



**Acts 7:55-56**

Stephen, full of the Holy Spirit, looked up to heaven and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing at the right hand of God. "Look," he said, "I see heaven open & the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God."



1300 NE J St, Bentonville, AR 72712

October 23, 2022

**Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

*Trigésimo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario*

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**Weekday Mass**

*Misa Entre Semana (Inglés)*  
Mon-Fri / Lun-Vie ..... 12:00PM

**Sunday MASS & Saturday Vigil**

*Misas de Domingo y Misa de Vigilia*  
Saturday ..... 5:00PM  
Sunday ..... 7:45AM  
Sunday ..... 10:00AM  
Sunday - Español ..... 11:45AM  
Sunday ..... 5:00PM

**Reconciliation**

*Reconciliación*  
Mon - Fri / Lun - Vie ..... 11:30-11:55AM  
Sat (Bilingual) / Sáb (Bilingüe) ..... 3:00-4:00PM

**Adoration Hours**

*Horario de Adoración*  
Mon - Thu / Lun - Jue ..... 9:00-11:30AM  
..... & 12:45-3:00PM  
Fri / Vie ..... 9:00-11:30AM



*"For all those who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted."*



LUKE 18:14, NIV

 **Office Hours**  
*Horario de Oficina*

Mon-Thu / Lun-Jue ..... 9:00AM-3:00PM

Friday / Viernes ..... 9:00AM-12:00PM

**Membership:** We extend our hands and hearts in Christian Fellowship. Longtime residents or newly arrived, contact the parish office to register.

**Catholic Marriage:** Marriage preparation required. Contact the parish at least 9 months in advance. Two additional months' notice for wedding in another country. If you plan on getting married, always contact the church before booking a reception site or setting a date.

*Membresía: Extendemos nuestras manos y corazones en Cofradía Cristiana. Los residentes o recién llegados, póngase en contacto con la oficina de la parroquia para registrarse.*

*Matrimonio Católico: Preparación Matrimonial requerido. Comuníquese con la parroquia por lo menos con 9 meses de anticipación. Dos meses de antelación adicionales para la boda en otro país. Si planea casarse, póngase siempre en contacto con la iglesia antes de reservar un lugar de recepción o fijar una fecha.*

**Infant Baptism:** Offered once a month in English and Spanish. Baptism preparation required. Parents must be registered members of St. Stephen. No baptisms in December.

**RCIA:** Sessions open to those interested in learning about or renewing their connection to the Catholic Faith.

*Bautismo Infantil: Se ofrece una vez al mes en inglés y español. Se requiere preparación para Bautismo. Los padres deben ser miembros registrados de San Esteban. No habrá bautismos en diciembre.*

*RCIA: Sesiones abiertas a aquellos interesados en aprendizaje o renovación de su conexión con la Fe Católica.*

**RCIA:** Come join us Wed., Oct. 26th at 7:00pm in St. Jerome Room. Topic will be "The Saints" led by Tommy and Karen Coppick. All are welcome!

## HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL

**Halloween Carnival:** On Wed. Oct. 26th, from 5pm-7pm, we will be hosting our annual Halloween Carnival in the Parish Life Center. Come join us for games, crafts, contests, raffles and treats.

**Saint Procession:** There will be a saint procession prior to the 10am Mass on Sun. Oct. 30th. All children 6th grade and under are invited to dress up as their favorite saints. A prop of some kind will be useful, for example a stuffed animal



for St. Frances of Assisi to hold or a fishing pole for St. Andrew. Please let me know if you plan to participate. Suzanne Sutton, Catholic Kids/Impact.

**Legion of Mary:** You are invited! What is the Legion of Mary? It is a world-wide organization of the lay apostolate, in which Catholic men and women sanctify themselves through prayer and spiritual work in union with Mary. There are 3 purposes: 1) To make its members better Catholics and to mobilize the Catholic Laity; 2) To raise the spiritual level of the entire community through direct contact with and interest in, every member and potential member of the Mystical Body of Christ; 3) To accomplish this through Mary, Mother of Souls and Mediatrix of All Grace. Meets every Wed. after Noon Mass in the St. Anne's Room.

**Columbarium All Souls Special Blessing:** The Columbarium Committee will be hosting the annual All Saints/All Souls Blessing on Sunday, October 30th, beginning at 12:45pm. All families with loved ones interred in the St. Stephen Columbarium are invited to attend.

**Columbario Bendición Especial Todas las Almas (Difuntos):** El Comité de Columbario presentará una bendición anual de Todos los Santos/Todas las Almas el domingo, 30 de

octubre, comenzando a las 12:45pm. Todas las familias con queridos enterrados en el Columbario de San Esteban invitados a asistir.

**Flowers for Our Lady of Guadalupe:** If you would like to sponsor flowers one weekend, please reach out to [marketing@ststephenbentonville.com](mailto:marketing@ststephenbentonville.com)

**Flores para Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe:** Si desea patrocinar flores un fin de semana, comuníquese con [marketing@ststephenbentonville.com](mailto:marketing@ststephenbentonville.com)

**Bingo Night is Back!** Join us after 5:00pm Mass on Sat., Nov. 12th Doors open at 6:00pm and Bingo Play starts at 6:30pm. We will have cash prizes, concessions, 50/50 raffle, and a silent auction. All proceeds will go to the Growth Fund. Veterans and First Responders get one Game 15 sheet for free. For more information, email: [marketing@ststephenbentonville.com](mailto:marketing@ststephenbentonville.com)



**¡Vuelve la noche de bingo!** Únase a nosotros después de la Misa de las 5 p.m. el sábado 12 de noviembre. Las puertas abren a las 6:00 p.m. y el juego de bingo comienza a las 6:30p.m. Tendremos premios en efectivo, concesiones, rifas 50/50 y una subasta silenciosa. Todos los ingresos irán al Fondo de Crecimiento. Los veteranos y los socorristas obtienen una hoja del Juego 15 gratis. Para obtener más información, envíe un correo electrónico a: [marketing@ststephenbentonville.com](mailto:marketing@ststephenbentonville.com)

**The Diocese of Little Rock:** The story of our diocese is featured in an episode of "The Chair: The Diocese of Little Rock." "The Chair" is a new 85-episode series celebrating the best of Catholicism in the United States, from the physical beauty of our cathedral to the holy beauty of the bishops. In the Little Rock episode of "The Chair," you'll hear from Bishop Anthony B. Taylor about his role as bishop and learn more about our diocese and the Cathedral of St. Andrew. This intimate portrait of our diocese is an opportunity to see our history and the journey of Bishop

Taylor from his youth to our shepherd of today. Watch "The Chair" for free at: [thechair.com/LittleRock](http://thechair.com/LittleRock).

**La Diócesis de Little Rock:** La historia de nuestra diócesis se presenta en un episodio de "The Chair: The Diocese of Little Rock." "The Chair" es una nueva serie de 85 episodios que celebra lo mejor del catolicismo en los Estados Unidos, desde la belleza física de nuestra catedral hasta la belleza sagrada de los obispos. En el episodio de Little Rock de "The Chair", escuchará al obispo Anthony B. Taylor sobre su papel como obispo y aprenderá más sobre nuestra diócesis y la Catedral de St. Andrew. Este retrato íntimo de nuestra diócesis es una oportunidad para ver nuestra historia y el viaje del obispo Taylor desde su juventud hasta nuestro pastor de hoy. Mire "La Silla" gratis en: [thechair.com/LittleRock](http://thechair.com/LittleRock).

**Society of St. Vincent de Paul: (SSBC)** As you place your gift in the Society of St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box, please say a special prayer for the poor who have no one to pray for them. Pantry requests: canned pasta (like Chefboyardee), canned tuna, canned chicken & small laundry detergent.



**Want to help people feel welcomed at church events?**

Join the Hospitality Event Team. The HET is all about helping parishioners and guests feel welcomed at events at our church.

This would include holding doors open and welcoming people, helping serve drinks and food in the kitchen and chatting with them at events like talks, and festivals. You only help when you can. To sign up for the ministry go to <https://bit.ly/3VDhDqg> or scan the QR code.

**One Church:** The diocesan initiative One Church invests each year in a small mission church in our diocese that needs a leg up to become a thriving community. The 2022-2023 partner is Immaculate Heart of Mary Church in Magnolia. All funds donated to One Church for the next 12 months will help the church expand its parish center to include offices, larger kitchen, classrooms and conference room. Please pray for this project and give today. To give or for more information, visit [dolr.org/one-church](http://dolr.org/one-church).

*Una Iglesia: La iniciativa diocesana Una Iglesia invierte cada año en una pequeña misión parroquial en nuestra diócesis que necesite un empujoncito para convertirse en una comunidad próspera. La iglesia colaboradora de 2022-2023 es la Iglesia del Inmaculado Corazón de María en Magnolia. Todos los fondos donados a Una Iglesia en el transcurso de los próximos 12 meses ayudarán a la parroquia a expandir su centro parroquial para incluir oficinas, una cocina más grande, salones y salón de conferencias. Por favor oren por este proyecto y contribuyan hoy. Para donar: [dolr.org/one-church-spanish](http://dolr.org/one-church-spanish).*

**Holy Hour:** As part of the National Eucharistic Revival, we will have an Adoration and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament to help us deepen our friendship with Christ, who is present in the Eucharist. **Tuesday, October 25th at 6:30p.m. (English)**



*Hora Santa: Como parte del Avivamiento Eucarístico Nacional, tendremos Adoración y Bendición del Santísimo Sacramento para ayudarnos a profundizar nuestra amistad con Cristo, quien está presente en la Eucaristía. Jueves, 27 de octubre a las 7:00p.m. (Español)*

**Angels and Demons:** Rev. Msgr. Scott Marczuk will be at St Thomas Aquinas University Parish, 603 N Leverett Ave, Fayetteville, AR on October 26, 2022, from 6:00pm to 7:30pm to give his talk on "Angels and Demons." All are welcome.

Any questions please contact Adam Koehler, Campus Minister, at [akoehler@uark.edu](mailto:akoehler@uark.edu).

**10 Ways to honor Our Lady of the Rosary in October ... and all year round:**

**1) Design and Plant a Rosary Garden:**

A rosary garden could have a statue of Mary as a focal point. Some statues even depict Mary holding a rosary. Ten stepping stones placed in a pattern could serve as markers for a decade of the Rosary. Depending on the size of the garden you could have four areas: the joyful, sorrowful, glorious and luminous. You can get creative with the flowers you choose for each.

**2) Set your dining table, mantel or other prominent area in your home with an Our Lady of the Rosary Altar:**

Get a blue table cloth or runner to evoke Mary, or white to evoke her purity and adorn with a statue or picture of Our Lady and a bouquet of flowers you freshen all month and/or a candle (and there are many safe battery-operated candles these days!) to light at night.

**3) Cook for the Queen:** Make a special Marian-themed dinner. Here are some easy ideas: Since rosemary is the herb associated with Mary, you might try a dinner of rosemary chicken, and for dessert make a rosary or decade out of candies, small cookies or miniature cupcakes decorated with confectionery roses or edible flower petals on the top, or blue or white icing.

**4) Add Rosary-inspired prayers at special moments:** Add a Hail Mary after grace before meals. Or add a less well-known Rosary-associated prayer before you eat, such as the Hail Holy Queen, the Fatima Prayer or the Apostle's Creed. Note that this could be a special month to read more about and consider doing a consecration to Mary.

**5) Surround yourself with art and music that honors Mary:** Whether it's Marian Gregorian chant, Bach's Magnificat, or Pavarotti's Ave Maria, fill your home with the beautiful sounds of homage to our heavenly mother. Also, why not contemplate a Marian masterpiece? Religious art isn't just for church. Search for classic works of art featuring Our Lady and find a favorite; then get a print for your home. Da Vinci, Raphael, Botticelli, the possibilities for beautiful images are plentiful.

**6) Read a Marian classic:** Here are

some suggestions: The Secret of the Rosary or True Devotion to Mary by St. Louis de Montford; The Little Office of the Blessed Virgin Mary; The Imitation of Mary by Thomas a Kempis; The World's First Love: Mary, Mother of God by Fulton Sheen.

**7) Devote Saturdays to Mary's Honor:** Saturday is the day our Church sets aside for Our Blessed Mother. Make a visit to a church that has a Marian chapel or statue and ask for Mary's intercession.

**8) Practice special acts of charity:** Do a special act of charity for someone in need. Offer it up to Jesus through Mary's Immaculate heart.

**9) Pray the Rosary every day for the month of October or pray a family Rosary:** If you don't already, why not start saying the Rosary every day. Or try saying a family Rosary or even just a decade together. Let each person share an intention they'd like the whole family to pray for.

**10) Find ways to share the Rosary with others:** Perhaps you can give rosary beads to a friend going through a challenging time, or bring a few to the local hospital or nursing home for any patients who might benefit from them. Maybe you could even start your own group or ask a family member or friend to join you once a month, on First Fridays or First Saturdays, for example, as a time to pray for each other and share time with Mary. If you are able to commit to praying the complete Rosary weekly, join the Rosary Confraternity and join your prayers to the prayers of all members, creating a beautiful bond of support and mutual prayer linking you to other members worldwide. Source: [aleteia.org](http://aleteia.org)



Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known, that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession, was left unaided. Inspired by this confidence, we fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, our Mother! To thee do we come, before we pray, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not our petitions, but in thy mercy, hear and answer them. Amen.



## Church Operations for October

Operating Expenses ..... \$ 60,884

The Book of Sirach states that the Lord hears the piercing cry of the lowly, weak, oppressed, the orphan and widow. Also, having heard their cry, may we serve God in the poor willingly and humbly, that He may be exalted.

Revenue	Month-to-Date	Monthly Goal
Stewardship & Other	\$ 71,217	\$ 135,000
Growth Fund	\$ 8,265	\$ 15,000

## Scripture Readings for 10/30/2022

Wis II: 22-12: 2  
 Ps 145 (144): 1-2, 8-9, 10-11, 13, 14  
 2 Thes I: II-2: 2  
 Lk 19: 1-10

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## Mass Intentions for the Week

### Saturday, October 22

5:00PM All Lonely Souls

### Sunday, October 23

7:45AM John Kogoy †  
 10:00AM Dc. Clarence † & Betty Leis †  
 11:45AM Parishioners/Feligreses  
 5:00PM Andrew Lac Tran †

### Monday, October 24

12:00PM Ron D. Smith †

### Tuesday, October 25

12:00PM Sarah Hughey †

### Wednesday, October 26

12:00PM Dave Hutchison †

### Thursday, October 27

12:00PM Marcelino Carandang Jr. †

### Friday, October 28

12:00PM Fr. Rick Hobbs

### Saturday, October 29

5:00PM David Olson Family

### Sunday, October 30

7:45AM Parishioners/Feligreses  
 10:00AM Max Olson Family  
 11:45AM Sylvestre Hernández † & Mónica López †  
 5:00PM Elaine Richard †

October 29-30	Lector	Eucharistic Minister HEM & Vessels	Eucharistic Minister Host & Cup	Usher	Lock Up	Sacristan & Vessels
Saturday, <b>October 29</b> 5:00 PM	Nicholas Tyburski	Jon Terlouw	Jill Saulsbery Lori Terlouw <i>Cup:</i> Kim Gollhofer James Sutton	Steve Saulsbery NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Steve Saulsbery	Jon Terlouw
Sunday, <b>October 30</b> 7:45 AM	Pat Moberley	Christina Baker	Tony Baker April Appleby <i>Cup:</i> Robbie Estes Kira O'Shaughnessy	Peggy Estes Jake Estes Karen Howard Gerard Davenport		Ana Krus
Sunday, <b>October 30</b> 10:00 AM	María Méndez	Theresa Brauburger	Gina Koch Greg Brandenburg <i>Cup:</i> Kathryn Gough Pam Willis	Tim Koch Charlotte Champagne Steve Harrington Daniel Cruz		Kathryn Gough
Sunday, <b>October 30</b> 11:45 AM	Dulce Ortiz	Iván Sanabria	Julián Serrano Mirna Serrano <i>Cup</i> María Elena Calderón Olga Serrano	José Ortiz J. Concepción Serrano Bertha Váldez Víctor López (F)		Iván Sanabria
Sunday, <b>October 30</b> 5:00 PM	Sylvester Fernandes	Cary Richard	Dc. Ken Hunter Catherine Garner <i>Cup:</i> Lisa Richard Susan Davis	Rob Brothers NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Cary Richard	Cary Richard