# The 31<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time, November 5, 2017



Jesus spoke to the crowds and to His disciples, saying, "The scribes and the Pharisees have taken their seat on the chair of Moses. Therefore, do and observe all things whatsoever they tell you, but do not follow their example. For they preach but they do not practice." - Mt 23:1-3

Mon. Nov. 6 7:30 AM † Samuel Macaluso † Steve Yahner Tues. Nov. 7 7:30 AM Nov. 8 7:30 AM † Marie Callahan Wed. Thur. Nov. 9 7:30 AM † Loretta Springer Nov.10 7:30 AM † Joe Novak Fri.

Sat. Nov. 11 7:30 AM † Donald 'Corkey' Patrick Sat.

Nov. 11 5:00 PM † Margaret Bobick-Gresko, Anniv.

Nov. 12 7:00 AM † Theresa Yeager Sun.

Nov. 12 9:00 AM † Michael Bobby, Anniv.

Low Mass, Latin 11:00AM Parish Mass

23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturday, 4 – 4:45 PM, or anytime by appointment



The Sanctuary Lamps burn for All the Poor Souls in Purgatory, the week of November 5 – November 11

## FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Families using Sunday Envelopes:

**NUMBER PERCENT** October 29, 2017 55%

October 29, 2017, weekly/monthly - \$3,929.96 Repair Fund, October 29, 2017 - \$41.00 St. Vincent de Paul, October 29, 2017 - \$171.00 † SVDP Conference - \$141.00

† SVDP Food Pantry - \$30.00

Additional Benedictine Appeal - \$381.58 Additional World Missions - \$59.00

All Saints - \$7.00

2017 Catholic Ministries Drive – 68 families (23%) have pledged \$15,340 toward our Parish Goal of \$20,900. We need \$5,560 to reach that goal. \* NO CHANGES IN THE PAST 4 WEEKS \*

# THANK YOU...

**SPECIAL ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE** is currently taking orders for the Rada Cutlery products. These items are great gifts throughout the year, especially now for Christmas and for the "special Newlyweds" in your family. If you are interested, please contact Dee (674-8809), Jack (674-8948) or Marsha (674-5740). Orders placed by Thanksgiving will be delivered in time for Christmas gift giving.

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#### **ALTAR SERVERS**

Saturday, November 11 **<u>5 PM</u>** Erin Choby & Jacob Jolly Sunday, November 12

9 AM Lydia, Collin & Mallory Sherry

### **LECTORS**

Saturday, November 11 **5 PM** Barb Barnosky Sunday, November 12 9 AM Emma Venesky

# EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE **EUCHARIST**

Saturday, November 11 <u>5PM</u> Kathy Noel Blood November 12 Sunday, Jerry Yahner **7AM** Blood Dan Thomas Body 9AM Blood Dan Anna Blood Sandy Illig

**PARISH BREAKFAST** – Please join us **Sunday**, November 5 for an "All You Can Eat" delicious buffet breakfast, served in the lower level of the Parish Center from 8 AM - 1 PM, by the "Men of the Parish." Prices: Adults, \$8 / Children (5-12), \$4 / Children (under 5), free. Thank you for your support.

**PARISH PRAYER LIST** – We entrust to the care of Christ the Divine Physician, those members of our Parish Family in need of Healing in Body, Mind, or Spirit especially Tom Geishauser, Mary Valentine, Paul McNulty, 'Lizzie' Chongla, Philip Warefield, Robin Hauret, Mary Louise Gobert, Mary Beth Chaney, Dick Anna, 'Doc' Noel, Jake Kalis, Dawn Kovaloski, Tina Lokey-Gambee, Gerard Macaluso, Peggy Fedor, Jim & Rose Moxley, and Derek Miller. May they embrace their trials in union with the Crucified Christ for the salvation of souls, and the remission of sins.

*ALTAR RENOVATION FUND* – <u>119 Families or 39% of the Parish</u> has given <u>\$39,285.21</u> towards our renovation goal. All donations given now will go towards repairing the plaster arches above the side Altars. THANK YOU AND MAY ALMIGHTY GOD BLESS YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY...

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*The Pennsylvania Educational Estate Advocacy Services (PEEAS)* will be conducting a FREE WORKSHOP on <u>Thursday, November 9</u> at 7 PM, in the lower level of the Queen of Peace Parish Center.

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**QUEEN OF PEACE ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE IS HOSTING A VENDOR & CRAFT SHOW** – Sunday, November 12 from 10 AM – 4 PM in the upper level of the Parish Center. There will be numerous craft and vendor tables selling their wares. What a great way to "kick off" your holiday shopping! There will be food and refreshments available for purchase.

**LOTTERY CALENDARS AVAILABLE FOR SALE** – The Queen of Peace Activities Committee is selling a 6-month calendar for 2018 (Jan 1 –June 30). Ticket donation is \$20 and **makes a great Christmas present**. Tickets are available at the Parish breakfasts or call Jack (674-8948), Dee (674-8809), Grace (674-8762), or stop by the Parish Office (674-8983).

CEMETERY COLLECTION – The Annual Collection for perpetual care of our cemeteries (St. Mary/St. George and St. Lawrence) will be held throughout the month of November. Please mark your envelope accordingly so that all monies given will go directly into the perpetual care account of your desired Cemetery Association.

The Cemetery Committee has requested that all spring/summer decorations be removed by November 15.

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**QUEEN OF PEACE CHURCH CHOIR** is once again looking for new voices. If you are interested, practices are **Wednesday at 7 PM**. In order to sing for Christmas, you MUST attend the practices. <u>In addition</u>: Christmas Concert rehearsals will begin <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>November 7</u>, from 7-9 PM in the upper level of the Parish Center. All are welcome to attend. For more info, call Kevin (674-5609). "Music is a Fair and Glorious Gift of God."

St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in conjunction with Chan Soon-Shiong Medical Center at Windber is holding a community Lab Blood Screen on Saturday, November 11 from 7-9 AM at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church Hall, 540 Main St. in Summerhill. Call 814-467-3961 to schedule an appointment. A 12-14 hr. fast is recommended. You do not need to be a patient of a Windber Physician to participate; patients of any physician are welcome. No physician order is needed and walk-ins are welcome. The cost is \$30.

*Holy Family Parish, Portage* is sponsoring a Turkey Bingo on Monday, November 13 at 7 PM in their Parish hall. 25 turkeys and (2) \$25 Stager Store gift certificates will be given as prizes. Admission is \$5/person, under 17 is free. Bingo cards are 2 for 25c /game. Extra specials, rip off tickets and 50/50 will be played. Refreshments will be available.

**The Patton Vol. Fire Company** is sponsoring their Annual Turkey Raffle on Sunday, November 19 from 1 – 4 PM at the Patton Fire Hall. Prizes will include turkeys, hams, slabs of bacon, potatoes, cash raffles and other surprises! Your meal and refreshments are provided, and there is free admission! Wow, what a deal!! Please support our local Fire Company.

*The Dorothy Day Outreach Center on the Campus of St. Francis University* invites you to share a catered Thanksgiving meal honoring our Senior Citizens on <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>November 22</u> from 10:30 AM – 1 PM at the Torvian Dining Hall on the University Campus. <u>Must reserve by Friday</u>, <u>November 17</u>. For questions/ or to reserve seating, call The Dorothy Day Outreach Center at (814-472-2877 or 814-472-2878).

# FAMILIES AND THE GOSPEL- Mt. 23:1-12

In today's Gospel Jesus describes the vocation of parents: "The greatest among you must be your servant." Children take our blood, genes, strength, name, patience, and resources. A parent's servitude begins at the moment of conception. The Lord is present in each of our acts of selfless service.

The 2017 Annual Queen of Peace Christmas Ornament, (our 16<sup>th</sup> in the Series), <u>featuring the Holy Spirit</u> will be delivered in the coming week. Please use the order form, and once we receive them, you will be notified. The previous ornaments are still available for purchase, (<u>2002-Our Church</u>, <u>2005-St. Joseph Altar & 2006-Sacred Heart Altar are sold out</u>).

| 2017 ANNUAL CHRISTMAS ORNAMENT<br>\$20/ornament |
|-------------------------------------------------|
| Name                                            |
| Phone                                           |
| # of ornaments                                  |
| Amount due \$                                   |