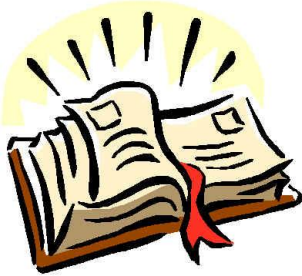


SCRIPTURE READINGS

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Daniel 12:1-3

Daniel discusses the end of the world, a time when the dead shall rise and everyone will be judged. He warns that some shall “be an everlasting horror and disgrace.” But he promises that some will live forever, and the wise will shine brightly to lead others to justice.



Second Reading: Hebrews 10:11-14, 18

Priests repeatedly offered sacrifices that were unable to take away sin. But through Jesus’ one sacrifice, our sins were forgiven, leaving no need for other offerings.

Gospel: Mark 13:24-32

Jesus told his disciples that many signs would be seen before the end of the world. He explained that the earth would pass away but his words would not. He also told them that neither the angels nor himself, but only his Father knew when this would take place.



For the Week of November 15th through November 21st

Sunday

Dn 12:1-3; Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

Monday

1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63; Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday

2 Mc 6:18-31; Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday

2 Mc 7:1, 20-31; Lk 19:11-28 or for the memorial of the Dedication, Acts 28:11-16, 30-31; Mt 14:22-33

Thursday

1 Mc 2:15-29; Lk 19:41-44

Friday

1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59; Lk 19:45-48

Saturday

1 Mc 6:1-13; Lk 20:27-40



The US Council of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) provides a full listing of the Sunday and Daily Readings, in print and audio format, on its website, <http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings>.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, November 14th

4:00 p.m. Anita Gelderman

Sunday, November 15th

8:00 a.m. James Conrad Lauser, Jr.

10:00 a.m. Tommy Ewing

Monday November 16th

8:30 a.m. Maureen Byrne

Tuesday, November 17th

8:30 a.m. Communion Service

Wednesday November 18th

8:30 a.m. Communion Service

Thursday, November 19th

8:30 a.m. Leona Norris

Friday, November 20th

8:30 a.m. Marilyn Natoli (living)

Saturday, November 21st

8:30 a.m. Rose Mitchell

4:00 p.m. Louise Guastavino Gulden

Sunday, November 22nd

8:00 a.m. William E. Redman

10:00 a.m. Kathleen Kolsun

REMEMBERING THE SICK OF THE PARISH

Remember in your prayers the sick of the parish: *Julia Ridgely, Barron Scott, Barbara Darrah, John Troffo, Valerie Lindyberg, Patricia Dana, Ryan*

Elizabeth Quintero, Edith Follin, Elizabeth Montague, Sandy Bugni, Angelo Wilmer, Amy Rhodes, and all those whose names appear in the PARISH BOOK OF INTENTIONS located in the front foyer of Sacred Heart/St. John’s.



PREP

Parish Religious Education Program

"Let us give thanks to the LORD for His unfailing love and His wonderful deeds toward us" Psalm 107:8

GIVE THANKS: Remember to thank the volunteer catechists who have committed to live, share and nurture the faith of our children. Pray for them, encourage them and help them when you can. Words of thanks are such a blessing!

PREP OUTREACH COMMUNITY PROJECT: Beginning on **November 1st and going until November 22nd**, the PREP Community will be participating in an outreach effort to collect items to be shared with the poor through our local Food Pantry. The collection boxes for this project will be located in the hall upstairs near the PREP classrooms so that the children can "see" our progress. An informational flyer will be sent home with PREP families this week. We will collect **NEW** hats, scarves and gloves, as well as food items for the pantry. Anyone in the community is welcome to contribute. Last year the pantry was pleasantly overwhelmed by the Sacred Heart Community's contributions which surpassed all other donations to the pantry that month.

SAFE ENVIRONMENT CURRICULUM

INFORMATION: The Diocese of Wilmington requires that every Religious Education Program in the Diocese teach the "For the Sake of God's Children" curriculum to our students. The outcomes in this curriculum aim to teach students about how to recognize and live in a physically, emotionally and spiritually safe environment and about the role of the Church in helping to create and live with these values. Students in all grades K - 8 receive instruction in these areas. For more information, visit the Diocesan website at www.cdow.org and click on the icon at the bottom of the page or contact ann.ashe@sacredparish.org.

Reminder: Sunday, Nov. 29th:

- **NO PREP CLASSES** - Happy Thanksgiving!

- **FAMILY OF FAITH MEETING** for Parents and 2nd Graders preparing to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation at **11:00 a.m. in the Hall.**

POSTER CONTEST

The Father Bradford Council of the Knights of Columbus # 11248 is once again proud to sponsor "The Keep Christ in Christmas" Poster Contest. We solicit the help of prep teachers, parents, grandparents, and anyone else to promote this worthwhile contest to show the true meaning of the spirit of the Christmas Season. Prizes will be awarded in 3 categories: 1st through 3rd grade; 4th through 6th grade; and 7th through 8th grade. The three winners and their families will be invited to the Knights of Columbus annual Christmas party where they will receive their gifts. Informational flyers and poster board can be obtained from the PREP Office. Contact Ann Ashe with any questions.

MINISTRY TRAINING



AN INVITATION TO MINISTRY: Anyone wishing to join the Ministry Team of Sacred Heart or St. John's is invited to attend one of the **NEW MINISTER TRAINING** dates listed below. Every NEW minister is also required to attend one of the MSP Training Sessions as well. Please call or e-mail the church office to register for a training. All training content will be the same regardless of the location. Simply choose the date and location that is most convenient for you. *Current ministers* are also invited to attend the trainings as a refresher if you missed the last one. Contact Ann Ashe with any questions at: ann.ashe@sacredparish.org.

"But Moses said to God, "Who am I, that I should go to Pharaoh, and that I should bring the sons of Israel out of Egypt?" Exodus 3:11

LECTOR TRAINING:

Wednesday, Nov. 18th at 7:00 p.m. at Sacred Heart
Saturday, Nov. 21st at 10:30 a.m. at St. John's

USHER AND/OR GREETER TRAINING:

Sunday, Nov. 22nd at 11:45 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. at Sacred Heart

MSP TRAINING (Online Ministry Scheduling Program):

* Required for all new ministers

Sunday, Nov. 22nd at 11:15 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. at Sacred Heart

TEACHINGS AND TRADITIONS

Teachings and Traditions of the Catholic Faith meets weekly **following the 10:00 a.m. Mass on Sunday.** The readings of the day are discussed so that we can better apply them to our daily

lives; and a particular piece of Catholic doctrine is then presented and explored. This is a wonderful way to grow in knowledge of our faith! *Won't you join us??*

JOURNEY
OF
Faith

November 15 – STEWARDSHIP

Facilitator: Barbara Kelly

Jesus insists that he will gather the elect; he will not come in judgment but to bring his children home. Our lives must be in constant preparation for this glorious day. One way to prepare our lives is to be good stewards of the gifts God has given us – to honor God's creation and be good stewards of the resources we have been given.

Next Week: Jesus Christ

PARISH LIFE

BOOK OF INTENTIONS: The Book of Intentions is at the front foyer of the Church. Please feel free to list family members and friends who are sick or deceased, and for whom you wish the Community to offer prayers.

ALTAR FLOWERS - We have not budgeted for flowers or floral supplies. If you would like to make a donation please call Louise Shearer for Sacred Heart at 410-490-3595 or Mary Johnson for St. John's at 410-778-2230.

ST. JOHN'S BREAKFAST: Come join us for our next breakfast of the season – **this Sunday November 15th after the 8:00 a.m. Mass.** Come and enjoy a



delicious menu of fresh scrambled eggs, fried Kielbasa with eggs, peppers and cheese, crispy bacon, South Philly sausage links, 'old fashioned' home fries

with caramelized onions, creamed chip beef over toast, grandmas' fluffy pancakes, fruit, juice, coffee and tea.

And of course, we welcome any 'family favorite' breakfast dish you would like to share alongside this traditional breakfast menu!

LET'S DANCE for fun, smiles and exercise!! Zumba Gold[®] is being offered at Sacred Heart - for the active, older adult/beginner. There is no fee to our Sacred Heart & St. John's parishioners. The class is led by a certified Zumba Gold[®] instructor. **Classes are every Thursday morning at 9:30 a.m.** in the Church Hall. Please contact Sharon Burritt at 410-708-8048 with any questions.

SURVEY IN KENT COUNTY: The Kent County Commission on Aging is conducting a survey of Kent County residents age 60 and over. The results will be used to identify the needs that are important to our older residents now, or will be in the next five years. **Your responses will be voluntary and confidential.** It will not be possible to identify any individual responder from the reported results. Please complete the survey online at the following website: www.surveymonkey.com/r/GX8MPHN. Residents who do not have access to a computer can obtain a paper copy with a return envelope at any of the town offices, the Kent County Commissioners Office at 400 High Street, local branches of the Kent County Library or at the Amy Lynn Ferris Adult Activity Center located at 200 Schauber Road, Chestertown. *The deadline to complete the survey is December 15th.* Thank you for your participation.

GIVING TREE: The Giving Tree will be set up this year at Sacred Heart on the weekend of **November 21st/22nd.**

Your generous giving is always a blessing to many local families!

FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP



CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT (CCHD): CCHD brings Catholic social teaching to life by funding community and economic development programs across the United States that help poor and marginalized people join together to make decisions, seek solutions to local problems, and find ways to improve their lives and neighborhoods. Economic development initiatives help create new businesses and jobs. CCHD also provides educational opportunities for Catholics to learn about poverty, stand in solidarity with those affected by it, and reflect on their own responsibility before the great need of others. ***Our second collection next weekend is for CCHD. Please give generously.***

Offertory - Weeks Ending 11/08/15 (Week 19)

Thank you for your offering. It is with your continued support and the sharing of your time and talent that the ministries, programs and activities at Sacred Heart and St. John's are made possible. "Whatever you give to the Lord, He will return to you a hundred fold."

	Received	ACH	Budgeted	Diff.
Offertory	\$4,859	\$665	\$6,442	-\$918
YTD Wk. 19	\$101,985	\$22,019	\$122,398	\$1,606