

November 17 – Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

FORGIVE



For Heaven's Sake

+ There is no love without forgiveness, and there is not forgiveness without love. ~ Bryant H. McGill

+ Forgiveness keeps you from being bound by something the other person may never set right. ~ Tony Evans

+ Forgiveness is making a conscious decision to live in the present, even if the past still hurts.

+ Letting go isn't about forgetting; it's about learning and moving on. It's making a choice to be strengthened by your past, not strangled by it. ~ Steve Maraboli

PRAYER SERVICES

Wed., Nov. 20	7:45 AM	Morning Prayer
Fri., Nov. 22	7:45 AM	Morning Prayer

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat., Nov. 16	4 PM	Urban Johannigman
Sun., Nov. 17	10 AM	Nancy Schmalenberg
Sat., Nov. 23	4 PM	Anthony Hilbert
Sun., Nov. 24	10 AM	Ruth Gehl

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Saturday – November 23 at 4:00 PM

Greeters: Dennis and Flo Wagner
Glen and Diane Bohman

Server: Macey Moorman

Cantors: Joe Wagner, Sarah Wenning

Lectors: Terry Harmeyer, Jack Ferkinhoff

Euch. Ministers: Bill Deller, Janet Deller

Jane Pictor, John Wagner

Sunday – November 24 at 10:00 AM

Greeters: George and Mary Bultman
Jeff and Cindy Weisenbach

Servers: Shaylee Volz, Caleb Simon

Cantor: Lauren Wagner

Lectors: Cindy Weisenbach, Julie Stephens

Euch. Ministers: Rita Kress, Patty Simon

Amanda Schutte, Dana Newhart

PARISH SUPPORT

Adult Envelopes	\$2528.00
Children's Envelopes	\$ 13.71
Loose Collection	<u>\$ 297.75</u>
Total Regular Collection	\$2839.46

\$3,193.00 needed weekly to meet budget.

Special Collections	\$1313.00
+ Military - \$648.00	
+ Cemetery - \$345.00	
+ All Saints - \$165.00	
+ Smorgasbord Donation - \$155.00	

Thank You!

"The truly happy person does not really care what others may think of him, for true glory consists in the judgment of God rather than in the judgment of men." ~ Fulton Sheen



THE GENEROSITY CYCLE

God makes us rich in every way so we can be generous on every occasion, which will result in thanksgiving to god...god doesn't bless us to provide for our own needs; god blesses us so we can be generous. – Rick Warren

SANCTUARY LIGHT – The sanctuary light will burn November 17-24 for Harry and Loretta Simon.

BOARD OF EDUCATION – This committee will meet THIS Sunday, November 17, 8:30 AM.

UNITED CATHOLIC APPEAL – Intention weekend was this weekend. Did you fill out and send in your Intention Card? Your gift will help SHARE Christ, will help SERVE Christ, and will help LOVE Christ.

WORDS OF GRATITUDE – From Dolores Wagner: “Thanks to everyone, friends and neighbors, for all your kindness, warm thoughts, and prayers on the occasion of my 90th birthday. I am a very blessed woman because of you.”

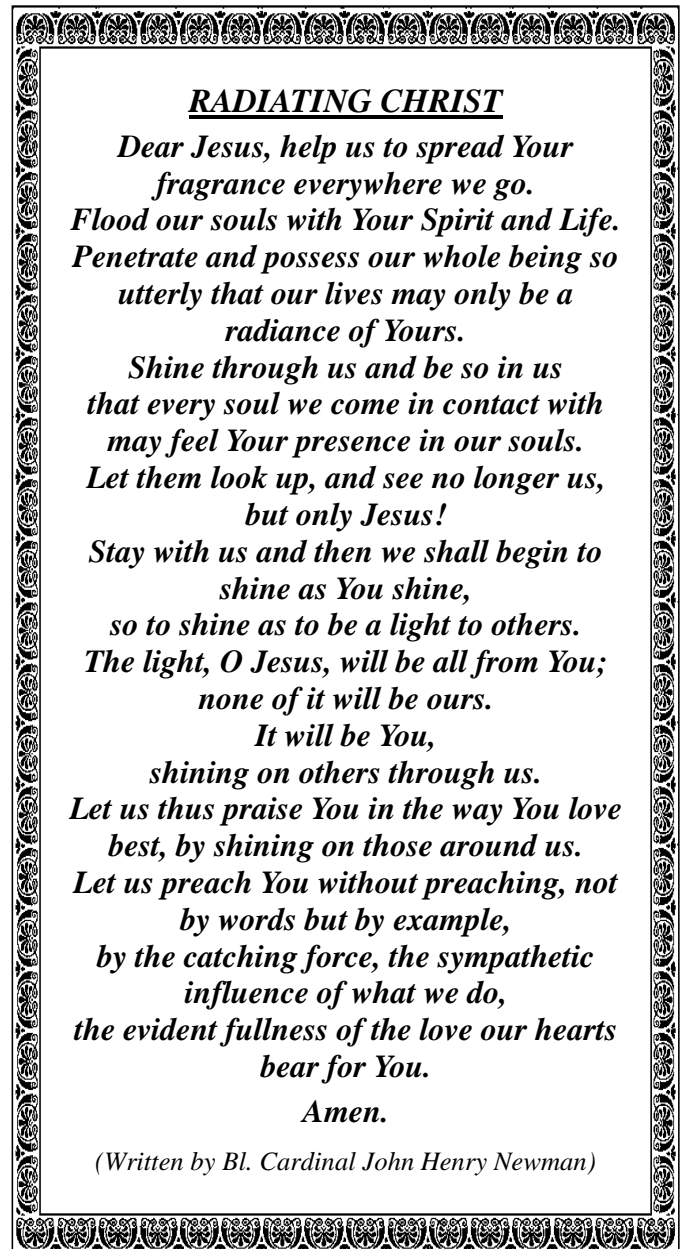
CHURCH SECURITY – Beginning the weekend of November 30 - December 1, the ushers will begin locking all the doors to our building **ten minutes after Mass begins, except the main doors of Church in the back of the vestibule.** The detective who conducted a five-hour seminar and the Archdiocese strongly suggested to begin this procedure. **Two of the ushers will remain in or near the vestibule during Mass.** All the doors in our building have a bar to push when leaving the building so you can always get out of the building.

If you or your child need to use the restroom during Mass, it is best to use the one near church. If you use the restrooms in the parish center, you will find that the doors to the classrooms are locked. You would then need to go out of the building and come around to the vestibule doors. **All of this is for your protection and well-being.** Thank You.

PARISH COUNCIL – Members of the Parish Council will meet Thursday, November 21, 7:00 PM.

RELIGIOUS ED – Classes for Preschool through Grade 5, Wednesday, November 20, 6:45 PM. A meal will be served: Pizza Rolls. Also this evening, the children will have a Thanksgiving Prayer Service in church at 7:00 PM. Everyone is invited to attend.

No classes for Grades 6 through 11 next Sunday, November 24. Classes will resume December 1.



FALL RAFFLE – Amount received toward the Fall Raffle - **\$9,700.00. Super!**

STEWARDSHIP – Today’s readings paint a somewhat frightening picture of the end of time. But the Gospel ends with the assurance to faithful stewards that those who persevere will be saved.

THE LORD’S LAUGHTER – After an election in which he had retained his seat in Parliament, a reporter asked Winston Churchill, “I presume we may expect you to continue to be subservient to the powerful interests that control your vote.”

Churchill replied: “I’ll thank you to keep my wife out of this.” (via Rev. Bernard Brunsting, Stuart, FL)