

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FROM: YOU CAT Youth Catechism of the Catholic Church

I Believe in the Holy Spirit

113. What does it mean to say: I believe in the Holy Spirit?

To believe in the Holy Spirit means to worship him as God just like the Father and the Son. It means to believe that the Holy Spirit comes into our hearts so that we as children of God might know our Father in heaven. Moved by God's Spirit, we can change the face of the earth. [683-686]

Before his death, Jesus promised his disciples that he would send them "another Counselor" (Jn 14:16) when he was no longer with them. Then when the Holy Spirit was poured out upon the disciples of the original Church, they learned what Jesus had meant. They experienced a deep assurance and joy in their faith and received particular CHARISMS; in other words, they could prophesy, heal, and work miracles. To this day there are people in the Church who possess such gifts and have these experiences. 35-38, 310-311

114. What role does the Holy Spirit play in the life of Jesus?

Without the Holy Spirit, we cannot understand Jesus. In his life the presence of God's Spirit, whom we call the Holy Spirit, was manifest in a unique way. [689-691, 702-731]

It was the Holy Spirit who called Jesus to life in the womb of the Virgin Mary (Mt 1:18), endorsed him as God's beloved Son (Lk 4:16-19), guided him (Mk 1:12) and enlivened him to the end (Jn 19:30). On the Cross, Jesus breathed out his Spirit. After his Resurrection, he bestowed the Holy Spirit on his disciples (Jn 20:22). At that the Spirit of Jesus went over to his Church: "As the Father has sent me, even so I send you" (Jn 20:21).

"VOCATION SEEDS"

If you dare to trust God with our lives, great things happen. Give God your total self for, when the end of times comes, the wise and those who work for justice will shine forever. Dedicate your life to furthering the reign of God. If you feel God may be calling you to a religious vocation in His Church,

call Fr. Hansoo - 416 968 0997
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**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT
on Fridays starting with Mass at 9:30 am and
concluded with Benediction and Mass at 7:30 pm**

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday November 17:

5:00 pm +Thomas Lobo
+Mariamma
+Amirthanathar
+Lola Pereira
+Mark Pereira
+Francis Kane
+Gioambaotixita & Maria Tran
+Doris Evans
+Mike Clappson
+Angela, Michael, Esterino Caricari
Souls in Purgatory
Deceased Members of Sequeira and
Monteiro Families

Sunday November 18:

9:00 am In Thanksgiving of Dolores & Darlene
Gonzalez
10:30 am In Honour of the Sacred Heart of Jesus
12:00 pm Pro - Populo

Monday November 19:

9:00 am Intention of Elena Chua

Tuesday November 20:

9:00 am Intention of Joe Iafrate

Wednesday November 21:

7:30 pm +Bradley Fernandes

Thursday November 22:

9:00 am In Thanksgiving of Joven Family

Friday November 23:

9:30 am Celebrant's Intention

7:30 pm +Sr. Perpetual Succour & Relatives

Saturday November 24:

9:00 am Celebrant's Intention

The Following are Available in the Gift Shop

- 2012 - 2013 Sunday Missals for \$5.00 each
- Catholic Missions in Canada 2013 Calendar \$5.00 each
- Life Coalition Christmas Cakes
Small - \$ 16.00 Large (Tin) - \$24.00
- Right to Life Christmas Cards - \$8.00 per package of 10 cards

November 18, 2012

SHEPHERDS' TRUST

As parishioners, we have reaped the benefits of our priests' unselfish service to ourselves and our families for generations. Called by God and consecrated to the priesthood to care for His people, they have faithfully served and continue to serve our families, in our churches, schools, hospitals, nursing homes, missions and on our streets.

The Shepherds' Trust does more than just bridge the gap in our priest's retirement years; it says thank-you in a very tangible way for the blessings we have received.

A second collection for The Shepherds' Trust will be taken up this weekend after Holy Communion. Please be generous.

MEMORIAL BOOK: Parishioners are invited to write the names of their deceased relatives and friends. Prayers will be offered for them at the Sunday Masses during the whole month of November.

On Saturday November 24, 2012 Catholic Cemeteries and The Archdiocese Development Office will be hosting an Estate Planning Seminar at Christ the King Cemetery at 9:00 am. The program will last about 1 hour and will be followed by refreshments and time for questions.

RSVP: Frank Jannetta, Catholic Cemeteries
416 733 8544 ext. 237 or fjannette@ccat.on.ca

Live - in Weekend Retreat

For those who are Separated, Divorced and Widowed

Come and join us for a weekend encounter with God and learn to recognize His presence, receive healing and find meaning and direction in your life.

Friday December 7, 2012; 7:00 pm to
Sunday December 9, 2012; 4:00 pm

Queen of Apostles, 1617 Blythe Rd.
Mississauga, Ontario L5H 2C3

Registration is necessary: Call Deacon James MSW., RSW., Psyn. D. at 416 921 1163 ext. 2227 or
Email: jshaughn@cfstoronto.com

Registration Fee: \$140.00
Deposit: \$40.00

THE YEAR OF FAITH

"Faith grows when it is lived as an experience of love received and when it is communicated as an experience of grace and joy. It makes us fruitful, because it expands our hearts in hope and enables us to bear life-giving witness: indeed, it opens the hearts and minds of those who listen to respond to the Lord's invitation to adhere to his word and become his disciples."

(Pope Benedict XVI, Porta Fidei Apostolic Letter, 2011, 7)

PRAYER FOR PEACE

Almighty and eternal God, may your grace enkindle in all of us a love for the many unfortunate people whom poverty and misery reduce to a condition of life unworthy of human beings.

Arouse in the hearts of those who call you Father a hunger and thirst for justice and peace and for fraternal charity in deeds and in truth.

Grant, O Lord, peace in our days, peace to souls, peace to families, peace to our country, and peace among nations. Amen.

(Pope Pius XII, 1876 - 1958)

APOSTOLATE OF PRAYERS

Here are the intentions for November:

General: That bishops, priests, and all ministers of the Gospel may bear the courageous witness of fidelity to the crucified and risen Lord.

Mission: That the pilgrim Church on earth may shine as a light to the nations.

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

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Happy the merciful who give to those in need -
(Psalm 112)

Catholic teaching and tradition urges us to follow Christ's example to love and serve our less-fortunate brethren.

More families are being pushed to the limits due to economic uncertainty. By your contribution to the POOR BOX each week, you bring love and comfort to our neighbour-in-need. Your commitment to S.V.P. is sincerely appreciated. God Bless you for your kind generosity.