



# - Saint Thomas More -

## International Catholic Chaplaincy Bonn

Wednesday 2nd November 2022  
The Commemoration of All the Faithful  
Departed (All Souls)  
Mass 7:00 p.m.

- HEILIG KREUZ CHURCH-  
Cheruskerstr. 11, 53175 Bonn  
- PARISH OFFICE -  
Lucas-Cranach-Str. 24, 53175 Bonn  
Tel. (0228) 373526  
E-mail: [office@stmbonn.de](mailto:office@stmbonn.de)  
Website: [www.stmbonn.de](http://www.stmbonn.de)  
Chaplains: Father Gregory White  
Father Stephen Oranuba  
Parish Secretary: Martina Löscher

**Today's Mass Intention:** For the Parishioners.

Today's readings	Are in your bulletin	
Order of the Mass	GATHER: No. 134 onwards	
Entrance Hymn		
Penitential Rites:	I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do, through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault; therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.	
KYRIE	sung	

**1st Reading:** A reading from the Book of Wisdom 3:1-9

The souls of the just are in the hand of God, and no torment shall touch them. They seemed, in the view of the foolish, to be dead; and their passing away was thought an affliction and their going forth from us, utter destruction. But they are in peace. For if before men, indeed, they be punished, yet is their hope full of immortality; chastised a little, they shall be greatly blessed, because God tried them and found them worthy of himself. As gold in the furnace, he proved them, and as sacrificial offerings he took them to himself. In the time of their visitation they shall shine, and shall dart about as sparks through stubble; they shall judge nations and rule over peoples, and the LORD shall be their King forever. Those who trust in him shall understand truth, and the faithful shall abide with him in love: because grace and mercy are with his holy ones, and his care is with his elect.

The word of the Lord

**Responsorial Psalm 25:6**

To You, O Lord, I lift my soul, to you I lift my soul

-----

**Second Reading:** Romans 5:5-11

**A reading from the Letter of Saint Paul to the Romans**

Brothers and sisters:

Hope does not disappoint, because the love of God has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us. For Christ, while we were still helpless, died at the appointed time for the ungodly. Indeed, only with difficulty does one die for a just person, though perhaps for a good person one might even find courage to die. But God proves his love for us in that while we were still sinners Christ died for us. How much more then, since we are now justified by his Blood, will we be saved through him from the wrath. Indeed, if, while we were enemies, we were reconciled to God through the death of his Son, how much more, once reconciled, will we be saved by his life. Not only that, but we also boast of God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

The word of the Lord

**Gospel acclamation: Alleluia**

Come, you who are blessed by my Father;  
inherit the Kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world

**Gospel acclamation: Alleluia**

**Gospel John 6:37-40**

**A reading from the holy Gospel according to John**

Jesus said to the crowds: "Everything that the Father gives me will come to me, and I will not reject anyone who comes to me, because I came down from heaven not to do my own will but the will of the one who send me. And this is the will of the one who sent me, that I should not lose anything of what he gave me, but that I should raise it on the last day. For this is the will of my Father, that everyone who sees the Son and believes in him may have eternal life, and I shall raise him up on the last day."

The Gospel of the Lord.

*Litany of  
the Saints*



Lord, have mercy	Lord, have mercy
Christ, have mercy	Christ, have mercy
Lord, have mercy	Lord, have mercy
Holy Mary, Mother of God	Pray for us
Saint Michael	Pray for us
Holy Angels of God	Pray for us
Saint John the Baptist	Pray for us
Saint Joseph	Pray for us

Saint Peter and Paul	Pray for us
Saint Andrew	Pray for us
Saint John	Pray for us
Saint Mary Magdalene	Pray for us
Saint Stephen	Pray for us
Saint Ignatius	Pray for us
Saint Lawrence	Pray for us
Saint Perpetua and Saint Felicity	Pray for us
Saint Agnes	Pray for us
Saint Gregory	Pray for us
Saint Augustine	Pray for us
Saint Athanasius	Pray for us
Saint Basil	Pray for us
Saint Martin	Pray for us
Saint Benedict	Pray for us
Saint Francis and Saint Dominic	Pray for us
Saint Francis Xavier	Pray for us
Saint John Vianney	Pray for us
Saint Catherine	Pray for us
Saint Theresa	Pray for us
All holy men and women	Pray for us
Lord, be merciful	Lord, Save your people
From all evil	Lord, Save your people
From every sin	Lord Save your people
From everlasting death	Lord Save your people
By your coming as man	Lord Save your people
By your death and rising to new life	Lord Save your people
By your gift of the Holy Spirit	Lord Save your people
Be merciful to us sinners	Lord, Save your people
Jesus Son of the living God	Lord, hear our prayer
Christ, hear us	Christ, hear us

**Today's Prayer response: "Lord, graciously hear us."**

**The Mystery of Faith: (recited)**

**"We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again."**

### **ALL FAMILIES WELCOME**

Our community is blessed to have many young families, and we want to make sure that they all know how happy we are to have them with us. We also know that children can act up on occasion, and that is by no means a reason to leave them or anybody else at home. It is good for the children to participate in the liturgy from their first days, so that it is also a familiar environment for them. For the moments when they do lose control, please feel free to use the different areas in the back of the church. The entrances are all closed in by glass doors, forming a good sound barrier and making it possible to still participate in Holy Mass. If it is too cold or drafty there, you are also welcome to use

the rooms behind the confessionals and the sacristy. Thank you for your consideration of the others and we hope you and your family always feel welcome.

### **ARE YOU NEW?**

If you are new to our Saint Thomas More Catholic Chaplaincy, we are glad to have you with us. Please fill in a Newcomer Registration form so that you can receive copies of our occasional email news bulletin and other communications. Newcomer Registration forms can be found on the table at the back of the church at the end of the middle aisle. **Please pass your filled-out forms to the ushers or our parish secretary. If you need any assistance please feel free to contact our secretary after Mass or via email.**

***NOVEMBER IS A SPECIAL MONTH FOR REMEMBERING THE DEAD,  
LET US PRAY FOR OUR DEAD LOVED ONES AND FRIENDS.***



All Souls envelopes are available at the back of church or from the book trolleys. There is space on the envelopes for you to write the names of deceased loved ones. These envelopes will be placed on the altar during all Masses throughout the month of November, so that we may pray especially for all those listed. Please place completed envelopes in the collection basket or you can give them to the ushers or hand

them in at the office after Mass.

### **Religious Education**

Please **fill out a registration form** if you are interested in having your child(ren) participate in the optional **religious education classes** this year. Classes will be conducted according to the protective norms established by the Archdiocese of Cologne. **You can find the enrollment forms on the table in the back of the church.** Please hand your filled out forms to the priest or leave them in the collection basket for us. Classes are **scheduled to start on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> November.** Thank you.

### **A personal invitation**

To spend time with the LORD, truly present in the Blessed Sacrament

When : **3rd November 2022 from 8.30 pm to 9.30 pm**

Where: St. Andreas Church, Andreasstr.1, Bonn Rüngsdorf

**Let us adore a Friend who can do everything for us,  
a Friend who loves us beyond measure.**

**Here in the Blessed Sacrament we can talk to him straight from the  
heart.**

(St Alphonsus de Liguori)



**Confessions are held Sunday after Mass or by appointment**