

St. Mary's Catholic Church

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November 1, 2020 ~ ALL SAINTS DAY

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

EM: Jamie Van Eps
Lector: Paula Baxter
Ushers: Ed Baxter & Brian Marty
Servers: None
Sacristan: Fr. John Paul

Stewardship Report- Oct. 25, 2020

Weekly budget expenses from 2020-2021 Budget:
\$1,618.27. Thank you for your sacrificial offering.

Adult:	\$785.00
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Loose:	21.00
Utilities:	60.00
TOTAL:	\$866.00

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE **Limit of 10 people

** Monday, November 2 – 8:30 a.m. (Chokio)

+ Peter, Veronica, & Ron Golombiecki

**Mass on Wednesday, Nov. 4 – 8:30 a.m. (Wheaton)

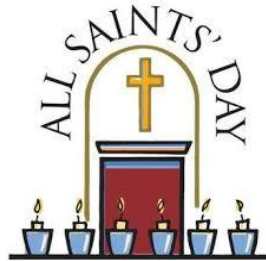
**NO Mass on Friday, Nov. 6 (Wheaton)

Saturday, Nov. 7 – 5:00 p.m. (Wheaton)

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

+ Carol Ritter

Sunday, Nov. 8 - 10:30 a.m. (Wheaton)



RECONCILIATION: Anyone desiring confessions is encouraged to call the office and set up an appointment.

The Padre will be out of town and up at Deer Camp 2020 beginning this Thur., Nov. 5th till Fri., Nov. 13th. In case of an emergency, call: 763-807-1721

Please remember in prayer: Sharon Henrichs, Dennis Golombiecki, Tom & Vicki Leuthardt, Robert Knopik, Marie Grossman, Lil Ritter, Harold Sivertson, Rita Schuster, Joel Rivera, and all who are ill. Please call when a name should be added or removed from this list. **To start the Prayer Chain, please call Fr. John Paul, Sandy Finke, or Sandi Marlow-Weber so all parts of the Prayer Chain get started. Thanks!**

Thank you to Scott Gonnerman for becoming a Eucharistic Minister!

If there is anyone who would like to be a Lector, Altar Server (3rd grade & up), Choir member, Eucharistic Minister, Usher, or Sacristan, please contact the office or let Fr. John Paul know. Thank you!

If you, or someone you know, are interested in becoming a Catholic, please contact Fr. John Paul or call the office at 324-2680.

Candles will be lit in November in memory of those who have died these past few years at St. Mary's: Liz Ritter, Evelyn Schwebach, Marianne Raasch, Mary Berlinger, Caroline Raths, Kathy Ritter, Burnys Koch, Nicole Knutson, Ron Golombiecki, Vincent Ritter, Roger Horning, Tom Marty, Jeanne Hofland, Kathy Keeler, & DeLores Eul.

Catholic United Financial Raffle: There are many thanks to be made to the business and parish members that helped make our raffle another success. We are grateful to all those that donated, as well as the people who sold or purchased their tickets. The raffle ticket sales and split pot totaled \$3,405.00, and after expenses were deducted (\$170.00 ticket printing, \$100.00 gambling fee, and \$60.00 required ad; for a total of \$330.00), we had a profit of \$3,075.00. We will receive the full matching grant of \$1,000.00 again this year. The raffle profit goes into the parish general fund and the \$1,000.00 is earmarked for the parish faith formation program. We could not do this each year without the generosity of the parish, and St. Pius Council #308 is thankful for you all. Things looked different this year, but we came together and made it successful. A list of prize winners is in the back of the Church. Great job, Church of St. Mary! Special thanks to Karin Jahnke for typing the prize list, Deb for her office assistance, and Ron Draper for being "the go-to helper guy" all day on Saturday!

Thank you to all who helped to make the 38th Annual St. Mary's Raffle/Craft Show a success! Special thanks to Barb Spaulding for all she does for the Raffle – for taking charge once again in selling raffle tickets for her 38th year in a row and making the most money she has ever had in the most unlikely of times, is to be commended! It is a big undertaking and Barb always does a great job. Thank you to those who donated prizes. What would we do without St. Mary's Craft Group? They go above and beyond for 9 months out of the year, crafting, creating, and using talents given to them by our Lord. Thank you for all the beautiful quilted things and dish towels made by Betty Marlow. Thank you to Joanne Marihart for all she does for our group. Thank you to Fr. John Paul & parish members who helped plan our Raffle/Craft Show. Thank you to Ron Draper for his help that day. We hope we will be back in full force in 2021! *Becky Draper/Renee Schwebach* **Thanks** also goes to Renee & Becky for heading up the craft sale event this year and doing such a wonderful job as always!

Congratulations to Ed & Paula Baxter for celebrating their 40th wedding anniversary!

Thank You: I would like to thank Ed & Paula, Brian & Sammy Baxter, Renee Schwebach, Jake & Anita Marty, & Jeramee & Jamie Van Eps for the T.V. they donated that I won. Many thanks! *Sandy Finke*

Bishop's Annual Appeal: "Transformed by faith and sent in service to all." The Appeal supports ministries that affect you, your family, and your greater parish community. Please make a gift today. **Every dollar raised goes directly to ministries that support our Catholic faith and is not used for any other purpose.**

Readings for the week: (November 2-7)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Wisdom 3:1-9	Philippians 2:5-11	Philippians 2:12-18
Ps. 23:1-3a,3b-4,5,6	Ps. 22:26b-27,28-30ab,30e,31-32	Ps 27:1,4,13-14
Romans 5:5-11/ John 6:37-40	Luke 14:15-24	Luke 14:25-33
Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Philippians 3:3-8a	Philippians 3:17-4:1	Philippians 4:10-19
Ps. 105:2-3,4-5,6-7	Ps 122:1-2,3-4ab,4cd-5	Ps 112:1b-2,5-6,8a,9
Luke 15:1-10	Luke 16:1-8	Luke 16:9-15