

Light of Christ
Ecumenical Catholic Community
All are Welcome

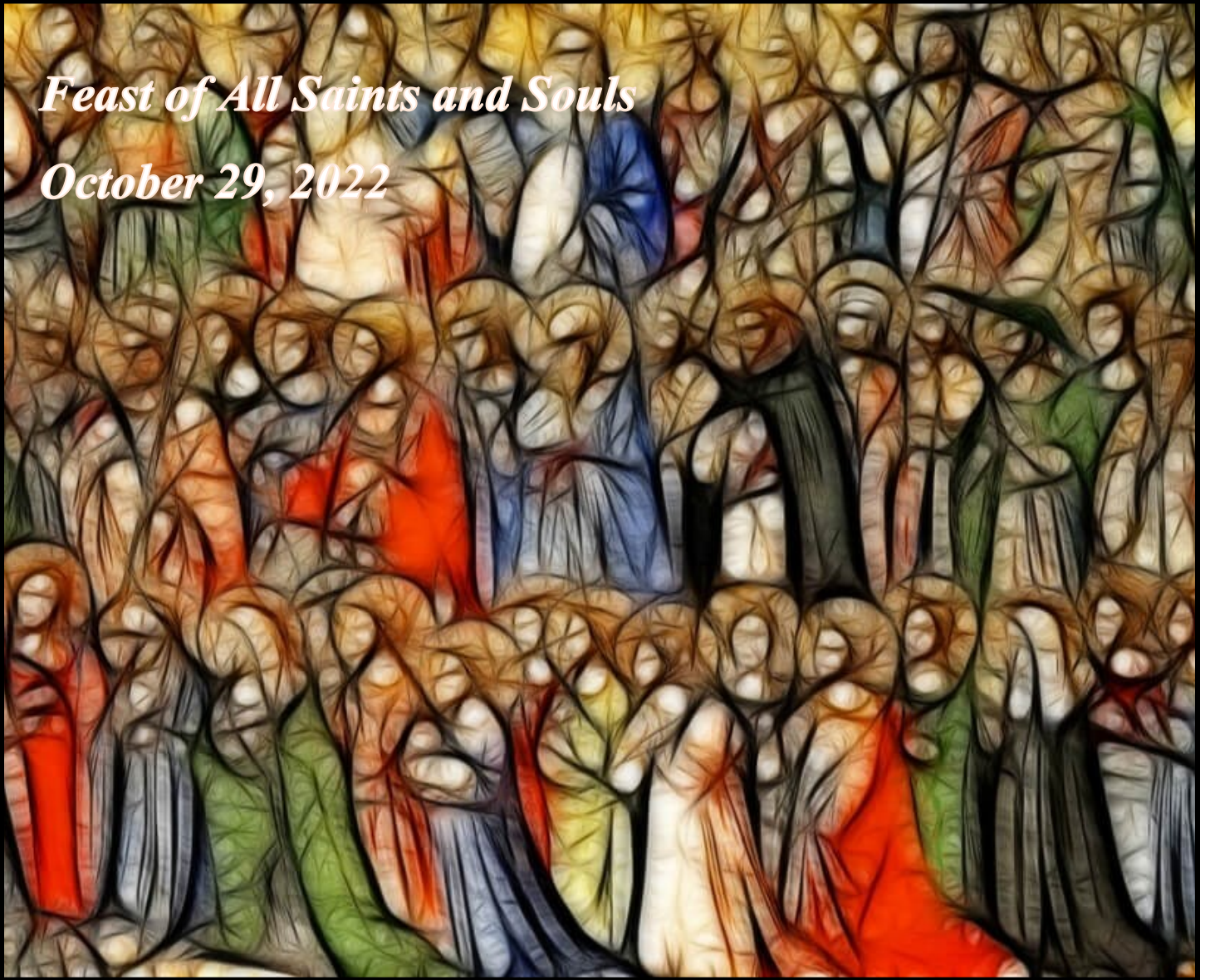


***Our Mission:** Light of Christ Ecumenical Catholic Community is a vibrant, inclusive and welcoming community for all who, following the teachings and example of Jesus Christ, seek compassion, justice and peace in the world. We seek to live our faith through liturgy and prayer, community building and collaboration, study and service.*

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Feast of All Saints and Souls

October 29, 2022



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Tues. - Thurs.
9am-3pm

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Happenings and announcements

Events this Week

Tuesday (Nov 1)

10 am - Scripture reading (FB Live)

Wednesday (Nov 2)

9 am - Mass (Hybrid/Zoom)

Thursday (Nov 3)

10 am - Scripture reading (FB Live)

1 pm - Women of the Spirit

7 pm - Men's meeting (Hybrid/Zoom)

Saturday (Nov 5)

5 pm - Mass (hybrid Sanctuary/ Facebook Live)

- **Women of the Spirit meeting:** The Women of the Spirit group will be meeting on **Thursday, November 3 at 1:00 pm** in the Fireside Room. We are always open to new members and new ideas so consider attending our meeting and be uplifted and blessed with the sisterhood we share. For more information, contact Judy Nielsen at 303-772-9466 or Barb Olander at 303-651-3229.

- **Confirmation reception:** There will be a simple reception following the Confirmation Mass on **Saturday, November 12th** and we are looking for volunteers to assist with this. Please contact the Church Office if you would like to assist in welcoming our confirmands.

- **Prayer Shawl Ministry and Winter Coat Drive:** Members of the Prayer Shawl Ministry are busy knitting and crocheting hats and scarves for the 31st Annual Longmont Rotary Winter Warmth Coat Drive which is going on

now through November 26. Your donations of new or gently used coats, blankets, hats, scarves, gloves and mittens can be placed in the bin near the main doors in the Narthex.

Additionally, you can bring them with you and join us at the next Prayer Shawl Meeting on **Tuesday, November 15 at 10:00 – 11:30 am** in the **Fireside Room**. Please contact the church office for more information.

- **COVID 19 guidelines:** At this time, Boulder County is **Green**. This means social distancing and masks are optional. Your patience and understanding is appreciated.
- **Parking:** With all of the recent activity and construction on 15th street, we would recommend that when you visit the church, please do not park on the street but in the parking lot.

Earth Corner: Listen to the Voice of Creation

What do you do when the chips are down?

This phrase, which originated in the world of gambling, is also the name of a song from the Broadway production of HadesTown. In the context of a poker game it asks the question, What move will you make when all your money (chips) is on the table and this is your final moment of decision making. When everything depends on what you do at this moment, how will you act?

Every month when a group of LOC regulars meet to ring the church bell for climate justice, it seems like we are asking that question. What do committed Christians do when environmental efforts are not moving fast enough to stop another ecological disaster? The chips are down and many people have simply thrown in their hand sensing defeat.

People who have weathered decades of social activism tell us that when the chips are down, there are a few things you can do to keep your hope and spirits alive. Surround yourself with other people who share your goals and aspirations for a better planet;

- Join a local group working for climate justice;
- Attend a community panel, discussion, public forum, or rally that is focused on some local climate issue;
- Talk to young people about their climate action successes locally;
- Talk to people who are creating positive environmental change in your community;
- Make a list of all the things you're doing to reduce your carbon footprint; then commit to adding one other thing to your personal action plan; and
- Refuse to give in to despair.

“The good you do today may be forgotten tomorrow. Do good anyway. Give the world the best you have; it may not be enough. Give your best anyway.”

- Mother Teresa

Earth Corner Things to Consider

- ⇒ Vote! Elect people who work for stronger climate policies.
- ⇒ Encourage eligible voters to complete and return their ballots.
- ⇒ Confront misinformation about the safety of our voting system.
- ⇒ Turn off the TV to campaign ads.

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Rita Duncan; Carol Conti;
Sharon Farnsworth;
Wes Evans;



We update our prayer corner monthly. If you or your loved one would like to be included on the corner, please contact the office and we'd be happy to add you.

DAILY READINGS

Please join us on Facebook Live at 10AM on Tuesdays/Thursdays for scripture readings [Link here.](#)

Alternately, [this link](#) will take you to the US Conference of Roman Catholic Bishops website where you can view each day's reading.

STEWARDSHIP

	August	September	Year To Date
Donations	\$11,623.43	\$9,633.45	\$91,325.89
Grocery Cards	\$319.71	\$0.00	\$1,224.63
Advertising Revenue	\$0.00	\$0.00	100.00
Interest	\$3.29	\$4.85	\$930.97
Misc. Income (Includes designated)	\$1,060.00	\$1,729.41	\$4,879.33
Total Income	\$13,006.43	\$11,367.71	\$98,460.82
Expenses	\$14,772.71	\$12,063.34	\$107,952.20
Balance	\$ (1,766.28)	\$(695.63)	\$(9,491.38)

A printed copy of the Light of Christ Bylaws, policies and procedures is available in the Church Office for members to review.

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Scott is John and Dibble's son-in-law.

Members of Light of Christ or their family members are invited to **purchase ad space here** on the weekly bulletins! Not only does it help out these businesses, but it also helps LOC by bringing in additional funds. For more information, please call the Church Office.

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ASSISTANCE

Prayer Partners: These prayer ministries welcome and invite you, in confidence, to share your concerns in more detail or depth, or even to pray for you when you can't find the words. You can email our Prayer Companion Team at prayercompanionteam@lightofchristecc.org and someone will reach out to you.

Home Eucharist Team: If you need Eucharist brought to your home, for any reason, please contact Father Teri and she will coordinate one of our Home Eucharistic Ministers to visit you and bring you Communion.

Rite of Reconciliation: The Rite of Reconciliation is available after Mass or by Appointment. Please contact Father Teri or the Church office for more information.

If you need assistance during this time, there are several resources available in Longmont:

HOPE Longmont, located at:

804 Lincoln St.
Longmont, CO 80501

THE OUR CENTER, located at:

220 Collyer St.
Longmont, CO 80501

THE ROUND PANTRY, located at:

Westview Presbyterian Church
1500 Hover St.
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