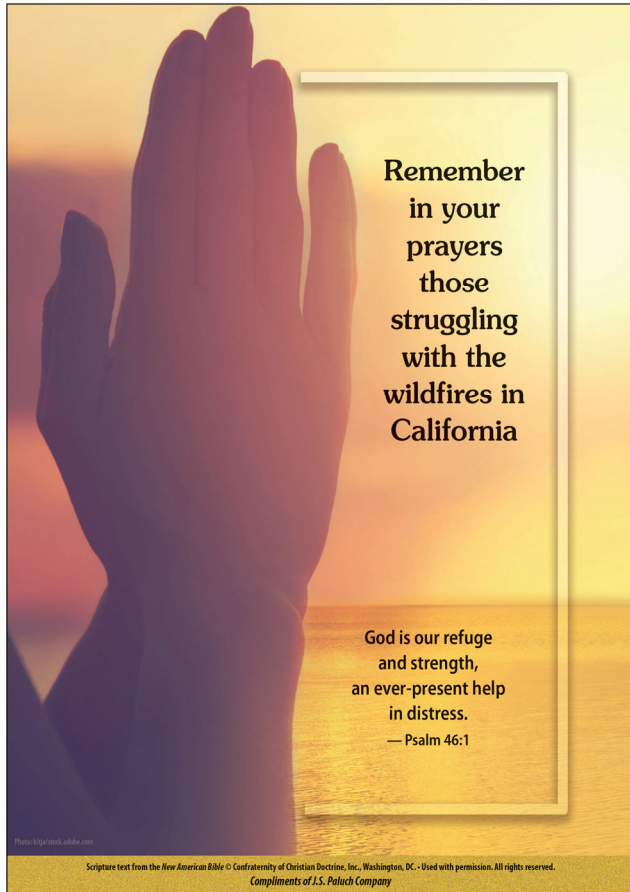


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MASS SCHEDULE

Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays: 8:30 am;
Wednesdays: 6:30 pm
Saturdays: 4:30 pm; **Sundays:** 8:30 & 10:30 am

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturdays: 3:30-4:15 pm & by appointment

COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND

Holy Communion is brought to homebound & residents of Villa Rose, Bethalto Care Center & Cedarhurst Living on Fridays for those unable to attend Mass. Call parish office to request.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Bethalto Council #4688, 4th Degree #203
Grand Knight: Troy Lively
Email: bethaltoknight@gmail.com
Website: www.bethaltoknights.org

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Saturday...9:00 am-11:00 am

HOSPITAL VISITS/ SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING

Call parish office to request a hospital visit or the Sacrament of Anointing.

PARISH OFFICE

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Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule & Intentions

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|---|---|
| Sat., Nov. 17 4:30 pm | St. Elizabeth of Hungary Anthony & Jennie Ventimiglia |
| Sun, Nov. 18 8:30 am 10:30 am | Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Jerry Durbin For the Parishioners |
| Mon., Nov. 19 8:30 am | Weekday in Ordinary Time Charles Calhoon |
| Tues., Nov. 20 8:30 am | Weekday in Ordinary Time Joseph Perrine |
| Wed., Nov. 21 6:30 pm | Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary Ed Bartosiak & Jeffrey Gonterman |
| Thurs., Nov. 22 8:30 am | St. Cecilia Ed Pilgrim |
| Fri., Nov. 23 8:30 am | Weekday in Ordinary Time John Nagy |
| Sat., Nov. 24 4:30 pm | St. Andrew Caroline Pritchett |
| Sun., Nov. 25 8:30 am 10:30 am | Christ the King James Zimmerman For the Parishioners |

Prayer Requests

The sick: Conor Vogel, Jim Friedrich, Keita Salantai, Mary Wagner, Janet Yates, Bob Schley, Jean Greer, Charlie Mattingly, Noah Rogers, Becky Gray, Marguerite Hufker, Darlene Huebener, Randall Oldham, Nelson Gregory, Kayden Spurgeon, Bob Zakrzewski, Terry Tellefson, Dan McRae, Mary Overton, Don Laird, Dan Kitzmann, Linda Anderson, Mike Byers, Lee Burnt, Maxine Calhoon, John and Jeanette Medlock, Dan Connoyer, Gloria Matthews, Dorothy Wittig, Dave Gibbons, Bill Jones. **Parish E-Mail Prayer Chain:** Send requests to Marie at re-joy128@gmail.com



Military Mass

The November Military Mass will be **Wednesday, Nov. 21**, 6:00 PM at St. Peter & Paul Catholic Church, Alton. We hope to have in attendance two active Military service members who we want to pray for and honor at our Mass. In November as we remember our Veterans, we invite everyone to attend.

POST Class

We will not meet on **Wed., Nov. 21** for the Thanksgiving holiday. POST will meet again on **November 28**, 6:30 PM beginning in the gym kitchen.

March For Life

January 16-20, 2019 - Leave Wednesday evening **January 16**, 8:00 pm, return **January 20**, in the evening. Cost: \$350 per person Open to Families, junior high and older. Contact Mike Poulsen 618-616-5580 or Norm Frisch 618-363-3020.



Rest In Peace



Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Betty Bast**, sister of Irene Connoyer; **Eileen Graham**, former parishioner and **Becky Rhodes**, mother of **Becky Di Paolo**. May God grant them eternal rest.

What is the RCIA

Rite of Acceptance/Welcoming?

The Rite of Acceptance is for inquirers in the RCIA process who are preparing for their Baptism. They are now ready to publicly declare their intention to continue their journey towards becoming Catholics. At this Rite, they are asked to more fully embrace the Gospel message with the help of God, and are also signed with the Cross to show that they now belong to Christ, the Shepherd of souls. The Rite of Welcoming is for inquirers who have been previously baptized and are ready to publicly declare their intention to continue their journey toward full communion with the Catholic Church. At this Rite, they are asked if they are ready to listen to the apostles' instruction, gather with the worshipping community in prayer, and join that community in the love and service of others. They are signed with the Cross to show that they belong to Christ. The parish community has the opportunity and are encouraged to reach out to these inquirers as fellow members and to pray for them as they continue in their study in the coming months.

Youth Group

December 2: Minute To Win It Night! 7:00—9:00 pm in the gym—bring your skills! Open to junior high and senior high youth. Anyone willing to help out give Norm a call, 363-3020.

Calling All Crafters and Bakers!

We are in need of handmade craft items and baked goods for our Annual Smorgasbord & Bazaar to be held **Sunday, December 2**, in our school gym. If you aren't 'crafty', consider picking something up at one of the area Craft Fairs. Thanks, in advance, for your support!!



Belize Meeting

Required attendance for ALL registered for Belize, Monday, November 19, 6:30 pm, church basement.

Community 55

We will not meet in November, as the meeting date falls the day before Thanksgiving. See you in December!!

PARISH OFFERINGS

| Week 20 | November 10-11, 2018 | Total to Date |
|-------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Loose | \$642.10 | \$12,786.80 |
| Envelopes | \$10,383.00 | \$194,495.00 |
| On Line Giving | \$2,068.00 | \$39,202.00 |
| Young People | \$17.25 | \$208.95 |
| Total | \$13,110.35 | \$246,692.75 |
| Operating Budget | \$13,233.55 | \$264,671.00 |
| ACSA Budget | \$788.15 | \$15,763.00 |
| Difference | (\$911.35) | (\$33,741.25) |

Weekly envelopes received: 220 of 829
 Building Maintenance Fund Donations: \$45.00
 Other Charitable Donations: \$715.00

*A generous person will prosper;
 whoever refreshes others will be refreshed.*
Proverbs 11:25

November 18, 2018

OLQP Dinner Auction

February 2, 2019—OLQP Dinner Auction supporting ALL youth (School and Youth Group). (The date has changed due to a change in the venue. It will now be held at the Premier Best Western in Alton.) **This week's challenge is: Black Friday deals! Snatch up a great bargain for a donation!** These are our biggest earnings!! To help with this event please contact Amy Frisch 618-444-7715 or Dana Aronin 618-978-4305. Absolute deadline to submit donation is January 18, 2019. Tickets will be on sale soon. \$50 each

Also, **seeking bottles of wine** for Wine Pull the night of the auction.

Lastly, **follow us on Facebook, '2019 OLQP Dinner Auction Discussion'.**

Community Hope Center Toy Drive

Donation barrels can be found in the back of church and in the school lobby. Toy donations needed as follows: for infants through 12 years old; new, unwrapped, valued \$10 or more. Also, need stocking stuffer toys, coats, gloves, scarfs, hats, and any financial donations to cover the cost of last minute items needed. Barrels to be picked up Dec. 3. Thank you!

In My Footsteps Half-Day Retreat

Ss. Peter & Paul Catholic Church in Collinsville will offer a **Half-Day Retreat** titled **In My Footsteps** on Saturday, **December 8** starting with **Mass at 8:15 am**. No registration is required. All are welcomed—bring your family and friends. Cost is a donation of laundry detergent or toiletry item for St. Vincent DePaul Society. Retreat participants will receive a copy of Edward Sri's book "Into His Likeness." Do you sense that movement in you—that desire to go deeper in your relationship with Christ? Do you have a longing to follow Jesus more closely, to be transformed by him? Do you notice a stirring inside, a longing to love God with all your heart, but feel unsure what steps to take next? If you answered yes to any of these questions, then this retreat is for you. Know that God is the one who has put those yearnings in your soul. He has already given you the heart of a disciple. This retreat simply aims to help learn how to follow those initial romptings of the Holy Spirit by offering for consideration "the four habits of a disciple": prayer, the breaking of bread (the Sacraments), fellowship, and the teaching of the Apostles.

Rosary Leaders Needed

We are in need of volunteers to lead the Rosary before weekend Masses, beginning at 4:00 pm on Saturdays or 8:00 & 10:00 am on Sundays. This can be done right from your pew, and you will only be scheduled as often as you request. To sign up, call the parish office, 377-6519.

Families In Need

Madison County Catholic Charities offers Christmas help to families in need. If you are in need of help or if you know of someone else in need of help, please call Catholic Charities at 462-0634 to schedule an appointment. Certain requirements must be met, including you cannot call for another family. Each family must contact Catholic Charities directly.

Letters to Santa

Children can write a letter to Santa and drop it off in one of the mailboxes located in the church or school beginning Sunday, **November 18th**. Please be sure to include a self addressed, stamped envelope with your letter. Letters must be received by December 5th to ensure Santa's



elves can write back to you!

LITURGICAL ROLES

Weekend of November 24-25, 2018

USHERS/GREETERS:

4:30 pm Jim & Jackie Page
Joe & Cathy Gulash
8:30 am Don Buller, Steve Norris
Brian Stacks, Janet Gross
10:30am Don & Terri Militello
John & Peggy Dugger

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

4:30 pm Dick Rogers, Tami Stoneburner, Dan Perkhiser
Pat Beierman, John Harshbarger, Judy Osborne
Marcella Dipaolo, Mindy DeClue
8:30 am Michelle Lilly, Brenda Zacha, Blake Marth
Andy & Mary Kerkemeyer, Paula Mattix-Wand
Marce & Brenda Tebbe
10:30 am Brad Fulk, Teresa Wilson, Deana McDonough
Dee Oller, Tim Mayfield, Cindy Helmkamp
Tammy Sasek, Teresa Dubbledo

SERVERS:

4:30 pm Sofia Lamere
Tyler Wilson
Jackson Garman
8:30 am Monica Kerkemeyer
Kylee Herbstreit
10:30 am Travis Kramer
Jackson Collman
Isabella Tite

MUSIC:

4:30 pm Barb/Kris
8:30 am Craig/Jeanie
10:30 am Praise Team

LECTORS:

4:30 pm Liz Laurent
8:30 am Joe Grabowski
10:30 am Teri Fulk

SCRIP Sales—Weekend of November 24-25, 2018

4:30 Debbie Zacha
8:30 Brenda Zacha
10:30 Sharon & Lee Gonterman

"He Is Near" (Mark 13:29)

"Then men will see the Son of Man coming in the clouds with great power and glory. He will dispatch His angels and assemble His chosen." - Mark 13:26-27

In these last 2 weeks of the Church year, the Church pays special attention to the Second Coming of Christ. Focusing on Jesus' return in power is critical for our life in Christ and our spiritual well-being. Some readers of *One Bread, One Body* live in foreign countries and are actively persecuted for their faith in Jesus. Some of our foreign printers and distributors risk their lives regularly to spread God's Word. If you "face death every day" (1 Cor. 15:31) for your life of courageous faith, be encouraged. The Lord Jesus will always have the final word. Your Redeemer lives, and your eyes will see Him (Jb 19:25, 27). "He is near, even at the door" (Mk. 13:29, Rev. 3:20), and you will see Him coming with great power and glory to vindicate you (Mk 13:26-27). "Stand erect and hold your heads high, for your deliverance is near at hand" (Lk. 21:28). For those who don't live for the Lord, Jesus' Second Coming will not be humble and meek as was His first coming. There will be no meek Infant lying in an obscure manger this time. This time His coming will shake the cosmos in "great power and glory" (Mk 13:26). Few noticed Him in Bethlehem; this time "every eye shall see Him, even of those who" reject Him (Rev. 1:7). He will come as Judge (Jas. 5:9). Therefore, repent now before it's too late! Reconcile with Jesus now, for you know not the day or the hour of His return (Mk 13:32).

Lord Jesus, may I know You as Savior as well as Judge.

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