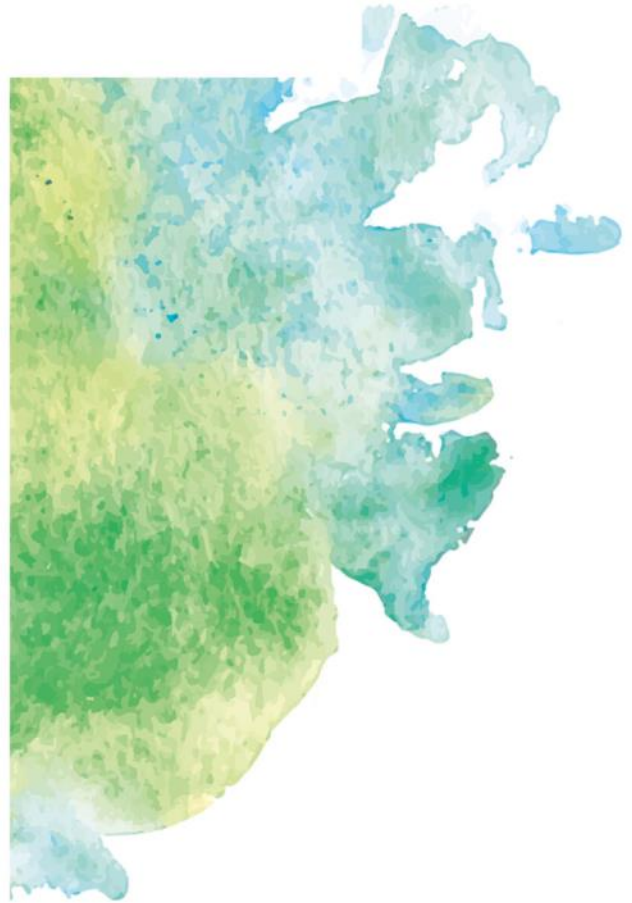
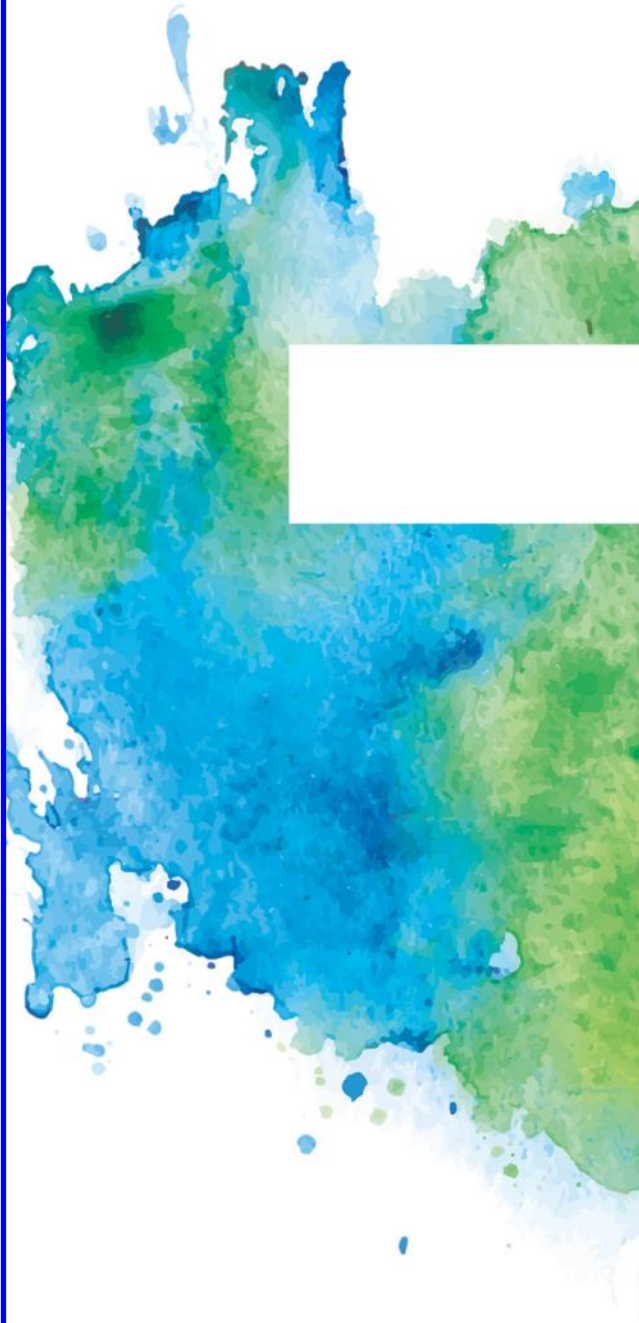


THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY

in Ordinary Time



*T*he foolish ones, when taking their lamps, brought no oil with them, but the wise brought flasks of oil with their lamps.

Matthew 25:3-4

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**November 5, 2023 DONATIONS****General Funds**

Regular/Loose\$2,265.00
All Saints Day.....\$38.00
Total.....\$2,303.00

Food Pantry.....\$221.00

Mass Schedule**Saturday, November 11th**

4:00pm/Ina Mae Eckstein

Sunday, November 12th

10:30am/Wendy Gooch

Tuesday, November 14th

5:30pm at St. Joseph

Wednesday, November 15th

8:00am/Caroline Pfeffer Pace

Thursday, November 16th

8:00am at St. Joseph

Friday, November 17th

8:00am/Joy O'Neal

Saturday, November 18th

4:00pm/Kelly Fox

Sunday, November 19th

10:30am/For the People of the Parishes

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES**Saturday, November 11th @4:00 pm Mass**

Lector: Randy Wojan

Ushers: Jim Hand, Denny Morgan

EMHC: Becky Hand, Sharon Morgan

Gifts: Volunteers

Sunday, November 12th @10:30 am Mass

Lector: Danna Williamson

Ushers: David & Luke Williamson

EMHC: Brian Barnes, Gary Ducey

Gifts: Volunteers

Money Counters: Angie Stanford, Mike Miller

Hospital Rules

Please note that if you or a loved one are in the hospital and would like the priest to visit, you will have to notify Father directly. Due to the HIPPA laws, the hospital will not notify the priest directly. This also applies to nursing homes and assisted living places. Please call Father Pat at 217-485-1224 if you need to have him come for a visit.

Father Pat's Office Hours

If you would like to speak or meet with Fr. Pat,
please call the Rectory at 217-485-1224 or email
frpkoneal@yahoo.com

Confession Schedule

Saturday: 3:15-3:45pm Anytime by appointment.
Please call the Rectory 217-485-1224

Prayer Requests Please remember the following people in your prayers this week: Reese Baird, Nancy Brown-Smith, Mary Humer, Patty Kirby, Miss Barbara Kleiss, Frank Norton, Cathryn Pfeffer, Zoey Smith, Jay Warfel, Jeff Holt, Helen Birtcher, Katelyn Humer, Theresa O'Brien, Tammy Mayer, Jo Church, Becky Benson, Debra Bialeschki, Joann Hesselmann-Smith, Sue Millikin, Ron Adams, Robert Smith, Maggie Grimm, Sharon Oakes, Randy Wojan, Loretta Taylor, Madison Riley Houser, Ernie Goode, Ferrell & Anita Strack, Joseph William Baird, John Henry Baird, Kelly Anderson, and requested prayer intentions.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

For those who could not attend our parish meeting about the Round Two Proposals of the Growing Disciples program, we ask that you watch the video online at cdop.org for the Champaign Planning Area. There are also parishioner response sheets available in the vestibules. Please watch the video, and submit your response by November 22nd.

Festival of Nativities to Celebrate 800th Anniversary

The 8th Annual Peoria Area Community Festival of Nativities, O Holy Night, will be held Thursday through Sunday, November 30 to December 3, 2023, at 3700 West Reservoir Blvd., in Peoria. In celebration of the 800th anniversary of the first nativity held in Greccio, Italy, the festival will feature a live nativity outside on Thursday, November 30, from 4:30-6:30 PM, along with the 4-day indoor display of hundreds of nativities from around the world. The complete schedule for the event is as follows:

Thursday, November 30, 3pm-9pm
Live Nativity 4:30pm-6:30pm

Friday & Saturday, December 1-2, 10am-9pm

Sunday, December 3, 12pm-6pm

Admission is free, and everyone is welcome to this multi-denominational event. Further details can be found at communityfestivalofnativities.com.

ST. THOMAS MORE NEWS

Admissions Application Open for 2024-25 School Year

STM is accepting admissions applications for the next school year. Go to www.hs-stm.org and click on the menu in the upper right corner, then "Apply Now" to get started today. Have questions or need help with the application? Contact the Enrollment Office at admissions@hs-stm.org. We hope and pray to welcome you and your child to the Saber family!

7th and 8th Grade Student Shadow Visits

Do you have a 7th or 8th grader interested in attending the High School of St. Thomas More? Sign them up for a Shadow Visit Day! Generally, on the 2nd Tuesday and 4th Thursday of each month, these visits give a prospective student a chance to see firsthand what STM is all about by following a current Saber for a day. To sign your son or daughter up, go to hs-stm.org and click the "Visit" button on the menu on the homepage. Questions? Email Rachael McMillan at admissions@hs-stm.org for more information.

STM Job Opportunities

STM is currently seeking applications for a Director of Advancement and a Bus Driver. If interested email Sr. M. Bridget at srmbridget@hs-stm.org, Mr. Corapi at acorapi@hs-stm.org and Jon Marston, Athletic Director at jmarston@hs-stm.org.

FAITH COMMUNITY NURSING

Topic: Winter Weather Preparedness

Don't let blustery weather freeze you out of enjoying a joyful winter. Be prepared to weather any storm by following these tips: • Make sure your home emergency kit is stocked and winter storm ready • Use sand to improve traction and apply products that melt ice on walkways • Make sure you have sufficient heating fuel. Regular fuel sources may be cut off • Keep emergency heating equipment and fuel available • Keep fire extinguishers on hand, and make sure your family knows how to use them. • Winterize/insulate your home to extend the life of your fuel supply. • Do not overexert yourself or work outside for extended periods of time

IL winter weather preparedness guide: <https://iemaohs.illinois.gov/content/dam/soi/en/web/iema/preparedness/document/s/winter-storm-preparedness-guidebook.pdf>

Community Wellness and Faith Community Health Services at Carle connects you and your faith community to needed healthcare and wellness support, taking a whole-person approach to health.

To learn more about bringing healthcare and wellness resources to your faith community, call (217) 902-3160 or email FaithCommunityHealth@carle.com.

ALTAR & ROSARY NEWS

The Altar and Rosary would like to thank all who supported the chili supper and meat raffle. The chili supper served almost 90 meals and netted a profit of \$560.58. The meat raffle had a profit of \$2,845.00.

Our raffle winners were: Jim Like (\$25 Meijer gift card), Mike Anderson (\$25 Walmart gift card), Mary Humer (\$25 Schnucks gift card), Mark Brewer (\$25 Prairie Gardens gift card), Jim Akers (\$25 Meijer gift card), and Christine Schwenk (\$25 Target gift card).

\$300 Old Time Meat & Deli Gift Card - Scott Weisbrook
\$200 Old Time Meat & Deli Gift Card - Lorrie Eckstein
\$100 Old Time Meat & Deli Gift Card - Jim Like
\$ 50 Old Time Meat & Deli Gift Card - Fran Wojan

Tuesday, November 14th the monthly A&R meeting will be held at 7 pm at St. Patrick's parish hall. We will be signing holiday cards for our shut-ins.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Larry Hewing and Linda McCarter were married at St. Patrick's Church on November 10th. We wish them many years of happiness.

DONUTS

Join us next Sunday, November 19th, at the parish hall after 10:30am mass for donuts and coffee.