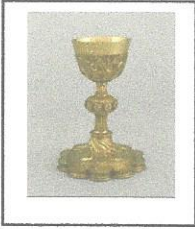


# ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

NOVEMBER 22, 2020

*Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ*

*King of the Universe*



## MASS INTENTIONS



*The Masses in November are for the deceased loved ones and relatives of our parishioners.*

## WEDNESDAY IN OUR CHURCH

Wednesday evening is a special time at St. Mary's Church. At 5:00pm we have the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, the rosary is recited and then adoration. This is a true holy hour of prayer! Confessions are available. The Mass follows at 6:00pm

## PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS AND FRIENDS

Ron Adams, Jr., Adrienne Ankerson, Tommy Ankerson, Fred Anglin, C.L. Ates, Deatra Bigelow, Judith Bono, Abby Bosarge, Sandra Briggs, Terry Carsten, Carol Coggin, Michael Colburn, Kristin Dale, Lisa Danley, Dorothy Dersch, Betty Devera, John Devera Jr., John DeVeau, Elaine Edison, Dotsie Fountain, Bennie French, Hillary Frey, Walter Grady, Dudley Grantham, Horst Grasz, Ionne Guillotte, Mark Guillotte, Jackie Howard, Huynh Family, Rebecca Joiner, Steve Jones, Eugene Keaney, Norma Baker LaMar, Gary Loudenslager, Ronald Leter, Walter Lewis, Jerome Littleton, Walter Maderski, Greg Mansfield, Shirley Martell, Alisha Martin, Garry May, Frankie May, Marie McNemar, Robert McNemar, Ruth Melancon, Pyrrha Meyers, Tommy Moffat, Rob Myers, Mary Moir, Billy Mosley, Jackie Muller, Harrington Murphy, Susal Parol, Louise Peden, Eileen Pelusi, Andy Pineta, Ronnie Raggio, Matt Roberts, Rucks Robinson, Jordan Salisbury, Norman Samuels, Robert Sellers, Edna Storey, Lane Todd, Timmy Tue, Sheila Vannoy, Cathy Ward, Kenny Wible, Kyson Zitzelberger.

**\*\*Please call the church office to add or delete a name from the list.\*\***

## St. Mary Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil – 5:00pm

Sunday – 11:00am (Facebook Live)

Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri. – 8:00am

Wed. - Adoration and Confession – 5:00pm

Mass – 6:00pm

Masks are still required

Next weekend begins the Advent Season. New missals will be on the tables. Please feel free to take one home and bring to each Mass. Our Advent calendars will be out next week also. Take one for your family and others who may not be able to attend Mass.

The flowers on the altar this weekend are to commemorate the police and all first responders who put others before themselves. We thank them for their service.



## PRAY FOR OUR PARISH MEMBERS

Kirk Beaugez and Family

Owen/Sandra Plante and Family

Jonathan/Vita Mitchell and Family

Rodrigo/Gloria Avina and Family

Rita Essien and Family

Deacon Tomasz Powroznik and Family



**HAPPY THANKSGIVING TO THE LOVELY PEOPLE OF ST. MARY PARISH! OUR CHURCH GIVES THANKS FOR YOU AND YOUR GENEROSITY.**

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL THRIFT STORE**

**HELP WANTED**

SVD is looking for volunteers to help at the SVD store located behind OLV Church.

SVD sells donated items, helps needy people in the community with utility bills, burned down homes, down on their luck, etc. Any amount of time would be appreciated even if it is a couple of hours a week. All Covid protocols are in place. For more information please contact Paul Thomson, Sr. at 228-627-6786.



**SECOND COLLECTION**

**Catholic Campaign for Human Development**

CCHD was founded to break the cycle of poverty in the United States by funding organizations that help individuals help themselves. 25 percent of the funds we collect will remain in our diocese to fund local antipoverty projects.

The envelopes are on the tables in the vestibules and will remain for two weeks.

**CCD CLASSES**

Classes are held in the Activity Center at 9:45am – 10:45am. Refreshments are served before classes begin.

If you may know of a child that could benefit from an hour of learning about our faith, please call Becky Sparkman at 228-238-3079.

Children's Sunday School



**\*\*No CCD next weekend due to the Thanksgiving holiday\*\***

Classes will resume December 6<sup>th</sup>.

**CHRISTMAS TOY DRIVE**

This weekend the boxes will be out for our annual toy collection to the children of our area.

Please place an unwrapped gift in the boxes located at the doors. The Knights will be collecting until Sunday, Dec. 6<sup>th</sup>.



**LITURGICAL CYCLES**

The start of a new liturgical year, beginning with the first Sunday of Advent (next weekend), also marks the transition from one lectionary cycle (A, B, or C) to the next. These cycles are a result of the Second Vatican Council, which ordered a change in the Sunday readings at Mass so that Catholics would become more familiar with the text of the Bible. As a result, we now have a three-year cycle of readings built around reading from the three synoptic Gospels – Matthew, Mark, and Luke.

The Gospel of John is unique from the “synoptic Gospels” (Matthew, Mark and Luke). So called due to their similar content...Generally speaking, the synoptic tell us what Jesus said and did; John tells us who Jesus is. The synoptic focus on the signs and sayings of Christ; John emphasizes the identity of Christ.

Next weekend we begin with Cycle B – the Gospels of Mark.