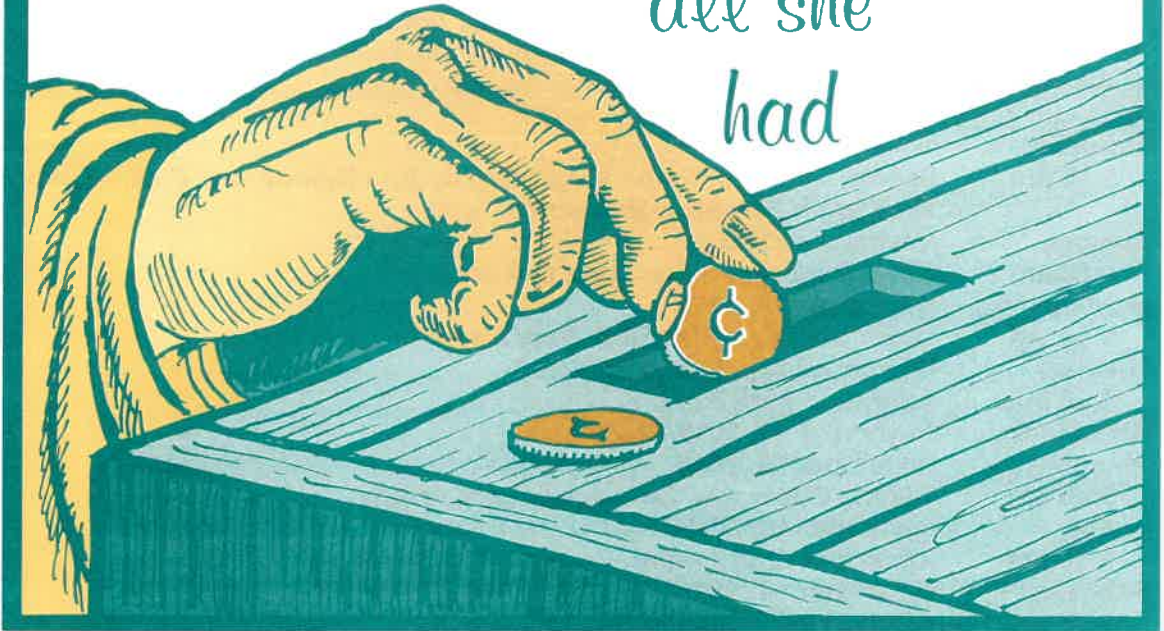


This poor widow contributed
all she
had



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November 11, 2018 • Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

The readings this Sunday seem to focus on generosity. The prophet Elijah asks an impoverished widow, who has almost nothing, to be generous. And she is. The letter to the Hebrews states that Jesus' offering of himself is an act of giving so substantial that it does not have to be repeated. In the Gospel a widow gives of her substance,

in contrast to the rich who give a lot from their abundance but who have a lot more to give. The first reading hints that these scriptures are not only about giving. They are also about fear. Elijah tells the widow, "Do not be afraid" to give your all. The depth of generosity that God asks of us is only possible if we let go of our fear.

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THIRTY-SECOND
SUNDAY IN
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NOVEMBER 11, 2018

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Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 10, 2018
5:00 pm Special Intention Ralph Nagle req. by Ann Bishop and Birdie Kaehn
The Parish Family of St. Patrick

Sunday, November 11, 2018
9:00 am †Fred Cakora req. by Linda Cakora

Monday, November 12, 2018
9:00 am †Poor Souls req. by Ed & Judy Phelan

Tuesday, November 13, 2018—NO MASS
6:00 pm Adoration until 9 pm

Wednesday, November 14, 2018—NO MASS

Thursday, November 15, 2018
9:00 am †Gloria Oliver req. by Stauffenberg Family

Friday, November 16, 2018
9:00 am Adoration until 11 am

Saturday, November 17, 2018
5:00 pm †Jerry & Vicki Phelan req. by Ed & Judy Phelan

Sunday, November 18, 2018
9:00 am †Gordon Flint req. by Marge Flint /
The Parish Family of St. Patrick

Altar Servers:

Saturday, November 17 - 5:00 pm
Emily & David Horath
Sunday, November 18 - 9:00 am
Nikki Quigley, Annabelle Lawson
Jimmy Quigley

Extraordinary Minister:

Saturday, November 17 - 5:00 pm
Sue Nugent, Jim Kreske
Sunday, November 18 - 9:00 am
Deacon Jay

Lector / Reader:

Saturday, November 17 - 5:00 pm
Linda Cakora / Jim Kreske
Sunday, November 18 - 9:00 am
Sarah Hoehn / Steve Hoehn

Usher:

Saturday, November 17 - 5:00 pm
John Meyer, Howard Bieschke
Sunday, November 18 - 9:00 am
Brad Phelps, Bruce Boyle

Music: Cathy Engler

Collection Counters : Boyle, Kotesa, Phelps

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

For the new fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018, the weekly Sunday collection goal is \$2,584.62

Sunday, November 4\$2,477.50

Thank you for your support of our Parish

***Please Participate!
Your Gift Makes a Difference!***

Parish Goal:	\$ 10,600.00
Amount Pledged:	\$ 10,930.00
Amount Paid:	\$ 10,269.00
2017 Rebate	\$ 0



Diocese of Joliet

Thank you for your generous response.

If you are unable to come to church because of illness, rehab, or living at a health care center please let the office know. A priest or home bound minister can come to your home. If there is an emergency and you need a priest, Fr. Sebastian can be reached at 1(630)639-0563.



Our Two Week
Candle is burning for
Special Intention
Req. by
Dan & Lynne Phelan



Please remember in your prayers, Loretta Long who entered eternal life. Remember also her family as we commend her soul to the Lord. It is a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead.

Poor Souls in Purgatory

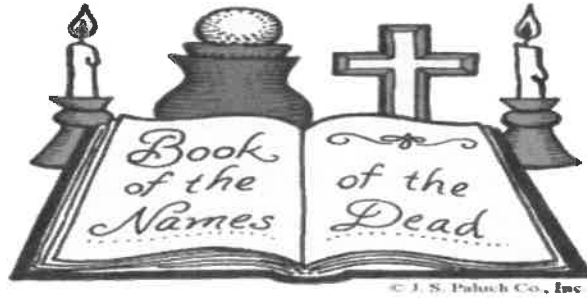
Seven days of Prayer for the Souls in Purgatory cards are on the table in the back of the church.

All Souls remembrances will be published in the bulletin during November

There will be a second collection next weekend for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development.



Mass intentions can be requested through the office, or dropped in any weekend collection, please mark in a separate envelope. Think about having a Mass for a loved one. Weekday and weekend Masses are available. We are also accepting requests for our 2-week Sacred Heart Candle.



Gordon Flint, William Albrecht, Martha Albrecht, Harry Flint, Hazel Flint, Hazel Flint, Verne Radigk, Walter Flint, Alice Galvez, Ray Galvez, Mark Galvez, Kathleen Kinsella, Gerald Kinsella, John Kinsella, Donna Hull, Deceased members of Stromski Family, Jerry & Stella Ulman, Fred & Lillian Cakora, Fred & Rose Cakora, Don & Dorothy Nugent, Smith family members

Pray for the Dead



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The Senior Assistance Center at St. Paul the Apostle Catholic Church, 511 N. Conrad Street, Peotone, Il will be running the computerized Medicare Part D Program to assist seniors in making a choice during the **Open Enrollment Period October 15 to December 7.**

The strategy for saving money on prescription drugs starts with a review of your current plan. Don't assume that a plan that meets your needs in 2018 will continue to do so in 2019. Rates, formularies and other details can change from year to year and usually do. Medicare gives you the right to freely change your plan during open enrollment.

For an appointment, call Paula Prium at St. Paul in Peotone at 708-258-6917 Monday thru Friday 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

The Peotone Senior Assistance Center is staffed by volunteers who serve the community without cost. We are an official SHIP site (Senior Health Insurance Program) with a certified SHIP counselor on staff.

#GIVINGTUESDAY

November 27, 2018 | jolietdioceseappeal.org

Support the 2018 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal this #GivingTuesday!

The Diocese of Joliet is participating in #GivingTuesday! If you have yet to donate to the 2018 Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal (CMAA), please mark your calendar for Tuesday, November 27.

The 2018 CMAA goal of \$8.2 million is within reach — but we need the help of everyone in the diocese. Every gift, no matter the size, is greatly appreciated and will help support 30 ministries that benefit every parish in the diocese, including ours.

Remember, 70 percent of any amount we raise over our parish goal is returned to us for our use. This is a great opportunity for our parish. Our parish has now raised \$AMOUNT of our \$GOAL for the 2018 CMAA.

Thank you to everyone who has already pledged their gift to the 2018 CMAA, and for being a *partner in caring* to so many in our diocese.

For more information about the CMAA before #GivingTuesday, please follow @DOJCMAA on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram or visit jolietdioceseappeal.org.

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The Diocese of Joliet will participate in the national collection for the **Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) during the weekend of November 17-18, 2018**. Your support for this collection brings change to communities across the country and empowers those living in poverty to transform the places they live into reflections of the Kingdom of God. CCHD funds create communities that are more just and welcoming to those who live trapped in the cycle of poverty.

Besides making an impact nationally, a share of the funds collected are used to empower those living in poverty within our own borders. In the Diocese of Joliet, for example, we provide grants for organizations that help human-trafficking victims with counseling services and support groups. These funds are used to provide educational workshops for immigrant and impoverished communities, and they have also funded a community garden enterprise led by low-income youth.

Your support for this collection makes a very real difference for people living in poverty across the United States. Please prayerfully consider how you might contribute to CCHD this year. If you would like more information about the collection and the people it supports, visit www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.

Thank you for joining us to work on the margins.



Most Reverend R. Daniel Conlon
Bishop of Joliet

Ladies Night Out at St. Rose Catholic School

Come on out to the St. Rose Gymnasium, 626 S. Kankae St, Wilmington, Saturday November 17 from 5-8 p.m., and enjoy a fun Ladies' Night Out event. We will have a raffle as well as Vendors for you to shop and visit with other local ladies and enjoy a night away! A portion of the Proceeds will be donated back to the Sister Ann Ellen tuition assistance. Hope to see you there! Thank you for supporting St. Rose School and our children!

Vendors include **Lularoe** – Jackie Mark, **Scentsy**- Beth Engle, **31**- Samantha Schneider, **Sar Squared Customs** – Sarah Bolin and Sarah Gushi, **doTerra**- Cami Johnson, **Mary Kay** – Shelby Chesko, **Color Street** – Tiffany Clutter and Megan Debesa, **Pampered Chef** – Jenny Jett, **Mia Bella** – Angie Foster, **Keep** – Angie Manzello, **Paparazzi** – Joy Wilkins, **AP24 by NuSkin** – Melissa Jensen, **Tupperware** – Melissa Lee, **Tastefully Simple** - Lynn Enerson



ST. JUDE CCW 13TH ANNUAL ST. NICHOLAS FESTIVAL

Craft and Vendor Fair and “Annual of Trees”

Church of St. Jude, Joliet - 2212 W. McDonough St. , Joliet, Ill.

Saturday, November 17, 2018 9:00 AM—4:00 PM

Crafters, Vendors, Bake Sale, Raffles

Lunch will be served in the Bistro 11:00 AM—1:00 PM

Bring the whole family– something for everyone

Crafter/Vendor space available Contact Mary: 815-351-8949

Volunteers needed Contact Melba: 815-744-9212



PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Marge Flint; Grace Niemiec; Cathy Engler, Nancee Long, Shay Phelan, Jeanne Kuzmicz, Bonnie Hack; Ron Bzdil; Adrian Wilkerson, Michelle Schneider; Joyce Heffern, Lisa Bernhard, Jim McGrath ; Torie Jasinski; Judith Wright; Frank Wahlen; Cecelia Mundt; Don Tures; Kyle Cassidy; Derek Knauer; Marilyn Cieply; Norma Boyle; Judith Wright; Lorenzo Rossi; Joyce Albers; Tom Oliver; Brent Bieschke; Jean Haas

Anyone wishing to be on the prayer list should contact the office.

Intention of the Holy Father MONTH OF NOVEMBER

- That the language of love and dialogue may always prevail over the language of conflict.



FALL CARD PARTY

Thank you to everyone who helped make the card party a great success.

Thanks to everyone who helped set up, helped in the kitchen, those who donated food items, door and raffle prizes and everyone who helped cleaned up. A big thank you to everyone who attended.

Our SPLIT-THE-POT Raffle Winners

Eleanor Kestel \$ 100
 Matthew Engler \$ 70
 Ann Bishop \$ 35 (Donated back to CCW)

A wonderful afternoon was spent with good food and friends !

READINGS FOR THE WEEK November 11, 2018



Monday: Ti 1:1-9; Ps 24:1b-4ab, 5-6; Lk 17:1-6
 Tuesday: Ti 2:1-8, 11-14; Ps 37:3-4, 18, 23, 27, 29; Lk 17:7-10
 Wednesday: Ti 3:1-7; Ps 23:1b-6; Lk 17:11-19
 Thursday: Phlm 7-20; Ps 146:7-10; Lk 17:20-25
 Friday: 2 Jn 4-9; Ps 119:1-2, 10-11, 17-18; Lk 17:26-37
 Saturday: 3 Jn 5-8; Ps 112:1-6; Lk 18:1-8
 Sunday: Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16:5, 8-11; Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Sunday: Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time;
 Veterans Day;
 Remembrance Day (Canada)
 Monday: St. Josaphat
 Tuesday: St. Frances Xavier Cabrini
 Thursday: St. Albert the Great
 Friday: St. Margaret of Scotland;
 St. Gertrude
 Saturday: St. Elizabeth of Hungary



GIVE EVERYTHING

In First Kings, Elijah meets a widow and immediately makes a request that she promptly fulfills; then he makes another that she resists. His response is not to chastise her lack of charity but instead he says, as Jesus will say repeatedly in the Gospels, “Do not be afraid.” He recognizes that it is not lack of charity that prevents her from giving him a little food, it is fear, fear that she will not have enough for her son and herself given their dire straits. Elijah looks beyond the obvious. He asks something of her and then gives back to her, from God’s abundance, something even greater. The same is true in Hebrews. Christ offers himself, not as the priest does with a life not his own, but as the genuine Son of God. Again in the Gospel, the substantive generosity of the impoverished widow is contrasted with the apparent generosity of the wealthy. The wealthy are found lacking.

BE NOT AFRAID

It is clear that God prefers the widow’s generosity because it displays a lack of fear about what will happen if she leaves her life entirely in God’s hands. The widow, who lacks material goods, still fears for her welfare and that of her family but both widows, in Mark and in Kings, overcome that fear to place their reliance on God. The wealthy, as we have seen before in the Gospels, have a lot more to give away before they would need to put their reliance entirely on God. Many cannot find the strength and courage to do so. They give big gifts to the temple thinking this will bring them favor, as it does in the world. But God asks more of us than the world does. God asks that we live our lives as if they depended entirely on God and not our own accomplishments. Because they do.

Today’s Readings: 1 Kgs 17:10–16; Ps 146:7, 8–9, 9–10; Heb 9:24–28; Mk 12:38–44 [41–44]

11/11/2018