

33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 11/18/2018 St. Joseph Parish Paris, AR 72855
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 Confessions: Saturday 4:30PM & Sunday 8:30AM formed.org **parish code 28WKVW**
 Weekend Masses: Saturday 5:00PM & Sunday 9:00AM
 Weekday Mass: 8:00AM Wednesday, Thursday, Friday
 7:30PM Tuesday -- Mother of Perpetual Help Novena followed by Mass
 Tuesday 6:30-7:30PM----- Exposition and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Mass Intentions			
11/19	Monday	NO MASS	
11/20	7:30pm Tuesday	+Marietta Schneider	Christine Schluterman
11/21	8:00am Wednesday	+ Frieda Friga (Anniv)	Jim & Betty Maddox
11/22	8:00am Thursday	+ Frieda Schmalz	Dorothy Schneider
11/23	8:00am Friday	+ Herman Frederick	Martin & Barbara Schluterman
11/24	5:00pm Saturday	+ Bill Brown (Anniv)	Tom & Sharon Pohlmeier
11/25	9:00am Sunday	Living & Deceased Parishioners	Father Eugene

FOURTH WEEKEND: November 24 & 25

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Saturday 5:00PM James Nehus, Kurtis & Sarah Simmons
 Sunday 9:00AM Jim & Paula O'Bar, Leigh Ann Askins

LECTORS:

Saturday 5:00PM Joyce Koch
 Sunday 9:00AM Karen Binz

ORGANIST & CANTOR:

Saturday 5:00PM Randy Edelhuber
 Sunday 9:00AM Beth Ullrich

SERVERS:

Saturday 5:00PM Jude Simmons, Ryleigh Oates, Kanaan Nehus
 Sunday 9:00AM Emily Simon, Sophie & Jaxon Perreault

USHERS:

Saturday 5:00PM Nick Neumeier, Raymond & Dottie Neumeier, Donna Mauer
 Sunday 9:00AM Eileen Freeman, Vicki Schneider, Kevin Schneider, David Rieder

GIFT BEARERS:

Saturday 5:00PM Racine & Mary Beth Nehus family
 Sunday 9:00AM Josh & Tracy Bradley family

ROSARY:

Saturday 5:00PM Mary Martin
 Sunday 9:00AM Jim & Paula O'Bar

COFFEE AND DONUTS next Sunday: November 25: Brad Simon (Gary picks up donuts)

Feast Days This Week: 11/21 – Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary; 11/22 – St. Cecilia;
 11/23 – St. Clement I, St. Columban, Blessed Miguel Pro; 11/24 – St. Andrew Dung-Lac & Companions

November 17/18:	Mother's Society Christmas Bazaar after Masses in the upper hallway of school Catholic Campaign for Human Development collection
November 18:	Stewardship Committee meeting after Mass COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING SERVICE, 6pm at First Assembly
November 19:	RCIA at 6:30pm
November 21:	NO RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES due to Thanksgiving break
November 25:	Men's Club meeting
December 4:	CYM SAUSAGE BREAKFAST, 8-11am

A reminder that you may still put names of your deceased loved ones in the container in front of the ambo.

The Mother's Society invites everyone to come to their **Christmas Bazaar in the school hallway** after Masses this weekend. Refreshments will be served Saturday evening. Coffee, donuts & juice will be offered Sunday morning (not in the Sister's house). Homemade goodies and crafts will be available for purchase. Come support these ladies in the good works they do!!

EVERYONE IS INVITED TO THE COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING SERVICE THIS SUNDAY EVENING AT 6PM AT FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD. Refreshments will be served after.

St. Joseph Church is happy to welcome Miles Clover as a new parishioner. We're happy to have you and want you to feel welcome here. We also welcome Miles' fiancée, Jaqulyn Brantley.

Submitted to the **Prayer Chain:** Kyle Young/death/prayers for family; Trish Baumgartner/in hospital; Dewayne Selph/death/prayers for family.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY this week to Halli Tenclve, Evanna Eckart, Gloria Lievsay, Tracy Schluterman, Harold Schluterman, Susie Stovall, Addie McGarrah. HAPPY ANNIVERSARY to Gerald & Kay Lunsford.

We welcome all visitors and invite newcomers to register at the church office where we would enjoy meeting you. If you regularly attend Mass at St. Joseph's and are not yet a registered parishioner but would like to be, please contact the church office at 963-2131

St. Joseph School News

School Thanksgiving Break begins Friday upon dismissal. Classes resume Monday, November 26. *St. Joseph Faculty & Staff are very thankful for the continued generosity of St. Joseph parishioners. We are all very grateful for your support.*

Please remember to clip Box Tops for Education, Best Choice UPCs, and save used ink cartridges for us. A REMINDER – **Boxtops have expiration dates on them!!**, we are required to turn in **Best Choice UPCs** in batches of 1000, so if you have some you haven't turned in.....it will gain us a "free" \$60!!
Campbell Soup no longer has their label program, so we will not be collecting those any more.

"Dear young people, let yourselves be taken over by the light of Christ, and spread that light wherever you are." Saint Pope John Paul II

COS is asking St. Joseph's for boxes of cereal again this year for their Christmas baskets.

OPPORTUNITY TO VIEW RELICS OF ST. POPE JOHN PAUL II. Dr. William Thomas, an Irish theologian, will bring relics such a hair, blood, signed zucchetto, to be available at some point during Thanksgiving weekend at 112 E. Morgan Street. Please call Sr. Judith at 438-3235 for specific dates/ times.

Our CYM is having a **Sausage Breakfast** in the hall Sunday, Dec. 4, 8-11am. They will be selling tickets after Masses next weekend, Nov. 24/25. Come support our youth!!

November 11 collection: Adult env (48) \$2223. Children: \$41.40. Loose: \$168. Total: \$2432.40.
Miscellaneous Income: Hall Rental: \$125. Votive Candles: \$8.50

From St. Scholastica:

- 1)Our annual **bake sale** is on Thursday, Dec. 8. Cookies, breads, cakes, pies, jellies, and more.
- 2)The gift shop remains open M,W,F from 9:30 to 3:30 p.m. and on Sat. from 12:30 to 3:00 p.m.
- 3)The monastery needs a volunteer to work in the gift shop beginning in Feb. every Wed. 12 to 3:30 p.m. If interested, please call the monastery at 479-783-4147.
- 4)St. Scholastica now has two new members: Postulants Joselyn Ramey and Thao Nguyen.

From Bishop Taylor:

"Thank you for your past contribution to the Catholic Schools Scholarship Appeal. This school year there is a calculated need of \$3.2 million for the 1,164 students who qualified for scholarship assistance. Parish subsidies and school scholarship funds are providing approximately \$1.6 million for scholarship assistance for the 2018-19 school year. This leaves a gap of approximately \$1.6 million. Please help us once again by donating to the Catholic Schools Scholarship Appeal. Every dollar received from donations will be used to aid those in need of financial assistance. Thank you."

If interested, you may mail donations to the Diocese at PO Box 7565, LR 72217-7565

When we think of Christmas giving, we usually think of children. Project Compassion is gathering new, unwrapped soft, clothing items now - Dec. 19 for area **Nursing Home residents** at Christmas. Med-5X gowns, pjs, lounge pants, sweatshirts/sweatpants, colored t-shirts, closed toe/heel houseshoes. Drop off at Project Compassion office at Trinity Jr. High, & Simmons Bank branches, or bring unwrapped gifts to St. Luke Lutheran Church, 5401 Free Ferry Road, FS, on Dec. 4, 11:30-1:30. A monetary donation of \$25 will purchase a gift for a resident which will include some of the items listed, as well as a card and other small personal items. That address is Project Compassion, 1205 S. Albert Pike, Fort Smith, AR 72903.

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As it gets darker earlier and the weather gets colder, what inside activities do you enjoy doing with your spouse? Board games, puzzles, watching movies, playing games? Winter provides a lot more time to just "be" with your spouse. **What have you done for your marriage today?** www.foryourmarriage.org

"And then they will see the Son of Man coming in the clouds with great power and glory." (Mark 13:26)

We will each have that day when we are standing before God and our life is played out like a movie. When this happens, and God asks of us, "What have you done with the gifts I have given you?" how will I be able to respond?

This week a Smart Board was installed in one of the Pre-K rooms, thanks to the variety of talents we have in our parish. The board was hung, a bracket was attached to the ceiling, new electric wires were installed, and new computer cables attached. Thank you to Jim, Tom, and Jim for sharing your "gifts" for the good of our school and not expecting anything in return.