-4,9-14; Ps 24:1-6; Matthew 5:1-12a

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THE HOLY POST

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time — Year C October 26, 2025

FIRST READING: The God of justice knows no favorites.

(Sirach 35:12-14,16-18)

PSALM: "The Lord hears the cry of the poor."

(Psalm 34)

SECOND READING: I have competed well, I have finished the race.

(2 Timothy 4:6-8,16-18)

GOSPEL: "O God, be merciful to me a sinner."

(Luke 18:9-14)

We are a needy people. We each stand before God as someone in need. No matter how well off we are, how healthy we are, or how satisfied we are with our lives, we are all in need of God's saving mercy. If we look at ourselves honestly, we see that we are far from perfect, that we in fact are sinful and always in need of forgiveness. May we, like the tax collector in today's Gospel, be aware of our neediness so that no matter our situation in life we too may humbly pray, "O God, be merciful to me a sinner." When we do so, we are always a receptive vessel for God's immense love. - Pastoral Patterns

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

RE Classes Start at 9 am in CCD Center.



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COME PRAY THE ROSARY BEFORE MASS

Join us in praying the Rosary together at 9:40 am before Sunday Mass. If you need a Rosary, written instructions, or wish to lead the rosary, please speak to Father Cashen.



Rosary Leaders:

Oct. 26 - T Wadley

(...then a break until January, 2026)



Catholic Charities' annual appeal has begun. Please prayerfully consider donating by picking up an envelope in the entrances or by using the donation envelope recently sent by the diocese in the mail.

PARISH SCHEDULE

SUNDAY Oct 26
RE Class in CCD Center 9:00 am
Rosary 9:40 am
30th Sunday Ordinary Time 10 am

WEDNESDAY Oct 29
Mass 6 pm

SUNDAY Nov 2
Daylight Savings Time Ends 2 am
RE Class in CCD Center 9:00 am
All Souls' Day Mass 10 am

WEDNESDAY Nov 5
Mass 6 pm
+ Jody Carter

SUNDAY Nov 9
RE Class in CCD Center 9:00 am
Dedication of Lateran Basilica 10 am

WEDNESDAY Nov 12
Mass 6 pm



All Soul's Day falls on a Sunday this year. A special remembrance of names will be said during the November 2 Mass. Please take the opportunity to remember your deceased friends and loved ones (Catholic and non-Catholic) by submitting their names on the slips provided in the entrances or by an e-mail to: holyghostvinita@gmail.com by Oct. 28.

PRAYER LIST

Mary Calisti, Roben Carter, Jeanette & Mike Crowell, Desiree & Caleb Curry, Karen Janssen, Nancy Keene, John Keown, John Miller, Reid Miller, Jo Montana, Tate Riney, Roseline Brown Sparks, Debbie Page, Kaitlyn & Shirley Senglaub, Jimmy Sweeney



Marines: Gage Gardner
Air Force: Zerek Albarez, Adam Crane, Cale Schumacher, Michael Ecterhoff and Tiffany Calabasa

Lectors

October 26 Stephen Miller
November 2 C. McNally
November 9 Terri Kemohah
November 16 Dorene Logan
November 23 Linda Lucas
November 30 Stephen Miller
December 7 C. McNally
December 14 Terri Kemohah
December 21 Dorene Logan
December 28 Linda Lucas

Don't Forget!



Fall Back
DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS
SET YOUR CLOCK BACK ONE HOUR