

St. Philomena Chapel

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DEDICATION OF THE ARCHBASILICA OF OUR SAVIOR

- Monday, November 10 | **St. Andrew Avellino (d), St. Tryphon & Companions**

7:30am – St. Philomena

7:30am – St. Peter Claver

Special Intention – D. Solis

- Tuesday, November 11 | **St. Martin of Tours (d), St. Mennas**

7:30am – St. Philomena

Special Intention – D. Solis

- Wednesday, November 12 | **St. Martin I (sd)**

7:30am – St. Philomena

Special Intention – D. Solis

- Thursday, November 13 | **St. Didacus (sd)**

7:30am – St. Philomena

9:00am – St. Philomena (Requiem for Dora Vincent)

RIP Dora Vincent

- Friday, November 14 | **St. Josaphat (d)**

7:30am – St. Philomena

Special Intention – D. Solis

- Saturday, November 15 | **St. Albert the Great (d)**

7:30am – St. Philomena

Faithful Departed

- Sunday, November 16 | **23rd Sunday after Pentecost (sd), St. Gertrude**

9:00am – St. Philomena & St. Peter Claver

Pro Populo

Announcements

Collection

St. Philomena – 11/02 - \$320

St. Peter Claver – 11/02 - \$275

A Requiem will be celebrated for Dora Vincent on this Thursday, November 13 at 9am. Holy Communion will be only given at the 7:30am Mass on Thursday.

2026 Calendars are available. The cost is \$13.00 per calendar.

Reflection for the Feast of the Dedication of the Archbasilica of Our Savior

Today we keep the Feast of the Dedication of the Archbasilica of Our Savior, the cathedral of Rome and the mother and head of all the churches of the world. It stands as a visible sign of unity—the Church gathered around the one faith, the one altar, and the one Lord.

But the feast is not simply about the dedication of a building. The Lateran Basilica points to something deeper: the consecration of each soul as a living temple of God. When Our Lord drove the money changers from the Temple, He reminded us that His Father's house must be a place of prayer. That command reaches into our own hearts.

Each time we confess our sins, each time we receive the Holy Eucharist with devotion, the Divine Guest once again cleanses His dwelling. The walls of the Lateran may be of marble, but the walls of our souls are built of grace and charity.

Let us therefore keep the temple of our hearts pure and silent within, that Christ may reign there as truly as He does upon the altar.