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November- a time
of Remembering
our Beloved Dead

*"For since we believe that Jesus died
and rose again, even so, through Jesus,
God will bring with him those who
have fallen asleep"*
(1 Thes 4:14)

RECENTLY DEPARTED SOULS 2020 - 2021

Patricia Lackey
Evelyn Lyons
Pete Pelaez
Kathryn Francois
Danny Darin
Mike Steinman
Tina Suarez
Bernice Schmidt
Lola Friedrich
Don Dreas
Gerald Peterson

Louis Logullo
Norma Holtkamp
Ruth Holloway
Mary Schroeter
Maggie Irwin
Anna Sturman
Charles Waggoner
Rita Taylor
Jack Mann
Mary Kirkland
Eugene Becker



Thank you to Centralia High School Marching Band and
Color Guard who visited SMS during Red Ribbon Week.



Called to *Serve*
Lectors



YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND! It is with great joy that we
announce that Deacon Candidate, Dan Laquet has been recommended
to be Instituted to the **"Ministry of Lector."** The Word and Eucharist
service will be held on Saturday, November 13, 2021, at 10:00 a.m. at
the Cathedral of St. Peter, Belleville. Bishop McGovern will preside.
The Parish is invited to attend. Please contact the Parish Office for
additional information.



Happy Birthday Mrs. Pryor. Students help our principal Maria Pryor
celebrate her birthday with balloons and costumes.



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OF RAFFLE TICKETS
BY NOVEMBER 21ST.**

All are invited to the Diocesan Fall Blessing of the Har-
vest, which will be held on Wednesday, November 10,
2021, at 1:00 P.M. at the Mike Chwasczinski Family Farm
located at 5211 Indian Trail Road in Ashley, IL.
Those attending are invited to bring harvested grain, fruit
and vegetables and garden produce in sealed, marked
containers along with animals and farm machinery to be
blessed. You are encouraged to bring non-perishable
food items to be donated to the local food pantry.



MASS Intentions

Saturday, November 6, 2021

4:00 p.m. St. Mary Church
†Margie & †Dale Gehrke
†Brenda Walter

Sunday, November 7, 2021

10:30 a.m. St. Mary Church
†Roy Ward

Tuesday, November 9, 2021

12:00 p.m. Hospital
For the Sick and Dying

Wednesday, November 10, 2021

8:30am Church
SMS Students & Staff

Friday, November 12, 2021

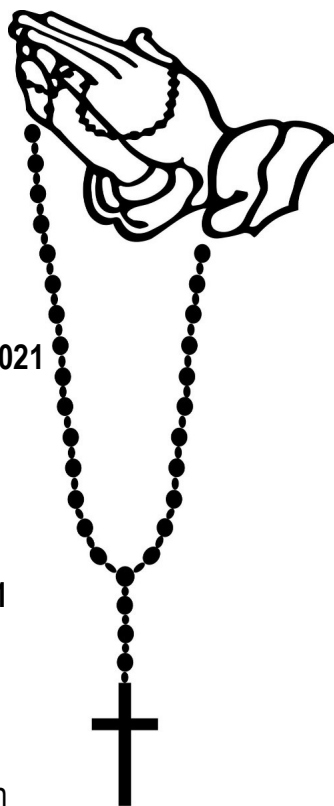
8:30 a.m. Chapel
For the People

Saturday, November 13, 2021

4:00 p.m. St. Mary Church
†Jack Mann
†Crucephine Pierson

Sunday, November 14, 2021

10:30 a.m. St. Mary Church
†Roy Szatkowski
†Bud Miller, †Lawrence & †Agnes Goebel



Prayer Intentions

Prayer requests will be listed for one month. To submit a prayer request, please contact, Rene' at the Parish Office. 618-532-6291. Requests can only be submitted by the in-

For those who are sick, homebound, in the hospital or suffering in any way, especially: Robin Cimera, Waylon Vick, Ann Dunn, Natasha Lang, Fr. Gary Gummersheimer, Fr. Joe Rascher, Mariann Deadmond Davis, Dorothy Gross, Rose Wesbecker, Mona Hall-Vaughn, Kathy Karl Miller and all Covid19 patients.

For those in Care Centers, and Specialized Living Centers... May they stay safe and healthy.

For those serving in the Armed Forces especially: Martin Lyke, Dylan Huether or away at College...May the Holy Spirit guide them.

Stewardship

Thank you for your support of our Parish and School

You can support your Parish with your weekly envelope

Sign-up for Online Giving: stmarycentralia.org

Mail your gift to: St. Mary Parish, 424 E. Broadway, Centralia, IL 62801

ST. MARY PARISH SUPPORT

Total of all collections 10/31/2021	#	AMOUNT
Envelopes / Online Giving	51 / 11	\$4,410.00
Loose		\$151.00
Capital Improvements	5	\$170.00
CCHD	2	\$30.00
School Support	4	\$120.00
Propagation of the Faith	1	\$15.00
Other	4	\$1,180.00
TOTAL	78	\$6,076.00



Please call Mary Miller, if you have a prayer intention needing to be added to the prayer chain, phone 618-292-1229. The prayer chain also needs more prayer warriors if you can volunteer.

CELEBRATION OF HOLY MASS

ST. LAWRENCE PARISH
EVERY THURSDAY
8:30 A.M.

*Using the Sunday Liturgy
including the Sunday Readings*

NO RESERVATIONS REQUIRED



Date	Time	Event/ Contact	Details
Every Sunday	9:00 a.m. until 10:15 a.m.	Vicki Laquet Parish School of Religion (PSR)	Check schedule for details of when individual classes meet in person and classroom location.
Every Monday	6:00 p.m. Until 7:00 p.m.	Scripture Class HAS RESUMED	Join us for discussion of Holy Scripture, Bible reading and more.
Every Monday	9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Quilting Sally Tiemann	St. Lawrence Parish Center, until further notice, contact Sally

St. Mary Church

The Sanctuary Candle for the month of November burns in loving memory of...

Harold "Pete" Aydt

*In
Loving
Memory*



December 2021	<i>Nall, Hollem & Duty Families</i>
January 2022	<i>Corinno & Anna Leeta Darin</i>
February 2022	<i>Alan & Rosalie Thomas</i>
March 2022	<i>Elliston & Garnier Families</i>
April 2022	<i>Defend, Yates, McGuigan, & Finn Families</i>
May 2022	<i>Richard, Michael, Megan & Jacob Neff</i>
June 2022	<i>Joe Marcum & Hope Harbin</i>
July 2022	<i>Harold "Pete" Aydt</i>
August 2022	<i>Verdeyen & Willenborg Families</i>
September 2022	<i>Gene Uhls</i>
October 2022	<i>David Schwartz</i>
November 2022	<i>Dr. Avelino Raquiza Lazo MD</i>
December 2022	<i>Nall, Hollern & Duty Family</i>

St. Mary Chapel

The Sanctuary Candle for the month of November burns in loving memory of...

Anthony M. Pautler

*In
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Message from Fr. Steve

We see Jesus people-watching, not at a mall, but where those who claim to be religious are gathered. Mark told us a few verses earlier that Jesus was teaching in the temple courts, and what he saw provoked him to say the things we just heard from him in the reading. Today, Jesus quietly observes as the teachers of the law go by — after seeing them, his response is priceless. He sees that many define their religion because they know the religious laws of their group. He considers how they prance around thinking themselves to be necessary, how they recite long prayers and think themselves to be religious. And as Jesus watches, he warns those around him, "Don't be like them!" Many of us have spent countless hours preparing for a career. The duteous study, mid-night oil preparing for exams, and anxiety beyond imagination. When you land that "dream job," some of us are shocked that much of what we have learned is seldom referenced. What is important is our ability to interact and work with each other.

I took my turn standing at the "square" in Red Bud for many years, collecting for the Annual Knights of Columbus Tootsie Roll Drive. The funds collected were given to support persons with intellectual and physical disabilities. The name has changed throughout my forty-two years as a Knight of Columbus, but the giving and charity have continued. To be honest, it was a dangerous prospect at times when a semi-trailer approached and overshadowed you. People were so generous, reaching for their change and dropping into the basket with a smile. Contributors from every walk of life. On some occasions, you would see an older car, usually one of those big, long Buick's approaching. Inside, a petite lady would be barely visible over the steering wheel, "grandma type," frantically trying to find some change to deposit in the basket. (You always had to look out for those drivers, in the frantic search, they sometimes swerved.) Out through the window would emerge this small hand placing coins in the basket. Usually, you would hear, "oh no, sweetie, give that Tootsie Roll to someone else."

I am often humbled by the generosity of our parish family members. The old cliché, "God will provide," is so true. The Gospel today is, therefore, a strong challenge for all of us. Perhaps we need to be reminded that everything comes from God and that we are just managers of everything we have. Or maybe we are not yet really convinced that God provides and that He can never be outdone in generosity. Are we afraid that God will not do His part of the deal? What do Jesus' words about the woman who gave everything she had to say to us today? Probably Jesus would tell us to stand up for those who are the most vulnerable. He would say to us to speak up for those who have no way to do so for themselves. Jesus would tell us to do all we can in the system to enact laws that protect the helpless and the least and the last.



In Loving Memory

Sanctuary Candles burn for one month in memory of a departed loved one. We are asking \$60.00 per month to cover the cost of the candle. For more information and to secure a date contact Rene 532-6291



Mass Intentions

Mass Intentions are \$10.00 per Intention. Please contact Rene 532-6291

St. Mary Parish Bulletin Supporter

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We are happy you joined us today! If you would like to become a member of our Parish Family, please contact Rene at St. Mary Parish Office 532-6291



Sacraments & Preparation

Sacrament of Baptism: Attend a Baptismal Preparation Class. At least one parent must be a registered active & practicing member of the Parish. Please make arrangements by calling the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Matrimony: The engaged couple should contact the Parish Office, six months prior to the intended date.

RCIA: (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) Please contact Vicki Laquet, CRE or Father Steve for information about joining the Church

Anointing of the Sick: Contact Father Steve or a neighboring Priest. Anointing is also available the First Friday of each month following the Chapel Mass, and the First Sunday, (every three months), following the 10:30 a.m. Mass at St. Mary and 8:30 a.m. Mass at St. Lawrence.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR NOVEMBER 14

Reading 1 Daniel 12: 1—3
Reading II Hebrews 10: 11—14
Gospel Mark 13: 24—32

Reverend Steven M. Pautler - Pastor
Reverend Mr. Benjamin Wanner - Transitional Deacon

Parish Trustees - Greg Schwartz & Patty Williams

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Theresa Hacker - Business Manager

Vicki Laquet - CRE

Rene' Aydt - Parish Secretary / Receptionist

Lynn Featherling - St. Mary School Secretary

—Pastoral Council—

Joan Beguelin, Pete Donnelly, Garrett Ford, Lisa Guthrie, Wayne Houser, Nancy Lukasik, Vicki Laquet, Manny Maco, Martina Maco, Mary Miller, Greg Schwartz, Nicole Sandahl, Mike Stock, and Patty Williams.

—Finance Council—

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MASS SCHEDULE

LIVESTREAM on the
St. Mary Catholic Church – Centralia, Illinois
FACEBOOK PAGE

<https://www.facebook.com/TimLFergPhotosStM/>

Tuesday Mass 12 Noon St. Mary's Hospital
Thursday 8:30am 65 + Older at St. Lawrence Parish Center
Friday Mass 8:30am at St. Mary
Saturday (vigil) Mass, St. Mary 4:00 p.m.
Sunday Mass, St. Lawrence 8:30 am / Sunday Mass, 10:30am
Sunday Mass will be UPLOADED to our FB Page

Nov 13 / 14	4:00 p.m. Vigil Mass	10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass
Lector:	Sr. Andrea	Guthrie
Eucharistic Minister:	Niepoetter	Donnelly
Ushers:	Pierson Gettinger	Ballagh Holle
Greeters:	Cozadd Cozadd	Shaw Reed
Servers:	Broda Knowles Sipe	Pigg Hall Hall
Cantor	Rose	Tom

SEXUAL ABUSE HOTLINE:

Anyone wishing to report an allegation of sexual misconduct by a priest or other diocesan personnel please call the hotline: 800-640-3044.

ONLINE GIVING

now available



We invite you to consider our Online Giving Portal when making your weekly contribution to St. Mary Parish. It is easy to access just go to our webpage:

stmarycentralia.org



Becoming a Knight of Columbus

Have you ever considered becoming a member of the Knights of Columbus? We are the largest worldwide Catholic Fraternal Organization. Centralia Council #1025 meets the First Tuesday of Each Month. Contact Greg Schwartz for information.



PLEASE NOTE

All clergy, employees and adult volunteers must complete the Initial or the Renewal Child Protection Course to be compliant with the Diocese's Child Protection Policy. To access the website, go to: <https://safeandsacred-diobelle.org>

THINKING ABOUT BECOMING CATHOLIC?

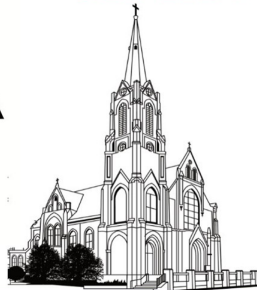


JOURNEY INTO FAITH

Give us a call...

532-6291

RCIA
Rite of **Christian Initiation** of Adults
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St. Lawrence Knights of Columbus Council #11758

CHICKEN FRIED STEAK DINNER AND SILENT AUCTION

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2021
SERVING 4:00 P.M. - 6:30 P.M.

Meal includes chicken fried steak, gravy, Mashed potatoes, corn, green beans, dessert And drink. (hamburgers will be available)

FREE WILL OFFERING
(All donations go to K of C Charities)



Jesus expects the scribes as teachers, lawyers, and judges of the law (as he would of everyone), to give themselves in responsible percentages for others. To humbly and selflessly give of our time, talent or treasure is a sign of Christian maturity. Like the poor widow, true human wholeness is to be at the service of others without the expectation of being measured or compared. God's desire is for us to use our free will to give without being honored. I am filled with gratitude that many are turning to Jesus for guidance on distributing their abundance.

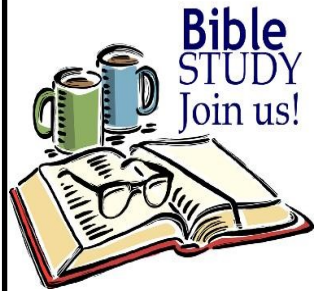
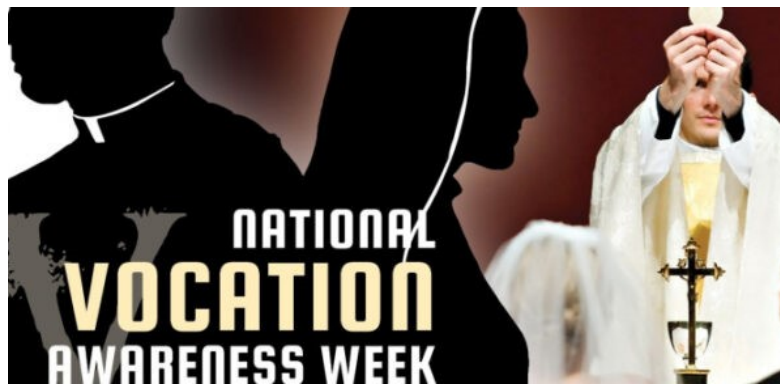
RESPECT LIFE

We often hear that people are uncomfortable with the idea of coming out to pray during 40 Days for Life. In John 14:27, **Jesus prepared the disciples for what lay ahead, knowing that it would not be easy or comfortable.** As He comforted them and prepared them, He said this, "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give it to you. Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid". Let the peace of Christ fill your hearts as He hears your prayers for the parents that approach Planned Parenthood on 'Salem' Place, which is derived from the Hebrew word 'Shalom', meaning peace.

An example of the peace of Jesus reigned over the day when prayer volunteers were praying for a couple entering the abortion facility. When praying at the fence in Fairview Heights with several others, a man and woman came out of Planned Parenthood and got into their car. Hesitating, they got out of their car, came over to us, and said, **"We went in and had our ultrasound for an abortion, but we saw you out here praying, and we're going to keep our baby girl!"** A little girl's heart is still beating because volunteers, ordinary people with busy lives, came out to pray. God used those prayers to save a life and hold together a family. Christ's peace wasn't just for His early disciples; it stretches to prayer volunteers and pregnant mothers as well! **Theresa Miller-Boll**, Volunteer Sidewalk Counselor, Coalition for Life St. Louis

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Everyone Welcome !*



November



CALENDAR WINNERS

November 2, 2021

Kathy Royal – Central City

Lisa Graham - Centralia



November 9, 2021



We have a new home! A few weeks ago, Father Steve had a "heart to heart," coming to Jesus, moment with us. He explained how much he loved us and wanted only the best. We know that he doesn't like when we are alone and we miss him too. We are now living with Ren, and his dad in Sandoval. They live in an old church that Ren's dad changed into our house. We took all our favorite toys, squeaky things, and blankets with us. We looked like a couple of hobo's leaving town!

It took a few hours to get use to our new "digs," we explored every inch, figured out where all the pesty critters might make their way in and settle down for a nice rest. Ren lets us stay in his room; and its lots of fun waking him up as we wrestle. We have yummy meals, and Ren's dad built us this amazing climbing tree. It's a real tree, nothing "fake" like Father Steve had. We sharpen our claws and have places to rest high in the air so we don't miss a thing.

We really miss all the little cats at their school, the big cats in the office, and yes Father Steve, who adopted us after our mom went to heaven. We live near the big cats church in Sandoval so maybe one day we can sneak out and visit with everyone.

"Don't tell Ren." Hope all is ok, and I heard that our cousin Sister Gracie is coming back!

Love and Meow's....

Lilly and Snickers



ST. MARY PARISH NEWSLETTER MEETING

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 2021

6:00 P.M. - OFFICE MEETING ROOM

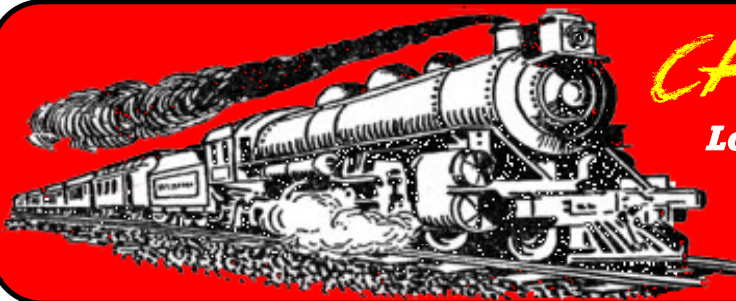
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CONTACT FATHER STEVE 532-6291 x307

**ATTENTION ALL PARISH ORGANIZATIONS, GROUPS
ALL SMS GROUPS, AND INDIVIDUALS...**

**DEADLINE FOR ARTICLES FOR
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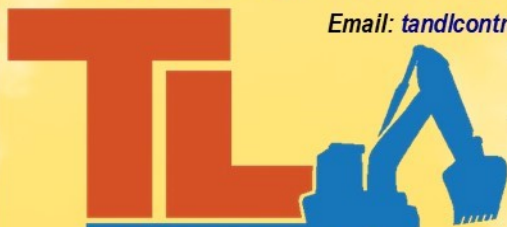
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