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The Cathedral of Saint Joseph, Wheeling, invites you to attend our

## Infant Jesus of Prague Novena

## "Blessed are the merciful..."

A solemn novena to the Infant of Prague, with reflections on the Jubilee Year of Mercy. Many prayers have been answered through this devotion. Please join us!



## October 3 through November 28, 2016 Nine Consecutive Mondays at 7:00 p.m.

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Sunday Masses: 6:00 p.m. Saturday; 8:00 and 10:30 a.m. Sunday.

Weekday Mass: 12:05 p.m. Monday through Friday; 9:00 a.m. Saturday. Sacrament of Reconciliation: 11:15-11:50 a.m. Friday; 5-5:45 p.m. Saturday.

Sacrament of the Sick and Communion to Homebound: Call the parish office anytime to make

arrangements.

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# Il Corriere del Duomo

Weekly Journal for the Cathedral of St. Joseph

# Saints Michael, Gabriel and Raphael—the Archangels



The liturgy celebrates the feast of these three archangels who are venerated in the tradition of the Church. Michael (Who is like God?) was the archangel who fought against Satan and all his evil angels, defending all the friends of God. He is the protector of all humanity from the snares of the devil. Gabriel (Strength of forthcoming birth of John the Bap- is observed on March 24 and St.

tist, and to Mary, the birth of Jesus. His greeting to the Virgin, "Hail, full of grace," is one of the most familiar and frequent prayers of the Christian people. Raphael (Medicine of God) is the archangel who took care of Tobias on his journey.

According to the 1962 Missal of St. John XXIII the Extraordinary Form of the Roman Rite, Sept. 24 is God) announced to Zachariah the the feast of St. Michael. St. Gabriel

Raphael on October 24.

The Catechism of the Catholic Church teaches us that, "[T]he existence of the spiritual, non-corporeal beings that Sacred Scripture usually calls "angels" is a truth of faith. The witness of Scripture is as clear as the unanimity of Tradi-

Angels are pure, created spirits. The name angel means servant or messenger of God.

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## Join Us for a Choral **Concert Next Saturday**

Saturday, October 1, 2016 at 2:00 PM the Tri-State Choral Music Festival will culminate in a FINALE CON-CERT here at the Cathedral of Saint Joseph. The concert will be performed by various honor student choirs from the area and comprise over one hundred participants! This is a FREE concert and open to the public. Please consider joining us!

## Women's Faith Sharing Group



Sharing Group will hold their next meeting/visitation day Friday, Oct. 7, the Memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary, at Mount St. Joseph from 10:00 -3:00. Fee for the day will be \$9.00 for lunch. All are welcome to take part in some or all of the day's activities. To RSVP or if you have any questions call Diane (304-233-8574) by Friday, Sept. 30.

The Women's Faith

## Stewardship Thought

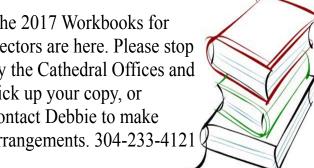
"What profit would there be for one to gain the whole world and forfeit his life?" Matthew 16:26

St. Francis of Assisi once said, "Remember, you are what you are in the eyes of God, and nothing else." We often forget this stewardship wisdom when we spend all of our time, talent and treasure to gain more things of the world. Instead, we need to learn to set our priorities based on God's values and not the values of the material world. That's not to say that God doesn't want us to have money or the things it can buy. He does...He just doesn't want money or things of this world to have us. Jesus words from the Sermon on the Mount remind us what we should do! "But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; an all these things shall be added unto you." Matthew 6:33

The Stewardship Committee

## ATTENTION READERS

The 2017 Workbooks for Lectors are here. Please stop by the Cathedral Offices and pick up your copy, or contact Debbie to make arrangements. 304-233-4121



## Intercessions

Please keep in your prayers: Celeste Barton, Margaret Scheiblehood, 1st Lieutenant Zachery Basich (US Marines), Dallas Disbro, David A. Kress, Jr., Edward Fanning, Kathy Cooley, Barb Mazzocca, Rick South, Eva Wood, Mary Alice Florio, James Midcap, Lukie Brown, Hines Rotriga, Patricia Kaliscz, Janie, Jim and Dee, Judy Pack, Milissa Rose, Michael DeBlasis, Liam Manning, Mary Ann Fowler, Henry Vogler, Dustin Ronevich, Bob Jones, Frank Davis, Jimmy Hocking, Susan Graff, Brogan Gallentine, Richard Simon, Mark Davis, James Benner, Susan Schulte, Margaret Stocke, Thomas Griffith, Julia Sheets, William Schultz, Jean and Chuck Schultz, R. J. Stocke, Jane Rudari, Marlene Martin, Milly Burke, Norma Bosold, Stephanie Bugaj, Arthur Danehart, Jon-Michael Lasher, Shawn Thomas, Thelma Pearson, Kermit Klosterman, Mary K. Schlosser, Anne Sobota, Susan Mize, Rick Burgy, Betty Teater, Sarah Sargent, Sally Jochum, Martha Yocum, Father Joseph Wilhelm, Mary Walicki, George Kirchner, Shirley DeCaria, Haley Carter, Caleb Hlebiczki, Bob Armstrong, Austin Cook, Ron Hickman, Stanley Kyrc, Annie Midcap, Charles Heizer, Gail Koch, Pete Mack, Nancy Witzberger, Fred Herink, the Children of the Youth Services System, Chuck Fair, Darleen Williams and Mona Wurtzbacher

## Mass Intentions and Readings

### Sunday—September 25th—TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN **ORDINARY TIME**

6:00p Mass for the Parishioners

8:00a Mass for Jack Staley

1st Communion and Confirmation Classes Cathedral Offices

9:15a RCIA (Rectory)

10:30a Mass for Nicholas & Nimnoom Ghaphery

RDGS: Am 6:1a, 4-7 Ps 146:7-10 1 Tm 6:11-16 Lk 16:19-31

## Monday—September 26th—Sts. Cosmas and Damian,

12:05p Mass for Jack Jochum

RDGS: Jb 1:6-22 Ps 17:1bcd, 2-3, 6-7 Lk 9:46-50 Cosmas and Damian, died in 300 at Cyrrhus in Syria; brother physicians known as "moneyless ones" for their gratuitous care of the sick; mentioned in the Roman Canon; patrons of physicians, surgeons, druggists, bar-

bers, and the blind.

#### Tuesday—September 27th—St. Vincent de Paul, priest 12:05p Mass for Lucy Mae Jenkins Bauduin

RDGS: Jb 3:1-3, 11-17, 20-23 Ps 88:2-8 Lk 9:51-56

Vincent de Paul, died in 1660 in Paris; born in Pouv; renewed the clergy and defended the poor and the abandoned; founded the Congregation of the Missions, today numbering some 3,830 members; mission preachers and seminary educators; with St. Louise de Marillac, founded the Daughters of Charity; preached against Jansenism; patron of charities, of hospitals and prisoners, and of the Malagasy Republic (Madagascar).

### Wednesday—September 28th—Saint Wenceslaus, Martyr; Saint Lawrence Ruiz, and Companions, Martyrs

12:05p Mass for Dale Shutler

RDGS: Jb 9:1-12, 14-16 Ps 88:10b-15 Lk 9:57-62

7:00p Choir Rehearsal

Wenceslaus, died 929 at age twenty-two; duke of Bohemia; sought to bring the faith to his people; killed by his pagan brother, Boleslaus; patron of the Czech Republic ad Slovakia.

Today the Church commemorates sixteen martyrs of Nagasaki, Japan, during the years 1633-1637; they include nine Japanese, four Spaniards, one Frenchman, one Italian, and the Filipino, Lawrence Ruiz, the father of a family and protomartyr of the Philippines; after enduring horrible tortures, their bodies were burned and their ashes scattered by order of the ruler, Tokugawa Yemitsu; canonized 18 October 1987.

### Thursday—September 29th—SAINTS MICHAEL, GABRIEL AND RAPHAEL, ARCHANGELS

12:05p Mass for Ron Radcliffe

RDGS: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 Ps 138:1-5 Jn 1:47-51 These biblical messengers signify God's transcendence and

loving care: Michael (meaning "Who is like God?"), Gabriel ("God's Strength") and Raphael ("God's Remedy"); Michael: patron of security forces and of the sick; Gabriel: of telecommunications and the postal service; Raphael: of travelers and the blind.

#### Friday—September 30th—St. Jerome, priest, doctor of the Church

12:05p Mass for Thomas J. Klug RDGS: Jb 38:1, 12-21; 40:3-5

Ps 139:1-3, 7-10, 13-14b Lk 10:13-16

Jerome, died 420 in Bethlehem; from Dalmatia; devoted monk and ascetic; wrote numerous commentaries on and authored Latin ("Vulgate") translation of the Bible; one of the four great doctors of the Latin Church; patron of scriptural scholars.

### Saturday—October 1st—St. Therese of the Child Jesus, virgin, doctor of the Church

9:00a Mass for Monsignor James Nugent

2:00p WLU Choral Music Festival Concert

5:00p Confessions

6:00p Mass for Bob Burke

RDGS: Jb 42:1-3, 5-6, 12-17

Ps 119:66, 71, 75, 91, 125, 130 Lk 10:17-24

Therese, "The Little Flower," died in 1897 of tuberculosis in Carmel of Lisiex at age twenty-four, born in Alencon; contemplative who, in her biography, "The Story of a Soul", urged all to follow "the little way"; proclaimed doctor of the Church by Pope John Paul II in 1997; patroness of the missions, of florists, and of France; secondary patroness of the Apostleship of Prayer.

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10:30a Mass for Louise Reddy

RDGS: Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4 Ps 95:1-2, 6-9 2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14 Lk 17:5-10

## Weekly Collection

Envelopes: \$3,729 Loose: \$744.58

Online: \$263

Follansbee Flood Relief: \$1,353

A resounding thank you to all who contributed to the Follanshee Flood Relief fund. Be assured of our appreciation for your generosity. Please

keep the Follansbee community in your

prayers.