

# ST. LAWRENCE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH SANDOVAL, ILLINOIS

# ALL SOULS DAY NOVEMBER 02, 2025

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A Family of Faith

A Community of Kope

### SACRAMENTAL LIFE

HOLY MASS SCHEDOLE: St. Lawrence: Sunday-8:30 am – Thursday-8:30 am - Holy Day Vigil-6:00 pm St. Mary-Centralia: Saturday-4: 00 pm – Sunday-10:30 am – St. Mary-Carlyle: Saturday-4:30 pm-Sunday-10:00 am St. Teresa-Marydale: Saturday-7:30 pm – Sunday-8:00 am

Reconciliation: Before Sunday Mass 8:00 am - 8:20 am.

Buptism: Contact the office for Baptism preparation.

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Anointing of the sick. Available as needed and at Mass twice a year.

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### MASS INTENTIONS

Nov. 02 Aaron Niepoeter Mike & Rosetta Shaffer

Nov 06 Aaron Niepoetter Joseph Suarez Blanche Staton Marcella Schulte

Nov 09 Don & Barb Rohner Marc Oehmke Pete Aydt

Nov 13 Marie Tuel Leo Hudzik Clyde Warren Pauline Gambetta

### STEWARDSHIP REPORT

October 26, 2025

Envelopes \$1,056.00

Loose 204.00

World Mission 165.00

Convent Rent 700.00

Attendance - 96 -

Thank you for all your donations.

### LITURGICAL ROLES

\*\*\*\*\*\*\* November 02, 2025

**GREETERS:** Knights **SERVERS:** Knights

**GIFT BEARERS:** Knights

**LECTOR:** Knights **CANTOR:** Knights

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS: ORGANIST:** Mary Ann Weatherspoon

**COUNTERS TEAM:** Bob Perry Deacon Dan Laquet (Body of Christ)

Knights (Blood of Christ) Theresa Ingles

\*\*\*\*\*\* November 09, 2025

SERVERS: Eugene Nalewajka **GREETERS:** Brenda Schaubert **GIFT BEARERS:** Brenda Schuabert Theresa Ingles

**LECTOR:** Mary Williams **CANTOR:** Marlene Lackey

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS:** 

Deacon Dan Laquet (Body of Christ)

Mary Jo Jones & Jane Waddell (Blood of Christ)

### LOOKING AHEAD

Sun Nov 02 **ALL SOULS DAY** 

MASS:

**CONFESSION 8:00-8:20** 

St. Lawrence: 8:30 am

St. Teresa:

Marydale: 8:00 am

St. Mary:

Carlyle: 10:00 pm

St. Mary: 10:30 am

Thurs Nov 06 Sun Nov 09 MASS: MASS:

St. Lawrence: 8:30 am

Sat Nov 08 MASS:

St. Mary: 4:00 pm

St. Mary: Carlyle 4:30 pm

St. Teresa:

Marydale 7:30 pm

**CONFESSION 8:00-8:20** 

**ORGANIST:** Mary Ann Weatherspoon **COUNTERS TEAM:** Barb Spears

Theresa Ingles

St. Lawrence: 8:30 am

St. Teresa:

Marydale: 8:00 am

St. Mary:

Carlyle: 10:00 pm St. Mary: 10:30 am

#### SPECIAL INTEREST 0 F

### WELCOME FATHER STEVE PAUTLER & DEACON DAN LAQUET

### **Knights News**

Thanks to everyone for your donations to the Marion County Pregnancy Care Clinic during the month of October.

Raffle tickets are available at the entrances to church to benefit the Illinois Vocations Support Program. Tickets are \$5.00 a piece or five tickets for \$20.00. Put filled in raffle tickets, cash, or check payable to St. Lawrence Knights of Columbus in an envelope marked Vocations Raffle and drop in Sunday collection basket. Give to support seminarians. Raffle tickets are due by November 16th.

If you would like to see the St. Lawrence Financial Report you can get a hold of Theresa Ingles at the Office at (618)247-3300 or David Schulte.

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The Knights are looking for a washing machine for the Convent. If anyone has one, they would like to donate. Contact one of the Knights.



### MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR

Father Steven Pautler

Theme: "When Fresh Dirt, Meets Fresh Tears."

The words of Jesus in the Gospel of John 6:37-40 hold a promise both gentle and strong. "Everything the Father gives me will come to me, and I will not reject anyone who comes to me." It is a promise of welcome, a promise that no soul is forgotten, and a promise that death does not get the last word.

For those who may have missed my homily last week, I shared a little piece of wisdom I first heard from Sister Judith, my 5th and 6th grade teacher. Sister Judith belonged to the Adorers of the Blood of Christ in Ruma. She was young, full of joy, and made learning feel like a daily adventure. And yes, if I'm being honest, a classroom full of 5th and 6th grade boys had a collective crush on her. She was kind, funny, and she had a way of talking about God that made Him seem like a dear friend rather than a distant idea.

One day, as All Souls Day approached, Sister Judith told us something that settled into my heart and never left. She said, "Whenever you drive by a cemetery, say a prayer. There's always fresh dirt where someone's loved one was buried. And with fresh dirt come fresh tears. No one should ever cry alone." Those words have been with me for fifty-five years. To this day, if I pass a cemetery, I say a quick prayer. Sometimes it's a Hail Mary. Sometimes it's a simple "Lord, receive them." It's become a quiet habit, a small thread tying my daily life to eternity.

A few years later, Sister Judith was taken far too soon by an aggressive can-cer. She was in her early thirties. I cried when I heard the news. I wasn't the only one. Many of my classmates did too. She left a mark on our hearts, not because she was extraordinary in the worldly sense, but because she loved with simplicity and depth.

All Souls Day is about remembering. It is about love that lingers, even when the voice we loved has fallen silent. It is about prayers offered for souls who may have no one else to pray for them. It is about refusing to let grief stand alone in the dark.

This day is not meant to be somber in a hopeless way. It is meant to be ten-der. It reminds us that our love and our prayers still matter. Our loved ones are not forgotten, nor are the souls of strangers buried in quiet corners. Every prayer offered is like lighting a small candle in the darkness.

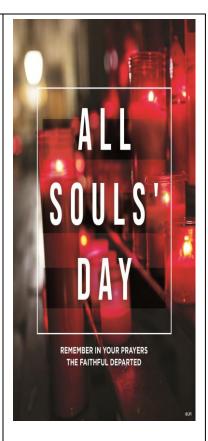
Our faith does not deny grief, but it never lets grief win. The promise of Christ turns our tears into trust. When we pray for the faithfully departed, we join Christ in His promise: "I shall raise them on the last day." Love remembers. Love prays. Love never ends. And somewhere, I like to believe Sister Judith is smiling, knowing a bunch of 5th and 6th graders grew up still saying those prayers at cemeteries.

### This week's question:

This week's question: Church titles confuse me. Deacon, Priest, Bishop I get. But what about Monsignor, Cardinal, Archbishop?

### **Answer:**

Think of Deacon, Priest, and Bishop as the Church's "sacramental job titles"—the rest are kind of like holy bonus levels. A Monsignor is just a priest with a fancy title and maybe a nicer parking spot. An Archbishop is a bishop with more territory (and probably more emails). A Cardinal is usually a bishop who gets to wear red, advise the Pope, and help pick the next one—basically, the Church's version of a VIP club. It's not so much a ladder to climb as it is a divine way to keep the Church running smoothly (and globally) without total chaos.



### Vocation Corners November 02, 2025

This Sunday starts National **Vocations Awareness** Week. National Vocation Awareness Week (NVAW) is an annual week-long celebration of the Catholic Church in the United States dedicated to promoting vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life through prayer and education, and to renew our prayers and support for those who are considering one of these vocations. Please pray each day this week for an increase in vocations and for young people to hear their call to Holiness.



## St. Lawrence Church

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

# John, Freda, Eddy, Raymond, Danny Burns & Burns Family

# In Loving Memory

November 2025 John, Freda, Eddy, Raymond, Danny

Burns & Burns Family

December 2025 Shaun Ford

January 2026 Altadonna Family

February 2026 Mike Shaffer

March 2026 John, Freda, Eddy, Raymond, Danny

Burns & Burns Family

April 2026 John, Freda, Eddy, Raymond, Danny

Burns & Burns Family

May 2026 Marcella Schulte

June 2026 Ron Clark

July 2026 Marcus, Marilyn & Robert Oehmke

August 2026 Knabe & Dunphy Family

September 2026 John, Freda, Eddy, Raymond, Danny,

& Burns Family

October 2026 Bobby Hill, Aaron, Dorothy,

John & Delphine Niepoetter

November 2026 Open

December 2026 Shaun Ford

January 2027 Altadonna Family

February 2027 Open

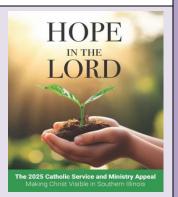
If, you would like to put a picture in front of the Sanctuary Candle put it up there on the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month until the last day of the month. You don't have to put a picture up if you don't want to. It is up to you.



### RECENTLY DEPARTED SOULS

### 2025

Mary Kay Gunther Michael Wooden Victoria (Vic) Steele Sharon (Jane) Rizzo



# The 2025 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal Hope in the Lord

The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal **Fund for Ministry** provides funding to parishes, schools and organizations throughout our diocese for local projects. A total of 37 grants were awarded throughout our diocese in the past year. Help this popular program which funds local projects continue through your gift to this year's Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal.

### Respect Life Corner November 2, 2025

"Palliative care and hospice are precious and crucial instruments in the care of patients with serious and complex chronic or terminal illnesses, and they help provide comfort to both the patients and their families. While palliative care cannot entirely eradicate suffering from people's lives, it provides an authentic expression of human and Christian care—allowing us to 'remain' at the side of a suffering person, as the Blessed Mother and the beloved disciple remained at the foot of the Cross...The path of accompaniment until the moment of death must remain open, with appropriate care for body and soul customized to the personal needs of the patient." USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities "The Witness of the Good Samaritan: Palliative Care and Hospice"

The faithful care of human life until its natural end is entrusted to every person.

### Quote for the week: We remember!

### All Souls Day

Sunday is the Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed or "All Souls." Let us pray for our loved ones and all who have died.

Tuesday is the Memorial of Saint Charles Borromeo, Bishop.

During the regular readings this week, we conclude a fourweek series of first readings from Paul's Letter to the Romans. He reminds us, "Who has known the mind of the Lord?"

In the Gospel according to Luke we see Jesus living out his daily life with challenging honesty. He calls us to extend an invitation out of our hearts, not with an eye on an invitation in return: "invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind." Then Jesus tells the parable of the invited guests who made excuses to decline the invitation. He sends his servants to invite everyone. Jesus tells a crowd that they have to renounce their possessions to be his disciple and that to do something really important, we have to prepare and be ready. When the religious leaders complain, "This man welcomes sinners and eats with them," Jesus tells parables of the man who finds his lost sheep and the woman with the lost coin, both of whom rejoice in finding what was lost. A steward protects himself by pardoning those who owe his master. We end the week with Jesus asking which is more important, God or money? "No servant can serve two masters."

Sunday, November 9 is the Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome, which reminds us of the unity of the Church and commemorates the dedication of the cathedral of the Diocese of Rome.

### Daily Prayer This Week

This week guides us deep into our faith in several ways. All Souls day gives us the opportunity to remember and pray for all our brothers and sisters who have died. We confidently hope and pray that they may be embraced by the love and mercy of God, poured forth in the life-giving death and resurrection of Jesus. This is a wonderful day to name all those we want to pray for, and to include in our prayer those who have no one to pray for them.

As we go about our very busy lives this week, we can continue to practice focusing our attention on an ongoing conversation with our Lord throughout the day. Our desires - for union with our Lord, to know God's love for us, to become more aware of our failings, to become more generous with our family and friends, to be more patient and forgiving, to love as we have been loved - can be expressed in these simple expressions. These expressed desires will naturally interact with the real events of our day.

The gospels this week will draw us into desiring to be more merciful and to not let money or pride dominate our behavior. We won't be "unprepared" if we keep making openings for our Lord to enter the ordinary moments of our days. In repeated moments, we can simply open our hearts and ask God for the desire to have our lives focus on God's desires for us, rather than what our culture wants us to focus on so constantly.

Each night let's look back over the day briefly, and give thanks for a God who listens to our desires.

Taken from the "Weekly Guide for Daily Prayer" on the Creighton University's Online Ministries web site: h ps://onlineministries.creighton.edu/Collabora veMinistry/Praver/A1-OT-30.html

### ALL SOULS DAY (C)

**ALL SOULS DAY** November 02, 2025 Isaiah 25:6-9 Psalm 23:1-3a. 3b-6 **Romans 6:3-9** John 6:37-40

**Dedication of the Lateran Basilica** November 09, 2025 Ezekiel 47:1-2, 8-9, 12 Psalm 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9, (5) 1 Corinthians 3c-11, 16-1 o John 2:13-22

Gathering: #556 I Know That My Redeemer Lives Pres. of Gifts: #550 O Loving God

Communion: #774 The Supper of the Lord Recessional: #547 Be Still, My Soul

Readings: 1043



### Congratulations to Mrs. Maria Pryor: Chamber of Commerce & Centralia BPW Boss of the Year!

It is with immense pride and joy that we celebrate Mrs. Maria Pryor, Principal of St. Mary Catholic School, on being named Boss of the Year by both the Centralia Chamber of Commerce and Centralia BPW (Business and Professional Women's Club). Surrounded by her dedicated staff, loving family, and supportive school community, Maria's leadership has not only guided St. Mary's through challenges but has also inspired a spirit of faith, unity, and excellence that radiates through every classroom and hallway. Her journey from a loving Pre-K teacher to the heart and helm of our school is a testament to her unwavering commitment, deep compassion, and extraordinary resilience.

Maria leads not with a loud voice but with a strong heart. She listens, uplifts, and serves—not only as a principal but as a role model of grace under pressure. From navigating the trials of the pandemic to ensuring every student feels seen and supported, she has been a steady light in uncertain times. This recognition is not just an award—it is a reflection of the countless lives she's touched and the community she's helped build. Congratulations, Mrs. Pryor—your St. Mary's family couldn't be prouder!



### **SMS CALENDAR WINNERS**

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2025** 

GEOFF DUNNIGAN – FLORA DANA WARD - CENTRALIA

### PURRS FROM THE PEW -Sister Fluff of Divine Mischief

# Operation Fluff Patrol: The Night of the Holy Howl

The world changed overnight. The little humans arrived dressed as ghouls, ghosts, aliens, princesses, and trans-formers. One even came as a cat, but I saw through the fake whiskers. Amateur. Those shiny parent chariots, also known as Treats on Wheels, packed the holy parking lot. Buckets of candy. Giggles. Tiny feet everywhere. It was glorious. No one recognized me because I wore my Father Steve disguise. Since he decided to become an Umpa Lumpa, I had no choice. I dragged my sacred stash of treats back to my lair with the determination of a nun guarding the last donut in the rectory. And guess who joined me? Sister Gracie. Her shiny tanned fur glistened like a monstrance at Benediction. She gave me an A+ for following in her paw prints of feline holiness. She is staving a few more weeks. She has already taken over the third-grade hallway like a seasoned abbess. Beware if you drop a crumb; she will find you. Sister Gracie says Halloween reminds us of All Saints and All Souls, which means it is a perfect time for treats, tricks, and holy purring. Look for her lurking with the steady gaze of a sainted cat. I will be at her side, paws ready, tail raised, guarding the candy and blessing the children with every holy whisker.

Paws, prayers, and chocolate crumbs, Sister Fluff, F.D.M. Feline of Divine Mischief



### SUNDAY MASSES:

Sandoval:

St. Lawrence - 8:30 a.m.

Centralia:

St. Mary (Vigil) - 4:00 p.m.

St. Mary - 10:30 a.m.

Carlyle:

St. Mary (Vigil) - 4:30 p.m.

St. Mary - 10:00 am

Marydale:

St. Teresa (Vigil) - 7:30 pm

St. Teresa - 8:00 am

Salem:

St. Theresa (Vigil) - 5:00 pm

Kinmundy:

St. Elizabeth - 7:30 am

### **WEEKLY READINGS**

Monday, November 03, 2025 Romans 11:29-36 Psalm 69:30-31, 33-34, 36 Luke 14:12-14

Tuesday, November 04, 2025 Romans 12:5-16ab Psalm 131:1bcde, 2-3 Luke 14:15-24

Wednesday, November 05, 2025 Romans 13:8-10 Psalm 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9 Luke 14:25-33

Thursday, November 06, 2025 Romans 14:7-12 Psalm 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14 Luke 15:1-10

Friday, November 07, 2025 Romans 15:14-21 Psalm 98:1-3ab, 3cd-4 Luke 16:1-8

Saturday, November 08, 2025 Romans 16:3-9, 16, 22-27 Psalm 145:2-5, 10-11 Luke 16:9-15



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## **Veterans Dinner**

Saturday, November 15, 2025

4:30 - 7:00 p.m.

### St. Mary's School Cafeteria in Centralia

The Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus, Santa Maria Assembly of Marion County invite all veterans, their families, and members of the community to a special Veterans Dinner. The menu includes mostaccioli, garlic bread, salad, applesauce, and dessert. Veterans and their spouses eat free. A free will offering will be accepted from other guests. Profits from the dinner will be used toward future sponsorship of Veterans Honor Flight guardians to accompany a Veteran on the one-day trip to Washington D.C.

# Remembering our Faithfully Departed

### **Memorial Mass**

Sunday, November 2, 2025 St. Lawrence Church at 8:30 a.m. St. Mary Church at 10:30 a.m.

### Rosary & Blessing of Graves

Sunday, November 2, 2025 St. Lawrence Cemetery 12:00 p.m. Calvary Cemetery at 1:30 p.m.



# AND VENDOR FAIR- NOVEMBER 9TH

Vendors may set up from 8 AM to 11 AM. The cost is \$30 per booth, and electricity is available. Email today to claim your spot and receive a vendor registration form! Registration is first come, first serve. Duplicate vendors will be placed on a waiting list. For more information, contact Caitlin Harting at charting@stmarycentralia.org.



### \*\*\*\*\*\* Visit us online \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

### **BIRTHDAY**

11-11 Sr. Marlene Buese

11-11 Colton Hill

11-14 Kalyn (Nalewajka) Schilling

11-14 Natalie Toedte

11-16 Kay (Burns) Cain

11-19 Peggy Spinner

11-20 Larry Saale

11-26 Mark Szatkowski

11-28 Jarrod Rhodes

12-01 Callie Alonso

12-01 Tim Aydt

12-03 Kennedy Laffoon

12-11 Alice Krupp

12-14 Andrea Pryor

12-15 Michael Hill

12-19 Debbie (Sullivan) Conrad

12-20 Marlene Lackey

12-25 Brenda Schaubert

12-26 Drew Hill

12-27 Carl Altadonna

### **ANNIVERSARY**

11-11Joe & Laura Shepler

11-13 John & Margarite Rohner

12-30 James & Annette Nattier

### SHALOM IS NEEDING HELP

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2025 SETTING UP FROM 9:30 AM - ?. DISTRIBUTE ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2025 FROM 7:00 AM – 9:30 AM FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT BRENDA SCHAUBERT

Those in nursing homes or assisted living are: Gerald & Phyllis Fanger. Please pray for them, their families and their care-givers

## REMEMBERING OUR LOVED NOVEMBER

01-08 Aaron Niepoetter

02-92 Joseph Suarez

04-01 Blanche Staton

06-23 John (Eddy) Burns Jr.

09-21 Jan (Hall) Winkler

10-23 John Andrews

10-95 Adolph Thomas

11-90 Virginia Lewis

12-91 Bertha Perez

16-20 Evelyn Lyons

18-89 Thomas Freeman

20-23 Roger Grasher

20-20 Ann Lusch

20-04 Marcella Schulte

20-20 Marie Tuel

22-83 Joseph Dickens

22-08 Pauline Gambetta

22-88 Robert Lusch

22-88 Sydonia Petryshyn

25-07 Paul Tolka

27-02 Lola Resch

27-00 William "Bill" Lusch

28-04 Leo Hudzik

30-89 Catherine Freeman

30-89 Clyde Warren

# PRAYER REQUEST – CAN YOU PLEASE GO OVER THESE NAMES TO SEE IF ANY NEEDS TO BE REMOVED PLEASE LET OFFICE KNOW

2 Special Cancer People, Chris Berry, Brianna Blakley, Clayton & Kay Cain, Craig Church, Heather Clark, Mindy Clark, Daisy Conrad, Linda DeKalb, Jared Fogerson, Don Frazier, Sue Gambill, Debra (Small) Gerrish, Drew Gore, Mary Gore, Ron & Barb Grasher, Debbie Grasher, Alexus Hall, Bill & Mary Hall, Mary Ann Hall, Tom Hall, Michelle Irvin, Wilma Jourdan, Judy Jenkins, Bob Kannall, Cassy Karcher, Curt & Marlene Lackey, Tom Lusch, Karleigh McClaren, Tracy Minton, John Mullen, Jerry Nitz, Earl Nolte, Jeff Orrell, Rachel & Sandie Peters, Brenda Pinkston, Jerry Ratermann, Pat (Gerrish) Roestel, Larry Saale, Kenny & Mary Saatkamp, Rachael Sager, Otto Schaffer, Tim Schaubert, Kim Schulte, Fr. Carl Schrage, Jack Shanafelt, Mickayla Skibinski, John Alan Small, Milya Smith, Patti & Jerome Stack, Brittany Starbreck, Evelyn Szatkowski, Janette Torrance, Jane Waddell, Waylon Vick, Ledger Whisenand, Ella Wiemerslager, Sara Wright.







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