

**Nativity B.V.M. November 7, 2021**  
**32<sup>nd</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**



**GOD'S MERCY IS ABUNDANT**

In today's Scriptures, we see the generosity of our God. He cares for those who suffer and promises to bring salvation to sinners. By His sacrifice, Jesus conquered sin and has delivered us from our transgressions.



**PLEASE KEEP OUR SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Ann Marie Andrews, Sondra Fox, Tommy Ardoline, Beth Rush, Robert McClellan, Brandon Brashier, Dr. David and Aimee Dugger, Julie Martel, Matthew Martel, Jacqueline Cole Butler, Larry Kostmayer, Ansley Gilich, Adonna Creel Currie, Jackie Clark, Ivan Kovacevich, Rocky Long, Peter Skrmetta, Kay Semski, Kevin Kavanagh, Carolyn Urbanoto, Mable Viator, Buck O'Gea, Nick Pass, Sue and Gene Daudelin, Lesa Walker-Kirkman, Lehwmon Skrmetti, Annette Luther, Macklyn Holloway, Mary Wimberly, Candy Widener, Tiffany Whitehead, Holly Hill, Georgia Bellais Dominick, Mickey Bradley, Gwen Gollott, Greg Hotaling, Jack Joachim, Jr. and all of our Homebound Parishioners.

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY**

The SVdP provides assistance each Tuesday from 9-11:00 a.m. Please consider making regular contributions to our SVdP. We also value your one time gift! Your continued support helps to ensure SVdP is able to provide support for those in need.

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

<b>Mon</b>	<b>Nov 08</b>	Wis 1:1-7, Lk 17:1-6
<b>Tue</b>	<b>Nov 09</b>	Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12, 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17, Jn 2:13-22
<b>Wed</b>	<b>Nov 10</b>	Wis 6:1-11, Lk 17:11-19, Sir 39:6-10, Mt 16:13-19
<b>Thu</b>	<b>Nov 11</b>	Wis 7:11b-8:1, Lk 17:20-25, Is 61:1-3a, Mt 25:31-40
<b>Fri</b>	<b>Nov 12</b>	Wis 13:1-9, Lk 17:26-37, Eph 4:1-7, 11-13, Jn 17:20-26
<b>Sat</b>	<b>Nov 13</b>	Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9, Lk 18:1-8
<b>Sun</b>	<b>Nov 14</b>	Dn 12:1-3, Heb 10:11-14, 18, Mk 13:24-32



**YOUR SUNDAY TITHING AND CONTRIBUTIONS**

Regular Collections	\$	8,084.00
Maintenance	\$	813.00
Capital Improvement	\$	116.00
All Souls/All Saints	\$	445.00
Miscellaneous	\$	800.00
<b>TOTAL COLLECTION</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>10,258.00</b>

**Thank you for your generous contribution!**

**UPCOMING EVENTS:**

- Tues. Nov 09** Men of St. Joseph, 7:00 a.m.  
 Bingo Mania, 5:30 p.m.  
 RCIA, SHC, 6:00 p.m.
- Wed. Nov 10** **Cleaning TEAM C**  
 CCD Class, 5:30 p.m., SHC

**A MESSAGE FROM FATHER DENNIS:**

As you may have heard, both Fr. Bart and I have contracted Covid 19. Both of us were fully vaccinated prior to our infection. It is apparent that Fr. Bart contracted the virus either prior to or shortly after arriving at Nativity on October 16th. He began showing symptoms around October 18th but did not get tested until the 28th at which time he tested positive. He informed the cathedral staff of his positive results on that same date, October 28th. On October 29th, Ginny Kirkland, Jackie Hewitt, and I got tested for the virus. All of us tested negative. But on that same evening, I began showing Covid symptoms. I got retested on Saturday, October 29th. This time the results were positive. I quarantined, contacted my physician, and received the Monoclonal infusion on November 2nd. I will need to quarantine until November 8th. Fr. Bart may be able to be free of isolation by this weekend and resume his duties.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO NATIVITY'S COUPLES CELEBRATING THEIR ANNIVERSARIES**

We wish to congratulate the couples celebrating milestone anniversaries. We especially want to congratulate our own couples from Nativity Parish. May God continue to bless your commitment to marriage.

**RCIA**

Please pray for our Inquirers and their Sponsors as they are walking this journey of faith together. If you would like further information, please contact Greg or Penny Payne 228-365-6348.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS	LECTORS	ALTAR SERVERS
<b>Nov 13 4:00 pm</b> Deacon Johnny	<b>Nov 13 4:00 pm</b> Jim Compton	<b>Nov 13 4:00 pm</b> Sam Burke
<b>Nov 14 7:00 am</b> Deacon Johnny	<b>Nov 14 7:00 am</b> Jim Shurgart	James Watts Birdie Watts
<b>9:00 am</b> John Brauchle	<b>9:00 am</b> Steve Theobald	<b>Nov 14 7:00 am</b> BC Stoddard
<b>11:00 am</b> Deacon Johnny	<b>11:00 am</b> Don Marie	<b>9:00 am</b> Sophia Carreon
<b>5:30 pm</b> Deacon Johnny	<b>5:30 pm</b> Tara Junkert	Ramsey Strayham <b>11:00 am</b> Chaz Byers
	<b>CANTORS</b>	Izabelle Byers Aleigh Gruich <b>5:30 pm</b> Dylan Mitchell
	<b>Nov 13 4:00 pm</b> John Welter Cathedral Choir	Rhett Pitalo
	<b>Nov 14 9:00 am</b> Sabree Puzz	
	<b>11:00 am</b> Phil Frisby	

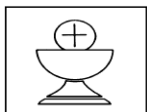
### THE SANCTUARY LAMP

The Sanctuary Lamp is lit this week in memory of Wilfred Vincent "Kutta" Caillavet.

### YOUTH MINISTRY

Please join us at Nativity for Youth Group on Sunday nights from 4-5:15! We will have fun, fellowship, and food! Please contact Lindsey Martin (228-861-8912) with any questions or for more information. We hope to see you there!

### COMMUNION VISITATION



Jesus says of you and me, "You are the salt of the earth". No one should be deprived of the Most Holy Eucharist because they are homebound, elderly, have no means of getting to Mass and/or sick in their home. Sister Jackie Tarrant, RSM will gladly

bring the Eucharist to you in your home. Together we can be "salt of the earth". Sister can be reached at the rectory at 228-374-1717.

### BINGO MANIA

Doors will open at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 9, 2021. McNeil (Kyle & Monique), Mitchell (Brent & Michele), Moody (Joel & Erin), Nguyen (Kim), Nguyen (Thu Thuy & Bryan, David), Nichols (Rachel & Scott), and O'Grady (Sean & Katie). **If you are unable to attend, it is your responsibility to secure a replacement.**

**"FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING":** (also called: Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ – King of the Universe) Originally, it was celebrated on the last Sunday in October, but in the revised liturgical calendar promulgated by Pope Paul VI in 1969 – it was moved to the last Sunday of Ordinary Time – immediately preceding Advent. This action made the theme of Christ's dominion more of a fitting end to the liturgical year. Our Bishop Kihneman has decreed this to be the "Year of the Eucharist" and we will celebrate with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 10:30 am on Christ the King Sunday – November 21<sup>st</sup> - concluding with Benediction into the 11 am Mass. Plan to attend and spend time in the company of our Lord and Savior!



Our Cathedral is equipped with the hearing loop system which enables those of us with hearing deficiencies to hear the Mass clearly. Access this loop by turning your T-cell hearing aids to the T-cell mode or pick up a receiver in the rear of the Church from the ushers.

**6:30 AM**

**8:00 AM**

<b>Mon Nov 08</b>	Collins/Sims Fly.	Al & Gerald Pickard
<b>Tue Nov 09</b>	Caleb Simons	Sr. Mary Riordan (S.I.)
<b>Wed Nov 10</b>	Roy Ebberman	Jim & Judy Shugart (S.I.)
<b>Thu Nov 11</b>	Bob & Penny Rogalin	Rose Collins
<b>Fri Nov 12</b>	Josh Bozeman	Herbert & Bertha McDonnell
<b>Sat Nov 13</b>	8 Bishop Roger Morin	4 Jerrod Kostmayer
<b>Sun Nov 14</b>	7 Michael Severson	9 FTP
	11:00 Two Brothers (S.I.)	5:30 Neil Broussard

### FROM THE MUSIC & FINE ARTS MINISTRY:

**Saturday, November 6th - 4 pm & Sunday, November 7th – 11 am Masses:**

Opening Hymn: "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come"	# 197
Offertory: "Earthen Vessels"	# 404
Communion: "Shepherd Me, O God"	# 458
Recessional: "Go, Make of All Disciples"	# 188

**CANTORS:** Saturday 4 p.m. KC Arnold"  
Sunday 9 a.m. NES Children's Mass  
11 a.m. Nicholas Pumper

### "NATIVITY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL" UPCOMING MASSES:

This Sunday we welcome NES's Children & Children's Choir to celebrate our 9 am Mass at the Cathedral. Our Student Cantors for this Mass will be Madison Pope & Kendall Walli. The Mass will be offered by Ms. Rachael DiMauro and her Sixth Grade Class.

On Saturday, November 13th at 10 am – our joint Second Grade from NES & our CCD Program will come together for a Prayer Service for their "First Reconciliation". Please support these young Christians in their journey of faith and pray for them and our Nativity BVM Cathedral Family. Our Student Cantors for this Prayer Service will be Lila Grace Watts & Ryleigh McNeil.

### Nativity Cathedral's "Choral Programs":

**"Gloria In Excelsis"** – rehearsals on Tuesday evenings at 6:30 p.m. on the Stage of Sacred Heart Academy – all are welcome.

**The Cathedral Choir** - rehearsals on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 p.m. on the stage of Sacred Heart Academy – all are welcome.

### "SAVE THE DATE – NOVEMBER 30TH - #GIVE

**CATHOLIC":** This is the day that is set aside for a Great Day of Giving to worthy causes for the Catholic Church and both our School – Nativity Elementary - and the Cathedral are participating. This year you can give to the Cathedral Music & Fine Arts Ministry Fund to finance new Music for the Cathedral, Community and Children's Choirs, and the financing of instrumentalists and vocalists for special occasions throughout the year such as Holy Week, Easter and Christmas. For Nativity Elementary – we are hoping to support the programming of both music and the drama/fine arts. We are desiring to raise funds for the purchase of a new spotlight for the theater program and music materials for the school programming. More details will be forth coming. Please plan to help us reach our goal of \$7,500.00. Pray with us for the success of both drives.

### **PRAYER FOR PROTECTION FROM HURRICANES**

**Father, may all the elements of nature obey Your command. Calm the storms that threaten us and turn our fear of Your power into praise of Your goodness. Grant this, through Our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit. Amen.**