



**November 8, 2020  
32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of  
Ordinary Time**

**Being Thankful for my Faith**

Faith. I cannot think of a time in my life when I did not have my faith. I will be honest. There have been times in my life that I did not fully practice the Catholic Religion, but I always had my faith. Throughout my life there have been times when my faith was very strong and then there have been times when it was not so strong, but I always had my faith!

I grew up in a home that practiced the Catholic Faith regularly...daily. We went to daily and Sunday Mass, we said the Rosary often, my brothers and I attended a Catholic grade school and high school, and we were just taught that God was the center of our lives. I firmly believe that without having been brought up that way I never would have had the seed planted, and my faith never would have had the chance to grow as it did.

We all have a plan, right? Mine was to become a teacher, get married, live in a big Victorian style house, and have 4 children. Uh huh.... However, God has a plan for us too, and it may not be what we want, but it happens the way it is supposed to happen. That is faith, letting God have the steering wheel. It is hard, but oh the places he takes you!

So, back to my plan. I did become a teacher, and although at this point in my life I do not have a traditional classroom.....I have a great classroom! I did get married. I had searched long and hard to find him myself but once I let God have control, he was right there, and we just celebrated 10 years of marriage! I did not get that big Victorian house, but God knew I needed a house with everything on one level so that is what we have. I did not end up with 4 children. Lots of trouble and heartache before God brought us these two sweet boys, but we wouldn't trade all the trouble and heartache because these two boys are what God had planned for us, and God gave them to us on his timeline, not ours which ended up being perfect!

It is November. It is the month of Thanksgiving, and what better time than now to stop and to thank God for all the blessings he has bestowed on you?

I thank God daily for the blessings he has given me, and I am so thankful that I had the faith to just let him steer the wheel and to take me where I needed to go. We should all be thankful for our faith and we should all let God steer the wheel. Having the faith to let God lead can lead you to the best gifts in the world. You just need to let go and let God!

*Jennifer Feicks*

**St. Jude Parish Weekly Reconciliation Times**  
**Tuesday-Friday 6:45-7:15 a.m.**  
**Saturday – 3:15-4:00 p.m.**  
**(Reconciliation also by appointment)**

**Parish Sacrificial Giving  
Fiscal Year 7/1/2020-6/30/2021**

	<b>Last Week</b>	<b>Year-To-Date</b>
Collections (58)	\$ 4,976.00	\$ 80,367.00
Electronic Funds (6)	\$ 240.00	\$ 21,305.00
Bldg. Dev. Fund (15)	\$ 559.00	\$ 4,895.00
EFT-Dev. Fund (0)	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,522.00
Poor Fund	\$ 32.00	\$ 1,057.90
Children's Offering (0)	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
All Saints (21)	\$ 460.00	\$ 460.00
All Souls (13)	\$ 305.00	\$ 462.00
Calvary Cemetery(3)	\$ 55.00	\$ 55.00
Christmas Flowers(4)	\$ 50.00	\$ 50.00
Justice & Hope (1)	\$ 15.00	\$ 15.00
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$ 6,692.00</b>	
<b>Total given FY2021</b>	<b>\$119,028.90 (18 weeks)</b>	

**LITURGICAL MINISTERS**

**Saturday, November 14<sup>th</sup> – 4:30 p.m.**

**Euch. Min.:** Fr. Chuck, Deacon Tom  
**Lectors:** Bertrand, Day  
**Hospitality:** H & M Bruno, C & M Zucco

**Sunday, November 15<sup>th</sup> – 8:00 a.m.**

**Euch. Min.:** Fr. Chuck, Deacon Ray  
**Lectors:** A. Deen, Deimel  
**Hospitality:** Dowding, McWard, Roland, Vogt

**Sunday, November 15<sup>th</sup> – 10:30 a.m.**

**Euch. Min.:** Fr. Chuck, Kohlrus  
**Lectors:** Guerretaz, Warren  
**Hospitality:** D & S Decker, A & V Powell

## HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK!!!

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### Saturday, November 7<sup>th</sup>

- 8:30 a Mass (Int: Harold Sheppard†)  
9:00 a-4:00 p Eucharistic Adoration  
3:15-4:00 p Reconciliation  
4:30 p Mass (Int. All Souls†)

### Sunday, November 8<sup>th</sup>

- 8:00 a Mass (Int. Susan Denton†)  
10:30 a Mass (Int. For the Parish)

### Monday, November 9<sup>th</sup>

#### **Dedication of the Lateran Basilica**

- 7:30 a Communion Service  
9:00 a Counting Team #2

### Tuesday, November 10<sup>th</sup>

#### **St. Leo the Great**

- 6:45-7:15 a Reconciliation  
7:30 a Mass (Int.: †)  
7:00 p Pastoral Council meeting

### Wednesday, November 11<sup>th</sup>

#### **St. Martin of Tours**

- 6:45-7:15 a Reconciliation  
7:30 a Mass (Int.: Donald Crusen  
Family†)

- 6:30 p PSR  
7:00 p Buildings & Grounds  
Meeting

### Thursday, November 12<sup>th</sup>

#### **St. Josaphat**

- 6:45-7:15 a Reconciliation  
7:30 a Mass (Int.: Jim Tarter)  
6:30 p Mission Trip meeting

### Friday, November 13<sup>th</sup>

#### **St. Frances Xavier Cabrini**

- 6:45-7:15 a Reconciliation  
7:30 a Mass (Int.: All Souls†)

### Saturday, November 14<sup>th</sup>

- 12:00-3:00 p Sew-n-sews  
3:15-4:00 p Reconciliation  
4:30 p Mass (Int. Kathy Blasko†)

### Sunday, November 15<sup>th</sup>

- 8:00 a Mass (Int. Leach Family)  
10:30 a Mass (Int. For the Parish)  
2:00 p All Souls Mass of Remembrance



### **Anointing of the Sick**

If you are going to the hospital for surgery or have a serious illness, receive the Sacrament of the Sick. Please call the parish office to receive the Sacrament, administered privately or during daily Mass. Call Barb Scoggins at 217-498-9197 to have a family member placed on the prayer list.



### **Prayer List:**

#### **Parishioners**

**Megan Lee, Gary Dumonceaux, Shirley Crawford, Rene Runions, Ray Roland, Lynn F. Leach, JoAnn Camille, Betty Rowden, JoAnn Barber, Glen Butcher, Mary Rodgers, Ann Carel, Evelyn Conboy, Carolyn Carmichael**

**Kelsie Riedle**, niece of David & Tess Riedle  
**Robert Goin**, father of Vicki Walker  
**Harry Buck**, brother of Teri Dambacher  
**Troy Sweeney**, nephew of Maggie Patterson  
**Yvonne Butcher**, mother of Barrie Blough  
**Aloysious Staff**, brother of Sylvia Thull  
**Glen Limper**, son of Al & Betty Limper  
**Hope Power**, daughter of Yvonne Brandis  
**Donna Meyers**, mother of Kellie Brewer  
**Jerry McCormick**, brother of Tom Walker  
**Margie Lammert**, mother of Sarah Clare  
**Steven Butts**, brother of Michelle Bullock  
**Reba Cloyd**, mother of Anita Schwab  
**Jennifer Harbeck**, cousin of Brad Zack  
**Joanna Laabs**, wife of Deacon Al Laabs  
**John Vercautern**, cousin of Laurie White  
**Frank Stroble**, friend of Mary Bruno  
**Carolyn Carmichael**, mother of Leanne Collings  
**Button Pemberton**, friend of Guerrettaz family  
**Teresa Cieciora**, friend of Guerrettaz family  
**Aliana Marecki**, friend of Guerrettaz family  
**Josie Gill**, mother of Jonah & Sophia Guerrettaz  
**Rose & Bernie Born**, grandparents of Guerrettaz  
**Rick Perez**, friend of Mary Jo & Jerry Jasinski  
**Brigham Lanweir**, friend of the Zucco family  
**Megan Mahoney**, friend of the Zucco family  
**Rachel Copp**, sister of Mary Beth McClintock  
**Kelly Gatton**, friend of Steven Sandvoss  
**John Naffziger**, nephew of Michele Naffziger  
**Special Intentions** of Andy Mihelich  
**Sarah Thatcher**, granddaughter of Elaine Hundley  
**Molly Everitt**, niece of Lenna DeGroot  
**Lary Garrett**, father of Carrie Zucco  
**Jennie Harling**, sister of Leanne Collings

#### **Volunteers for the week of Nov. 9<sup>th</sup> :**

**Church Duster:** Mary & John Fox  
**November Recycling Volunteer:** Steve Jones  
**Nov. Food Volunteer:** Susan & Victoria Arnish

## PSR NEWS!

Dismissal in parking lot went a lot smoother this week! Thank you so much for your patience as we continue to work on this and improve the flow! Safety is our priority!

Food Donation items for the month of November have already begun flowing into the classrooms! Keep up the good work and remember that this month we are collecting Thanksgiving Dinner Items!

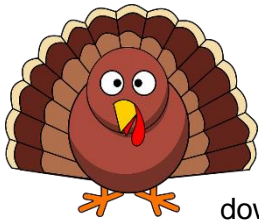
### Bulletin Boards!



If you haven't seen them, we have updated the bulletin boards in the church and made them much more bright, colorful, and hopefully more informative!

We have also put up 4 new boards in the parish center as well! One will showcase kids in our Parish as they are found in the newspaper and the other 3 will showcase work the classes are doing! We are so excited to be able to showcase their work for everyone!

### Our Turkey of Thanks!



Our parish is going to create a turkey! In the back of the church you will find a small basket of feathers and some markers.

Please take a moment and write down something you are thankful for. You can take the feather with you and bring back, or you can write on it and return right then and there! PSR will be doing this in their classes, and those that may not be attending Mass yet, can also fill one out in the Parish Hall at pick up or stop by during office hours! The turkey will begin to take shape as I receive enough feathers, but the goal is for the turkey to be in full "bloom" in time for Thanksgiving!

Thank you in advance for participating!

*Jennifer Fricks*

### SCRIPTURE READINGS: Nov. 8<sup>th</sup> – Nov. 15<sup>th</sup>:

<b>Sunday:</b>	<b>WIS</b> 6:12-16	<b>1THES</b> 4:13-18 <b>MT</b> 25:1-13
<b>Monday:</b>	<b>EZ</b> 47:1-2, 8-9, 12	<b>1COR</b> 3:9C-11, 16-17 <b>JN</b> 2:13-22
<b>Tuesday:</b>	<b>TI</b> 2:1-8, 11-14	<b>LK</b> 17:7-10
<b>Wednesday:</b>	<b>TI</b> 3:1-7	<b>LK</b> 17:11-19
<b>Thursday:</b>	<b>PHLM</b> 7-20	<b>LK</b> 17:20-25
<b>Friday:</b>	<b>2JN</b> 4-9	<b>LK</b> 17:26-37
<b>Saturday:</b>	<b>3JN</b> 5-8	<b>LK</b> 18:1-8
<b>Sunday:</b>	<b>PRV</b> 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31	<b>1THES</b> 5:1-6 <b>MT</b> 25:14-30

### Upcoming Parish Meetings/Events:

Nov. 10 – 7:00 p.m. – Pastoral Council meeting  
Nov. 11 – 7:00 p.m. – Building & Grounds committee  
Nov. 12 – 6:30 p.m. – Mission Trip meeting  
Nov. 14 – noon-3:00 p.m. – Sew-n-sews  
Nov. 15 – 2:00 p.m. – All Souls Mass  
Nov. 17 – 7:00 p.m. – K of C meeting  
Nov. 19 – 7:00 p.m. – Finance Council meeting

### Mission Trip Meeting

There will be a CatholicHeart Workcamp Informational Meeting Thursday, November 12 at 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Center. Anyone who will be in the 8<sup>th</sup> grade in the Fall of 2021, and those older who are interested in going are encouraged to attend. Safety is paramount, so we will be observing social distancing and masks are required. Hope to see you there!



### VETERANS DAY

### Honor Our Veterans!

This Wednesday, November 11<sup>th</sup> is Veterans Day. It is a day to honor our Veterans for their love and service to our great country. Please take a moment in your day to say a prayer of thanks and blessings for all our Veterans. God Bless You!

All are welcome to join the **St. Jude's sew-n-sews** group! Saturday November 14<sup>th</sup> from noon – 3:00 p.m. Bring a project, enjoy some snacks and good company! Hope to see you and bring a friend!



### Mission Trip Butterbraid Sale:

The orders will be delivered to the parish on November 18 and will be available for pickup after the masses on the weekend of November 21 and 22 in the parish center. **You must be wearing a mask to enter the parish center** to pick up your order. All online orders are pre-paid. Orders placed after mass can be paid at the time of pick-up. To reduce handling of cash, payment by check is preferred, checks beings made payable to St. Jude Youth Mission.

As always, your generous support of our youth is greatly appreciated!

**Baptism:** a family seeking baptism for their children must be registered in our parish (not under your parents' names) and actively living their sacramental life for at least 6 months. Both parents must attend a baptismal class for their own formation regarding this sacrament. The God parents are encouraged to attend. God-parents/or Christian witnesses must be baptized, and one must be actively living their Catholic faith. All God parents (outside of St. Jude parishioners) must be baptized, 16 years of age or older, and must bring in a letter of suitability from their parish pastor stating you are registered and actively living their sacramental life.

**Marriage:** those who are seeking to be married at St. Jude Church must be registered in our parish and actively living their sacramental life. One of the couple or both must be Catholic and a parishioner of St. Jude Parish. Couples must first come by the office and ask for a copy of the guidelines for the Sacrament and make sure all looks good. The couple (not their parents) then must contact Fr. Chuck or the parish office for an appointment to meet, talk about the guidelines, and then together set a date; all done at that first appointment, not on the phone before the meeting or when you pick up the guidelines.

### Advertiser of the week:

**Steak N Shake**  
Famous for Steakhurgers  
4 locations in Springfield, 1 in Taylorville,  
And 1 in Jacksonville



### Catechumenate (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

The *Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults* (RCIA) is the sacramental process for the pastoral formation and guidance, aimed at training new members in the Christian life.

These sacramental norms apply to the unbaptized who are 6 or 7 years of age and older. They apply to the baptized uncatechized Catholics who are 6 or 7 years of age and older who were baptized in infancy but celebrated neither Confirmation nor First Holy Communion. And they apply to the baptized Christians who are 6 and 7 years of age and seek to be received into the full communion of the Catholic Church.

These norms have been in place since 1988 in this diocese and in all the dioceses of the United States of America.

Contact Fr. Chuck or Deacon Tom Walker to discuss the process of formation.

### RECYCLING CANS FOR ST. PATRICK SCHOOL



Don't forget to save your aluminum cans, bag them and bring them to the brown wooden box at the front of the Parish Center. Volunteers take them in to the Recycling Center and all monies are donated to St. Patrick School! **Please put only aluminum cans in the box!**



## Food Collection

### FOR ST. MARTIN De PORRES

Each Sunday you are invited to bring non-perishable food items to mass and place them in the baskets as you enter the Church. All food is taken to St. Martin de Porres Center in Springfield to help their great mission to feed the poor and hungry.

Volunteers take the food in weekly to the Center.