# St. Richard Parish



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WEEK OF NOV. 15, 2020 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Fr. Sean Raftis- Pastor

Doug Cordier - Permanent Deacon

Colleen Konopatzke - Office Manager

Mary Burgess - Music Director

Angie Schubert - Elem. Youth Minister

Raven Woelkers - JH/HS Youth Minister

Catherine Cetera - Adult Formation

Emma Gulko - Housekeeper

Tyler Ament - EF Sacristan

Fall/Winter MASS SCHEDULE: Sept 2020 – May 2021

Saturday — 4:30 p.m. Sunday — 8:00 a.m. *Latin Mass* Sunday — 10:00 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday – 8:30 a.m. Wednesday – 4:30 p.m. Thursday – 8:30 a.m.

At St. Richard Parish

Friday – 11:00 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Saturday - 11:00 a.m.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION Saturdays 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. 1st Sunday of the Month 6:00 p.m.

ROSARY: Saturday — 11:00 a.m. Thursday — 9:30 a.m. Morning Prayer — Thurs — 9:00 a.m.

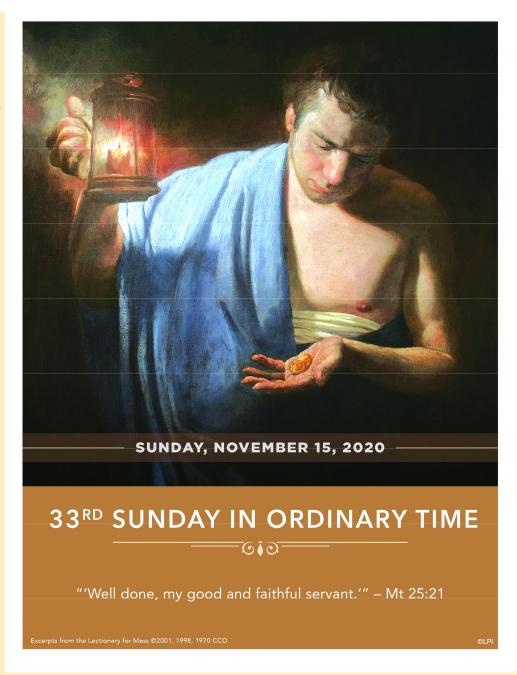
MINISTRY TO SICK AND HOMEBOUND Contact Deacon Doug Cordier 892-3991

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
OCTOBER THRU MAY
ELEM K-5 4:00PM - 5:30 P.M.
JH & HS 6:30 PM - 8:00 P.M.

COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN CCW SEPT - JUNE
2ND SUNDAY OF MONTH @ 11 A.M.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MEETING SEPT – JUNE

2ND TUESDAY OF MONTH @ 7 P.M.



St. Richard's Prayer: Thanks be to You, my Lord Jesus Christ, for all the benefits that You have given me, for all the pains and insults You have borne for me. O, most merciful Redeemer, Friend & Brother, may I know You more clearly, love You more dearly, and follow You more nearly, day by day. Amen

# WEEKLY PRAYER

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 15, 2020

SUN 11/15 Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 [cf. 1a]/1

Thes 5:1-6/Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21

MON 11/16 Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [Rev 2:17]/Lk 18:35-43

**TUE 11/17** Rv 3:1-6, 14-22/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5 [Rev 3:21]/Lk 19:1-10

WED 11/18 Rv 4:1-11/Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6 [1b]/Lk 19:11-28

THR 11/19 Rv 5:1-10/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b [Rev 5:10]/

Lk 19:41-44

FRI **11/20** Rv 10:8-11/Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131 [103a]/

Lk 19:45-48

SAT 11/21 Rv 11:4-12/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10 [1b]/Lk 20:27-40

SUN 11/22 Ez 34:11-12, 15-17/Ps 23:1-2, 2-3, 5-6 [1]/1 Cor 15:20-26, 28/

Mt 25:31-46

### **OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 15, 2020**

**Sunday:** 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Monday:** St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude, Virgin

**Tuesday:** St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious

Wednesday: The Dedication of the Basilicas of Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles;

St. Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin

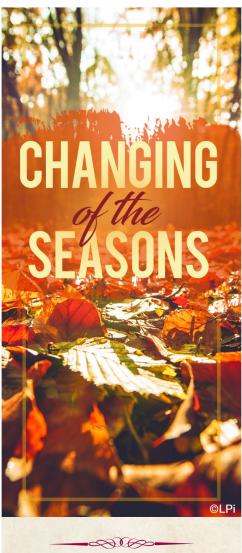
Saturday: The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

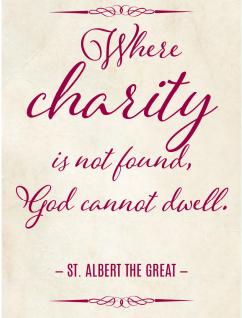
Next Sunday: Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

### LIVE THE LITURGY

#### Inspiration for the week

God has entrusted his possessions to us. God's possessions are not earthly, physical things like ours: a home, bank account, personal items, and so forth. God's possessions are far greater and deeper. God's greatest possession is His very Self and it is precisely this pearl of great price that He bestows freely upon us. What are we going to do with it? Nourishing the fruits of wisdom is of the first order in determining how we are going to use what God have given. Understanding that His gift has not been given purely for our self-benefit is another. Wisdom asks us to broaden our horizons to embrace all avenues of human life, including the needs of the poor, the marginalized, and the needy. Manifested primarily in the virtues of faith, hope, and love, what God has entrusted to us can multiply exponentially if we invest His gift wisely and reap the greatest benefits. While it requires a great deal of focus and persistent hard work, we will experience tremendous joy when we realize just how much confidence God has in us. Not acting on something out of fear or lack of trust serves no purpose and is of no use to either God or ourselves.





# BIRTHDAY

**Manual Infante Annette Call Annie Bois** 

Nov 15 **Nov 16 Nov 19** 

Cole Bender Cecelia Notess Nov 16

**Lanny Thorsteinson** 

**Nov 18 Nov 20** 

Please consider joining the **Snow Shoveling Crew** this winter! Sidewalks around the building need to be safe for our parishioners during weekly business hours and weekend services. Contact Colleen if you are able to help. Thank you!



# Your Gift Benefits Those Who

Serve

Our gifts to the ACA 2020 support programs that help

train the men and women whose service complements the work of our priests, deacons and sisters. Please be generous. Our Parish goal is to have all families participate in the Annual Catholic Campaign. Our parish financial goal is \$42,000.

*In Faith ~ Serving as Disciples* 

# Congratulations to our Newly Confirmed!



Luke Frampton, Caleb Reinsberg, Trey Eisenbarth, Caleb Smith, Fr. Sean Raftis, Ashley Roth, Grace Cincis, Leah Bois, Angela Bois

If you are new to St. Richard's and would like to register with our parish, please contact Colleen, in the Parish Office at 892-5142 or stop in during the week. Office hours are 9 - 3 p.m.

Wedding, Baptism, Funeral/ Cemetery information and/or other arrangements can be made by appointment only through Fr. Sean Raftis, Deacon Doug, or Colleen. Please call the office at 892-5142 to make an appointment.

# **FINANCE COUNCIL MEMBERS**

Bob Pearce Jr. Mark Johnson Char Launer Richard Gostnell Steve Duffy Fr. Sean Raftis Next Meeting—

# PASTORAL COUNCIL **MEMBERS**

Josh Branstetter Jack Burgess Howie Ficek Debbie Gilk RaeDeen Heupel Ray Hoerner Holly McKenzie Harriet Mize Catherine Owens

# **Weekly Offering**

Envelope \$ 1634.00 Loose \$ 2725.00 EF \$ 315.00 **Building Fund** 457.00 Total

> Thank you for your sacrificial generosity. God Bless You!

## Pray for our Seminarians

Dillon Armstrong Matthew Christaens Joseph Dalimata Tyler Frohlich Kyle Tannehill Kaleb Mitchell John Cooney Riley Helgoe **Brett Rotz** 





