

33RD SUNDAY IN

ORDINARY TIME

And then they will see 'the Son of Man coming in the clouds' with great power and glory...

Mk 13:26

ST. CHARLES BORROMEO CATHOLIC CHURCH SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2024

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MASSES

Saturday, November 16, Vigil, Thirty-Third Sunday in **Ordinary Time**

† Daniel & Jackie Hilker 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, November 17, Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30 a.m. For Our Parish Community

9:00 a.m. † Virginia Gibson

11:00 a.m. Emery & Henrietta Ozdych

5:00 p.m. † Deceased Members of the Ellenberger

Monday, November 18, Weekday, The Dedication of the Basilicas of St. Peter and Paul, Apostles; St. Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin

6:15 a.m. † Gene Smith Confessions 7:30-8:00 a.m. 8:15 a.m. † Bernice Cielec 6:30 p.m. † Dora Villalon

Tuesday, November 19, Weekday

6:15 a.m. † Albert Gillig 7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions 8:15 a.m. Rose Gibson

† Vernon & Frances Abbot 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, November 20, Weekday

† Ed Dobosz 6:15 a.m. 7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions 8:15 a.m. † Daniel Doyle

† Living & Deceased of the Lawrence 6:30 p.m.

Burkhart Family

Thursday, November 21, The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

6:15 a.m. † Jordan Miller 7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions 8:15 a.m. † Anna Groganz † Anthony Vince 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. Confessions

Friday, November 22, St. Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr

6:15 a.m. † Msgr. John Suelzer 7:30-8:00 a.m. Confessions Mike & Phil Offerle 8:15 a.m. 6:30 p.m. † Fred Jehle

7:00 p.m. Holy Hour & Benediction

Saturday, November 23, Weekday, St. Clement I, Pope & Martyr; St. Columban, Abbot; Blessed Miguel Agustin Pro, **Priest and Martyr**

8:15 a.m. † John Wilkinson

1:00 p.m. Wedding-McCarrell-Brinkman

2:30-4:30 p.m. Confessions

Saturday, November 23, Vigil, Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

5:00 p.m. † Virginia Gibson

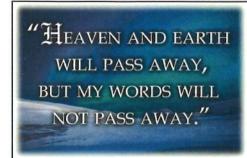
Sunday, November 24, Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

7:30 a.m. For Our Parish Community

Joseph Wallace 9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m. German Michel 5:00 p.m. † Carl Bobay

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 17

Sun., Nov 17:Dn 12.1-3/Heb 10.11-14,18/Mk 13.24-32 Mon., Nov 18:Rv 1.1-4;2.1-5/Lk 18.35-43 Tues., Nov 19:Rv 3.1-6,14-22/Lk 19.1-10 Wed., Nov. 20:Rv 4.1-11/Lk 19.11-28 Thurs., Nov. 21:Rv 5.1-10/Lk 19.41-44 Fri., Nov. 22:Rv 10.8-11/Lk 19.45-48 Sat., Nov. 23:Rv 11.4-12/Lk 20.27-40



THIRTY-THIRD **SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

Ready for The Lord

Reading I Daniel 12.1-3 (Daniel's conclusion to the apocalypse)

Reading II Hebrews 10.11-14,18 (Christ's eternal sacrifice)

Gospel Mark 13.24-32 (The second coming)

Key Passage: Jesus said, "But of that day or hour, no one knows, neither the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father.'

Adult: What would you be doing differently in your life if you truly believed you would meet Christ soon?

Child: What would you do for others today if you thought you would not have another chance to do it?

Saturday, November 23

5:00 p.m. Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

Edward Koors, Kevin Hoersten, Kathy O'Neil, Linda Schneider, Emily Walden

Altar Servers: Gianna Bogenschutz, Lorenzo Escueta, Cohe O'Rourke Master of Ceremonies: Not Filled Lectors: Donna Kaiser, Robert Vandell

Sacristan: Rachelle Harkenrider

Sunday, November 24

7:30 a.m.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Cheryl Prater, Marijo Sliger, C. J. Steigmeyer,

Margie Stier (C Jane Relue)

Altar Servers: Matthew Bulanda, Danny

Jacob, Andrew Jacob Master of Ceremonies: Not Filled

Lector: Cece Dunderman, Ron Russell, Jr.

Sacristan: Cheryl Roy

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Katie Eckrich, Susan Maskal, Gail Montgomery, Mary Lou Morris, Macketsel Nord, 9:00 a.m.

Colleen O'Leary (C Jan Hoy)
Altar Servers: Lily Hilger, Liah Hilger,
Vincent Mathews

Master of Ceremonies: Charlotte Sweigert Lectors: Linda Duesler, Martin Sweigert

Sacristan: Kate Sweigert

11:00 a.m.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: Sarah Brust, Edwin Capuyan, Carole Fuller, Teresa Michel, Anna Tippmann, Judi Ueber

(C Thomas Auer)

Altar Servers: Seth Andes, Zach Barton,

Brooke Barton

Master of Ceremonies: Not Filled Lectors: Jerry Nuerge, Dave Nuerge Sacristan: Julie Weingartner

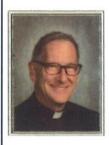
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion: John Rorick, Andy Stauffer, Terry & Cindy Stults 5:00 p.m.

(C Teresa Burke)

Altar Servers: Rafael J. Cucueco. Bryson Merrell, Malachi Palumbo Master of Ceremonies: Marco Cavacini Lectors: Lucy Blakey, Retta Kohrman

Sacristan: Carolyn Tyndall

A NOTE FROM THE PASTOR



Next weekend, we will have religious items made of olivewood available for sale in the Gathering Space. A non-profit organization called *Land of Peace* is providing some income for the Christian community in Bethlehem by selling their carvings. The area has been hard hit by the lack of tourism since the violence began in the Holy Land. We pray that the Holy Land will one day soon be a land of peace.

Next weekend, will also be the beginning of our Advent Giving Tree Project. Take a tag from the tree and return a gift the following weekend for someone in need.

Most of the parish knows Debbie Wagner, who comes to Mass in a motorized wheelchair. I would guess that everyone in the parish knows Ellen, her beautiful black Labrador service dog. Ellen is a friendly and gentle dog, and a very popular member of our parish. As time marches on, it is now the time for Ellen to retire and be replaced with a new service dog. The new dog will be a yellow male. The folks who train these dogs are insistent that when the new dog is here in his harness, no one is allowed to pet him or even make eye contact. In order that he won't be distracted by friendly greetings, his name will be kept secret. Debbie tells me that she plans to bring Ellen once in a while to reconnect with her many friends. Since Ellen is in retirement, we can pet her, call her by name, and let her know that she is missed.

I am glad to be a US citizen and I am grateful for our democratic government. But I don't like campaigns. Our political campaigns devolve into self-promotion and nastiness towards opponents. I can't help but contrast that with the politics of the Church. In choosing Popes and Bishops, prayer is central. Discussions are carried out secretly and self-promotion would disqualify a person from being considered. I am not proposing that we can run a government that way, but as I'm grateful to be an American, I'm even more grateful to be a part of the Church.





Knights of Columbus Council 451 is pleased to sponsor our 5th and final Blood Drive of 2024. This will be held **Saturday, November 30**, in the school cafeteria from 7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Thus far, this most generous

parish has donated 281 units, helping 843 individuals. Let's get over 60 units this next drive, making an all time blood donation record for St Charles. Go to redcrossblood.com-Fill in Zip Code(46815) Click "donate blood"-Scroll to find date-Click on Saturday, November 30-Sign up for a time that works for you.

BAPTISM CLASS FOR PARENTS

A Baptism class will be held at St. Charles **Wednesday**, **December 4**, **7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.** in the **Parish Office Basement**. To register, please call the Parish Office, 482-2186.



Next weekend, November 23 & 24, Samer Awwad will speak after all Masses about the Christian situation in the Holy Land. He represents the Bethlehem Christian Families, a not-for-profit organization through Land of Peace. The goal of this organization is to help Christian families in the Holy Land and Churches in the Middle East which have been affected by the continuous violence and the depletion of tourist to the area. Crucifixes, rosaries, and religious articles, all made of olivewood, which is native to the Holy Land and Bethlehem, will be available to purchase. The sale of these goods will help the Christians in the Holy Land, while giving you the opportunity to have something authentic from the Holy Land for your personal devotion. For more information, please see www.bcfmission.com

SIGN UP NOW TO TAKE HOME THE ST. CHARLES VOCATION CROSS

Months of NOVEMBER & DECEMBER
Sign-up book is located in the
Gathering Space.

Each Sunday a family, couple, or individual will come forward during the Parish Vocation Prayer to receive the "Vocation Cross and A Special Book of Vocation Prayers" written for each day of the week. In taking the cross, they commit themselves to pray during the week to encourage more vocations to the Priesthood and Religious



Life. The Vocation Cross would need to be returned to the Sacristy before the following weekends Masses.

As to the exact day or hour, no one knows it. But who will claim God's reign? Consider a life of service as a Priest or a Deacon.

Please pray for the following members of our parish community who will soon marry.



III Audrey McCarrell—Jared Brinkman



ADVENT GIVING TREE—2024

November 23/24—For St. Vincent DePaul Society Monetary gifts & gift cards (Kroger, Meijer)

November 30/December 1— For St. Patrick's Pantry Toothbrushes, toothpaste, shampoo, laundry soap, dish soap, toilet paper, paper towels, tissues (Kleenex), body lotion, body wash, shaving cream, razors/razor blades

December 7/8—For Walking With Moms in Need
Gift Cards (Walmart, Target, Meier—\$25 increments);
baby lotion, baby shampoo, baby manicure sets, combs/
brushes, Desitin or A & D ointment, baby thermometer,
Laundry Detergent for Babies (Dreft, Arm & Hammer, Purex,
All, for babies) diapers (sizes Newborn, 1-6), pacifiers, baby
bottles, baby blankets, receiving blankets, baby wipes, Pac
N Play sheets, crib sheets, baby bottle brushes, child safety
locks for cabinet & outlets.

December 14/15— St. Charles Pro-Life & Youth Ministry Monetary donations (envelopes)



ST. CHARLES TURKEY BINGO SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17-6:15 P.M. CAFETERIA-DOORS OPEN AT 6:00 P.M. \$5/CARD OR \$25 FAMILY CAP



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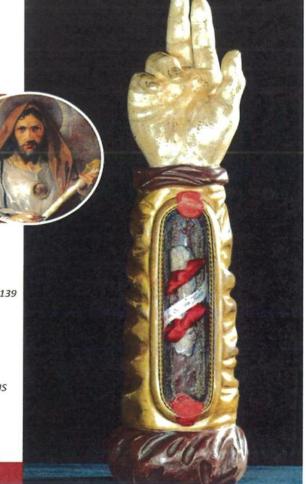
MASS IN HONOR OF SAINT JUDE: 7:00 PM

VENERATION ENDS: 10:00 PM

CHECK THE WEBSITE BELOW FOR OTHER LOCATIONS









The traditional in-person, board-with-presentation Science Fair is back! This means we are looking for 40 volunteers as judges! The **St. Charles School Science Fair** is scheduled for Thursday, January 23, 2025. All judging will start at 8:15 a.m. and continue until 2:00 p.m. Lunch will be provided for judges. If you are interested in helping to judge the science fair, please fill out this Google form: https://tinyurl.com/yr5wxp73. All judges must have a current background check done with the parish/school within the last 4 years. This can be done on the school website at https://www.stcharlesschoolfw.org/safe-environment-certification. Thank you for helping us with this wonderful tradition!

DAILY ROSARY

Every Monday thru Friday after the 8:15 a.m. Mass and at 6:00 p.m. before the 6:30 p.m. Mass, and on Saturday at 7:45 a.m. before the 8:15 a.m. and after Mass. We also have a "Rosary for the Country" on the corner of Reed & Trier on Saturday at 10:00 a.m.

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ST. CHARLES FINANCI	AL STEWAR	DSHIP
07/01/2024 - 06/30/2025	November 10, 2024	
Budgeted Collection Needed	\$	43,270.00
November 10 Collection	\$	38,962.71
This Week	\$	(4,307.29)
Fiscal Year to Date	\$	(51,041.03)



COMMUNITY CONVERSATIONS

We are excited to share our mission to build a Christ-centered home for the dying in our community, and our current Spiritual Companion outreach. Please join us (adults only) on **Monday, December 2**, from 7:00 p.m.—8:00 p.m. (After the 6:30 p.m. Mass) at the St. Charles Community Room off the Gathering Space. Any questions or need more information, contact Rose Hilman, 260-402-6398 or rose@heartofjesusfw.org.

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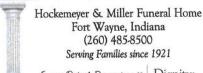




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