

Masses November 19-26, 2017

Sunday

8:30 AM (STP) People of the Parishes [FD]
 9:30 AM (SH) Jane Frymyer (Fr. Tim Kozak) [FN]
 10:00 AM (CTK) Sam Milazzo (Mary Jane Milazzo) [FM]
 11:30 AM (STP) Mafalda Pisanello (Maria Henning) [FD]
 6:00 PM (CTK) Joe & Carmela Davoli (Joanne Bray) [FM]

Monday

5:30 PM (CTK) Seth Kriksciun (Mary Anne Reeves) [FM]

Tuesday

8:15 AM (STP) Bernie & Gaye Royko (Anne Chonko) [FM]

Wednesday

12:00 PM (SH) Frederick B. Goebel (Martha Goebel) [FM]
~~5:30 PM (CTK)~~ No Mass

Thursday

9:00 AM (STP) Blanche Sands (James & Kathleen Masters)
 9:00 AM (SH) In Thanksgiving For All Blessings

Friday

~~12:15 PM (CTK)~~ No Mass

Saturday

5:00 PM (CTK) Deceased of the Davoli & Bray Families (Joanne Bray) [FM]
 5:30 PM (SH) Jose Delgado (Fr. Tim Kozak) [FD]

Sunday

8:30 AM (STP) People of the Parishes [FM]
 9:30 AM (SH) Paul Harris (Fr. Tim Kozak) [FD]
 10:00 AM (CTK) John Bechter (Chuck & Betty Bechter) [FM]
 11:30 AM (STP) James & Bernita Tansey (Reid & Teresa Caldwell & Family) [FM]
 6:00 PM (CTK) Mary Kathryn Abel (the Abel Family) [FM]

LITURGICAL MINISTERS CTK/STP next weekend: November 25/26

| Mass | Greeters/Gift Bearers | Servers | Readers | EMHC |
|--------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| 5:00 PM CTK | Beatrice Selotlegeng | Chris Radlicz | Beatrice Selotlegeng | Deacon Scott Carson, Naomi Stork, Chad Springer, Mary Anne Reeves |
| 8:30 AM STP | Sara & Roger Menchofer | Lillian Bohuslawsky Lucy Ingram | Melissa Esdale Eileen Sirois | Sara & Roger Menchofer, Jon Denhart, Charles Mansfield, Kathy Masters |
| 10:00 AM CTK | Kurt Montle Family | Henry Welsh Angel Rosemarie Riley | Justin Carr Mary Ann Simon | Sandy Patton, Deacon Scott Carson, Sherry Curp, Mary Helen Graham |
| 11:30 AM STP | the Carey Family | Baelyn Carey | Margaret Thomas Theresa Meyer | Theresa Meyer, Kim Miller, Nancy Sand |
| 6:00 PM CTK | | Evan Davison | Cheryl Kraus | Deacon Dan Murray, Mike Kraus |

THE WEEK AHEAD @ CTK, STP & SH

| Date | Time | Event | Place |
|--|---------------------------|----------------------------------|---------|
| November 19 33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME | | | |
| Sunday | 10/11 AM | RE Classes | HFC/CTK |
| | 10:45 AM | CCD Classes | SH |
| | 5:15 PM | Thanksgiving Dinner | HFC |
| November 20 | | | |
| Monday | 7:00 PM | P&J Committee | HFC |
| | 7:00 PM | RCIA | HFC |
| November 21 | | | |
| Tuesday | 10:00 AM | Bible Study | HFC |
| | 1:30 PM | Study Group | HFC |
| | 7:00 PM | Choir Practice | CTK |
| | 7:00 PM | Choir Practice | STP |
| November 22 | | Parish Offices are open | |
| Wednesday | | OU Thanksgiving Break | |
| November 23 Happy Thanksgiving! | | | |
| Thursday | 9:00 AM | Mass | STP |
| | 9:00 AM | Mass | SH |
| | Parish Offices are closed | | |
| November 24 | | Parish Offices are closed | |
| Friday | | No 12:15 PM Mass today | |
| November 25 | | | |
| Saturday | 4:00 PM | Baptism | SH |
| | 6:30 PM | Baptism | SH |
| November 26 FEAST OF OUR LORD CHRIST THE KING | | | |
| Sunday | | No RE Classes | CTK |
| | | No CCD Classes | SH |
| | 1:00 PM | Baptism | CTK |

PARISH THANKSGIVING DINNER - Everyone is invited to the dinner this afternoon beginning at 5:15 PM at the HFC. The main meal is provided by the CWC; families are asked to bring a dessert to share.



Please send announcements to Wendy at the parish office for the November 26th bulletin no later than 5:00 PM this Monday, November 20th.

WEEKLY COLLECTION - Next weekend's bulletin will include collection totals from November 12th & November 19th.

| | November 19 | November 26 |
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| CTK | Diane Matters | Karen Oswald |
| STP | Sally Biancone | Trudy Montle |

THANKSGIVING - Mass will be celebrated on Thanksgiving at 9:00 AM at both St. Paul Church & Sacred Heart Church. Come & give thanks for the many blessings received during the past year.

The parish offices are open Wednesday, November 22nd. The offices will be closed Thursday & Friday, November 23rd & 24th. The 5:30 PM & 12:15 PM Masses Wednesday & Friday at CTK have been cancelled.

Adoration has been cancelled on Thanksgiving day.

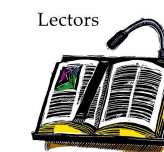


ALTAR FLOWERS - This weekend the altar flowers at both CTK & STP are *in memory of Richard Syracuse* from Carole Syracuse.



SYMPATHY - Please pray for the repose of the soul of *Guy Cutuli* who passed away earlier this week. He was Mary Jane Milazzo's brother. We offer Mary Jane & her family our sincere sympathy & prayers.

LECTOR WORKBOOKS - Workbooks are available & can be picked up at the entrance of each church. The new workbooks are a prayerful way to prepare to proclaim God's Word; they have all the readings for Liturgical Year B which begins in Advent.



VOLUNTEERS - We need help changing the misallettes next Sunday, November 26th, after the 11:30 & the 6:00 Masses.

GIVING TREE - The Athens Catholic Community has set up trees with tags at both STP & CTK. Please take an ornament from a tree & attach it to your gift. These gifts will be distributed by Athens County Children Services. Food donations will be distributed by workers from our Food Pantry. All food, toys & books should be returned by December 10th. Thank you for your generosity.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NOTES - An aide is needed for the Pre-K class that meets during the 10:00 AM Mass at CTK. Contact Nancy Denhart, Director of Religious Ed, for more information.

“Christmas Wheat” packets in honor of St. Lucy will be prepared by the 5th grade today. Seed packets will be distributed the first weeks of Advent.



Classes will not meet November 26th. Remember to give thanks for all our many blessings. Classes resume on December 3rd. Look for a visit from a special guest!

FIRST RECONCILIATION - The First Reconciliation Family Retreat & Service is Saturday, December 2nd. We'll begin at 8:30 AM with a light breakfast in the HFC.



Several stations are planned. At the “Good Shepherd” station we hear how Jesus is our Shepherd. At the “Role-play the Sacrament with Father Mark” station, the children & adults get a chance to see exactly what happens in Confession. Children review the concepts taught in the classroom at the “Game Station” in a very FUN way. The “Forgiving Father” station allows families a chance to ask forgiveness of each other, if needed. The Reconciliation Service begins at 10:00 AM, & we'll move to CTK for it. Parents are also encouraged to receive the Sacrament.

RAFFLE TICKETS - The Catholic Women's Club raffle tickets are available for pick up in the back of the churches. The drawing will take place during the CWC Cookie Walk on December 9th. See the ticket envelope for more information. Your support is appreciated.

CUSCO BENEFIT - Nearly 40 people attended the Cusco dinner. Currently, we have raised over \$1300 from ticket sales & donations toward our goal of \$1600. If you'd like to make a donation, please make check payable to "Christ the King Church" & drop it in the collection basket. Thank you.

PARISH OFFICES are open Wednesday, November 22nd. The offices will be closed Thursday & Friday, November 23rd & 24th.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS CHOIR - Choir practices for the 4:00 PM Christmas Eve Mass at CTK are Tuesdays, December 12th & 19th, from 6:00 to 7:00 PM & Saturdays, December 16th & 23rd from 10:00 to 11:00 AM.



Practices will be held in in the church. Plan to attend at least two. We will do our best to keep practices to an hour. It is a great way for the children to learn Christmas songs & SPREAD THE JOY! If you have questions, contact Nancy Sand.

ST. FRANCIS CHRISTMAS DINNER - Our annual Christmas Dinner will be held Sunday, December 3rd, at the HFC beginning at 5:00 PM. We have volunteers proving turkey, ham, mashed potatoes, stuffing, rolls, & drinks. Please bring a dish to share. Music will be provided by Mike Kellogg.

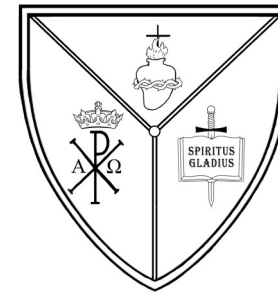


ACCFP/ELIJAH MINISTRY - The Athens Catholic Community Food Pantry is donating our December offerings to the Elijah Ministry, a group of parishioners who try to express the care & concern of our parish community to those in this community with pressing needs. In the past year, the parishes have provided financial assistance to parishioners through the Elijah Ministry for food, rent, utilities, medicine, child care, educational fees, & gasoline.

PEACE & JUSTICE - This is Bread for the World weekend. There is a bulletin insert, & members of the Peace & Justice Committee will collect signatures after the Masses. Remember the hungry in your prayers & pray for all those who can help alleviate hunger, including our nation's leaders. Consider joining with Bread for the World's leadership in fasting on the 21st of each month as a special way to remember the needs of the hungry among us.

The Peace & Justice Committee is meeting on November 20th at 7:00 PM in the HFC.

PRC BLING SALE - On Thursday, December 7th, from 6:00 to 9:00 PM, there will be a sale of previously-loved, fine-to-fashion jewelry items & a silent auction at the Holiday Inn on East State Street. All proceeds benefit the Pregnancy Resource Center.



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Mass Times

SACRED HEART CHURCH

WEDNESDAY 12:00 PM
THURSDAY 6:30 PM

FIRST FRIDAY MASS
8:30 AM

FIRST SATURDAY MASS & DEVOTIONS
9:30 AM

SATURDAY VIGIL
5:30 PM

SUNDAY
9:30 AM

ST. PAUL CHURCH

TUESDAY & THURSDAY 8:15 AM

SUNDAY
8:30 AM, 11:30 AM

CHRIST THE KING CHURCH

MONDAY & WEDNESDAY
5:30 PM

FRIDAY
12:15 PM

SATURDAY VIGIL
5:00 PM

SUNDAY
10:00 AM
6:00 PM (DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR)

Confessions

SACRED HEART: SATURDAY 4:45 PM
SUNDAY 8:45 AM

CHRIST THE KING: MONDAY & WEDNESDAY 5:00 PM
SATURDAY 4:00 PM

SUNDAY 5:00 PM (DURING THE ACADEMIC YEAR)

CONFESSIONS ARE HEARD ANYTIME BY REQUEST.

Prayers

Please remember in your prayers the health (H), intentions (I), or repose (R) of the following people:

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|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Raymond Abraham (H) | Vera Belonsova (R) |
| Dawn Class (H) | Debie Cleland (H) |
| Patricia Cossey (H) | Connie Enslin (H) |
| Matt Evans | Sherry Goodwin (H) |
| Marty Gress (H) | Leah Hollis (R) |
| Blaycen Jeffers (H) | Fr. Bob Kawa (H) |
| Chelsie Knopp (H) | Vicky Martinez (H) |
| Jamie Mumaw (H) | Lynn Overdeck (H) |
| Jim Sisson (H) | Susie Stewart (H) |
| Terry Smith (H) | Pat Meier Suchoza (R) |

Prayers for the clergy of our Diocese:

Msgr. Kurt Kemo (19th)
 Msgr. Robert Kawa (20th)
 Msgr. Mark Froehlich (21st)
 Rev. Walter Heinz (22nd)
 Rev. Bradley Greet (23rd)
 Msgr. Gerald Calovini (24th)
 Msgr. John Wippel (25th)

Prayers for the Deceased Clergy of the Diocese:

Rev. John Quinn (19th)
 Rev. Henry O'Donnell (21st)
 Rev. John Galea (24th)
 Rev. Vincent Danko (25th)

SACRED HEART CHURCH
THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
NOVEMBER 19, 2017

The November intention of the Servants of Mary of Sacred Heart is for the repose of the souls of the faithful departed loved ones of Sacred Heart Parish.

ALTAR FLOWERS - If you would like to make a donation for altar flowers in honor of an anniversary, birthday, or as a memorial, **please sign up on the sheet displayed in the entrance, & use one of the altar flower donation envelopes available for this purpose.**



Please send announcements to Wendy at the parish office for the November 25th/26th bulletin no later than 5:00 PM this Monday, November 20th.

THANK YOU - The SOCIAL GROUP extends a big thanks to everyone that donated cash, items, food, & pies for our project. A big thanks to the workers that helped prepare, cook, serve the food, & cleanup at the group's GAVIN PLANT RETIRED EMPLOYEES DINNER. A special thanks to Ken & Carol McCullough for providing the hors d'oeuvres.

SACRED HEART CHRISTMAS CARDS - The SOCIAL GROUP is selling Christmas cards (photos of Sacred Heart Church Christmas scenes courtesy of Gary Coleman). The cost for 8 cards is \$10.00. See a social group member after Mass if you are interested.

FOOD PANTRY - Donate shampoo or rulers to the Meigs Cooperative Parish this month. Place items in the container on the left side of the vestibule.



CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS EVE MASS - Any children of the parish who will be in attendance at Mass Christmas Eve & who would like to participate in group singing during the Mass, are encouraged to sign up for this service in the back of the church. The children will prepare three Christmas songs as well as participate in the singing of the Responsorial Psalm & Gospel Acclamation during the Mass. Practice times & dates will be announced.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS
next weekend: November 25/26

| | Saturday, November 25 5:30 PM | Sunday, November 26 9:30 AM |
|---------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Eucharist | Cecelia Lisle & Kris Harris | Sheila Cozart & Joan Anderson |
| Word | David Hollis | Emilia Alonso Sameno |
| Gifts | Marilyn Epple & Shirley Huston | the Musser Family |
| Ushers | David Casci & Harold Stewart | Corbyn Broderick & Michael Marcinko |
| Altar Servers | Michael Martin | Noah Anderson & MJ Arnott |
| Hospitality | Cecelia Lisle & Carol McCullough | Mary Jeffers & Jane Huffman |
| CCD Snacks | | No CCD today |

Upcoming events to note:

- December 2: First Confession for students at Christ the King and St. Paul.
- December 3: St. Francis Society Christmas Party at the HFC, beginning at 5:00 P.M.
- December 6: Advent Penance Service at CTK, 6:00 P.M.
- December 8: Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception (Holy Day of Obligation)
- December 9: CWC Bake Sale / Cookie Walk 9:00 A.M., HFC
- December 13: Penance Service in Marietta, 7:00 P.M.
- December 14: Penance Service in Belpre, 7:00 P.M.
- December 16: First Confession for students at Sacred Heart

Christmas and New Year's Masses: Since Christmas Day and New Year's Day fall on Monday, there will be a change in the Sunday Mass schedule for Christ the King and St. Paul.

The Fourth Sunday of Advent is on the morning of Sunday December 24. Masses will be at 8:30 A.M. at St. Paul and 10:00 A.M. at Christ the King. There will be no 11:30 A.M. Mass at St. Paul that Sunday morning, nor 6:00 P.M. Mass at Christ the King. The Christmas Eve Mass Schedule will begin at 4:00 that day. It is expected that we would make our Sunday obligation for Mass, and then also attend Mass for Christmas.

New Year's Day is the annual Solemnity of Mary, the Mother of God. It is usually a holy day of obligation. This year, the obligation to attend Mass is relaxed. However, it is still a holy day, and it is spiritually beneficial for us to attend Mass on that day. There will be no 11:30 A.M. Mass on Sunday December 31. There will be a 6:00 P.M. Mass on Sunday evening and it will be a vigil Mass for the Solemnity of Mary the Mother of God. On New Year's Day, we will have Masses at 9:00 A.M. at Sacred Heart and St. Paul.

HELP: Do you know of someone—or a company—that handles snow removal in Athens? With the winter months fast approaching, we are finding it difficult to find someone to do snow removal around our buildings. Please contact me with any information you can provide. If we don't find someone, please bring your snow shovels to church this winter 😊! Note: we do have a company that clears the lots and pathways at Sacred Heart; we only need this service for Athens.

In December, the monthly collection for the Food Pantry will go to the Elijah Ministry. You may recall that we started this ministry several years ago. Parishioners involved in this ministry take time to minister to other parishioners in their time of need. Not everyone who contacts the Elijah Ministry is seeking financial assistance. Some people just need a person to talk to, or help with physical tasks. In every situation, this work creates relationships between parishioners. These relationships enhance our parish and create community, which is at the heart of Catholic life. Your generosity last December was sufficient to meet the emergency financial needs of those who requested help when they needed it the most. Financial distributions over the last 12 months to families and individuals in our parishes have totaled \$2,941. We hope for another wonderful collection for this important ministry this year, too.