

St. Mary's Catholic Church

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November 11, 2018 ~ 32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Ministry Schedule for Sunday, Nov. 18 (8:30 a.m.)

EM's: Tony Ritter & Dean Quackenbush
Lector: Dave Asfeld
Ushers: Keith & Maria Marty
Servers: Kevin Asfeld & Nickolas Johnson
Sacristans: Keith & Maria Marty
Music: Choir

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

Monday, November 12 – 8:30 a.m. (Chokio)
+ Oliver Behmer

Mass on Wednesday, Nov. 14 – 8:30 a.m. (Wheaton)
Mass on Thursday, Nov. 15 – 9:00 a.m. (Traverse Care Center)
Mass on Friday, Nov. 16 – 8:30 a.m. (Wheaton)
Saturday, Nov. 17 – 5:00 p.m. (Wheaton)

Sunday, November 18 – 8:30 a.m. (Chokio)

+ Marie Marlow

Sunday, Nov. 18 – 10:30 a.m. (Wheaton)

RECONCILIATION: Half an hour before Mass

Please remember in prayer: Lil Ritter, Harold Sivertson, Mary Marlow, Burnys Koch, Jeanne Hofland, Rita Schuster, DeLores Eul, Chelsie Leuthardt, and all who are ill. Please call when a name should be added or removed from the prayer list.

Thank You to all who cleaned the Church this past week! It was a job well done!

Hall Cleaning: We will clean the Hall on Wednesday, November 14th. The doors will be open at 12:00 and people can come and go as they please. Thanks!

There is a sign-up sheet on the door in back of church for extra help at funerals. If you are able to bring food and/or work at the funerals if a Circle is in need of extra help, you can sign up on the sheet. The funeral chair will ONLY call if extra help is needed!

Faith Formation Classes will meet on Sunday, November 18th.

A Faith Formation Fellowship Sign-up Sheet is in the back of Church for you to sign up to bring a snack or serve.

Confirmation Class will meet on Wednesday, November 28th.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Parish Council Meeting: Tuesday, November 13th at 7 p.m. (Members and committee chairpersons, please check your email for the agenda and the minutes from the previous meeting).

Thanksgiving Mass: Wednesday, November 21st at 5:30 p.m.

Christmas craft items are on display in the Hall. If you wish to purchase anything, checks can be written out to St. Mary's and given to Deb. Please write "Crafts" on memo line.

November Food Drive: The Youth Group will again be collecting food items or monetary donations during the month of November for the Food Shelf. Envelopes are in a basket in back of Church. They can be dropped in the collection. Also, a collection will be held at the Thanksgiving Mass on Nov. 21st.

The Bishop's Annual Appeal supports Catholic education! This year, \$212,450 was distributed to 131 parishes throughout the diocese: **Catholic Schools-** Parishes supporting students in Catholic schools receive a gift based on \$55 per enrolled Catholic school students, grades 1-8. **Religious Education-** Parishes that do not have a Catholic school receive a gift based on \$5 per student in religious education, grades K-12.

Fall Festival & Roast Beef Commercial Dinner: Sunday, November 11th @ St. John's Catholic Church, Appleton. Serving from 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. (All Veterans eat free.)

Gatherings for Widows and Widowers will meet for lunch at noon on Sunday, November 11th in the basement of Old #1 in Morris. Order lunch off the menu and enjoy an opportunity to visit. For questions, call Rose at Pedersen Funeral Home (589-3220).

Meatball Supper: Wednesday, November 14th @ Faith Lutheran Church, Morris, from 4:30 – 7 p.m.

Annual Fall Festival & Grilled Pork Chop Dinner: Sunday, November 18th from 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. at Kongsvinger Lutheran Church, Donnelly. All are welcome!

Stewardship Report- Nov. 1 & 4, 2018

Weekly budget expenses from 2018-2019

Budget: \$1,688.46. *Thank you for your sacrificial offering*

Adult: \$1,215.00

Youth: 5.00

Loose: 169.00

All Saints: 273.00

Utilities: 500.00

Flooring: 25.00

TOTAL: \$2,187.00

