

COMING EVENTS

Novena November 17th–25th

Pilgrimage Sunday November 24th

Mass at 11:00 AM

Rosary and Novena Prayers before Mass

Mass Times at St. Wenceslaus Home of the
National Shrine of the Infant Jesus

Saturday Night Vigil 5:00 PM

Sunday 11:00 AM

Tuesday through Friday at 9:00 AM

Rosary Prayer Before Mass.

Gift Shop hours are Monday-Friday 9 to 5

Sunday 12:00 pm –2:00 pm

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THE NATIONAL SHRINE OF THE INFANT JESUS OF PRAGUE

November 2019

THE MORE YOU HONOR ME

THE MORE I WILL BLESS YOU



This Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time, the Church provides to all the faithful the Gospel of Luke Chapter 15 from Verse 1 to 32, which includes three stories. The lost sheep ..the lost coin ..and the prodigal son.

The First story starts ..what man among you having a hundred sheep and losing one of them would not leave the ninety-nine in the desert and go after the lost one until he finds it? ..and the story ended ..there will be more joy in Heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous people who have no need of repentance.

The Second story starts ..Or what woman having ten coins and losing one would not light a lamp and sweep the house, searching carefully until she finds it? ..and the story ended ..I tell you, there will be rejoicing among the Angels of God over one sinner who repents.”

The Third story starts ..the younger son said to his father, “Father give me the share of your estate that should come to me.” And the story ended ..we must celebrate and rejoice, because your brother was dead and has come to life again: he was lost and has been found.”

As I pray with God to help me to understand the meaning of these stories So I can apply the meaning into my own life. I find only one word to say to God, “Thank You for your love to me”.

I am the lost sheep in the first story and God is present as a good shepherd, who found me and brought me home.

I am the lost coin in the second story and God is present as the caring of a woman who is searching and finds me.

Finally, I am the younger son in the third story and God is the father who welcomes me back with his love.

Each one of us may have different ways of thinking about the love of God for us, but for me God’s love is portrayed very well in these stories in Luke’s Gospel.

Dear Heavenly Father I know that I am never worthy or deserving of your love but because of your love I will continue to glorify your name in my life and never give up to do your will.

May the Blessing of the Infant Jesus Of Prague be always present in the whole world and in each one of us who follow Him.

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Sincerely,

Father Long Phan Ngoc

Christmas Bell Tree at the Shrine

Each year during the months of November and December, we take names for our Christmas Bell Tree. Please submit names of loved ones living or deceased to have a bell represent them. All names will be remembered here at the Shrine at Mass and during the novena prayers.



Everyone here at the Shrine wishes you and your families a Blessed Season of Advent and Christmas

2019 CHRISTMAS BELL TREE

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- Souls in Purgatory and for All Souls
- For Good Health and All the Sick
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