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NOVEMBER 4

FOR REMEMBRANCE:

The Book of Life will be set up on the St. Joseph side of the church during November. It helps us to remember and pray for our loved ones who have died. Please record in it those who have died since last November. May they rest in peace.

COUNCIL MEETING: SUNDAY, November 4 at 2:00pm.

CDA MEETING:

Monday, November 12 at 7pm in Rock Valley. Program by Jeanne Schlup on Catholic Advanced Care Directives. Hostesses are Dorie & Bernadine

KC MEETING

Tuesday, November 6 at 7:00pm.

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION GRADES K-6

All students at the Methodist church at 6:45pm. Those who are helping, please be at the Methodist church at 6:30pm.

THANK YOU

to the entire parish for contributing & volunteering at the Turkey Dinner last weekend. 336 adults & 22 children were served!!

THANK YOU

to the Hispanic community for serving fajitas after All Saints Day mass on Thursday.

CLASSROOM AIDS:

are always needed. If anyone would like to volunteer at the elementary level or in grades 7-9, please contact the office. Your presence will make a positive impact!!

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION REMINDERS:

- *Do your home lessons once a week
- *Work with your student on the memory verse
- *Complete the quizzes at the end of the lessons & return
- *Remind your student to be respectful in class
- *BE READY TO DANCE THE BOOKS OF THE BIBLE SONG!!



UPCOMING EVENTS

Wed., November 7- 6:45pm: GRADES K-6 class with parents

Wed., November 14—7:00pm: GRADES 7-9 class

DAA GOAL: \$8864 TOTAL RECEIVED: \$5000.20

STEWARDSHIP: October 28

General Fund: \$3630
Peace & Justice: \$30
World Mission: \$60
Improvement Fund: \$1000
Total: \$4720

BASEMENT FUND:

Pledges: \$184,687.10
Received: \$89,457.10



Saturday, November 10, 5:00pm

Greeters: Donna Anderson, Monica Collenbaugh

Ushers: David Miller, Sam Palmer

Lectors: Jacob Rosewall

Servers: Jenna Warburton, Morgan & Jay Miller

Lay Distributors: Sr. Jodie, Carine Schroeder, Sue Bakker

Collection Counters: Mike VE, Marshall R

CLOW: Ella H

Mass & Event Calendar for the Week

- MO 7:00P** Parish Rosary (Sp)
- TU 8:00A** Parish Rosary
- TU 7:00P** KC Meeting
- WE 9:00A** *Weekday Mass* +Frances & Bill Ver Mulm
- WE 6:45P** FFF GRADES K-6
- TH 6:00P** *Weekday Mass (Sp)*
- FR 9:00A** *Weekday Mass* +Leo Hevern
- FR 5:00P** Prayer Group (Sp)
- SA 9:00A** Holiday Food Box Deliveries
- SA 5:00P** *Weekend Mass* +Mary Miller
- SA 6:00P** Parish Fellowship Dinner
- SU 1:00P** *Weekend Mass (Sp)*



Sunday, November 11, 9:00am

Hospitality: Hooyer, Husa

Gifts: Ryan

Lectors: LeAnn Englin, Jill Hayes

Servers: Gene Bartels, Chandler Opdahl, Sarah McEldowney

Lay Distributors: Tony Rohlk, Vickie Ryan

Collection Counters: Katie Gillespie, Linda Rohlk

CLOW: Katie

Mass & Event Calendar for the Week

- TU 5:45P** CTK Council
- TU 7:30P** *Weekday Mass (Sp)*
- WE 6:30P** Faith Formation Classes
- TH 7:00A** *Weekday Mass* +Nic Hansen
- SA 10:00A** Church clean-up day
- SU 9:00A** *Weekend Mass* +Francis & Olga Norkus
- SU 11:00A** *Weekend Mass (Sp)*

Prayer Requests

St. Mary's: Parishioners: Gene Schroeder, Jim Smith, Jim Van Berkum, Dan Kooima, Madonna Plueger, Richard & Evelyn Richter, Raul Topete Friends of St. Mary's: Karin Schumacher, Susan Ranschau Bryce, Denise Broders, Ron & Hendrene Schuttloffel, Maggie Hallman, Beth Finch's niece, Duane Van't Hul, Jerry Burgers, Carlotta Vande More, John Zimmerman, Sr. Jodie's brother, Susan Berg, daughter of Bob Sullivan **Christ the King:** First Reformed, Garrett Englin, Austin Reichle, will be serving in Afghanistan, Larry Armstrong, parishioner, Corey Buckholtz, parishioner, Denise Scrutchfield, sister of Vickie Ryan, Mary Landau, sister of Sue & Jean. Rest in Peace: Bette Wassom, mother of Cookie Scott, former CTK parishioner

THE US CATHOLIC Bishops reminds Catholics:

"We are called to bring together our principles and our political choices, our values and our votes, to help build a better world."

Visit www.faithfulcitizenship.org to access resources on civil dialogue & on how our faith calls us to engage during election season and beyond.

PILGRIMAGE TO GREECE & THE GREEK ISLES:

"In the Footsteps of St. Paul":

Nov 5-15, 2019 visiting many of the great sites where St. Paul wrote his Epistles. Also a 3-day cruise to the Greek Isles. Mass each day in great churches & cathedrals. Cost is \$3759 with departure from Omaha. For more information call: Fr. Dan Guenther at 712-899-6870.



ST JOSEPH'S EDUCATION FUND

COLLECTION IS THIS WEEKEND

Please contribute generously to support our local seminarians.

FAITH FORMATION PRAYER REQUEST:

We are searching for a Confirmation catechist (already have college age helper) to plan lessons, teach and share our faith with 14 8th graders every week from 6:30-7:30pm starting Wednesday Nov. 7. Pray someone to answer God's call to this ministry.

CLEAN UP DAY—SATURDAY, NOV. 10 FROM 10A-2PM

Pizza for lunch is provided.

BAGGIES FOR "THEN JUST FEED ONE"

to collect change were sent home with students last week. Every Wednesday at the sign-in table there will be a donation bucket. Bring any money you chose to donate to offset the cost of our Honduras food packing event.

NOVEMBER-REMEMBRANCE OF SAINTS MONTH

Spend some time discussing a patron saint for your family and sharing memories of loved ones that died.

FAMILY ACTIVITY PAGE FOR NOVEMBER

is printed on gold paper. There are extra copies in the gathering space at church. Children are given a prize during Wednesday classes each time they discuss an activity your family completed.

PRAYER PARTNERS FOR FIRST COMMUNION

We still need prayer partners this year, so please volunteer to Robyn ASAP

FREE COMMUNITY UNITY MEAL

Thurs., Nov 8; 6-7pm at New Life Reformed Church.



NOV 7—4th—6th grades meet at church for Reconciliation at 6:20pm
NOV 18—Blessing of RCIT candidates & parents during both masses
NOV 21—no class - Thanksgiving mass
NOV 28- "Then Just Feed One" food packing event at Christ the King grades 7-12

DAA GOAL: \$5607 TOTAL RECEIVED: \$2273

STEWARDSHIP: October 28
Total: \$2615.47

Total Pledged: \$806,780.55
Building Fund Cash-on Hand: \$287,164.26