

**32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
November 10, 2019**

**Mass Intentions**

**Monday, November 11**

*Wis 1:1-7/Ps 139:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8, 9-10 [24b]/Lk 17:1-6*

**8:00 AM Mass** – Cathedral Veterans +

**Tuesday, November 12**

*Wis 2:23—3:9/Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19 92a)/Lk 17:7-10*

**8:00 AM Mass** – Father Philip Luebbert +

**Wednesday, November 13**

*Wis 6:1-11...Ps 82:3-4, 6-7 98a0...Lk 17:11-19*

**6:00 PM Mass** – Dennis King +

**Thursday, November 14**

*Wis 7:22b—8:1...Ps 119:89, 90, 91, 130, 135, 175 989a)...Lk 17:20-25*

**8:00 AM Mass** – John Robertson +

**Friday, November 15**

*Wis 13:1-9...Ps 19:2-3, 4-5ab [2a)...Lk 17:26-37*

**8:00 AM Mass** – Mike Stroud +

**Saturday, November 16**

*Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9...Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43 [5a)...Lk 18:1-8*

**8:00 AM Mass** – No special intention scheduled

**4:00 PM Mass** – Margaret Wilson +

**Sunday, November 17**

*Mal 3:19-20a...Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9{cf.9}...2 Thes 3:7-12...Lk 21:5-19*

**8:30 AM Mass** – Bill and Gina Cunningham +

**11:30 AM Mass** – People of the Parish

*Prayers and Sympathy to the family and friends of:*

- *Millie Weaver, grandmother of Rob Weaver*
- *Edna Muehlbach, sister-in-law of Mike Muehlbach*
- *Father Andy Biller, brother of Rita Ward and uncle of Derek Ward and Nikki Page*

We need your help! Volunteers are needed to serve as host at the directory photo sessions to be held in Ruggle Hall/St. Anne's Room on **Nov. 16, 18, 25, 26, & 27** and **Dec. 6 & 7**. Responsibility consists of handing out a brief form to each person/family to be completed before the pictures are taken. If you can volunteer a couple of hours or more, please call the **Parish Office** at **232-7763**. We appreciate your assistance!

Your **Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA) contributions** will help make the education of our 21 seminarians possible. We are blessed with the presence of these dedicated young men who will one-day serve the people of our diocese as priests. To view Bishop Johnston's video message about the **Annual Catholic Appeal**, go to our website: [www.cathedralsj.org](http://www.cathedralsj.org).

This weekend, our second collection benefits the **Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA**, a triennial collection approved by the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops. Please prayerfully consider a contribution to this special collection to support active-duty military men and women and their families – including those from our own parish.

**WEEKLY OFFERTORY INCOME**

Monthly Budget Goal \$63,917.00

Offertory

Aged, Sick & Poor

Week 1 \$ 11,079.57

\$ 813.00

**This Coming Week**

**Monday, November 11**

9:30-11:00 AM Food Pantry - Rectory Basement

3:45-4:45 PM Coding Club – Ruggle Hall

5:30-6:30 PM Finance Meeting-Msgr. Dierkes Mtg Rm

6:00- 6:50 PM School of Religion – Ruggle Hall

6:30-7:30 PM Pastoral Council – Msgr. Dierkes Mtg Rm

**Tuesday, November 12**

3:15-4:15 PM Grade 5 Bell Choir Rehearsal - Church

6:00 PM First Reconciliation - Church

7:00-8:30 PM Scouts – Gym

**Wednesday, November 13**

9:30-11:00 AM Food Pantry – Rectory Basement

3:15-4:15 PM Grade 6 Bell Choir Rehearsal – Church

5:00 PM Advisory School Bd–Msgr. Dierkes Rm

**Thursday, November 14**

3:15 PM Chess Club – Ruggle Hall

7:00 PM Cathedral Choir Rehearsal – Ruggle Hall

**Friday, November 15**

9:30-11:00 AM Food Pantry – Rectory Basement

**Saturday, November 16**

11:00AM-5:00 PM Cathedral Directory Pictures-Ruggle Hall

2:30 PM Confessions

3:30 PM Rosary

4:00 PM Mass – Bring Christmas Child Shoe Boxes

6:00 PM Trivia Night – Gym (doors open 5:00 PM)

**Sunday, November 17**

8:00 AM Rosary and Confessions

8:30 AM Mass – Bring Christmas Child Shoe Boxes

After Mass Coffee, Milk, and Donuts – Ruggle Hall

11:00 AM Confessions

11:30 AM Mass – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Family Mass

Bring Christmas Child Shoe Boxes to Mass

4:00-7:30 PM Religious Emblem Session – Ruggle Hall

4:15-6:15 PM RCIA Session-Msgr. Dierkes Mtg Room

6:00-8:00 PM Confirmation Group – Works of Mercy

**Operation Christmas Child:** Brochures and boxes are available at the church entrances if you are interested in filling a shoe box to introduce God's love at Christmas to an underprivileged child. The shoe boxes must be returned to church by **Nov. 16-17**. If you prefer not to shop, cash donations would be appreciated to help with shipping expenses. Questions? please call **Norma Conant, 364-3203**, or **Pat Bartlett, 232-1247**.

The **Food Pantry** is still in need of plastic bags, small empty containers, and empty water bottles. **Thank you!**

**Cathedral Pictorial Directory:** We hope all parishioners will choose to have their picture taken to be included in the Cathedral Directory and receive a **free 8x10 picture** and a **copy of the directory**. So far, only **113 families** have signed up to have their pictures taken. If you have not scheduled an appointment yet, please contact the **Parish Office:** [pbokav@cathedralsj.org](mailto:pbokav@cathedralsj.org), [tteschner@cathedralsj.org](mailto:tteschner@cathedralsj.org), 232-7763, or go to: <https://booknow-lifetouch.appointment-plus.com/b1sqv07c/>. There are still dates/times available:

**Mon., Nov. 18, 2-9 PM**

**Mon., Nov. 25, 2-9 PM**

**Tues., Nov. 26, 2-9 PM**

**Wed., Nov. 27, 10 AM-5 PM**

**Fri., Dec 6, 2-9 PM**

**Sat., Dec. 7, 10 AM-5 PM**

You may purchase additional pictures (is optional).

Those age 60 + or those in Military Service or First Responders get a 20% discount.

Lord, when your glory appears, my joy will be full. (Ps 17)

**Message from Father Hansen...** Three weeks from today we begin Advent! It's hard to imagine it's so soon. Before you know it, we'll be starting the Christmas liturgies and having Bishop Johnston visit again as he does every Christmas at the first Cathedral of the Diocese. Before we welcome the quiet time of Advent and Christmas, we have Christ the King which marks the end of the liturgical year.

Each November we consider the end of our lives with the celebrations of All Saints and All Souls, those who've reached heaven after their earthly life and those being purified in anticipation of becoming saints. We call these mysteries that we reflect on in November, "Last things." EWTN had a nice summary of them, I share them here:

*The last things are death, judgment, heaven and hell.*

**Death** is the separation of man's mortal body and immortal soul. It comes to all men as a result of original sin. It is a temporary state, for at the end of the world, all men shall rise again to be judged by Christ. Thus the whole man, body and soul, will be rewarded for the good or evil that he has done, body and soul, in this life.

At the moment of death, each human person is **judged** by God based on his conduct in this life, and goes immediately to his reward or punishment. Moreover, at the end of the world, Jesus Christ will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead. At that time, God's whole plan for the world shall be revealed, and his mercy and justice demonstrated.

**Heaven** is the eternal state of perfect happiness resulting from the face to face vision of God, which is the reward of those who have served Him in this life.

**Hell** is the eternal state of torment and despair which awaits those who, in this life, have freely rejected God and the happiness which He offers.

Before the end of the world, there will be an intermediate state called purgatory. There, those who are bound for heaven, but whose love for God is still marred by some imperfection, undergo a temporary period of purifying suffering. When this purification is complete, they are fit to enter God's presence and are admitted to the joys of heaven.

Regarding last things, I also share the words of a Saint:

*Your aim should be that **there be many souls in the midst of the world who love God with all their heart.***

*—It's time to do your sums: how many souls have you helped to discover that Love?*

*Do not fear God's Justice. God's justice is no less admirable and no less lovable than his mercy: both are proofs of his Love.*

**Fall Trivia Night – Sat., Nov. 16**, in our gym. Doors open at **5:00 PM**, trivia begins at **6:00 PM**. Teams of 10 (or less) - \$10/person at the door! Bring your own snacks and beverages. Please come and join in the fun while supporting the **Cathedral Technology Fund**.

The **Fall Altar Society Business Meeting** will be held on **Tues., Nov. 19**, at **6:30 PM**. **Fr. Hansen, John Modlin**, and **Jocelyn Winters** will present an update on the **Beacon on the Hill** campaign and progress on our new **St. Gianna Early Childhood Development Center**.

**Stewardship Makes a Difference . . . Thank you to Cody Phillips** and the other parents from our ECC who worked on the tire chips in the playground area. We appreciate your thoughtfulness.

### **CHECK THIS OUT . . . Our School and ECC News**

- In the spirit of Thanksgiving, the school is hosting a food drive **Thurs., Nov. 7-Mon., Nov. 25**. These donated non-perishable food items will be donated to Cathedral's Food Pantry. All items will be totaled and the buddy class/partnership that collects the greatest number of goods will enjoy a class party.

The Catholic young adult group (age 22-35) for St. Joseph, **Coram Deo**, is meeting on **Thurs., Nov. 14**, at **Our Lady of Guadalupe Parish** at **6:10 PM** for prayer and pizza. They will then head to **The Axe Factor**, the newly opened indoor axe-throwing range in St. Joseph! Please bring a few bucks in cash to help pay for the pizza. Questions? Please contact **Ally Goetz** at [agoetz@olog.org](mailto:agoetz@olog.org).

The cast and crew of the **Bishop LeBlond High School** Theatre Department would like to invite you to enjoy their Fall Musical **"Gone with the Breeze"**. This musical comedy will be presented on **Fri., Nov. 15** and **Sat., Nov. 16** at **7:00 PM** and **Sun., Nov. 17** at **3:00 PM** at LeBlond. Tickets are \$7/adult and \$3/student and senior citizen and are available for advance purchase in the LB school office or at the door an hour before show time.

**St. James Paint Party – Sat., Nov. 16, 7 PM**, doors open at **6:30 PM**. \$35/person fee includes canvas and all painting supplies. Feel free to bring your own refreshments. Enjoy good fellowship as you paint your own masterpiece! No previous experience needed – all levels of ability welcome! **RSVP by Nov. 11**. Text or call **Elizabeth Marek, 816-351-1672**.

**Attention Men of the Parish:** Familiarization trips to the prison are now available. If interested, please call **Hubert Gregory, 816-646-1056** or **Roger Knapp, 816-279-4323**.

**Daughters of Isabella** will meet on **Tues., Nov. 12**, at the **St. Francis Parish Center**. Their Memorial Mass will begin at **11:00 AM** followed by lunch and a meeting.

A Plenary Indulgence granted by Papal Decree: Two hours **Lourdes Virtual Pilgrimage Experience** at **Immaculate Conception Cathedral** in KC, on **Sat., Nov. 16, 11:30 AM**. There also will be **1:30-2:15 PM** Sacrament of Reconciliation, and **2:30 PM** Mass. Everyone invited. Questions? Contact **Lorie Sage, sage@diocesekcsj.org** or **816-756-1850 x 242**.

**Knights of Columbus Council #571** will host their **Annual Turkey Shoot** on **Nov. 22** at **4520 Mitchell Ave**. Event is for men 21 years and over. Fun starts at **6:00 PM** and is also open to non-members. They are giving away 30 turkeys & 30 bottles of cheer, plus many more ways to win this year with raffles and auction. \$10 all you can eat & drink featuring Leonard's famous chili dogs. **816-351-1384** or **816-752-3532**.

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