



## ***Catholic Community***

**Member of the English-Speaking Mission**

**Youth Mass: 1<sup>st</sup> Friday at TBD in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel**

**Sundays at 10 a.m. in the main Sanctuary**

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**October 31<sup>st</sup>, 2021, Thirtieth-First Sunday in Ordinary Time (G&P pg. 944)**

**Welcome to our 10 am Mass at All Saints. Our Celebrant today is Fr. Wolfgang Felber**

- Music: Seán Alfken, Benilda de la Cruz, Anna Dziechciarz, Johannes Ploog, Ute Alfken
- Lector: Johannes Ploog • Greeter: Jost Ruckeis • Altar Servers: Konrad Giersdorf Bobot Quiming •
- Designated collection: Catholic Schools •

### **First Reading (Dt 6:2-6)**

Moses spoke to the people, saying: "Fear the LORD, your God, and keep, throughout the days of your lives, all his statutes and commandments which I enjoin on you, and thus have long life. Hear then, Israel, and be careful to observe them, that you may grow and prosper the more, in keeping with the promise of the LORD, the God of your fathers, to give you a land flowing with milk and honey.

"Hear, O Israel! The LORD is our God, the LORD alone! Therefore, you shall love the LORD, your God, with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength. Take to heart these words which I enjoin on you today."

### **Second Reading (Heb 7:23-28)**

Brothers and sisters: The Levitical priests were many because they were prevented by death from remaining in office, but Jesus, because he remains forever, has a priesthood that does not pass away. Therefore, he is always able to save those who approach God through him, since he lives forever to make intercession for them.

It was fitting that we should have such a high priest: holy, innocent, undefiled, separated from sinners, higher than the heavens. He has no need, as did the high priests, to offer sacrifice day after day, first for his own sins and then for those of the people; he did that once for all when he offered himself. For the law appoints men subject to weakness to be high priests, but the word of the oath, which was taken after the law, appoints a son, who has been made perfect forever.

### **Gospel (Mk 12:28b-34)**

One of the scribes came to Jesus and asked him, "Which is the first of all the commandments?" Jesus replied, "The first is this: Hear, O Israel! The Lord our God is Lord alone! You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength. The second is this: You shall love your neighbor as yourself. There is no other commandment greater than these." The scribe said to him, "Well said, teacher. You are right in saying, 'He is One and there is no other than he.' And 'to love him with all your heart, with all your understanding, with all your strength, and to love your neighbor as yourself' is worth more than all burnt offerings and sacrifices." And when Jesus saw that he answered with understanding, he said to him, "You are not far from the kingdom of God." And no one dared to ask him any more questions."

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

The All-Saints Council will meet after Mass today in the community hall or garden outside depending on weather. All are welcome.

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## Celebration of the Holy Mass and Eucharistic Adoration every Friday



Join us for the Celebration of the Holy Mass every Friday at noon during the months of July and August.

Please note: This will be the only weekday Mass in English during these months. There will also be a Eucharistic Adoration at 11 a.m. every Friday.

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**LECTIO DIVINA**  
Reading the Scripture  
Reflecting on the Meaning  
Responding through Prayer  
Resting in God  
Responding in Action

*Lectio Meditatio Oratio Contemplatio Operatio*

**Lectio Divina [lek'-see-oh deh-vee'-na] Monday Evening Online Sessions Time: 7:30 - 8:30pm Platform: Zoom.** Join us as we take a deeper dive into the Sunday Mass readings through the ancient form of prayer called "Lectio Divina" (Latin for "holy (or divine) reading"). To register, please e-mail [esmfaith@gmail.com](mailto:esmfaith@gmail.com) Registrations will remain open; you are welcome to join at any time.

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In anticipation that All Saints will offer First Holy Communion classes in 2022 we are seeking volunteers to teach our children.

If you are interested, please stop by the office or send us an email at: [allsaintsberlin@t-online.de](mailto:allsaintsberlin@t-online.de)

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