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OUR MASS SCHEDULE

The 9:00 a.m. Sunday Mass is livestreamed.
Go to the homepage of our website for the link.

Sundays: 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Tuesdays: 11:00 a.m.

Fridays: 6:00 p.m.

Holy Days: 7:00 p.m.

Office Hours: Tues-Fri 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Parish Membership

We welcome you to join our parish by contacting our Office Manager, Theresa Holleran, at the Parish Office

SACRAMENTS

Reconciliation: Fridays 5:00 p.m.
or by appointment

Anointing of the Sick: Please call 614.966.4716

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA):
Contact Kathy Dancey at kdancey@columbus.rr.com

Sacrament of Baptism:
Contact Sue Cruickshank at sue@cruickshank.us

Sacrament of Matrimony:
Contact Fr. Fritz at the Parish Office a minimum of 6 months in advance of your desired date



"A poor widow also came and put in two small coins worth a few cents."

-Mark 12:42

*Preach the
gospel at all
times.
If necessary, use
words.*

*-St. Francis of Assisi
(1181—1226)*

NOVEMBER 7, 2021 / 32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

WELCOME TO OUR PARISH

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, November 7, 2021

9:00 a.m. Mass for **Eleanore Miller**
(*Catherine Damm*)

11:00 a.m. Mass for **Joan Randolph**
(*John Randolph*)

Tuesday, November 9, 2021

11:00 a.m. Mass

Friday, November 12, 2021

6:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, November 14, 2021

9:00 a.m. Mass for **Debra Wilke**
(*Steven Hillyer*)

11:00 a.m. Mass

Tuesday, November 16, 2021

11:00 a.m. Mass for **Joyce Schneider**
(*Frank Schneider*)

Friday, November 19, 2021

6:00 p.m. Mass



“We want to make the presence of the Lord, the experience of the Sacraments, the encounter with Christ - we want to make that more available to people”.

— *The Most Reverend Robert J. Brennan*

#RPRF Reflection for November 7, 2021 **Obedience and Listening Set Us Free**

-*Lori Dulin, Office of Catholic Schools*

In preparation for facilitating *Real Presence, Real Future* parish consultation sessions, I found these words by Pope Francis: “Obeying God is listening to God, having an open heart to follow the path that God points out to us. Obedience to God is listening to God, and it sets us free.” *RPRF* is just that – listening to God’s plans for our diocese, for us. I am merely facilitating collaboration and dialogue. Everybody in every parish who, by listening to

God, will think of or support new ideas, be open to change for the future, and, ultimately, obey God’s plan for the Diocese. In that, we find our own path to the salvation that sets us free.

For more on the life of faith and discipleship in the Diocese of Columbus, visit RealPresenceRealFuture.org

Liturgical Minister Schedule

STEWARDSHIP OF “TIME” AND “TALENT”

SCHEDULE CONFLICTS?

Contact Renee at: sfa.litmin@gmail.com

	Nov 7 9:00	Nov 7 11:00	Nov 14 9:00	Nov 14 11:00
Greeters	Jeanna Diederich Nicolas Mason	Niqui Beckrum Renee Morkassel	Sam Hulett Mary Jo Hulett	Megan Murphy Brent Reeb
Crucifer	Susan Kyanko	Tim Feran	Kathy Porter	Daniel O’Brien
Lector 1	Mary McCafferty	Jon Murphy	Louisa Celebrezze	Renee Morkassel
Lector 2	Todd Marti	Barbara Finan	Jarret Chirafisi	Tina Butler
Eucharistic Minister	Steven Hillyer	Maryellen O’Shaughnessy	Jaime Capestany	Joanna Nunn
Collection Counter	X	Jeanna Diederich Pat Visel	X	Janet O’Brien Steven Hillyer



Banns of Marriage

Ryan Elkins & Sara Tighe

James Blue & Elizabeth Eisenhardt

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

This Thanksgiving, Newman/St. Francis SVDP will be giving out gift cards to those families in need, selected by the committee of people who handle the calls of people in need.

If you would like to make a donation to SVDP for this effort between now and November 21, you can make out a check to SVDP Newman or put cash in an envelope marked SVDP and put it in the weekly collection.

This year especially there are more people in need than in past years—any amount would help.

Thank you for your generosity.

COMMITMENT SUNDAY

Stewardship Committee invites you to enjoy refreshments in the Parish Hall after Masses today. Learn about the various ministries & groups at our parish and prayerfully discern where you are called to offer your time and talent. Find out more about signing up for My Own Church. We look forward to seeing you!

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MUSIC NOTES

This weekend Laurel is celebrating her 35th Anniversary working as a Church Organist. Laurel began piano lessons at the age of 7 and then organ lessons in her teens. In November of 1986, she was hired at the United Church of Christ in Suffield, Ohio. Since then, she has worked at several churches in both Northeast Ohio, where she grew up, and here in Central Ohio. We are greatly blessed that she joined the staff at St. Francis of Assisi in January of 2010. Her masterful playing of the Barckhoff—an older style ‘tracking’ organ, with a flat pedal board—enhances our worship and allows us to fully participate in the liturgy. In celebration of this milestone in her career, Laurel prepared 2 special pieces for prelude and postlude today: Praeludium in D minor by Pachelbel and the Toccata from the 5th Organ Symphony by Widor. She hopes you enjoy these pieces. Please wish her congratulations and thank her for her many Sundays of service to God’s people!

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2021

Next Sunday, at the 11:00 am Mass, we will celebrate the **Rite of Reception** with Travis Merideth. Travis will make a Profession of Faith and receive the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Eucharist. Please warmly welcome Travis as a fully-initiated member of the Catholic Church and offer him your prayers and support.

VIRTUAL MORNING OF REFLECTION FOR LITURGICAL MINISTERS

TOPIC: Our Experience of Liturgical Ministry

November 20, 2021, 10-11:30 am

The members of our Liturgy Committee will help us reflect on our experience of liturgical ministry by guiding the conversation on the gifts and skills we offer, how liturgical ministry shapes our own worship, how Christ is present in our ministry, and how our ministry impacts our relationship with God and the community. Look for a Zoom invitation on November 15.

Congratulations to Marie Grassi and Gaetan O’Brien for making the first quarter Honor Roll at Bishop Watterson High School!!

NOVEMBER – CELEBRATE BLACK CATHOLIC HISTORY MONTH

The Diocesan Ethnic Ministries Office invites you to join them for the following Black Catholic History Month Celebrations

Saturday November 13 & 20, 5-7 pm at St. Matthew Catholic Church, Gahanna
Each program will include a guest speaker with a different theme, light reception, and lively dialogue about our rich history. These events are free, with registration required at www.columbuscatholic.org/unityincommunity Questions? Contact Pam Harris at ethnicministries@columbuscatholic.org or 614.221.7990

CATHOLIC RECORD SOCIETY FALL MEETING

Sunday, November 14, 2021, 2 pm

The Catholic Record Society’s fall meeting will be held at St. John the Baptist Parish Hall, 168 East Lincoln St., Columbus. Parking is available on the parish lot across Lincoln and Hamlet streets from the church. A short business meeting will follow a presentation by Father David J. Endres, Ph.D., Academic Dean and Associate Professor of Church History and Historical Theology at Mount St. Mary’s Seminary/Athenaeum of Ohio in Cincinnati. He will discuss the book [Soldiers of the Cross, the Authoritative Text - The Heroism of Catholic Chaplains and Sisters in the American Civil War](#) by David Power Conyngham; edited by David J. Endres and William B. Kurtz.

ST. CHARLES DRAMA DEPARTMENT

The St. Charles Preparatory School Drama Department is proud to announce its fall production, *The Play That Goes Wrong*, presented **November 18-20** at 8 pm and Sunday, **November 21** at 3 pm in the St. Charles Campus Theatre. Adult tickets are \$10 each and student tickets are \$5 each. Reservations may be placed by visiting the website homepage at www.scprep.org - Buy Tickets button.
(Tickets will not be sold at the door)

RCIA

MONDAYS
7:00-8:30 PM

Zoom meeting contact
Kathy Dancey
kdancey@columbus.rr.com

LITURGY COMMITTEE

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 9
7:00 PM

Parish Hall

PRAYER SHAWL

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 10
5:00 PM

Zoom meeting contact
Sandy Glasner for invite
smglasner@gmail.com

“BREAKING OPEN THE WORD”

WEDNESDAYS
7:00-8:00 PM

Zoom meeting contact
Kathy Dancey for invite
kdancey@columbus.rr.com

LEADERSHIP

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 16
7:00 PM

Parish Hall

FINANCE COUNCIL

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18
7:00 PM

Parish Hall

STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30
7:00 PM

Zoom meeting contact
Niqui Beckrum for invite
nbeckrum@gmail.com

CHOIR REHEARSAL

CURRENTLY ON HOLD

Contact Paula Vasey for information
musicdirector@sfacolumbus.org

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