

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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November 13, 2022 - Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES FOR NOVEMBER 12 - NOVEMBER 20

ST. MARY'S

Saturday	4:00 p.m.	+Charlotte Sloan
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	St. Mary's Parish Family
Monday	8:15 a.m.	Rosary & Communion Service
Wednesday	8:15 a.m.	+Edmund Fenske
Friday	8:15 a.m.	+James Seufert
Saturday	4:00 p.m.	+Harold Mettlach
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	+Lewis & Catherine Witt Birthday Remembrance

ST. AGNES

Tues.	8:30 a.m.
Thurs.	8:30 a.m.
Sun.	10:30 a.m.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK:

Wednesday, November 16

Thursday, November 17

Friday, November 18

Sunday, November 20

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Monday, November 21

Tuesday, November 22

Wednesday, November 23

Thursday, November 24

Friday, November 25

PSR/CCD Classes will begin. Classes will be 6:15 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.

Memorial of Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious

Hurricane Ian Storm Victims Dinner Fundraiser-Sponsored by St. Mary's 7th & 8th Grade Students. PRESALE TICKETS/TAKEOUT ONLY. \$10 Adult and \$7 Children. 5:30 p.m.-7p.m.

Special Collection: Catholic Charities of Southern Missouri

Memorial of the Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:15 a.m. Rosary and Communion Service

Memorial of Saint Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr

8:15 a.m. Mass

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Memorial of Saint Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest, and Companions, Martyr

Thanksgiving Day Masses: St. Mary's 10:30 a.m. St. Agnes 8:30 a.m.

8:15 a.m. Mass

OUR GIFT TO GOD LAST WEEK: Collection Counters in November: Joe & Denise Crowell

Our weekly budget is \$7,800.00

Last Week's Collection: \$ 3747.35

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS Lexi Eck, Melissa Cahalan, Kayla (Deickhoff) Thomas, Jack Parrigon, Andrea Kristek, Loretta Graskemper, Robert Graskemper and all the sick and shut-ins of our parish.

OUR PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY GO TO THE FAMILY OF CAROLYN WITT. May she be living with God and may her family feel her peace.

THANK YOU: My deepest gratitude to my parish family and all who sent cards, provided food, sent flowers, or expressed sympathy at the passing of my parents, Jim & Carolyn Witt. Special thanks to Father Matt for the services, Rhonda Forgey and the choir for beautiful music, and the ladies of circles 3 & 5 for the delicious meals. I am thankful to have the support of so many caring friends. Mike & Debbie Goodman

CHRISTMAS CINNAMON ROLLS: St. Mary's School is taking preorders for cinnamon rolls. Orders will be due back to the school office by Friday, December 2, 2022. They will be Half dozen (6) for \$10. Pick up will be Friday, December 23 from 3-6 p.m. Order sheets are in the back of church.

THE PCCW LADIES are selling pecans during the month of November and part of December. The order is delayed. As soon as the pecans arrive we will sell after both weekend Masses. You may also contact an officer to purchase them. The price is \$12.00 a bag. We appreciate your support. Contact Bonnie Parrigon at 417-489-3866, Patty Osterloh at 417-540-4182 and Beverly Miller at 417-737-0774. Thank you.

THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE: During the first couple of weeks of November we will be doing a Food Drive for the needy of our area. Please bring non perishable items and put them in the back of church. The last day to bring food will be Friday, November 18, 2022.

FR. MATT BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION: Please join us in a Pot-luck dinner celebrating Father Matt's birthday on Saturday , December 17, 2022 following 4:00 Mass. It will be held in the cafeteria. Drinks and paper products will be provided. If your last name begins with A-F, please bring a salad , G-L bring a dessert, M-R please bring a bread , and S-Z bring a vegetable. Every family will provide a meat dish. We hope to see you there.

NOTES FROM FR. MATT: In the last few weeks, there have been quite a few funerals. As is always the case, the Choir, the PCCW, providing a luncheon, as well as all those who work behind the scenes have provided comfort. I am grateful to them, as are the families. There are many people still healing form the sadness of the passing of loved ones. As a parish family, we share in their sadness. Please remember to pray for them. On another topic, I am hoping that the Director of the office of Property and Development will be able to make it here to look at the area of the Church that we are looking at to build a suitable room for confessions. I expect that the next phase of the 3 year Eucharistic Renewal called for the Bishops Conference last November will be centering in on people taking advantage of the Sacrament, so as to be best disposed to receive the full grace Christ gives us when receiving the Blessed Sacrament. God Bless.

NOTES FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK:

Friday afternoon the students held their Veterans Assembly to pay tribute and honor to our Veterans. Thank you to all of the Veterans for their service and sacrifice. Saturday afternoon was the fundraiser for Children's Miracle Network. Thank you to all of the families participating in the All School Mass on Sunday. I'd like to thank Father Matt and the parishioners once again for allowing the school children to be involved with the Mass.

APPOINTMENTS

If you are unable to make your appointment, please find a replacement

Saturday, November 19 4:00 p.m. Mass

Readers: Beverly Miller, Madeline Ceselski

Servers: Lexie Blackburn, Anna Hogenmiller

E.M.: Shelly Stellwagen

Ushers: Tom Cahalan, Tommy Cahalan, Bryan Stellwagen, Larry Gasser

Sunday, November 20 8:30 a.m. Mass

Readers: Rachelle Brown, Jennifer Eaton

Servers: Knox Ellis, McKinley Ellis

E.M.: Dale Jasumback, Jerri Jasumback (Choir)

Ushers: Dale Jasumback, Ellis Motley, Levi Cooper, Jesse Cooper

**We are also looking for any one that would like to be a Reader, Extraordinary Minister, and Usher
If you are interested please contact the church office at 476-2827.**