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All Saints' Day Celebration



All Souls' Day Cemetery Blessing



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MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, November 6

8:00 a.m. Special Intention

4:00-4:45 p.m. Confession

4:35 p.m. Rosary

5:00 p.m. Julie Johnson +

Sunday, November 7

- **Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time-**

7:10 a.m. Rosary

7:30 a.m. Leo Volk +

9:40 a.m. Rosary

10:00 a.m. Parish Family

Monday, November 8

No Public Mass

Tuesday, November 9

Adoration 7:00-8:00 a.m.

8:00 a.m. Family of Larry & Marj Sanders

Wednesday, November 10

6:00-7:00 p.m. Adoration

6:00-6:45 p.m. Confessions

7:00 p.m. Charles Ault +

Thursday, November 11

8:00 a.m. Evelyn Morrissey +

Friday, November 12

8:30 a.m. Gertie Wyss +

Saturday, November 13

8:00 a.m. Special Intention

4:00-4:45 p.m. Confession

4:35 p.m. Rosary

5:00 p.m. Ryder Jackson

Sunday, November 14

- **Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time-**

7:10 a.m. Rosary

7:30 a.m. Ronnie Burns +

9:40 a.m. Rosary

10:00 a.m. Parish Family



MASS READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon., November 8 - Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time - Wis 1:1-7/ Lk 17:1-6

Tues., November 9 - The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica - Ez 47:1-2,8-9,12/ 1 Cor 3:9c-11,16-17/ Jn 2:13-22

Wed., November 10 - St. Leo the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church - Wis 6:1-11/ Lk 17:11-19

Thur., November 11 - St. Martin of Tours, Bishop - Veteran's Day - Wis 7:22b-8:1/ Lk 17:20-25

Fri., November 12 - St. Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr - Wis 13:1-9/ Lk 17:26-37

Sat., November 13 - St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin - Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/ Lk 18:1-8

Sun., November 14 - Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time - Dn 12:1-3/ Heb 10:11-14,18/ Mk 13:24-32

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—NOVEMBER 7, 2021

This week (November 6th/7th), the Church celebrates the **Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time**. Following the excitement of last week with our various celebrations, we will now focus entirely on the end of the liturgical year and our preparations for the coming **Advent season**. The celebration of the **Solemnity of Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**, will conclude this year of grace and enter us anew into our yearly preparations to rejoice in the joy of the Incarnation.

As it is a seemingly short season, we do not want to enter into **Advent** unprepared. Instead, just as we put time and effort into preparing for the holiday of Christmas, so must we prepare for the holy day of Christmas. We are not simply preparing our hearths and homes for family and friends, but our hearts for Jesus Christ. May we use these next three weeks to discern how we will best approach the coming **Advent season** to prepare for the joy of **Christmas Day**.

ALL SAINTS' DAY AND ALL SOULS' DAY RECAP

Thank you to everyone who made our All Saints' Day and All Souls' Day celebrations a success! A special "Thank You!" to Lauren Andrews for preparing our All Saints' Day games, to Michelle Paxton and Dianna Cole for organizing our potluck, and to Dan Geimer for serving as Master of Ceremonies at our cemetery blessing. Congratulations to our All Saints' Day Costume Contest Winner, St. Rose of Lima (Ainsley).

It was great to come together over these days as a community and share the joy that comes from living our faith in Christ! Our bulletin cover captures but a few moments of prayer, fraternity, and joy that was shared this past Monday and Tuesday. Though our direct celebrations have ended, may we remember that the entire month of November is dedicated to prayer for the Poor Souls in Purgatory.

During this month we remember our dearly departed loved ones who have gone before us and dedicate ourselves to prayer and works of penance for them. A plenary indulgence can be gained under the usual conditions (*prayer for the intentions of the Holy Father, sacramental communion and confession, and a total detachment from sin*) by visiting a cemetery to pray for the faithful departed on any and every day throughout the month of November. I encourage and hope that you will take advantage of this opportunity for prayer on behalf of the Holy Souls.

VETERANS DAY AND ST. MARTIN OF TOURS

On Thursday, November 11th, we, as a nation, celebrate Veterans Day and, as a Church, celebrate the Memorial of St. Martin of Tours. Veterans Day, initially known as Armistice Day, originally marked the formal end of the First World War on November 11, 1918. Over time, it came to serve, as we know it today, as a day to honor, thank, and pray for all of our veterans.

Quite providentially, the Memorial of St. Martin of Tours falls on this day as well. Living in the early-4th Century, St. Martin was conscripted into the Roman army. After a dream where he gave a poor beggar, who was Jesus Christ, a portion of his cloak, St. Martin accepted Christianity and was baptized. Once released from his service to the army, he served the Church in many ways: Being sent out as a missionary, founding a monastery, and becoming the Bishop of Tours (*in modern-day France*).

May we thank our veterans this Veterans Day and ask the Lord, through the intercession of St. Martin, to watch over them always. ~Fr. David



Sharon Miller, Becky Biberstein, Michael Green, Rick Cotterman, Frances Carr, Tom Richhart, Carol Leitner, Pat Pfeifer, Troy Cook, Bobbie and Cheryl Jackson, Sandy Arnold, Andrea Holte, Tom Williams, Jen Coyne, Bonnie Burns, John Houlihan, Nora LaVine, Kimberly Abney, Sydnee Bradburn, Doreen Ayres, Leanne Lee, Matt McFarren, Ryan Feedback and Dr. Doug Phillips.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING -

Tuesday, November 9 - Recitation of the Holy Rosary 6:40 p.m. in Church meeting in Parish Social Hall at 7:00 p.m.

G.I.R.L.'s night out

(Growing, Inspiring, Rejoicing, Loving)

Tuesday, November 9th 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Conference Room



Please sign up before November 21st.

Family Advent Wreath Making

November 23- 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Social Hall

There is a sign up sheet in the narthex for any family who is interested in making an Advent Wreath. The cost is \$20 for the materials. Stacey Couillardot and Diana Cole will be on hand to help with the wreaths.

PARISH CALENDAR

- Sat., November 6 - Confession 4-4:45 p.m. / Mass 5:00 p.m.
- Sun., November 7 - Mass 7:30 a.m. / 10:00 a.m.
- Sun., November 7 - Religious Education Class - 8:30-9:45 a.m.
- Tues., November 8 - Adoration 7-8:00 a.m. / Mass 8:00 a.m.
- Tues., November 9 - Children's Choir Practice - 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. in the Conference Room.
- Tues., November 9 - Knights of Columbus - Recitation of the Holy Rosary 6:40 p.m. in Church / meeting in Parish Social Hall at 7:00 p.m.
- Tues., November 9 - G.I.R.L.'s night out - 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Conference Room
- Wed., November 10 - Adoration 6-7 p.m. / Confessions 6:00-6:45 p.m. / Mass 7:00 p.m.
- Thurs., November 11 - RCIA class - 6:30 p.m.
- Sat., November 13 - Confession 4-4:45 p.m. / Mass 5:00 p.m.
- Sun., November 14 - Mass 7:30 a.m. / 10:00 a.m.
- Sun., November 14 - Religious Education Class - 8:30-9:45 a.m.
- Tues., November 16 - Adoration 7-8:00 a.m. / Mass 8:00 a.m.
- Tues., November 16 - Children's Choir Practice - 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. in the Conference Room.
- Wed., November 17 - Adoration 6-7 p.m. / Confessions 6:00-6:45 p.m. / Mass 7:00 p.m.
- Thurs., November 18 - RCIA class - 6:30 p.m.
- Fri., November 19 - Wedding Rehearsal - 6:00 p.m.
- Sat., November 20 - Nuptial Mass of Veronica Runyon and Nathan Yagodinski - 2:00 p.m.
- Sat., November 20 - Confession 4-4:45 p.m. / Mass 5:00 p.m.
- Sun., November 21 - Mass 7:30 a.m. / 10:00 a.m.
- Sun., November 21 - Religious Education Class - 8:30-9:45 a.m.

WEEKEND OF NOVEMBER 13/14



5:00 Teresa Smith
7:30 Mike Morrissey
10:00 Larry Leitz



5:00 George Witwer
7:30 Ben Wagner
10:00 Patti Clark-Johnson



5:00 Volunteers
7:30 Doug/Janet Lehman
10:00 Mike/Gail Kobryn Family



5:00 Alex/Audrey Mechling, Sam Smith
7:30 Abby/Adrienne Wagner
10:00 Ellie Coyne, Gracie Haiflich, Gabby Hoffacker

St. Joseph Parish Finance Report October 23/24 & 30/31 Weekends

Adult Envelopes- \$6,297.00
Child Envelopes- \$2.00
Loose- \$358.00
Repair/Rainy Day Fund- \$860.75
Religious Ed. Fund- \$10.00
Memorial Votive Candles- \$135.00
Paper Gator- \$39.05
All Saints Day- \$226.00
All Souls Day- \$326.00
Donation for the Playground- \$75.00
Pella Window Reimb.- \$934.47
Gym Rent- \$325.00
Total- \$9,588.27

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Our weekly budget is \$5,116.40

Including the Online Giving from October of \$5,265.00, we ended the month at \$9,741.69 ahead of our budget for the month of October.

St. Vincent de Paul Fund- \$210.00
St. Vincent de Paul Fund Online Giving for October- \$210.00

Thank you for your gifts to St. Joseph's!

St Vincent de Paul Fund
Report October-
Housing- \$375.00
Utilities- \$471.59
Charitable Donations- \$3,000.00
Total Charitable Donations for October- \$3,846.59

From Death To New Life

In your charity, please pray for the repose of the soul of Jaqueline "Jackie" Cerna-Espinoza, daughter of Roy Cerna and Mayra Espinoza, who passed away Wednesday, November 3, 2021 and was laid to rest Saturday, November 6.

May God welcome Jackie home, fill her with peace and bless those who will miss her.

Eternal Rest Grant unto her O Lord, and let Perpetual light shine upon her. May her soul and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in Peace. Amen.

Wedding Banns III

Veronica Runyon and Nathan Yagodinski
We pray for those preparing for Holy Matrimony



BLESSING TREE ANGELS

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