

November 15, 2015

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat 6:00 P.M. Rosary

6:30 P.M. +George & Lillie Smajstrla; and
For the Health of Jackie Holecek Davis

Sun. 7:30 A.M. +Agnes Zatopek; +Louis
Webre, Sr.; +John & Regina Hennig;
+Thomas & Agnes Webre; +Herman
Hennig; and +Adele Nemeec

Sun. 9:00 A.M. +Chris Kazda, Anniv.; +Ed
Kolar; +Tim Karlik; +Julius & Vickie Filer;
+Georgie Pavlicek, BD; +Eddie Klaus; and
+Joe & Edith Janda

Sun. 10:30 A.M. +Albert Banik; +Edwin
Nors, Anniv.; +Ellen Schroeder; +John
Schroeder; +Josephine Kucera;
+Emil Kucera; +Irene Kotrla; and +Arnold
Kotrla

Sun. Spanish Mass (Noon) +Feliciano
Santana, Anniv.; and Parish Family

Mon. 6:30 P.M. Communion Service

Tues. 6:30 A.M. +Teresa Holy

Wed. Rosary 5:00 P.M.

6:30 P.M. +Julia Podsednik, BD; +Agnes
Karlik; +Jeane Cernosek; and +James
Maler, Anniv.

Thurs. 6:30 A.M. For the Health of Jackie
Holecek Davis

Fri. 8:15 A.M. (5th Grade) +Henry & Willie
Mae Holecek

10:00 A.M. (Rest Home) +Marie Mynarcik

Next Sat. 6:00 P.M. Family Rosary

6:30 P.M. +Mary Kostecka, Anniv

Next Sun. 7:30 A.M. +Henry Grmela, BD

Next Sun. 9:00 A.M. +Anton Jack
Willenborg; +Jeane Cernosek; and +Albert
& Rosemarie Banik

Next Sun. 10:30 A.M. +Tracie Smajstrla;
and +Dan Lannen

Next Sun. Spanish (Noon) Parish Family

*MEDITATION - O Lord, my
allotted portion and my cup, you it
hold fast my lot. I set the Lord ever
before me; with him at my right
hand I shall not be disturbed.*

TODAY - Confirmation class will meet
from 9:00 to 10:15 a.m. in St. Joseph Hall.
The class will be attending the 10:30 a.m.
Mass together.

TODAY – The 9th grade will meet from
9:00 to 10:15 a.m. in the Parish Center.

TODAY -- Our adult Sunday study group
will meet at 9:00 a.m. in the parish
cafeteria. All sessions will last one hour.

TODAY – 50/50 Club meets in the Parish
Center after the 7:30 a.m. Mass.

TODAY - Immaculate Heart of Mary
Church in Abbott is having their Annual
Fried Fish Dinner in the Parish Hall. The
meal, consisting of fried fish, chicken
strips, pinto beans, potato salad, cole
slaw, dessert, and drink from 11 a.m. to 1
p.m. Adult plates and all plates to go are
\$9 and \$6 for child plates under 12.
Everyone is invited to attend.

TUESDAY – Adoration after the 6:30 a.m.
Mass. Personal time to spend with Jesus.

WEDNESDAY-- R.C.I.A classes will begin
at 7:00 p.m. in St. Joseph's Hall.

WEDNESDAY - CCE Classes for grades
K -8 will begin at 6:15 - 7:30 p.m.

THURSDAY - Adoration after the 6:30
a.m. Mass. Personal time to spend with
Jesus.

REMINDER the deadline for the bulletin is
Tuesday at noon. Thank you for
consideration.

FRIDAY – The Men’s Group meets at 6 a.m. at St. Joseph’s for Bible Study.

FRIDAY -- West Over 40 Dance will be held from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m. at Tours Hall on November 20. Music will be provided by Spur City Rounders. Please bring finger foods. No smoking is allowed. Admission is \$5.00.

SATURDAY - KJZT will have their Pre-Thanksgiving bake sale on Saturday, at St. Mary’s Cafeteria from 10:00 to 12:00 noon. They will be making buchtas, sausage kolaches, pecan rolls and cinnamon rolls. Members are asked to bring other bake goods, noodles, etc. to the bake sale. We would appreciate any member or non-member to come help out on Saturday morning beginning at 7:00 a.m. You can pre-order by calling Mary Kallus (826-3077), Joyce Nors (227-8774) or Theresa Plsek (867-1973)

NEXT SUNDAY - 50/50 Club meets in the Parish Center after the 7:30 a.m. Mass.

NEXT SUNDAY -- Our adult Sunday study group will meet at 9:00 a.m. in the parish cafeteria. All sessions will last one hour.

NEXT SUNDAY—9th and Confirmation class will have classes.

PRAYERFUL SYMPATHIES to Larry Knapek on the loss of his brother, Eugene Knapek and to Annie Mae Marek, Adolph, Raymond, & Johnny Kolar on the loss of their sister Angeline Kolar.

SANCTUARY LAMP is in memory of Agnes Zatopek by Adolph Zatopek.

MARIAN SHRINE LIGHT is in memory of Anton & Helen Pustejovsky.

VOCATIONS CRUCIFIX will be in the home of Raymond & Joyce Dulock this week.

NEXT SATURDAY 6:30 P.M.

LECTOR - Dianne Friend

GIFTS – Rick Pliscott Family

ALTAR SERVERS – Lauren Scott, Ben Brown, Margaret Sinkule

EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS – Evelyn Stuckly, Stephanie Schriener, Dianne Mendiola

SUN 7:30 A.M.

LECTOR- Chuck Felderhoff

GIFTS – Bob & Theresa Plsek

ALTAR SERVERS – Andrew Watson, Rynda & Ryson Maddox

EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS – Robert & Georgie Nors, George Meurer

9:00 A.M.

LECTOR – Grace Banik

GIFTS - Jon Hlavenka Family

SERVERS – Keri Ruth, Lucas Bryant, Cyndi Lair

EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS- Bill & Dorothy Warren, Jim Maguire

10:30 A.M.

LECTOR – Jennifer Cooper

GIFTS –Sean Sammon Family

SERVERS – George, Brye, & Ember Berger

EXTRA ORDINARY MINISTERS –Darrin & Torie Banik, Susan Stone

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Offertory Collection.....	\$ 11,363.00
St. Mary’s.....	\$ 5.00
Building Fund.....	\$ 255.00
All Saints Day.....	\$ 35.00

Thank you for your support and generosity. May the Lord bless you!

THE WEST CONFERENCE OF THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DEPAUL

recently completed their first full year of service to this area. Our fiscal year report shows that we have given \$28,438 in assistance to our neighbors in our service area through 10/1/2014-09/30/2015. We have visited and assisted 177 people during this past 12-month period. The assistance given was possible through this parish's generous Black Bag offerings and additional grant money given by the diocese council office. So far this fiscal year, we have received Black Bag offerings of \$1,460 in November and \$2,080 in October. We want to sincerely thank our parish for their support and prayers as we commit ourselves to ending poverty in our community.

CEF PERPETUAL ENROLLMENT.....

In loving memory of the **JOHNNY DIVIN FAMILY** by Ellouise Anderson; Harry Lee & Mary Ann Hykel; Anna Louise Kaska; Charles & Rose Kubacak; Ervin & Geraldine Laubert; Helen Lenart; Joe & Joyce Lenart; Milada Mazanec; Louis Mynarcik, Sr.; Robert & Carol Mynarcik; Evelyn Petter, and Dan & Jeanette Pokluda.

PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING: Jackie Holecek Davis, Billy Pavelka, Rose Kubacak; Richard Hlavenka, Joyce Lenart, Barbara Hykel, Barbara Chudej, Mildred Bajer, Marcie Herring, Larry Mashek, Tim Jaska, James Smith, Freddie Hutyra, Cressie & Henry Girard, Alex Perez; Bill Hannes; Ken Bernsen; Kelly Hooper, Jennifer Jares Ashley; Lillian Hromadka, Karcyn Kauffman, Larry Holecek, Wesley Mashek, Nilce Carman, Nathaniel Torres, Wendell Harrison, Billy Kelm, Paula Ledford, Martha Sulak Gerik, Eugene Roznos, Louis Mynarcik, Albin Poehls, Zander Williams, Hattie Kolar, Chris Hutyra, Delbert Helms, Dawn Hand,

Butch Manske, Charlotte Klaus, Dave Redwine, Diana Schroeder, Charlie Holy, Sr., Linda Hill, and Jeff Jares.

DO YOU WANT TO ENJOY YOUR MARRIAGE? St. Mary's Catholic Church invites youto Discover God's Plan for Marriage. The reasons why 1). Improve your communication; 2). Experience the healing power of forgiveness; 3). Explore the role of service and prayer in marriages and 4). Cherish the marriage God intended for you. The Enjoy Your Marriage Workshop inspires couples to initiate positive change in their marriage. You will leave with a renewed sense of hope, inspiration and encouragement! This workshop will be held in the Parish center on Saturday, December 12 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Child care and lunch will be provided. The Alexander House Apostolate is an international non-profit organization working to preserve the marriage covenant, build strong families and lower the divorce rate by proclaiming the beauty, goodness and truth of God's plan for marriage. For more information or to register please contact the office at 826-3705 or register by e-mailing frpaul611@gmail.com.

CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING --Jesus wants to be King and Lord of our lives. He freed us from sin and death. Yet, Christ invites us to turn away from worldly things to participate fully in His Kingdom. We are reminded that He is victorious. Do I live as a faithful member of the Kingdom?

SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS ARE NEEDED St. Mary's Catholic School is in need of substitute teachers. Please call the school office at 826-5991 for details.

ST. MARY'S FALL RAFFLE -- It's time for the St. Mary's Fall Raffle. Tickets are available for \$100 and only 300 will be sold. Top prize is a \$10,000 Visa Gift card along with 13 prizes in all. This year we are having an extra drawing. Tickets may be purchased at St. Mary's School, the Church Rectory, and from a School Board member and also the tickets will be sold before and after all Masses. The drawing has been set for December 13th at 1 p.m. in the Parish center.

PRAYER FOR THE GLORIFICATION OF ALESSANDRO SERENELLI

Prayer For Private Devotion

Most loving and merciful God, Who patiently offers mercy to every sinner, so that none may be lost; I thank You for the life of Alessandro Serenelli, the repentant murderer of St. Maria Goretti. I praise You for the way he was converted by the heroic forgiveness that St. Maria extended towards him, which he accepted, and through which he discovered You. Humbly I ask that Your Church raise to the glory of her altars Alessandro Serenelli, who lived the holy life of a penitent, and that through his intercession You would grant the following petitions if they be in accord with Your Most Holy Will: (Here mention your petitions). Through Christ Our Lord. Amen. Then say Our Father/Hail Mary/ and Glory be to the Father

CHRISTMAS BASKETS --The West Conference of the Society of St. Vincent dePaul is having their annual 'Christmas Meal in a Bag' program again this year and would like to ask our parishioners' help in locating families in need of a Christmas meal. We have a list of local people we have served over the past year but you may know others that need a meal for Christmas that has not contacted our help-line for assistance. We have cards at the back of church that you may use to

submit the name, address and phone number of a local person or family that needs a Christmas Meal in a Bag. Our Conference serves the people living in our Church boundary (people of all faiths) and we will verify the family would like to receive the meal before delivery.

A PRAYER TO DEFEND MARRIAGE

Almighty God, author of life and author of marriage, we pray that you preserve and protect the sanctity of the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony from all the cultural and legal attacks waged against it. We invoke the intercession of your martyrs, St. John the Baptist, St. Thomas More and St. John Fisher who all willingly gave their lives in testimony to the sacredness of married love. May what you have joined together as true marriage in the natural law, one man and one woman, be forever known to this and future generations as the only true definition of marriage. No matter what counterfeits may be proposed and promoted by foolish social trends and short-sighted governments, let your faithful followers boldly proclaim and live the truth. Give the leaders of your Church the courage and wisdom to defend and uphold your law, and not cower to the unjust laws of man and the persecutions that may come from resisting them. When you joined Adam to Eve, you declared it "very good", for this was your plan for humanity, that they may be fruitful and multiply, birthing new lives that would forever glorify and praise you. Your Divine Son, Jesus, came to save us and to also teach us about selfless love as He laid down His life for His bride, the Church. By Our Lady's prompting he performed His first miracle at Cana, giving His presence in the celebration of marital love as a joyful wine to married couples. May the Lord Jesus, our Bridegroom, once again shower grace upon this fallen world and reveal the holiness of marriage as intended from the beginning of creation. AMEN