



St. Libory's Catholic Church

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Weekend Mass Times:

Saturday: 4:30 P.M.

Sunday: 9:00 A.M.

Reconciliation: 30 minutes prior to
Weekend Mass.

Weekday Mass Times:

Wednesday: 5:45 P.M.

Thursday: 6:00 P.M.

Friday: 6:45 A.M.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday (Nov 2): 6:00 P.M.

Departed Loved Ones

Tuesday: No Mass

Wednesday (Nov 4): 5:45 P.M.

Jim Wieck t by Ron & Julie Dvorak

Thursday (Nov 5): 6:00 P.M.

Zenon & Rosella Mamot t by Jim & Vi Mamot

Friday (Nov 6): 6:45 A.M.

Rita Schwartz t by Daron & Tammy Mamot

Saturday (Nov 7): 4:30 P.M.

Mike Thiele's health by Family

Sunday (Nov 8): 9:00 A.M.

For All Parishioners

MINISTERS OF THE ALTAR

Saturday, November 7th, 4:30 P.M.

Lector: Cate Wieck

Sunday, November 8th, 9:00 A.M.

Lector: Shayla Wichmann

OUR GIFTS OF TREASURE

(October 24 & 25)

Adults: \$1,866.00

World Mission: \$5.00

All Souls: \$40.00

All Saints: \$20.00

UPCOMING EVENTS

*Every Wednesday, Religious Education Classes at 6:30 P.M.

*November 1 – All Saints Day, Mass at 9:00 A.M.

*November 2 – All Souls' Day, Mass at 6:00 P.M.

*November 6 – Friday of Adoration begins with 6:45 A.M. Mass & concludes with 12:00 P.M. Benediction.

FROM THE PASTORS DESK

I want to use this space to address a statement by Pope Francis made in a recently released documentary. It seems that he voiced support for civil unions for same sex couples. Initially there were commentators who said he was misquoted but later clarifications seem to indicate that yes, he did say this.

If you follow Catholic news you know that Pope Francis is accustomed to making inflammatory statements and sometimes, they are contradicting. I have tried to understand him, but I confess my confusion. I would simply remind Catholics that not even the pope can “change” the deposit of faith. They can clarify and/or elaborate but they cannot change it and to do this requires a very specific process with guidelines.

When Pope Francis is giving an interview or responding to reporter questions he is not speaking from the authority of his office. These are his personal opinions. They are not binding upon the faithful. Granted, it is distressing when they go counter to the Faith and Tradition.

All Catholics are mandated by our faith to pray for the Pope. It would seem that it is more important right now than ever. Please, please pray for him.

Yours in Christ, Fr. Sid.

ALL SAINTS/SOULS' DAY – All Saints Day is Sunday, November 1st. Mass at 9:00 A.M. All Souls' Day is Monday, November 2nd. Mass at 6:00 P.M.

ANNUAL SOUP SUPPER – Due to Covid our annual soup supper is cancelled this year.

FIRST FRIDAY OF ADORATION – First Friday Adoration will be on Friday, November 6th with 6:45 A.M. Mass & concludes with Benediction at 12:00 P.M. Please sign up at the back of the church.

TOOTSIE ROLL DRIVE - Support our Knights through their Tootsie Roll Drive. The Knights of Columbus will be raising money for Special needs children by offering Tootsie Rolls in exchange for a donation after Mass on Oct. 31st & Nov. 1st. Your support is appreciated.

CHOSEN VIDEO – How to watch “The Chosen” at home. You can get it here: www.thechosen.tv/app or search “The Chosen” in your Apple or Android app store. From the app, you can stream to your tv using another device, such as Roku, Apple tv, Fire tv, Android tv, Chromecast, etc.

FORMED – If you haven't checked out the FORMED website, you need to. There have been a lot of new additions of faith inspiring movies and studies. If you have never registered, you will need to as a parishioner of St. Libory and use the password: _____. You can also share the password with anyone interested.

CCHD - The annual special collection known as the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) is taken up each year around Thanksgiving time. Funds are distributed by the CCHD subcommittee of the Bishops Conference (USCCB) to organizations that assist people in various ways. In recent years, Bishop Hanefeldt has had growing concerns about the activities of some of the entities that receive funding from this annual national collection. This year he has decided to redirect the funds of this special collection. Because access to mental health care is limited in rural America, including many areas within our own diocese, the bishop is redirecting the CCHD collection to help provide mental health care for people here in our diocese who need evaluations, medications and therapy. In the coming weeks, the bishop is hoping to develop a process to provide for this vital need for human development here in our own local communities. Your donations to the CCHD collection this year will be used to help provide greater access to and funding for mental health care needs across our diocese. Should you choose to support the national CCHD campaign, please send your donations directly to the USCCB offices in Washington, DC. Thank you for your support.

SEMINARIANS – Please keep our seminarians in your daily prayers, especially our Adam Bauer. Here is his address. Please consider sending him notes and cards of encouragement (snacks are also appreciated).

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WELCOME TO ALL VISITORS – We would like to extend a heartfelt welcome to all our visitors. Registration forms for all new members may be found at the back of the church or contact Fr. Sid.