

November 19, 2023
33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



MUSINGS + MESSAGES

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On this penultimate Sunday of the Church year, we hear the familiar parable of the talents. Now, talent was a measure of money in the ancient world. One talent was equal to about 80 pounds of silver. At today's prices, that would be \$28,160 (at \$22 per ounce). So imagine receiving about \$141,000, or \$56,000, or \$28,000 from your

THE

boss and being told to take care of it. What would you do?

The parable's point is not about money but about what we do with the gifts we've been given.

Do we use them wisely, or do we hide them? Do we share, or do we squander? Do we recognize that everything we do here on earth has

implications for the hereafter?
These last few days of the Church
Year afford us the opportunity
for reflection about who we are
and what we are doing. We may
be caught unaware if we are only
concerned with the current day and
are not looking toward our future.
While we do not know the day nor
the hour when the Lord will come,

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Connecting Point

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How can I invest my talents to turn a profit for the Lord?

In my eyes, this week's Gospel is Jesus' way of telling me that I need to stop and self-reflect. Am I the servant who uses the talents given by the master to multiply his wealth and work? Or am I more similar to the third servant who, out of fear, goes and buries the talents? First of all, I have to remember that everything I have (deep faith, loving family, comfortable wealth, reasonable intelligence, etc.) is a gift given to me by God. I must learn that every aspect of my life is centered on God's many gifts and the countless challenges that come my way. Through this parable, Jesus asks me to think about what I am doing with the gifts and challenges he has given me and how I can improve my life and the world.

It takes prayer to realize what God is asking of us. Many of us who grew up in the Church would hear about the gifts of time, talents, and treasures. The church still utilizes that phrase periodically when trying to recruit volunteers and bolster the collection, but honestly, it is a question we need to ask ourselves regularly. Do we only utilize our gifts and talents to benefit ourselves and our families, or do we also use them to help our neighbors: the strangers, the homeless, the refugees, etc.? "Turning a profit for the Lord" can sometimes be

daunting. We are all busy with work, family, and various life situations; trust me, God understands. However, we must be careful of it becoming our norm—using those same excuses repeatedly throughout our lives. Jesus is not asking most of us to change our lives radically. He is asking us to reflect and see how and where we are using our time, talents, and treasures to make the world better.

"Turning a profit for the Lord" does not solely apply within the confines of the Catholic Church. It can refer to many opportunities and outreach organizations in our local communities. As winter approaches, many local shelters need financial assistance and people to volunteer their time. We again see the Salvation Army Bell Ringers at our store entrances and the Marines' Toys for Tots boxes asking for donations. The opportunities are endless, and not all needs are financially based. Many communities have food pantries; we can use our gift of time to help them out occasionally. I just received a notification that the Boy Scouts have a food drive in our area! We also have many veterans and elderly neighbors who need a helping hand. It could be as simple as raking their leaves and cleaning off the snow in their driveway this

winter. The possibilities are endless for using our time and talents to make our world a little bit better place to live in.

This week's question is, "How can I invest my talents to turn a profit for the Lord?" Through prayer, we each have to answer that question as individuals, with each of us having our own self-defining time, talents, and treasures. I can tell you that by taking the time to answer that question with an open heart and having the courage to act on it, you will experience the unexplainable joy of giving. Perhaps you can start living with the answer, "I can use my talents to become a prophet for the Lord," for as Christians, that is our true calling.

May we all have the courage to start our day with this simple prayer: "Lord, what are we gonna do today?" - Deacon Arthur L. Miller, Archdiocese of Hartford.

CALENDAR

NOVEMBER 19 - 26

8 AM MASS

9:45 AM **MASS/** CHILDREN'S CHURCH/ LITTLE LAMBS

10:45 AM **OCIA**

11:45 AM **MASS/** CHILDREN'S CHURCH/ LITTLE LAMBS

1 PM **BAPTISM**

1 PM HOPE FOR THE **HOLIDAYS**

1:30 PM CARD PLAYING

MOM

9:30 AM STRETCH AND STRENGTH

2 PM **ROSARY**

4 PM CONFIRMATION YEAR 2 PRAYER WALK

7 AM **AA MEETING**

8:30 AM **MASS**

9:30 AM **EUCHARIST: DISCOVERING THE MASS...**

12 PM SVDP **THANKSGIVING DISTRIBUTION**

4 PM **CONFIRMATION YEAR 2 PRAYER WALK** 6:30 PM **SVDP MEETING** WED

8:30 AM **MASS**

9:30 AM **STRETCH &** STRENGTH

5:30 PM CHOIR REHEAR 7 PM THANKSGIVING

MASS

7 AM AA MEETING

8:30 AM **MASS**

9:30 AM STRETCH AND STRENGTH

4:30 PM **MASS**

8 AM MASS 9:45 AM **MASS/**

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

10:45 AM **OCIA**

11:45 AM MASS/ CHILDREN'S CHURCH

EVENTS



SUN | NOV 19 | 1 PM

HOPE FOR THE HOLIDAYS

Have you experienced a loss and are concerned about facing the impending holiday season? If so, please consider joining us for a discussion on how to get through this difficult time. Heidi Boccomino, Licensed Master Social Worker

(LMSW) and St. Therese of Lisieux Health Ministry member, will be facilitating this workshop. RSVP with the parish office at (586) 254-4433 or Marilyn Cito, parish nurse, at (586) 254-4433 ext. 320 or via email at MarilynC@stol.church.



SUN | NOV 26 | AFTER ALL MASSES

K OF C COFFEE AND DONUTS

Help support the Knights of Columbus by stopping in and picking up some hot coffee, great donuts from Donut Chef, and a delicious fruit bowl. Then, visit with your friends before you head home to your Sunday events. We look forward to seeing you there!

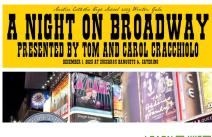


SUBMIT BY TUE, DEC 5

CHRISTMAS POSTER CONTEST

"Keep Christ in Christmas" • Youth ages 5 to 14 are invited to create an 8.5" x 11" poster depicting the Holy Family and the Nativity of Jesus. Pick up an entry form in the office and submit drawings by Dec. 5. Judging will reflect the slogan, artistic merit, and overall impact. All entries will be

returned and displayed in January. Winners from each age group will receive a \$25 award from the K of C, and their entry will be made into a poster displayed in the Gathering Space. Questions? Contact the Discipleship Formation staff.





FRI | DEC 1 | 6 PM | ZUCCARO'S BANQUET & CATERING

AUSTIN HIGH SCHOOL GALA

Please consider helping to support Austin Catholic High School, a part of our Family of Parishes, at their annual gala at Zuccaro's Banquet and Catering. This year's theme is *A Night on Broadway.* Doors open at 6:00 PM. Come and enjoy a five

course dinner, open bar, dancing, basket raffle, silent auction, and raffles. Tickets can be purchased by scanning the QR code.



SAT | DEC 9 | 10 AM

BREAKFAST WITH ST. NICK

Bring the family and come have breakfast with St. Nick in the Social Hall. We will have games and crafts for the kids and picture opportunities with St. Nick. Parents, make sure to bring a camera to capture all the events. The event is for the entire family and you don't have to be a registered parishioner. There is a \$5 registration fee per family and you can register by going to our website with the QR code.



THU | JAN 18 | 9 AM

BOOK CLUB

Come join us to discuss *Everything I Never Told You* by Celeste Ng. We'll gather at 9 AM on Thursday, Jan. 18, 2024, to discuss the themes and

values represented in the book and their implications for Christians. New members are always welcome!

Join the Knights of Columbus

Men of St. Therese of Lisieux: Do you feel you would like to make a difference in your parish and community? Do you have a couple of hours a month you can devote to help raise money in support of the disadvantaged in our community, to work on projects to build the faith of our fellow Catholics, to strengthen our families, or to help with improvement projects at our church or for those who do not have the means to do them themselves? Then, join the Knights of Columbus.

The Knights of Columbus is an International Order of Catholic men who are called to lead with faith, protect our families, serve others, and defend values in a busy. changing world. Last year, Council #11957 at St. Therese of Lisieux celebrated 25 years of serving our parish, and new, enthusiastic members are needed to keep the momentum going. You have seen Knights serving as ushers, Eucharistic Ministers, lectors, and choir members. You may have eaten at the Fish Fries, Pancake Breakfasts, Pasta Dinners, or had coffee and donuts in the Gathering Space after Mass. The Council must grow to be able to continue to provide these services.

There will be a membership drive this weekend. Please take a minute to talk to one of our Knight Ambassadors in the Gathering Space. You can also join by simply visiting kofc.org/joinus and entering our council number (11957) in the application. If you sign up online, your first year of membership is free. Use the code BLESSEDMCGIVNEY when you sign up. You will become an Online Member and will receive a welcoming call from our Membership Director.

We look forward to welcoming you into the Knights of Columbus.

New Parishioners, Baptisms, and Weddings September & October

New Parishioners

- Thomas & Charlene Brender
- Joann Cullen
- Maria Impemba
- Nick & Rochelle Jarbou & Family
- Tom & Sylvia Schultz
- · Holly Shwayhat & Family

Baptisms

- Leila Rose Jakaj Daughter of Tony & Cindy Jakaj
- Francesca Alice Monaco Daughter of Francesco & Kathryn Monaco

- Emersyn Belle Rosbury Daughter of Howard & Jennifer Rosbury
- Rayden James Stiffler Son of Don
 & Jaclyn Stiffler
- Amalia Maria Vitale Daughter of Steven & Alisa Vitale
- Delilah Rae Vogwill Daughter of Bryan & Alexis Vogwill
- Zion William Vogwill Son of Bryan & Alexis Vogwill
- Omnia Jade Volke Daughter of James & Jena Volke

Weddings

- Chelsea Washinski & Vince
 Calcaterra Married on September
 8, 2023
- Lauren Mrozek & Juan Vela Married on October 7, 2023

St. Vincent de Paul Thanksgiving Turkeys



Let us do without hesitation whatever lies in our hands.

Blessed Frederick Ozanam

Thanksgiving is the time of the year when we enjoy the fruits of God's graciousness. Holiday traditions often include enjoying a homemade meal with loved ones. Each Thanksgiving holiday, St. Vincent de Paul, here at St. Therese of Lisieux, distributes a "Thanksgiving meal" in the form of a frozen turkey and gift cards to our neighbors in need. Last year,

we serviced approximately 25 families for Thanksgiving. This year, we anticipate a higher number of requests. With the inflation squeeze, it may be especially tough for those trying to make ends meet.

We are asking you—our parish community—for help with the following items:

- Turkeys (no greater than 15 lbs), and/or
- Frozen turkey breast, and/or
- \$25 gift card to either Meijer or Kroger

We will be distributing the items on Tuesday, Nov 21. Please bring your donations in no later than Sunday, Nov. 19.

Also, please know that requests for pantry assistance increases during the colder months. Please keep our pantry needs in mind when shopping. We graciously accept donations all year.

May God bless all of you, and may the Spirit of St. Vincent de Paul be seen in your kindness.

Reproductive Health Act

Michigan Catholic Conference has been heavily engaged in efforts to defeat the Reproductive Health Act, legislation that promotes an unregulated abortion industry in Michigan. Members of the faithful are encouraged to send their elected officials a message to vote no on the Reproductive Health Act. To write your elected official, visit www.tinyurl.com/3eu5n6wr or scan the QR code to be directed to the Michigan Catholic Conference website.



Musings + Messages (cont'd)

we should live each day as if it were our last.

Now, some may find this contradictory: living each day as if it were the last one and at the same time preparing for the future; however, the point is to always be in a state of constant improvement. We should approach each day as if we were to die, so everything we do

should be directed towards giving praise and glory to God. At the same time, we look forward to seeing God face-to-face, so our actions should reflect that relationship. Each day is an opportunity to improve upon the previous day.

As we prepare to celebrate Thanksgiving, think about those talents and gifts you are grateful for and ask the Lord how you can better utilize them to make the world a better place.

As part of our St. Therese tradition, we will have a Thanksgiving Vigil Mass on Wednesday, November 22, at 7 PM. There is no Mass or adoration on Thursday. We will have Mass on Friday, November 25, at 8:30 AM. Have a great holiday.

Family of Parishes' New Youth Minister

Hi everyone, my name is Diana
Devine, and I am thrilled to introduce
myself as the FOP Youth Minister!
There are a few fun things I think
you should know about me. I love
reading, spending time with my
family and friends, doing pottery,
and playing with my beautiful cat.
Movies, music, and art are all a big
part of my life. I am the youngest of
three girls, and the daughter of some
amazing people that I'm lucky to call
my parents.

Before I moved to Shelby Township a year ago, I grew up in Canton, MI, where I attended St. Thomas a' Becket Parish with my family. While at St. Thomas a' Becket, I was an active member of the youth group from sixth grade all the way up until I graduated from Salem High School. Upon graduation, I attended University of Detroit Mercy, where I obtained my Bachelors of Social Work while also studying English. Throughout my time in college, I spent time each week going to St. Edith Parish in Livonia, MI, and

volunteered my time to work with their youth group.

Growing up I was a member of a youth group for seven years where I had countless amazing opportunities come my way. In middle school I was asked to be part of the W.I.N.D. Conference planning team before eventually joining the C.Y.O. Youth Council, the group of young people who planned and executed the Rainbow Conference. I had the opportunity to hold multiple leadership positions within the youth council, the most prominent being the Rainbow Coordinator.

Through my time in the Catholic community I found myself attending Catholic Heart WorkCamp (CHWC). I attended multiple times as a camper before joining St. Edith's youth group as a chaperone. The following summer, I joined the summer staff of CHWC. I have attended camp almost every summer since I was a junior in high school, so some may say I love camp. This mission experience was

one I have been honored to be a part of and I cannot wait to share the experience with even more teens.

I have always thought of the Catholic youth not as the future of our church, but the present. I am looking forward to creating an environment for teens to feel comfortable to talk and grow in their faith with one another. I am so excited to begin this new adventure with Disciples Unleashed and cannot wait to get started!



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Walking the Path

Discipleship Formation | ♣ Peggy Casing, D.F. Director **4** peggyc@stol.church

Boy, oh boy, we are starting some of the busiest days of our year-at least for many of us. Whether due to work parties, family gatherings, or the preparation for those events, our calendars are often bursting at the margins! As many of us prepare our homes for the celebration of Thanksgiving, I'd like to take this time to note the comparison between the celebration of the Mass and a Thanksgiving meal. The similarities point out that our worship is founded in principles that flow from our natural, God-given instincts and things that aren't foreign to us as humans. Here are the components of Mass and a meal offered in the order of occurrence:

- I. At Mass, a priest/deacon wears special vestments, and (hopefully) we wear something nicer than our everyday clothing. We might do the same at Thanksgiving by wearing something a bit nicer to show that the day is special.
- 2. At Mass, we start with the
 Gathering Prayers, including the
 Entrance, Greeting, Penitential
 Act, Glory to God, and the
 Collect. At Thanksgiving, we
 gather together, greeting one
 another and offering opening
 words of happiness or sorrow
 about the things that have
 happened since we were
 together last. We may even make
 amends with someone or praise

- God and thank Him for the gift of this time together.
- 3. At Mass, in the Liturgy of the Word, we listen to the readings from our Church family and hear about our past, especially the life of Jesus. We also pray for our own concerns and those of our community. At Thanksgiving, we visit and share stories of deceased family members or other past events. We'll often pray a special prayer, giving God thanks for things we are grateful for or including our families' concerns.
- 4. As we begin the Liturgy of the Eucharist at Mass, bread, wine, and other items are brought forward to prepare the altar. Special linens are used on the altar and to wipe the special vessels. At a Thanksgiving meal, we often prepare to set the table by using a special tablecloth and napkins. Then, we'll set the table, using our best dishes.
- 5. At Mass, the Liturgy of the Eucharist continues with the prayers of Consecration, including the Holy, Holy, and others. At Thanksgiving, we say "Grace" or another meal prayer.
- 6. At Mass, the Communion Rite follows. That's where we say the Lord's Prayer, give the Sign of Peace, and more. That process of wishing peace to those around us, right after asking God to forgive our trespasses, as we

- forgive the trespasses of others, serves as a commitment of unity with God and others. Receiving Communion/Eucharist, however, is the most important part! It is when we are in deeper "communion" with each other. At Thanksgiving, the meal is often center stage in our celebrations. Just ask the cook! It is when we are gathered even closer than before, with our minds fixed on what we will receive. (Hopefully, that's where our mind is with the Eucharist, too!)
- 7. Finally, at Mass, the Concluding Rites include optional announcements, a blessing, and a dismissal. This sending forth out into the community to share the Good News is our commission for the week. At Thanksgiving, we might end our gathering by sharing information about our next gathering or any little reminders. Then we'll send our guests on their way.

As you can see, there are many parallels between the Mass and a special meal, especially Thanksgiving. Now, I know some families do things a little differently, but I'm sure that my example still stands. One last note is that the word "Eucharist" is a Greek word meaning "Thanksgiving!" How perfect is that? Have a blessed holiday.

Is it a cold, the flu, or COVID-19?

Health Ministry | ♣ Marilyn Cito, Parish Nurse **4** marilync@stol.church

I am sure, like many of us, you have woken up one morning during the last couple of years and had a stuffy nose and wondered, "Oh no! Do I have COVID-19?" In the past, we probably would not have been terribly concerned or worried about getting a cold or even the flu, but with the pandemic, some people are afraid they could get seriously ill.

Several respiratory viruses could be to blame when your nose is stuffed up and you are not feeling well. Cold, flu, and COVID-19 viruses have similar symptoms but some crucial differences. If you do get sick, a COVID-19 test should be done to confirm the COVID-19 virus. COVID-19 tests can be done at physicians' offices, urgent care centers, pharmacies, or self-administered.

So, what are the differences between a cold, the flu, and COVID-19?

With a **cold**, symptoms may include sneezing, stuffy or runny nose, cough, sore throat, mild to moderate chest discomfort, slight aches, fever (rare), headache (occasional), and possibly some fatigue and weakness. Symptoms usually appear *gradually* about two days after being infected, and you are *most contagious* a day before you feel sick, as well

as the first few days. Generally, a cold does not cause serious health problems, but some people can have complications like bronchitis and pneumonia. There is no vaccine available for colds.

With the flu, people usually have a fever, chills, cough, shortness of breath, fatigue, headache, sore throat, runny nose, body aches, vomiting, and diarrhea. Symptoms appear abruptly, usually 1-4 days after being infected. You are contagious anywhere from one day before feeling sick, 3-4 days into the illness, or even seven days or longer. Complications of the flu are pneumonia, respiratory failure, heart attack, stroke, or sepsis. It is recommended people take the flu vaccine that is available yearly, which protects against the most common 3-4 circulating viruses.

With **COVID-19**, you can have all the same symptoms as with the flu, but one distinguishing addition is the *loss of smell and taste*. Symptoms of COVID-19 appear 2-14 days after exposure but usually about five days after being infected. With COVID-19, you are contagious about two days before symptoms appear and may remain contagious up to 10 days after. Complications can include pneumonia, respiratory failure,

heart attack, stroke, sepsis, blood clots, or multisystem inflammatory syndrome in children. A COVID-19 vaccine is available at the local health department and pharmacies.

To prevent the spread of illness, whether colds, the flu, or COVID-19, the same basic preventative measures can keep all three diseases from spreading. Wash your hands frequently, use hand sanitizers, stay home if you are sick, clean commonly touched surfaces, and cough and sneeze into a tissue or your elbow.

Taking the flu vaccine, the RSV (respiratory syncytial virus) vaccine (if you are 60 years of age or older, especially if you have a weakened immune system from an illness or medication, if you have a chronic medical condition such as heart or lung disease, or if you live in a nursing home) and the COVID vaccine will all help reduce the number of people who contract one of these illnesses, and reduce the severity of the illness, should you contract it. It is always a good idea to talk with your healthcare provider to ask them if they recommend you take these vaccines.

Adapted from Ascension Community Care Link, January-March 2022, Cold, Flu or COVID-19: What are the Symptoms?" NOVEMBER 19, 2023

Thank you for the Candy!

- Lohn Karski, Director of Evangelical Charity
- ✓ iohnk@stol.church

Once again, a tremendous amount of candy was collected from our parishioners this past October. The sweets were donated to Sacred Heart Major Seminary to support their annual Halloween party for the surrounding neighborhood. Several thousand children attended this "outreach" event. Thank you to seminarian Andrew Mattia for inviting our parish to participate.

Happy Thanksgiving

Happy Thanksgiving from the Evangelization Commission to our parishioners! Here is a lovely poem by Trish liams that you may wish to read to your family and friends before enjoying your meal.

A Thanksgiving Prayer

T hank you God for showing us the way.

H elp us to remember You this day. Let us

A lways remember the price You paid.

N ever let us forget that with You we can be saved.

Keep us in Your loving arms.

S o we know that we belong.

G uide us and protect us, as we walk

In the path that You have set. Even though life can be

Very hard, we know that You won't forget.

I know that I am

N ever alone. For You are always there

G uiding my every step with the love You have shown.

By: Trish Iiams © 2001

Ministry Schedule

WED | NOVEMBER 22

Lector 1: Bernadine Biske

Lector 2: James Biske

Altar Servers: Colton D., Phil D. Usher Team 6: Jack Simonetta

SAT | NOVEMBER 25

Lector 1: Diana Pazdzierz

4:30 PM

Lector 2: Maureen Gibbons

Altar Servers: AnneMarie O., Evan K.

Usher Team 2: Sam Guzzardo

SUN | NOVEMBER 26

8:00 AM

Lector 1: Marilyn Kylmala

Lector 2: Janis Fick

Altar Servers: Volunteer Needed

Usher Team 3: Matt Stephan

SUN | NOVEMBER 26

Lector 1: Penny Eastman

9:45 AM

Lector 2: Steven Austin

Altar Servers: Allison V., Alaina V.

Usher Team 4: Tomaz Dopico

SUN | NOVEMBER 26 11:45 AM

Lector 1: Rick Fisher

Lector 2: Patricia Austin

Altar Servers: Volunteer Needed

Usher Team 5: Dennis Westerlund

Giving Tree

♣ John Karski, Director of Evangelical Charity
⋪ johnk@stol.church

Our annual Christmas Giving Tree has begun, and you are encouraged to take a tag(s) from the trees in the Gathering Space and purchase what is listed. This year, we have over 20 organizations/ministries requesting

assistance. The majority of tags are gift cards. Also, there are some request-specific items. The goal is to have all the tags taken from the trees. Please return your gift card or item to the office by Dec. 5.

A reminder that there is also the option of adopting a family or foster child. If interested, please contact John Karski at (586) 254-4433 x302 or stop by the office during regular business hours.

We pray for the sick...

Asterisk denotes newly added name.

Adhikary, Erica Adhikary, Holden *Andree, Joanne **Baby Scarlett** Bacheldor, Mary Baranski, Joyce Barfield, Cheri Beaulieu, Michael Beaulieu, Ted Beaulieu, Don *Belkowski, Patricia Beninati, Patricia Best. Ann Binkowski, Madeleine Brady, Jim Bufaline, Andrew *Butera, Raimondo Conniff, Shirley Czarnowczan, Dorothy D. Rose Ann

D. Steve

DeFauw, Paul Denton, Eden Fisher, Rick Fuelling, Ethan Goodman, Debbie Gorka, Ruth Hagg, Donna Henig, Louise Hill, Dan Hill, Sandy Hunstad, Alex Jachcik, Bradley Jachcik, James Jachcik, Nancy Jachcik, Shirley Kaja, Hala Kenworthy, Ken Kmiec. Eileen Kremer, Paul Liberatore, Bianca Lieder, Lynn

McGuire. Kim Mackowiak, Elaine Mahler, Bill Maliskey, Barbara Maliskey, Larry Mooney-Hill, Marilyn Moreno, Nancy Morrison (Mikoy) Vanessa Novak, Anthony Okon, Mary Anne Oleszkowicz, Bonnie Overholfer, Jamie *Pasque, Evelyn Patterson, David Pazin, Delphine Pelc, Jeff Pipia, Michael Poma. Teresa *R. Lisa Ritter, Maryann Sandstrom, Patricia

Schafran, Barb Shumaker, Natalie Silvio, Reba Snodgrass, Doris Spencer, Jeanne Sterling, Carol Sterling, George Swanson, Joan Tanghe, Diane Tiedt, Tom Tralka, Jane VanDerhagen, Barbara VanDerhagen, Rich VanDerhagen, Rick Victor, Fr. Ron Walter, Albert White, Dawn White, Johnny Wigginton, Jim Zuzga, Bob

and for those serving in the military

SrA Thomas Barone, Air Force
2nd Lt., Michaela Biske Army
PVT Jonathan Bulter, Marine
HM1 Christopher Burley, Navy
SGT Andrew Chapoton, Army
Michael Chmielewski, Navy
Christopher Chryczyk, Navy
Lt. Col. John Cisco, Marines
Major Anthony D. Corsi, Army
Leonard Cox, Army
Ranger Nic Cucchiara, Army
SGT Christian Jose Curtis, Army
LCPL Matthew DeLaney, Marine
Jerry Delia, Airforce
PVT David Dimattia, Army

PVT Jacob Earehart, Army
Ensign Matthew Gordon, Navy
LT David Grzywacz, Navy
Andrew Hall, Navy
PFC Killian Hannon, Army
CPT. Megan K. Hardesty, Army
Robert Kaljved, Army
LT. COL. Chris Kean, AF
Andrew Larsen, Marines
Zoe Lowe, Army
MSGT Eric McCulley, AF
Captain James Miller, Space Force
Nick Radwick, AF
Staff Sgt. Drew Reynolds, AF
Derek Skorupski, Army

CPL. Nathan Taylor, Marine CPT Keith Trojniak, Marines Dante Vanuck, Army SFC Cally Wood, Army SFC Olivia Wood, Army Andrew Zalewski, Navy

Lord, hold our troops in Your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. Give us peace. Amen

Mass Intentions

SAT. NOV 18 4:30 PM

- † Joe Basirico
- † Alfred Saam
- † Deacon Jerry Campernel
- **†** Leonard Grammatico Birthday
- **†** Edward Graney
- † Ellen & Fred Rice
- **†** Josephine Rice-Davis
- † Dolores Kay

SUN. NOV 19 8:00 AM

- **†** Francesco Antonucci
- † Francesca Licari
- † Deceased Members of the Nardi Family
- † Deceased Members of the Szatkowski Family
- † Deceased Members of the Gerade Family
- **†** Deceased Members of the Brune Family
- **†** Chester & Mary Piebiak
 - Living & Deceased Members of the Grishaj & Micakaj Family

SUN. NOV 19 9:45 AM

- **†** Clifford Piebiak
- † Richard Tabaka (3rd Anniv)
- † Rita Saigh (3rd Anniv)
- † In Memory of the Soave Family
- † Ella Mae & Pete Osantowski
- † Archie & Ricky Osantowski
- † Louis & Ida Aceti
- † Patricia Farrugia

SUN. NOV 19 11:45 AM

- † John & Theresa Berd
- † Dennis Berd
- **†** Vicky Berd

- † John & Pauline Poma
- † John & Ann Rein
- **†** Carolyn Gambino
- † Petruzza Lorenzano (3rd Anniv)
- † Prek Kola Shkreli (3rd Anniv)

TUES. NOV 21 8:30 AM

Vocations to the Priesthood & Religious Life

† Bob Glowiak

WED. NOV 22 8:30 AM

† Jerry Kennedy

WED. NOV 22 7:00 PM

- † Deceased Members of the Pinchero & Saam Families
- † Rosemarie Hill
- **†** Gaspare Lombardo
- **†** Jesse Weaver Tom Tiedt & Family
- † Tony Vittorini

FRI. NOV 24 8:30 AM

- † Hana Dedvukaj
- † Dave Sabol (5th Anniv)
- **†** Judy Brusate
- † Betty Jean Forte

SAT. NOV 25 4:30 PM

For the Intentions in our Prayer Box

- **†** Joseph Frankowski (46th Anniv)
- † Ken Dekoski (Bday)
- † Rachel Lemmon
- † Joe Basirico

† Alfred Saam Dan and Denise Dilay (40th Wed Anniv)

† Dave Kuptz

SUN. NOV 26 8:00 AM

For the Intentions in our Prayer Box

- † Tom Westerlund
- **†** Conrad Piebiak
- **†** Margaret & Arnold Roberts
- † Aleks & Kola Gojcaj
- † Pjeter Durgaj
- † Maria Lulgjuraj
- † Martin Lulgjuraj

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- † Macolatta & Francesco Antonucci
- **†** Carmine Russo
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- † James Blaisdell, Jr.
- **†** Giorgio Calabrese
- Joseph Locricchio Tom Tiedt & Family
- † Vasilka (Vossie) Rossi (1st Anniv)
- † Ruth DeWalt Lourdes Shamoom

Readings

SUNDAY

Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31; Ps 128: 1-2, 3, 4-5;

1 Thes 5:1-6;

Mt 25:14-30

MONDAY

1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63;

Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158;

Lk 18:35-43 **TUESDAY**

2 Mc 6:18-31;

Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; 1; Lk 19:1-10

WEDNESDAY

2 Mc 7:1, 20-31; Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b and 15; Lk 19:11-28

THURSDAY

1 Mc 2:15-29; Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15;

Lk 19:41-44

FRIDAY

1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59; 1 Chr 29:10bcd, 11d-12a, 12cd:

12cu, Lk 19:45-48

SATURDAY

1 Mc 6:1-13;

Ps 9:2-3, 4 & 6, 16 and 19;

Lk 20:27-40

SUNDAY

Ez 34:11-12, 15-17; Ps 23:1-2, 2-3, 5-6; 1 Cor 15:20-26, 28; Mt 25:31-46

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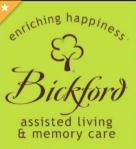
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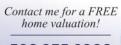
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