

THE 32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, NOVEMBER 10, 2019

Sat.	11-9	5:30 p.m.	<i>The 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> (St. Francis) + The Holy Souls in Purgatory
Sun.	11-10	8:00 a.m.	<i>The 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> (St. Ambrose) + Walter Ptasznik
Sun.	11-10	10:00 a.m.	<i>The 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> (St. Francis) People of the Parish
Mon.	11-11	7:30 a.m.	(St. Francis) + Forest & Lorean Smith
Tue.	11-12		NO MASS
Wed.	11-13	6:30 p.m.	(St. Francis) + Becky Vitt
Thur.	11-14	8:30 a.m.	(St. Ambrose) + Bernadine Shively
Fri.	11-15	7:30 a.m.	(St. Francis) + Sara Grosdidier
Sat.	11-16	7:30 a.m.	(St. Francis) For loved one's return to the faith
Sat.	11-16	5:30 p.m.	<i>The 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> (St. Francis) + Esther & LeRoy David Family
Sun.	11-17	8:00 a.m.	<i>The 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> (St. Ambrose) + John & Rose Carlson
Sun.	11-17	10:00 a.m.	<i>The 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> (St. Francis) + The Holy Souls in Purgatory

CONFESSIONS: Sat. 4:30 p.m.—5:15 p.m. at St. Francis & 30 minutes before daily & Sunday Masses

St. Ambrose Church

Extr. Minister of Holy Communion: Donna Bohrer

Lector: Jim Carlson

Server: Rusty Lero

Gifts: Ken & Sandy Schoenhofer

Ushers for November: Brian & Carol Schoenhofer

Donuts & Coffee for November 17th: Bernadette & St. Elizabeth Circle

Stewardship of Treasure

		Total Amount Needed
St. Francis	\$6,359.25	\$5,500.17
St. Ambrose	\$1,184.00	\$1,014.00

Please remember your parish in your will.

Prayers are asked for the following: Kathy Westhoff, Justin Venneman, Sue Shively, Pat Moore, Vence Segraves, Sheri Bell, Bailey Shaw, Billy Brown, Adam Westhoff, Stephanie Thompson, Lisa Edwards, Janey Beachner, Ron Lallemand, Donna Little, Mary Ann Dougherty, Janice (Ward) Norris, Jane Anne Beachner, Dalton Noakes, Jerry Beachner, Lu Reeves, Lou Severt, Isla Taylor, Charlie Gottlob, Nina Madl, Diane Davis, Sandra Schoenhofer, Helen George, Phyllis Coomes, Ralph Gouvion, Barbara Workman, Marge McElroy, Nancy Giefer, Peg Brown, Dorothy VanLeeuwen, Jamie & Dakota Holding Family, Anna Letcher, David Lero, Jason Schoenhofer, Fran Dooly, Karen Steinbacher, Marilyn Dugan, Frances Fox, Nicholas George, Don Smith, Lorene VanLeeuwen, Jenny & Wren Snell, Ethan Yarnell, Paul Irellan, Jack McGowen, Theresa Fitzgerald, Jerrica Harmon, Sarah Norris-Crews

If you would like to add someone to the Prayer List, please call the parish office at 449-2224.

St. Francis Church

Lector:

Sat. Judy Fager

Sun. Pat Smith

Extr. Minister of Holy Communion:

Sat. Gary VanLeeuwen

Sun. Nohemy Brewer & Mike McCracken

Altar Servers:

Sat. Maggie, Josey, Ava

Sun. Adam, Riley, Chandler

Gifts:

Sat. M/M Mike Schoenhofer

Sun. M/M Clark Westhoff

Rosary Leaders:

Sat. Mary Jean Zandler

Sun. Tammi Norris

Ushers for November:

Sat. Don Kennedy, Mike Brown, Steve Grosdidier

Sun. Joel VanLeeuwen, Noah Winter, Kenny Paisley

Church Cleaners for November 15th: Debbie

Mattox, Maria Davis, Katrina Smith

STEWARDSHIP OUR GIFTS: WHO ARE YOU FOLLOWING? Discipleship can be hard work. We do our best to cooperate with God's will for our lives, but often we simply fall short. In his second letter to the Thessalonians, Paul acknowledges the good work the people of that community are doing. He knows that they — like us — suffer from self-doubt. In an act of kindness, he prays that our Lord Jesus Christ would encourage their hearts and “strengthen them in every good deed and word.” Often we get bogged down by what we see as our failures, and we forget that we have been empowered by the Holy Spirit to do God's work. We are too self-reliant and we lack proper faith in the God who called us to our missions, and we tend to overlook the good that God has accomplished through us. Like Paul, we must turn to God and pray that He will give us the joy and endurance to continue as Missionary Disciples.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT is offered every Wednesday in St. Francis Church from 5:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Each hour you spend with Jesus will deepen His divine peace in your heart. “Come to Me all of you who are weary and find life burdensome and I will refresh you.” Matthew 11:28 More volunteers & substitutes are needed to commit to a prayer time so that we can continue this ministry. **We especially need 11:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. We also need substitutes. Please call the rectory at 620-449-2224 to volunteer.**

ST. FRANCIS PSR PROGRAM classes will be held this Wednesday, November 13th, starting at 7:00 p.m. in the classrooms.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION: PSR Students in 7th-10th grades will be receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation on February 8, 2020 at 1:00 p.m.

The retreat for 9th and 10th grades is November 23rd at the Newman Center in Pittsburg from 9:30 a.m.—4:30 p.m. Letters and medical release forms will be sent in the mail with details about this retreat. This is a required retreat and parent drivers will be needed. Please call Suzie Diskin at 620-449-2783 to volunteer.

YOUTH CHOIR will sing on Sunday, December 15th at the 10:00 a.m. Mass and December 24th at the 5:30 p.m. Christmas Eve Mass. Practices will be on Sundays December 8th and December 15th from 11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. All youth K-12th are welcome to join the choir, just come upstairs. We need your voices!

ST. FRANCIS ADULT CHOIR will practice Monday, November 18th at 6:30 p.m. at the St. Francis Church.

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING will be held on Sunday, November 17th, at 11:00 a.m., at St. Francis Church. This is for students in the 6th through the 12th grade.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS: K of C will be selling smoked ribs to help people in need. They can be picked up Saturday, November 16th from 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at the St. Francis Parish Hall. Please contact Charles Schettler at 620-423-6635 or any K of C member for your orders. Congratulations to our Knight of the Month, Chris Dent, our Family of the Month, Seth and Abby Born and our Youth Sponsorship, Riley Vitt. Today the Knights of Columbus will hold their Annual Tootsie Roll Drive to support the mentally disabled! All donations are greatly appreciated.

DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA will meet Tuesday, November 12 at the St. Francis Hall. The evening will begin with a Pot Luck Dinner at 6:00 p.m. and the Auditor Meeting at 6:30. The D of I will conclude with the Monthly Meeting and the Memorial Service honoring our deceased members. (Don't forget the sheet with your volunteer hours.) The Daughter of the Month of October was Mary Gilpin. The November committee is Rose Harmon, Mauricia O'Brien, Carolyn Baldwin and Fidela Godinez. Come and bring your favorite dish to enjoy the evening!

HARVEST HOUSE will meet on Thursday, November 21 at 12:30 p.m. at the St. Paul Café for the Thanksgiving Lunch.

THE FALL FESTIVAL was a huge success again this year. Thank you to all who helped make it a beautiful day. Also, a special thank you to Exchange State Bank for donating the turkeys. We appreciate everyone who made this a great Fall Festival! More details to come soon.