



Monday, October 29th

6:30AM Bob Cirillo
8:30AM Charles Martin

Tuesday, October 30th

6:30AM Mark DiSerafino
8:30AM James E. Levandowski

Wednesday, October 31st

6:30AM Joseph Tiburzi, Jr.
8:30AM Katherine & Francis Nolan

All Saints Day - Thursday, November 1st

6:30AM Tom Morgan
8:30AM Sam R. & Doris A. Sgro
7:00PM Mary & Patrick McKenna

All Souls Day - Friday, November 2nd

6:30AM All Souls
8:30AM All Souls
7:00PM Mass of Remembrance

Saturday, November 3rd

8:30AM Michael Molineux
5:00PM Saturday Evening Vigil

Sunday, November 4th

Sunday Masses: 6:30, 9:30 and 11:30AM

Saturday, November 3rd & Sunday, November 4th

5:00PM Msgr. Vogan
6:30AM Msgr. Vogan
9:30AM Fr. Pawelko
11:30AM Fr. Pawelko



Please remember in your prayers all our sick:

Brian Allison, Anne Arner, Leon Arnold, Bob Belczyk, Kevin BeVier, Tom Boden, Jack Boyette, Dominic Branca, Theresa Bucella, Paul Bufano, Sophia Bufano, Virginia Burbage, Greyson Burke, Cathy Carrol, Susan Crowley, Anne Davis, Thomas Duggan, Greg Dulaney, Amanda Durkholder, Kelly Eberz, George Edelmann, Joseph Eichinger, Sharon Feist, Eugene Fisher, Laurie Frost, Kim Fry, Eleanor Galbraith, Daniel Garvin, Joe Glowacki Karen Gormley, Anne Hagg, Robert Harron, Helena Hart, Conall Harvey, Ilene Haschak, Charles Hee, Sylvester Jenifer, Rosemarie Johnson, Regina Johnson, Jennifer Kelly, Lizzy Kelly, Shyla Kelly, Ralph King, Sue Lallo, Tim Lamanna, Danielle Lever, Audris Lichota, Thomas Luke, Debra Mallon, Bob Magolon, Brenda Magolon, Barbara Magozzi, Margaret Mahoney, Robert Malin, Ann Manco, Patricia Marconi, Tom Marley, Thomas Marshall, Mary Mascioli, Cameron McCarthy, Nan McGroary, Dan McKenna, Joey McLaughlin, Gina Miller James Moran, Susan Mullen, Phyllis Myers, Christina Nesmith, Julia Newell, Anthony Oswald, Louisa Pacubas, Richard Parker, Charles Piccara, Jr., Charles Piccara, Sr., Eileen Posner, Anne Powers, Claire Powers, Ann Pyne, Helen Raftovich, Loretta Ricciardi, Paul Riggs, Bill Robb, Joseph Romasko, Jr. Anita Rossi, Sharon Rowles, Christine Samuels, Candy Santos, Patricia Schmidt, Lauren Schaizza, Diane Shaefer, Kathy Shiels, John Smith, Rosemary Smith, Thomas Smith, Kathleen Stacklass, Patricia Starkey, Jerry Sullivan, Kayla Taylor, Robert Taylor, Jose Tavaraz, Lauren Thomas, Virginia Tracy, John Tully, Diane Weverling, Nancy Williams, Hana Yago, Michelle & Robert Yanuzzi, Angie Zuccarino

Please pray for our beloved deceased especially:

Rita Naylor

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Monday, October 29th

12:15PM - HFR School Choir Practice - Church
5:30PM - CYO Volleyball - Hall
7:00PM - RCIA - Mary's Chapel
7:00PM - Pre-Cana - Neumann Room

Tuesday, October 30th

After 8:30AM Mass -5:00PM - Adoration - Mary's Chapel
10:00AM - Flame of Love - Mary's Chapel
1:00PM - Holy Hour of Reparation - Mary's Chapel
4:00PM - PREP - School
6:00PM - CYO Volleyball - Hall
7:00PM - Following Christ - Neumann Room
Cabrin Room - Saint Katharine Drexel

Wednesday, October 31st

4:00PM - PREP - School
6:00PM - PREP - School

All Saints Day - Thursday, November 1st

1:00PM - Marian Movement of Priests - Mary's Chapel
6:30PM - Boy Scouts - Hall

Friday, November 2nd

5:30PM - Music Ministry - Church
5:30PM - CYO Volleyball - Hall
7:00PM - Mass of Remembrance - Church

Sunday, November 4th

10:30AM - CYO Adult Board - Neumann Room
12:30PM - Ladies Guild General Meeting- Neumann Room
1:00PM - Baptism - Church
5:00PM - Adult Volleyball - Hall
6:30PM - Mom's Group - Neumann Room
7:00PM - HS CYO Gathering - Hall
7:00PM - Scout Religious Medals - Neumann Room

SUNDAY COLLECTION

The collection for last Sunday amounted to \$15,713

Thank you for your generosity to your parish!



Thursday, November 1st is All Saints Day and a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses will be celebrated in Church at 6:30, 8:30AM and 7:00PM.



LOVE TO COOK!

The rectory is looking for a part time cook for dinners only. number of hours vary each week). Includes food shopping as well.

Interested, please call the rectory at 610-497-3340. 107-1



PASTORAL
COUNCIL

NOMINATIONS

**PASTORAL COUNCIL NOMINATIONS
THIS WEEKEND!**

The Parish Pastoral Council will be **holding an election the weekend of December 1st and 2nd** to fill four positions that will be vacated at the end of the year. **Nominating ballots along with the Parish Mission Statement and Council By-Laws will be in the gathering space this weekend and next.** Please consider nominating a fellow parishioner or yourself for Council. Pastor Council meets approximately 8 times during the course of the year.

**Aid For
Friends**



St. Joe's number is 42, please note on all meals.

Any ministry planning to make meals or soups, please contact Ralph DeBerardinis **BEFORE you do so to coordinate timing and supplies.**

Please if you are able to make an extra portion of your evening meal for our shut-ins. Trays and soup containers are available in the lower church kitchen. If you have any questions or if you would like to volunteer to bring meals to our shut-ins, please call Ralph at 610-494-4428.



Anyone requesting the transportation services of H.O.P.E. October 29th to November 2nd should call team captain: **Team 3: Lynne Harrison 610-494-4699.**

This number is for **THIS WEEK ONLY.**

Please give 24-48 hours notice!

ONE ride per week.



FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND AT 7:00pm

Please join us as we celebrate a Mass Remembrance on Friday, November 2, 2018, at 7 p.m. The Mass will commemorate the lives of the deceased members of our parish community. A candle will be lit in memory of those who have died this past year. Fellowship and refreshments follow the Mass in the lower church



COPING WITH THE HOLIDAYS

Wednesday, November 14th 7:00PM

The Bereavement Ministry invites you to join us in the Neumann Room as Linda Murray Branco, PhD, Director of Pastoral Care, Saint Francis Healthcare, Wilmington, Delaware, offers insight to help you get through the upcoming holiday season as you cope with the loss of a loved. All are welcome. Refreshments will be served.



Stewardship
a way of life

Following Jesus is the work of a lifetime. At every step forward, one is challenged to go further in accepting and loving God's will. Being a disciple is not just something else to do, alongside many other things suitable for Christians; it is a total way of life and requires continuing conversion. What a challenge we have set before us as Disciples of Christ and Christian Stewards.

Today's readings give us encouragement and strength to "keep on keeping on" in our stewardship way of life, starting with our First Reading, from Jeremiah. "Thus says, the Lord: Shout with joy for Jacob, exult at the head of the nations; proclaim your praise and say: The Lord has delivered his people... I will console them and guide them... For I am a father to Israel." We know the story of our redemption has a happy ending. In the end, God wins! And that means we, His disciples, "win," too. It's easy to become discouraged when we look at the world around us, perhaps even when we look at the painful difficulties within our own church and families. But we know that Jesus has already conquered death and that God's fatherly love will triumph in the end. Clinging to this truth keeps us moving forward in our ministries and marriages, parenting, our work lives and friendships.

Today's Gospel shows us we need to have our "act together" before we can spend time with God in prayer. In this passage from Mark, we see that Bartimaeus received a powerful answer to prayer at a very low point in his life. There he sat, begging at the side of the road in a rather undignified manner. His posture wasn't exactly reverent, and his prayer wasn't eloquent, just a desperate, "Jesus, son of David, have pity on me." But it was a sincere cry from his heart. And Jesus, though surrounded by a sizable crowd, heard it, and called for Bartimaeus to come to Him. Folks from the crowd called to Bartimaeus, "Take courage; get up, Jesus is calling you." And right there on the spot, Bartimaeus experienced a profound moment of personal encounter with our Lord and the healing of his vision he desired.

How simple it is to encounter Jesus! All we must do is reach out to Him in prayer and we can be assured that He will hear us and call us to Himself. So, let's all take courage this week knowing that Jesus is calling us right now to spend time with Him just as we are, in all our weakness and brokenness. Tell Him, the great High Priest, what your needs are and then, like Bartimaeus, follow Him, and keep on keeping on in this stewardship way of life. It's a life with the ultimate happy ending.



20th Annual Turkey Drive

St. Joseph Parish and Holy Family Regional School are once again providing Thanksgiving meals for the hungry in our area. **We will be collecting turkeys, GIANT Food Store GIFT CARDS and CASH for the purchase of turkeys.** We are also collecting the "fixins" to make a complete meal. **Please bring your turkeys/grocery items to the school any time before Monday, November 18th at 2:00PM.** You can also bring your "dry" food items to the red bin in the church. We will be taking the donations to the Sisters of Charity on Tuesday. Thank you for all you do.

You can purchase your Giant gift card at the rectory.107-2



HALLOWEEN IS ALMOST HERE

*NEED CANDY or COSTUMES? We carry gift cards for:
WALMART – CVS – RITE AID – WALGREENS*

*Don't forget you can pay your Kohls bill
with Kohls giftcards!*

*PLEASE stop by the Rectory BEFORE you shop and
purchase gift cards for supermarket or stores.*



**Holy Family Regional Catholic School
WINTER BALL – DECEMBER 1ST**

BEST Catholic Education Choice!

A Legacy of Success!

Academic Excellence Rooted in Faith

If you have children as young as three or school aged up to and including 8th grade, Holy Family Regional Catholic School should be your choice for Catholic Education.

When you join Holy Family School you are joining a community with a legacy of success.

The Regotti family is just one example of this legacy. Peter Regotti is a current Holy Family seventh grader. Peter's sister Emma graduated in 2017 and Peter's dad is a 1990 graduate of St. Joseph's (now Holy Family)! The Regotti's want to be sure that Peter, just like his sister and father before him, has a rigorous academic program plus learns "the values we teach and live by at home". The Regotti's are confident in Holy Family School and proud of be part of its strong legacy of outstanding Catholic Education.

If you are interested in being part of a great school community committed to Academic Excellence Rooted in Faith, contact: Charles Hughes, Principal at chughes@holyfamilyaston.org or 610-494-0147.



PAINT NIGHT

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 9th at 7:00PM

\$20.00 per person

BYOB and Snacks

Register and pay online at

<https://stjoespaintingnight.eventbrite.com>

**OR makecheck payable to Kathryn Kinuthia and drop off
at the rectory by Sunday, November 5th.**

**For more information contact Katie Kinuthia at
Kinuthiafamily13@gmail.com**



2018 CYO BASKETBALL REGISTRATION

JV BOYS & GIRLS

(5TH & 6TH Grades)

VARSITY BOYS & GIRLS

(7th & 8th Grades)

Contact: Mike Flaherty,

St. Joseph's Athletic Director

at mflaherty20@verizon.net

<http://www.stjosephaston.org/cyo>

PARISH **Christmas Bazaar**

NOVEMBER 17TH

8:30AM TO 5:00PM



SPAGHETTI DINNER

3:00 to 5:00PM

NOVEMBER 17th

**PLEASE COME JOIN US FOR SOME FUN,
DELICIOUS FOOD AND GREAT SHOPPING AT**

The Christmas Bazaar is almost here!!! Chances were mailed to each parishioner earlier this month. We hope that you can sell these chances or redeem them yourself. You can return the chances (and money) in the envelope provided by dropping them in the collection basket, at the rectory or bring them in when you visit the Bazaar. If you would like additional chances, please call Margaret/Marian Adamek at 610-494-9186.

NEW THIS YEAR a SPAGHETTI DINNER from 3 to 5PM. Eat-in or Take-Out. Spaghetti, Meatballs & Italian Bread \$7adults \$4 children 10 and under

VOLUNTEER NEEDED

We are looking for help from all Parishioners for our annual Christmas Bazaar. Please see what time, talents or treasures you can share. If you are able to give an hour or two of your time, please contact Joanne Misci @ joamis326@gmail.com or 302-750-4531 or sign up after Mass today in the Lower Church.

You may also sign up through the Sign up Genius: Go to www.signupgenius.com Click on magnifying glass in upper right corner Search by Email – joamis326@gmail.com. Click "Sign Up" Scroll to the bottom and click "Submit and Sign Up"

OTHER WAYS TO HELP!

If you are unable to help out on the day of the Bazaar, there are other ways that you can assist. We are accepting donations of **Cans of Soda, Water and Hamburger Rolls**. Please use the Sign-Up Genius for your donations. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0B49A4AE22A0FDO-stjoseph>. If you are not comfortable using the Sign-Up Genius, please contact Joanne Misci and she will enter it for you. You can also follow the Sign-Up Genius instructions above.

If you prefer, we would also be grateful for any gift card or cash donations to defray the costs of the Kitchen foods. Please contact Joanne Misci @ 302-750-4531.

BAKE TABLE

We know we have many wonderful bakers in the parish. Please share your talents with the rest of us. Everyone is always looking for beautiful homemade treats, especially just in time for Thanksgiving. Please contact Cathy Zack or Joanne Misci or use the sign-up genius to tell us what you can donate. **DROP OFF for the BAKE TABLE is Thursday evening, November 15th between 4:00PM and 7:00PM or any time on Friday, November 16th from 9:00AM - 5:00PM.**