

St Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church

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Mass Schedule: Saturday Vigil 4:30 PM
Sunday 9:00 AM

Weekdays: Monday, Wednesday and Friday 11:30 AM
Tuesday: Exposition 6:00 pm , Mass in Spanish 6:30 pm
Thursday 9:00 AM

Reconciliation: 30 minutes before Mass or by appointment.

Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday: 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM

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Pastoral Emergency outside of office hours: 731-968-7944

St Regina Catholic Church

108 Skyline Lane

Parsons, TN 38363

Phone: 731-847-2054

Mass Schedule: Sunday 11:00 AM

Weekdays: Wednesday 5:00 pm

Reconciliation: 30 minutes before Mass or by appointment.

Office Hours: Monday and Thursday 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM Wednesday 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM

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Pastoral Emergency outside of office hours: 731-968-7944

Staff

Pastor: Father Anthony Onyekwe

St Andrew: Administrative Secretary: Mary Alyce Fiechtl

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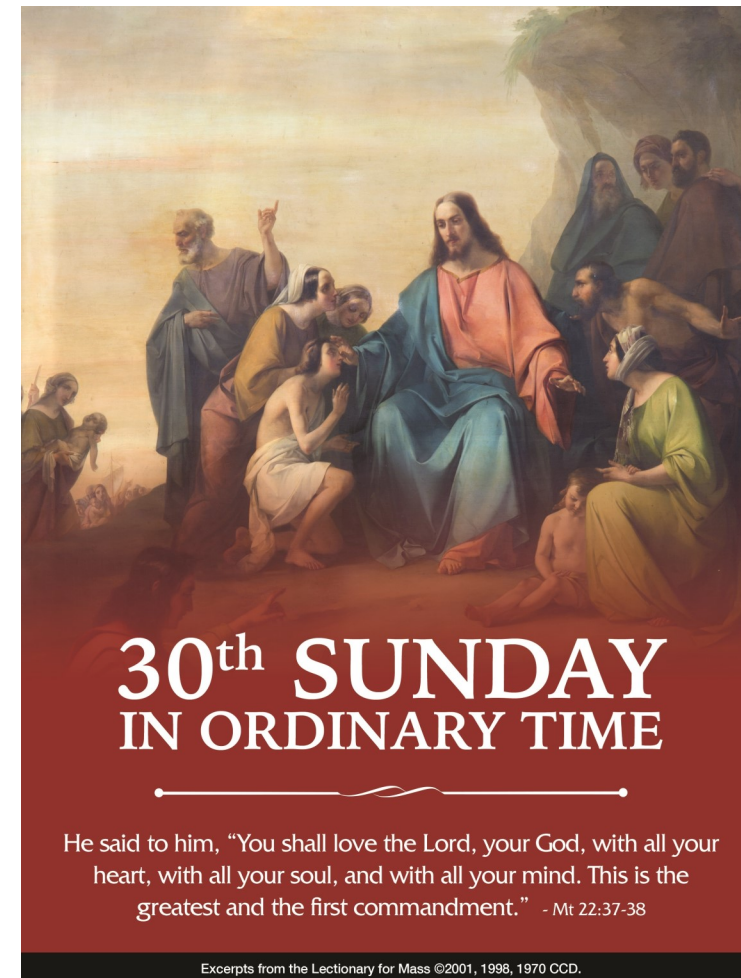
Financial Secretary for both Parishes: Mary Alyce Fiechtl

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DRE for St Regina: Christina Hammond

Maintenance and Grounds for St Andrew: Joey Wall

Maintenance and Grounds for St Regina: Jim Molitor



**Thirtieth Sunday in
Ordinary Time
October 29, 2023**



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Mass Intentions

October 29th: Parishioners of St Andrew and St Regina

During November, Mass Intentions are for the requested names of those souls that people have asked for prayers.

November 5th: Parishioners of St Andrew and St Regina



GOD'S LAW AND GOD'S LOVE

The secret to our Sunday readings today lies in the Gospel Acclamation: "Whoever loves me will keep my word, says the Lord, and my Father will love him and we will come to him" (John 14:23). That single line from John's Gospel gets right to the heart of today's readings, reminding us of the intimate relationship between the law ("keeping God's word") and God's love. While human nature tends to resist burdensome rules, our readings show us the wisdom of God's plan that guides us with the rule of law. In Exodus, the law boldly prevents injustice, protecting the most vulnerable members of society. In Thessalonians, the law elevates our behavior and saves us from "the coming wrath." In Matthew's Gospel, the law swaddles us in God's compassion. In loving God, neighbor, and self, we imitate God and bring blessing to a fractured world.

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WEEKLY OFFERING

| October 22nd | |
|--------------|--------|
| Budget | \$1816 |
| Actual | \$3510 |
| Bldg. | \$0 |
| Over | \$1694 |



Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

R. C. I. A.

Classes will be on Thursdays, at 6:00

Liturgical Ministers

November 5th:

Lector: Saturday: John Butler

Sunday: Jerry Kirkpatrick, Nick Williams

Server:

Gifts: The Alejandro Gonzalez Family

Eucharistic Minister: Carmen McDaniel

Sacristans: Carmen McDaniel

Altar Linens: Anabel Gonzalez, Susan Placencia

Ushers/Collection: Joey Wall, Luis Tobar

TODAY'S READINGS FOR YEAR A

First Reading — You shall not oppress an alien, for you yourselves were once aliens in Egypt (Exodus 22:20-26).

Psalm — O Lord, my rock, I love you (Psalm 18).

Second Reading — You became imitators of the Lord, so that you became a model for all believers (1 Thessalonians 1:5c-10).

Gospel — You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, and you shall love your neighbor as yourself (Matthew 22:34-40).

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Parishioners

Kathy Amrhein, MaryAnn Maness, Eddie McDaniel, James Trim

Relatives

Friends

Ladies Guild

The next meeting will be held, Wednesday, November 8th, at 6:00 pm, at the church. The evening will consist of fellowship, a short business meeting, and a small Thanksgiving décor project. Please bring a snack to share and a smooth, 1 pint canning jar, if available. All ladies of the parish are invited and encouraged to attend.

Medjugorje 25th of the month message

"Dear Children! Winds of evil, hatred and peacelessness are blowing through the earth to destroy lives. That is why the Most High sent me to you, to lead you towards the way of peace and unity with God and people. You, little children, are my extended hands: pray, fast and offer sacrifices for peace - the treasure for which every heart yearns. Thank you for having responded to my call."

Coming Events

Sunday Scripture Study Group: The Group will meet November 10th and the 17th.

The office will be closed on Wednesday, November 1st, for the Holy Day.

Daylight Savings Time ends on November 5th. Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour next Saturday night.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rom 8:12-17; Ps 68:2, 4, 6-7ab, 20-21; Lk 13:10-17

Tuesday: Rom 8:18-25; Ps 126:1b-6; Lk 13:18-21

Wednesday: Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a

Thursday: Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40, or any readings from no. 668 or from Masses for the Dead, nos. 1011-1016

Friday: Rom 9:1-5; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Lk 14:1-6

Saturday: Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29; Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 17-18; Lk 14:1, 7-11

Sunday: Mal 1:14b — 2:2b, 8-10; Ps 131:1-3; 1 Thes 2:7b-9, 13; Mt 23:1-12

Mass Schedule



Monday: 11:30 am

Tuesday: Exposition at 6:00 and Mass in Spanish at 6:30 pm Vigil for All Saints

Wednesday, All Saints: 11:30 am

Thursday, All Souls: 9:00 am

First Friday: Adoration 9:00 to 11:30 with Mass at 11:30 am

First Saturday: 9:00 am

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 pm

Sunday: 9:00 am



Yard Sale

November 11th, 8:00 to 2:00

Items can be brought to the church during office hours and on Sunday after Mass. All funds will go to the PRE Youth for fun activities. Please be generous with your donations and times to work!