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50th Anniversary Appeal

Please take a brochure from the vestibule to learn how to help us continue to make the love of Jesus present in this most contemporary of places.

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2020 National March for Life

Friday, January 24, 2020 at 12:00 PM
Washington DC, National Mall in DC

MASSACHUSETTS CITIZENS FOR LIFE is sponsoring 2 buses leaving from Riverside Station in Newton.

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The Chapel Gift Shop
Item of the Week...

Gifts for Advent

See our selection of Advent Candle Holders and Advent Calendars for you and your family to enjoy in anticipation of the birth of our Savior!
**A Reflection on the Resurrection and Final Judgement**
*by Fr. James Doran, OMV*

One day when I was in 2nd grade, my dad was driving me to St. Michael’s school. I asked, “Dad, when will come the end of the world?”

I was disappointed that he did not give me a straight answer. He said that the world ended at different times for different people.

One of my classmates had recently lost his father who was a police officer in the line of duty. My dad said the world had ended for that man.

But I wanted to know when the **whole world** would end. When would Jesus come again?

The Catechism that we studied in religion class said *He was coming at the end of the world to judge the living and the dead.* In the Creed we say, “We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come.”

*When will the resurrection of the dead take place? The resurrection of the dead would take place at the end of the world.* I wanted to know when that would be.

In today’s Mass the prophet Malachi says, “Lo, the day is coming, blazing like an oven, when all the proud and all evildoers will be stubble, and the day that is coming will set them on fire, leaving them neither root nor branch, says the Lord of hosts.”

But if we are prepared, we don’t have to worry. The Lord says, “But for you who fear my name, there will arise the sun of justice with its healing rays.”

How do the dead rise? The Catechism of the Catholic Church tells us:

997 *What is “rising”?* In death, the separation of the soul from the body, the human body decays and the soul goes to meet God, while awaiting its reunion with its glorified body. God, in his almighty power, will definitively grant incorruptible life to our bodies by reuniting them with our souls, through the power of Jesus’ Resurrection.

998 *Who will rise? All the dead will rise, “those who have done good, to the resurrection of life, and those who have done evil, to the resurrection of judgment.”*

I still do not know when that will be, but Dad was right in so far as this world ends, in one sense, for those who die. They await the end of the world, the Resurrection and Final Judgement, Heaven or Hell.

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**Mass Intentions This Week**

**Sunday, November 17**
- 8:00 AM + Barbara Carrington
- 9:15 AM Dora Techer
- 10:30 AM + Fr. John McGuire, OP
- 11:45 AM + Teresa Allen
- 1:15 PM (esp.) + Anna Bertilda Mendosa
- 4:00 PM Poor Souls of Purgatory
- 5:30 PM + Consuelo Tobón

**Monday, November 18**
- 8:00 AM + Joseph Peter D’Annunzio
- 12:05 PM + Bart Natoniewski
- 4:45 PM Ligia Castaño

**Tuesday, November 19**
- 8:00 AM + Julia Cheek — health
- 12:05 PM + Donald J. Szynski
- 4:45 PM Marianne Broderick — health

**Wednesday, November 20**
- 8:00 AM + George Meloncourt
- 12:05 PM Beatrice Bates
- 4:45 PM In Thanksgiving to St. Jude

**Thursday, November 21**
- 8:00 AM + Blemur Family
- 12:05 PM + Haile — 25th anniversary
- 4:45 PM + Mary O’Driscoll & + Patrick O’Malley

**Friday, November 22**
- 8:00 AM + Mary Therese Nacier
- 12:05 PM + Patrick McDonough
- 4:45 PM Joseph Timilty

**Saturday, November 23**
- 9:00 AM + George Levits
- 12:00 PM Ed Creelman
- 4:00 PM Cyril & Marie D’Souza
- 5:30 PM + Robert Saluti
- 7:00 PM (esp) + Evelia Ester Lopera

**Feast Days This Week**

**November 18:**
The Dedication of the Basilicas of Saints Peter & Paul
St. Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin

**November 21:**
The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**November 22:**
St. Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr

**November 23:**
St. Clement, Pope and Martyr
St. Columban, Abbot
Blessed Miguel Pro, Priest and Martyr

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