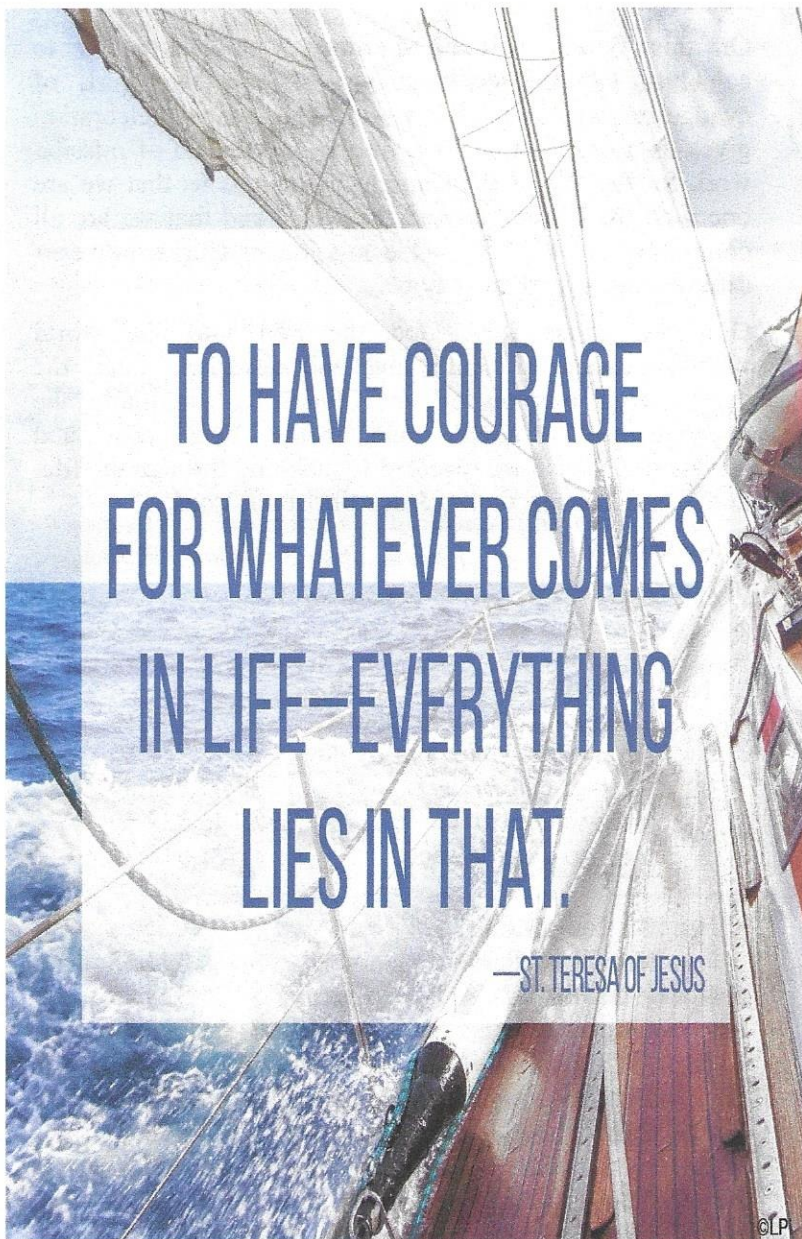


ST. JOSEPH AND ST. JOHN NEPOMUK CATHOLIC CHURCHES

RACINE, WISCONSIN · OCTOBER 21, 2018



PASTORAL STAFF

Fr. Steven K. Varghese, SAC, Pastor
Deacon Douglas Gundlach - SJ
Leslie Gain, Administrative Assistant - SJN
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Jeanmarie Diehn, St. Joseph School Secretary
Mary Lee Odders, Bulletin Editor - SJ and SJN
Russ Blaha and Latasha High, Maintenance - SJ
Thomas Quiroz and Latasha High, Maintenance - SJN

MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday and Thursday, 8 a.m. - SJN
Wednesday and Friday, 8 a.m. - SJ
Saturday Mass of Anticipation, 4 p.m. - SJN
Saturday Mass of Anticipation, 5:15 p.m. - SJ
Sunday, 8:30 a.m. - SJ
9:45 a.m. - SJN

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Anytime by appointment or Saturday, 3-3:45 p.m. - SJN

TRUSTEES

Jim Tresemer - SJN John Gates - SJ
Suzanne Yde - SJN Pete Koleske - SJ

PASTORAL COUNCIL

Brian O'Connell, Chair

CONTACT INFORMATION

St. John Nepomuk Church; 1903 Green Street; Racine, WI
Parish Office phone: 262-634-5647 and fax: 262-634-1436
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Office hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 8 a.m.-noon;
Thursday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.; Friday, closed

Office/Mailing: 700 English Street; Racine, WI 53402-4799

St. Joseph Church; 1533 Erie Street; Racine, WI

Parish Office phone: 262-633-8284 and fax: 262-633-8285
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Office hours: Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Office/Mailing: 1532 N. Wisconsin Street; Racine, WI 53402-4805

Faith Formation Office: 262-633-9005

School Office phone: 262-633-2403 and fax: 262-633-4423
website: st-joes-school.org

Preschool: 262-633-0112

School Office: 1525 Erie Street; Racine, WI 53402-4830

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION INFORMATION

Registration and calendar: st-joes.org or 262-633-9005

Registration questions: 262-633-9005


Faith Formation class absences: 262-633-9005

LEGACY GIFT

Please remember St. Joseph Church or St. John Nepomuk Church in your estate planning. Thank you.



Join us on Facebook at St. Joseph Parish Racine to access archived bulletins and more.


**MASS INTENTIONS
FOR THE WEEK**
MONDAY, OCTOBER 22 St. John Paul II

Eph 2:1-10/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4c-5 [3b]/Lk 12:13-21
8 a.m. NO Mass or Communion Service

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 23 St. John of Capistrano /**Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions**

Eph 2:12-22/Ps 85:9ab-10, 11-12, 13-14 [cf. 9]/Lk 12:35-38
8 a.m. - SJN + Rose M. Riley
+ Arlene Strom

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24 St. Anthony Mary Claret

Eph 3:2-12/Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6 [cf. 3]/Lk 12:39-48
* 8 a.m. - SJ + Jim Caspers

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25

Eph 3:14-21/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19 [5b]/Lk 12:49-53
8 a.m. - SJN + Terry Biarnesen
+ Ted Pier

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26

Eph 4:1-6/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 [cf. 6]/Lk 12:54-59
8 a.m. - SJ + Linda Weill

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27

Eph 4:7-16/Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5 [1]/Lk 13:1-9
8 a.m. - SJ NO Mass or Communion Service

MASS OF ANTICIPATION

Jer 31:7-9/Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6 [3]/Heb 5:1-6/Mk 10:46-52
4 p.m. - SJN + Kevin Mauer

- Living and Deceased Members of St.
John Nepomuk Parish

5:15 p.m. - SJ + Patricia Dickert

- Living and Deceased Members of St.
Joseph Parish

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time /
Priesthood Sunday**

8:30 a.m. - SJ + Joseph and Mary Matias

9:45 a.m. - SJN + Mae Muleski on the occasion of the
12th anniversary of her death

Key: SJ - St. Joseph Parish

SJN - St. John Nepomuk Parish

* Mass with St. Joseph School students



Help victims of Hurricanes Florence and Michael with a donation to Catholic Charities USA, providing food, financial aid, clothing, shelter, crisis counseling, gas/retail store cards, and household goods. They open shelters, establish temporary housing in diocesan and state facilities, and organize parish "Adopt-a-Family" programs. Donate at catholiccharitiesusa.org or text CCUSADISASTER to 71777.

Dear Parishioners,

Today's Gospel explains how Jesus has accomplished his mission of saving mankind from the slavery of sin by becoming the "Suffering Servant." Here, Jesus challenges his followers to become great by serving others with sacrificial *agape* love: "*Whoever wishes to be great must be a servant.*" Jesus commands us to liberate others as he has freed all of us, by giving ourselves to them in loving and humble service.

On this **World Mission Sunday**, Catholics gather to celebrate the Eucharist and to support the work of evangelization around the world. This annual celebration gives us a chance to reflect on the importance of mission work for the life of the Church. It reminds us that we are one with the Church around the world and that we are all committed to carrying on the mission of Christ, however different our situations may be.

God the Father sent God the Son into the world with a message of God's love and salvation. Thus, the evangelizing mission of the Church is essentially the announcement of God's love, mercy, forgiveness, and salvation, as these are revealed to mankind through the life, death, and Resurrection of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Peace and joy,

Fr. Steve

St. John Nepomuk Parish

October 13/14 collections:	\$ 1,707.10
Amount budgeted per week:	\$ 2,735.85
Year-to-date budget:	\$ 43,813.60
Year-to-date given:	\$ 45,332.30
Year-to-date balance:	\$ 1,518.70

St. Joseph Parish

Weekly collection income:	\$ 5,793.55
October 13/14 collections:	\$ 5,328.55
Energy Costs:	\$ 250.00
Church Renovation:	\$ 215.00
Weekly budget requirement:	\$ 9,100.00
Difference for the week:	\$ -3,306.45
Year-to-date budget:	\$ 145,600.00
Year-to-date given:	\$ 93,306.93
Year-to-date balance:	\$ -52,293.07
Combined Collections:	\$ 316.25*
Thanksgiving Basket:	\$ 760.00

*Total does not include submitted envelopes addressed to the archdiocese, which will be forwarded.

ST. JOHN NEPOMUK PARISH'S SANCTUARY CANDLE:
As we adore Christ in the Blessed Sacrament,
please remember in faith, **LOIS AND LEROY DAHLEN.**

Enjoy a Family Movie Night Wednesday, October 24, at 6 p.m. at St. Paul the Apostle Church's Fr. Cox Hall. *Coco*, a Disney/Pixar film, is about Miguel, a boy who dreams of becoming a great musician. Desperate to prove his talent, Miguel finds himself in the stunning and colorful Land of the Dead following a mysterious chain of events to unlock the real story behind his family history. The movie is rated PG for thematic elements. Bring your whole family! Popcorn and water provided or bring your own snacks/drinks. Kids in costume will receive a free bag of candy.



Don't Forget!

Confirmation Orientation for students, parents, and sponsors will be held **Sunday, October 28,** at 9:45 a.m. in St. Joseph School cafeteria.

For All Souls' Day, there will be no collective display of votive candles at St. Joseph lit in memory of loved ones who have died previous to this past year. Those who have died within the year, beginning November 3, 2017 will be remembered with a candle lit in their name and placed on the altar railing at St. Joseph's and on a table at St. John's. **At St. Joseph's, family members of the deceased will be invited to light the candle after the homily of the Mass on Saturday, November 3. The Mass of Remembrance is Sunday, November 4, at St. John's.**

To honor deceased members from past years, these options are available:

- a) using votive candles in side shrines where envelopes are available for payment,
 - b) contributing to altar candles,
 - c) supplying a candle for sanctuary lamp, and/or
 - d) adding to donations in December for Christmas flowers.
- All contribution information can be noted on an envelope and put in the collection or mailed to the Parish Offices.

Inheritance 2018 is for adults in their 20s and 30s and is an archdiocesan conference hosted by Brew City Catholic, the archdiocesan young adult initiative, and Steubenville's Encounter Milwaukee. **Saturday, November 10,** at the Cousins' Center. Step into your inheritance as a child of God, who loves you and has a plan for you to inherit the true, good, and beautiful life. Meet amazing people, be inspired by national and local speakers, and most of all, to encounter Jesus in a powerful way. For a schedule of presenters or to register, visit <https://archmil.regfox.com/inheritance-2018>.

Our advertiser dollars pay for our bulletin. Thank them when you patronize their business. Advertiser of the Week: **Dewey's Restaurant and Sports Bar,** 600 Main Street, 898-2077, Friday fish fry, Sunday breakfast, party rooms available.



Please remember in your prayers our men and women in the uniformed services, especially those serving in the Middle East. We beg your protection and guidance for them, O Lord.

The bulletin article deadline is noon Monday, October 22, for the October 28 bulletin. Send written items to the Parish Office or info@st-joes.org. **Bulletins/inserts archived at st-joes.org;** on Facebook at St. Joseph Parish Racine.

For the Sacrament of the Sick/Communion for the Sick, please call your Parish Office, when a parishioner is unable to attend church due to age, prolonged illness or any upcoming hospitalization. Please call St. John Parish Office at 634-5647 or St. Joseph Parish Office at 633-8284. **If you wish to have Father visit your hospitalized loved one,** please call your Parish Office with your request. The hospital does not notify us of a parishioner admission.

Daily and Sunday Mass intentions are available for the 2019 calendar. A Mass stipend is \$10. Please visit or call your Parish Office: SJ at 633-8284 or SJN at 634-5647.



Remembrance Wreaths are available for purchase from the Racine Catholic Cemeteries Association. The 24" wreaths are delivered from northern Wisconsin ready to be installed on a tri-pod stand, starting on November 26.

The wreaths will be placed as ordered at Calvary, Holy Cross, Holy Family, and Old Holy Cross cemeteries. Cost: \$30. To order wreaths, please call their office at 639-1071.

The Magnificat Kenosha-Racine Chapter invites women to their breakfast Saturday, November 10, 9 a.m.-noon at Infusino's Banquet Hall, hosting guest speaker, Theresa Strom, whose special needs son, Michael, is beside her on this journey of life and love in the Spirit. Tickets: \$12. Mail a check payable to Magnificat Kenosha with a self-addressed envelope by November 5, to Nancy York; 7120 20th Ave.; Kenosha, WI 53143 or phone Rose Nelson, 262-654-7287.

Is your marriage struggling? There is help and hope for your marriage in the **Retrouvaille Program.** For more information on programs in your area, please call confidentially, 1-800-470-2230, or visit HelpOurMarriage.com. Retrouvaille is a Christian program, Catholic in origin, and couples of all faiths or no faith background are encouraged to attend. Learn to improve communication, build a stronger marriage, and re-discover the love you had for each other.



The Food Pantry's most needed items include boxed mac and cheese, canned meat, and boxed or bagged mashed potatoes. **Both plastic and paper bags are needed. Substitute volunteers are needed as well.** You will be trained and can accept or decline when a Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday sub is needed. Please call Linda Meredith (SJ), 456-6035, or John Brashaw (SJN), 639-7919, to volunteer. Donation checks can be made out to SVdP—Food Pantry and placed in the church collection or mailed to P.O. Box 44195; Racine, WI 53404. As always, thank you so much for your help!

WE, THE PEOPLE OF ST. JOSEPH PARISH, RACINE, WISCONSIN, believe the Church is the Living Body of Christ, in which we all share responsibility. As the unit of God's Family which fulfills this universal mission of the Church within our community, this parish unites in a spirit of stewardship to offer our time, talents and treasure to foster Catholic Education, and to care for the spiritual, intellectual, moral, and temporal needs of parish members.

Liturgical Roles for October 27 and 28

ACOLYTES

Saturday 5:15 p.m. Caden Fraley
Gus Weiss (Cross)
Sunday 8:30 a.m. Tristan Ropiak and Luca Alvarado
Tony Alvarado (Cross)

LECTORS

Saturday 5:15 p.m. Harold Von De Bur
Sunday 8:30 a.m. Kristin Gibson

CANTORS

Saturday 5:15 p.m. Pat Carbonneau
Sunday 8:30 a.m. Joe Czosnek

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

CIBORIUM

Saturday 5:15 p.m. Diana Weiss and John Nielsen
Sunday 8:30 a.m. Kathy Swiatek and Genie Bosch

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

CHALICE

Saturday 5:15 p.m. Mona Swan and Nat Cycenas
Sunday 8:30 a.m. Pat Carbonneau and Wally Goebel

Please direct private prayer requests to the St. Joseph Prayer Chain Team by calling Lorraine Caspers, 639-1070.

This Week in Our St. Joseph Parish Family

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21

8 a.m. - Rosary: Church
St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry non-perishables collection
9:45-11 a.m. - Youth Faith Groups, gr. 7-11: Parish Center
4:30-7:30 p.m. - Volleyball practice: Gym
7 p.m. - A.A. meeting: MSMH

MONDAY, OCTOBER 22

6 p.m. - Boy Scout Committee meeting: MSMH
6-9 p.m. - Volleyball games: Gym

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 23

After 8 a.m. Mass - Mo. of Perpetual Help Devotions: St. John
3:30-6:30 p.m. - Cross Country and Volleyball practice: Gym
4:30 p.m. - Rosary: Church

6 p.m. - Boy Scout Troop meeting: Art Room

6:30-8 p.m. - RCIA class: Parish Center

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24

3-4 p.m. - Girl Scout meeting: MSMH

3-5 p.m. - Volleyball practice: Gym

6 p.m. - Combined Council meeting: St. John Rectory

6-7 p.m. - Religious Ed. classes, gr. 1-6: St. John

6-7:15 p.m. - Youth Faith Groups, gr. 7-11: Parish Center

7:30-9 p.m. - Volleyball practice: Gym

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25

NO classes

After 8 a.m. Mass - Cenacles of Life Prayer Grp.: St. John Chapel

Noon-8 p.m. - Parent-Teacher-Student Conferences: School

3:30-6:30 p.m. - Cross Country and Volleyball practice: Gym

7-8:30 p.m. - Adult Choir rehearsal: Church

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26

NO classes

3-4:30 p.m. - Volleyball practice: Gym

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27

6:45-7:45 a.m. - Men's Faith/Bible-sharing Grp.: Parish Center

4:45 p.m. - Rosary: Church

After Mass - Cub Scout Halloween Bake Sale: School lobby

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28

8 a.m. - Rosary: Church

After Mass - Cub Scout Halloween Bake Sale: School lobby

9:45 a.m. - Confirmation Orientation for parents, students and sponsors: MSMH

9:45-11 a.m. - Youth Faith Groups, gr. 7-11: Parish Center

7 p.m. - A.A. meeting: MSMH

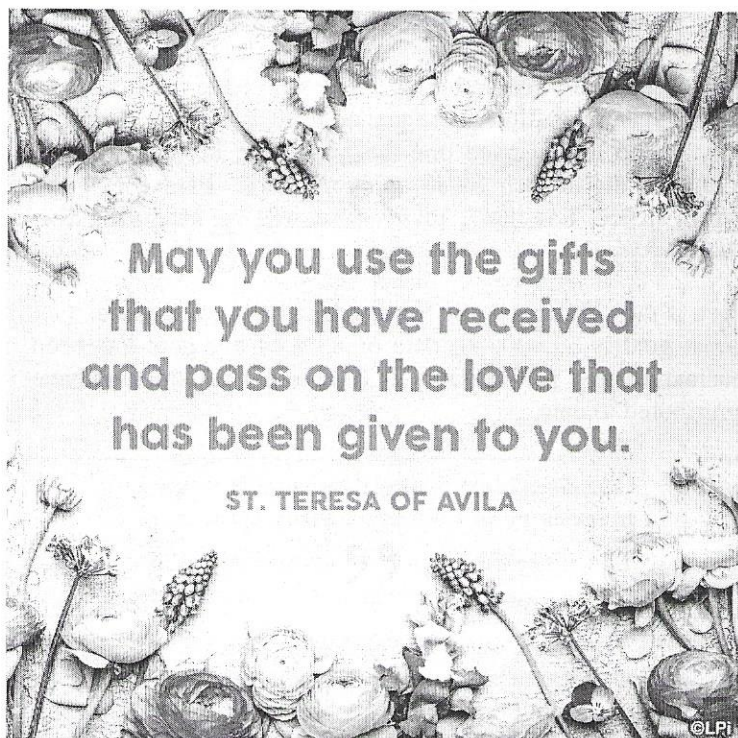
SANCTUARY LADIES: Friday, October 26—Mary Anderson, Gayle Letsch, Sue Liapis, and Carol Vena

COLLECTION TELLERS: October 27/28—

Bob and Kathy Sadlon

BANNS OF MARRIAGE:

II - Andrew DeCheck and Jane Hibbs-Magruder



WE, THE PARISH FAMILY OF ST. JOHN NEPOMUK CHURCH OF RACINE, WISCONSIN, believers in God and living members of the Body of Christ, through prayer and worship, will strive: to make good use of our gifts of time, talent and treasure and to pray for growth of our parish family and all people of God: to be open to the direction of the Holy Spirit by reaching out to all members of the community in a friendly and welcoming manner; to challenge all parishioners to become involved in the life of the parish, thus making St. John's a vibrant Christian community.

Liturgical Roles for October 27 and 28

ALTAR SERVERS

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Maggie Fischer
Sunday 9:45 a.m. Marcelo Sosa

LECTORS

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Margaret Jeske
Sunday 9:45 a.m. Linda Witek

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION PLATE

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Mary Jean Blaha
Sunday 9:45 a.m. Sharon and Mike Stefka

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION CUP

Saturday 4:00 p.m. Lauri Buchaklian and Jackie Morrow
Pat Simanek Sacristan
Sunday 9:45 a.m. Sharon and Mike Stefka and
Maureen Biarnesen also Sacristan



We gratefully acknowledge these Memorial Gifts:

\$1,000 Memorial Fund in memory of Carl Tomasek
\$525 Memorial Fund in memory of Ray DeHahn
\$10 Memorial Fund in memory of Jim Tomasek
\$75 Memorial Fund in memory of Mike Brinkman

Our Building and Grounds project update shows that this week we have received Green envelopes totaling \$343. To-date total is \$9,530.35. Please continue to use the monthly Green envelopes for our parish repairs.



Your 2019 Calendar Raffle packets are in the rear of church. Please pick up yours. They make great gifts for Christmas, birthdays, or any occasion, and only cost \$25. You have 365 chances to win, as winning tickets are re-entered.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR 2018 RAFFLE WINNERS

Sunday, Oct. 7 - Don Schroeder
#n/a \$50
Monday, Oct. 8 - Joey Legath
#n/a \$25
Tuesday, Oct. 9 - Tom Cooper
#n/a \$25
Wednesday, Oct. 10 - Fran Meier
#n/a \$25
Thursday, Oct. 11 - Pat and Katie Johnson
#n/a \$25
Friday, Oct. 12 - Judi Burns
#n/a \$25
Saturday, Oct. 13 - Jane Nauman
#n/a \$25

This Week in Our St. John Nepomuk Parish Family

MONDAY, OCTOBER 22

8 a.m. - Bulletin article deadline: Parish Office

Noon - Parish Office closes

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 23

After 8 a.m. Mass - Mo. of Perpetual Help Devotions: Church

Noon - Parish Office closes

7-9:30 p.m. - Dart Ball League: Macek Hall

(St. John's vs. Epiphany and Knights vs. St. Pat's)

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24

Noon - Parish Office closes

6-7 p.m. - Religious Ed. classes, gr. 1-6: Parish Center

6-7:15 p.m. - Religious Ed. classes, gr. 7-11: St. Joseph

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25

After 8 a.m. Mass - Cenacles of Life Prayer Group: Chapel

8:30 a.m.-noon - Arts and Crafts: Parish Center

12:30-3 p.m. - Sacred Heart Quilting Ladies: Parish Center

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26

Parish Office closed

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27

4 p.m. - Human Concerns collection: Church

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28

9:45 a.m. - Human Concerns collection: Church

9:45 a.m. - Confirmation Orientation for parents, students and sponsors: St. Joseph School cafeteria

9:45-11 a.m. - Youth Faith Groups, gr. 7-11: St. Joseph

7 p.m. - A.A. meeting: St. Joseph School cafeteria



An All Souls' Remembrance Mass will be celebrated Sunday, November 4, at 9:45 a.m., especially remembering those who have died this past year. Invitations were mailed to parish family members who lost a loved one this past year, inviting them to light a candle in their loved one's memory. **Please call the parish office, 634-5647, to say you will be attending this Mass.**

Here is our 2018 Catholic Stewardship Appeal update. Our parish goal is \$9,000. To date 66.83% of our goal has been reached totaling \$6,015. Only 27.03% of our parishioners have contributed to date.



Our Sanctuary Candle burns this week in memory of Lois and LeRoy Dahlen.

There are no more 2018 openings available.



A Human Concerns Food collection will be taken at both Masses next weekend, October 27-28. Thank you for your continuing generosity.