

I had a vision of a great multitude, which no one could count,
from every nation, race, people, and tongue.
They stood before the throne and before the Lamb.

REVELATION 7:9

SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS

NOVEMBER 1, 2020

Today we celebrate a glorious family reunion, the solemn feast that gives us a glimpse of all our brothers and sisters in Christ who have gone home to God before us. When we quiet ourselves to hear the Word of God today, we recall the mystery of our salvation. We praise the Lord who saves our loved ones who have died and who promises to have mercy on us as well. The reading from Revelation amazes us with its sweep-

ing images of countless souls basking in God's glory. The Responsorial Psalm echoes our own longing to join those saints and look on the face of God. Saint John's letter affirms our deep desire to be with God, providing robust advice about how we may realize our hope: by living purely. The familiar words of Matthew's Beatitudes show the way to purity—and to genuine happiness, now and forever.

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ALL SAINTS DAY
NOVEMBER 1, 2020

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Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 31, 2020 – 5:45pm

Parish Family of St. Patrick

Sunday, November 1, 2020 – 9:00 am - ALL SAINTS DAY

+Edward Crossin

Monday (ALL SOULS DAY), Tuesday, Wednesday – NO MASS

Thursday, November 5, 2020 - 9:00 am

+Joseph Dreyer

Friday, November 6, 2020 - 9:00 am

NO MASS – Adoration from 9am until 10am

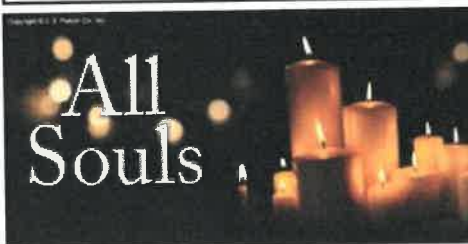
Saturday, November 7 – 5:45pm

+Loretta Tulley req. by Paul & Mary Diehl

Sunday, November 8 – 9:00 am

Parish Family of St. Patrick

SATURDAY, November 7, 2020 – 5:45pm	SUNDAY, November 8, 2020 – 9:00am
USHER: Doug & Eva Luehrs	USHER/GREATER: Dan & Tricia Knowles
LECTOR: Linda Cakora	LECTOR Josh Kreske
	COUNTERS Boyle & Kotesa



Father Sebastian will celebrate a Mass for all
The Holy Souls

Monday, November 2 at 6 p.m.

At St. Rose in Wilmington

Please go to St Rose of Lima Catholic church on
Facebook and follow the link to register if you
would like to attend this Mass

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

For the new fiscal year beginning July 1, 2019, the weekly Sunday collection goal is \$2,090.37

Sunday, October 18.....\$1,135.00

Thank you for your support of our Parish
St. Patrick Parish depends on offertory donations for ongoing expenses. Please visit our parish website to set up online giving, if you have not already done so. Our parish website can be found at: www.stpatrickwiltoncenter.org – Online Giving is simple, convenient, and secure. Thank you



Catholic Ministries Appeal

Parish Goal:	\$ 10,200.00
Amount Pledged:	\$ 10,787.00
Amount Paid:	\$ 10,162.00

Thank you for your generous response.

Be a HERO for Life! St. Patrick Parish will be participating in a special campaign; the Waterleaf Virtual Baby Bottles for Life Team Challenge to benefit, support and educate pregnant women facing crisis or unintended pregnancies. The funds collected through the Bottles for Life campaign support the life-affirming programs and services of the Waterleaf Medical Clinic and their Aspire Education and Resource Center located in Aurora. Participation is as easy as 1...2...3



1. Visit www.onechoiceonelife.org
 2. Click on the events tab and the virtual baby bottle link.
 3. Find our church/team virtual "baby bottle" and donate in support of Waterleaf. Our team page link is: <http://www.fundeasy.com/m/5001662/>
- **Our church goal is \$1,000!** To date St. Patrick has raised **\$250.00** Thank You

1 "bottle" holds \$30; 2 hold \$60; and 3 hold \$90.

How many "bottles" can you fill today?

The Virtual Campaign runs through November 15, 2020.

**Feast of All Souls is
Monday, November 2
Remember to pray for all
The Holy Souls in Purgatory**



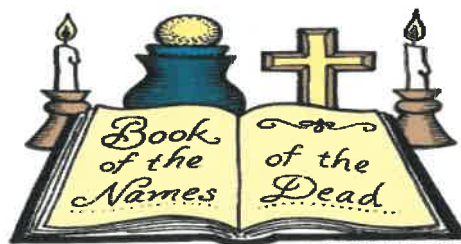
All Soul remembrances will be published in the bulletin during the month of November. Please send your requests to the parish office Email: stpatrickwilton@aol.com or regular mail to: 14936 W. Wilm-Peo. Rd. , Manhattan, Ill 60442

In Loving memory of Those
Buried from St. Patrick
Church, and Entered into
Eternal Life, This Past Year.

Margaret Pyle

Loretta Tulley

May the Souls of all the Faith-
ful Departed through the
Mercy of God Rest in Peace.
Amen



Anca Ryon

Sylvester & Aurora Toepper

Bill & Jane Toepper

Jerry & Stella Ulman

**Deceased Members of the Stromski
Family**

Congratulations Father Sebastian
for being appointed
Chaplin of the Joliet Diocese Council
of Catholic women





PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Marge Flint; Nancee Long, Shay Phelan, Lisa Bernhard, Cecelia Mundt; Fr. Jim Lennon; Gary Ulman; Nicole Flint; Brett Burkhalter ; Cathy Engler; Grace Niemiec; Russ McClellon; Bob Johnson ; Steve Niemiec; Noreen McAndrew; Mary Jo Moran; Lou Crabtree; Jan Sharp

PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE PUT ON THE PRAYER LIST.

Intention of the Holy Father MONTH NOVEMBER

- We pray that the progress of robotics and artificial intelligence may always serve humankind.

If you or a loved one would like to be put on the prayer list because of illness, rehab, or living at a health care center please let the office know. If there is an emergency and you need a priest, Fr. Sebastian will be available and can be reached at : 1(815) 478-3440 ex. 102 or 815-476-7491 and then press 1.



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

November 1, 2020



- Monday: Wis 3:1-9; Ps 23:1-6; Rom 5:5-11 or 6:3-9; Jn 6:37-40, or any readings from no. 668 or from Masses for the Dead, nos. 1011-1016
- Tuesday: Phil 2:5-11; Ps 22:26b-32; Lk 14:15-24
- Wednesday: Phil 2:12-18; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Lk 14:25-33
- Thursday: Phil 3:3-8a; Ps 105:2-7; Lk 15:1-10
- Friday: Phil 3:17 – 4:1; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 16:1-8
- Saturday: Phil 4:10-19; Ps 112:1b-2, 5-6, 8a, 9; Lk 16:9-15
- Sunday: Wis 6:12-16; Ps 63:2-8; 1 Thes 4:13-18 [13-14]; Mt 25:1-13

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

- Sunday: All Saints; Daylight Saving Time ends;
- Monday: Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)
- Tuesday: Thirty-first Week in Ordinary Time; St. Martin de Porres; Election Day
- Wednesday: St. Charles Borromeo
- Friday: First Friday
- Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary; First Saturday



THE MISSION

Successful organizations live by strong mission statements. All Saints' Day reminds the Church of her mission: to know the love of God on earth in order to experience the fullness of God's happiness forever in heaven. The Church herself—and each one of us, her members—can use this celebration to give thanks and to renew our commitment to evangelization. If the heart of Jesus desires to unite all souls in heaven, then we must spend time every day actively praying for and serving God's people. In our words and actions, we can pour Christ's love into the world. We can be the light of the world, reminding everyone that this life is a foretaste of what is to come.

THE REWARD

God's enemy, Satan, does not want us to think of heaven, prepare for heaven, or long for heaven's peace. Satan wants us to forget about our connection to the Lord and live only for the glory we can find here and now. We feel that hellish pull whenever we grow tired of doing good, especially when no one appreciates or thanks us. We know the temptation to despair when we hear skeptics ridicule believers, especially if we can't point to convincing evidence that God provides for us that there is a life after this one. These shaky, uncomfortable experiences may come to us once in a while, or they may take root in our hearts and burden us for years. This is precisely why we must celebrate All Saints' Day with hearty gladness, because every single blessed soul in heaven is praying for us. The Communion of Saints is real, and the strength that Jesus sends to us through their prayers makes an actual difference in our lives. Just as we pray for one another here on earth, our big brothers and sisters in Christ continue to pray for us, inviting us to know and share the love of God.

Today's Readings: Rev 7:2-4, 9-14; Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a

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