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## Catholic Community

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Sundays at 10 a.m. in the main Sanctuary

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### Bulletin 11<sup>th</sup> September – 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2022 (Ordinary Time)

<p><b>11<sup>th</sup> September 2022</b> 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</p>	<p><b>Mass @ 10 am</b> <b>Presiding the Eucharist:</b> t.b.a. <b>Lector:</b> Jennifer Evans. • <b>Greeter:</b> Jost Ruckeis • <b>Music:</b> Sean Alfken <b>Altar Servers:</b> Konrad Giersdorf • <b>Designated collection:</b> social media <b>Readings:</b> Glory &amp; Praise, No. 924</p>
<p><b>18<sup>th</sup> September 2022</b> 25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</p>	<p><b>Mass @ 10 am</b> <b>Presiding the Eucharist:</b> t.b.a. <b>Lector:</b> Nathaniel Christie • <b>Greeter:</b> Jost Ruckeis • <b>Music:</b> Johannes Wrembek <b>Altar Servers:</b> Konrad Giersdorf • <b>Designated collection:</b> Caritas Sunday: help for families <b>Readings:</b> Glory &amp; Praise, No. 927</p>
<p><b>25<sup>th</sup> September 2022</b> 26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</p>	<p><b>Mass @ 10 am</b> <b>Presiding the Eucharist:</b> t.b.a. <b>Lector:</b> Eddie McGreal • <b>Greeter:</b> Jost Ruckeis • <b>Music:</b> Johannes Wrembek <b>Altar Servers:</b> Konrad Giersdorf • <b>Designated collection:</b> All Saints <b>Readings:</b> Glory &amp; Praise, No. 930</p>
<p><b>2<sup>nd</sup> October 2022</b> 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</p>	<p><b>Mass @ 10 am</b> <b>Presiding the Eucharist:</b> t.b.a. <b>Lector:</b> Rachel Ruckeis • <b>Greeter:</b> Jost Ruckeis • <b>Music:</b> Johannes Wrembek <b>Altar Servers:</b> Konrad Giersdorf • <b>Designated collection:</b> catholic schools <b>Readings:</b> Glory &amp; Praise, No. 933</p>

**A Prayer for Peace**

How do we pray for peace from half a world away?  
How can words salve and soothe real wounds,  
Assuage real fears, Wipe tears from real eyes?  
God of endless compassion, transform our prayers  
From words into bridges, that span the distances  
Between us, uniting our hearts in yours.  
Every time we turn our keys in a lock,  
May we remember all who are losing their homes.  
Every time we step into our cars,  
May we remember all who are having to flee.  
Every time we embrace our children,  
May we remember all who are trying to shield theirs from war.  
May our besieged sisters and brothers  
Be drawn into the arms of the suffering Christ,  
And may our cry be heard as one voice,  
Ringling out from every corner of the earth:  
God of endless mercy, grant us peace.  
Amen.

— Cameron Bellm

JESUITS spirit & verse

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS



### Tuesday Evening Lectio Divina Group - Diving into the Sunday Readings

Tuesdays @ 7.30 pm; During this pandemic, our prayer life — among other things — may have been disrupted. We've had to find different ways of praying without in-person community to support our faith life. The traditional monastic practice of Lectio Divina is a good way to help us deal with stress and provide a way to enter into sacred Scripture as a living Word for our time. Contact: [esmfaith@gmail.com](mailto:esmfaith@gmail.com)



### Women at the Well (Zoom Meeting)

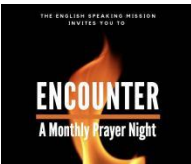
Mondays @ 10 am; Women of all ages are welcome to join our "Women at the Well" group. We meet weekly on Monday mornings between 10 -11 am on Zoom, to pray the Psalms through Lectio Divina. God made us for community, to share His love, so this is also a time for laughter, friendship, support, encouragement and spiritual growth. If you are interested, please contact [esmfaith@gmail.com](mailto:esmfaith@gmail.com)



### Friday Adoration and Spiritual Direction at All Saints

Friday @ 11 am 16 September 2022

Join us for **Eucharistic Adoration between 11 am and 1 pm on Fridays** in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel at All Saints. Spiritual direction is offered.



### ENCOUNTER - Monthly Prayer Night with Praise & Worship

2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of month: 7 October 2022 – 7 pm

The ESM invites you to ENCOUNTER the Lord in a monthly prayer evening in St. Bernard's Church on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of the month, beginning June 10th, 7 – 8.30 pm, followed by refreshments!



Registration for Confirmation classes (beginning in October 2022) leading to Confirmation in 2024 is open! Classes are due to start in October and the class is filling up, so please quickly contact ESM secretary Brenda at the office ([alsda46@aol.com](mailto:alsda46@aol.com)) to receive the registration form.

**An information meeting for parents and candidates will be held on September 18th, 12:15 h (directly after 11 am Mass) in the parish center at St. Bernard's.**



### Did you know that All Saints is run entirely by volunteers?

We pride ourselves that we are a self-supporting parish, but new helping hands are always appreciated! Please consider joining one of the volunteer groups that make the community work, e.g.:

- Are you 16 years or older and think being a Lector is your cup of tea? Then contact Johannes Ploog.
- Altar Servers are always welcome – just turn to Konrad Giersdorf!
- The choir is always looking for more members too – just say hello to Johannes Wrembek!
- Enjoying this bulletin? Help our community to write short pieces of information and review with others the draft. Want to help? Don't hesitate to contact Seán Alfken.

Designated collections are for special purposes in the Archdiocese of Berlin and are transferred in full. **However, in agreement with the Archdiocese, All Saints receives no financial support, so we are completely dependent upon your donations.** Please continue to donate to All Saints by using the **WHITE ENVELOPES** stamped "**ALL SAINTS FUND**" and/or transferring your donation to the Pax-Bank account written below. **THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!** • \*Friends of All Saints e.V.\*, IBAN: DE15 3706 0193 6001 6690 18, BIC: GENODED1PAX