

You will show me the path to life



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November 18, 2018 • Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today's readings anticipate the end of the Church year. They speak of finality, the end of the world, and Jesus' role in our ultimate salvation. In the Gospel, Jesus describes "those days" of complete darkness—no light from sun, moon, or stars. The prophet Daniel also speaks in grim terms, foretelling of those who will suffer in "everlasting horror and disgrace." Conversely, Daniel mentions the wise people God will set aside for glory, those who will "shine like stars forever."

It is tempting to worry about the gathering darkness and fret over our fate, but today's psalm urges us to be confident. "You will show me the path to life," the psalm proclaims. "You will not abandon my soul to the netherworld." Truly, God guides us. Jesus sacrificed his life to save us, our reading from Hebrews reminds us. Joined to Christ, we ask God to perfect us in holiness.

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THIRTY-THIRD
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
NOVEMBER 18, 2018

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Mass Intentions

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

Monday, November 19, 2018
9:00 am NO MASS

Tuesday, November 20, 2018—NO MASS
6:00 pm Adoration until 9 pm

Wednesday, November 21, 2018—NO MASS

Thursday, November 22, 2018—THANKSGIVING DAY
9:00 am In Thanksgiving for all our Blessings

Friday, November 23, 2018
9:00 am Adoration until 11 am

Saturday, November 24, 2018
5:00 pm †Katherine Stromski req. by Linda Cakora

Sunday, November 25, 2018
9:00 am †Francis Gallagher & Gerald Robbins req. by Doris Robbins /
The Parish Family of St. Patrick

Altar Servers:

Saturday, November 24 - 5:00 pm
Nick & Ella Phelps
Sunday, November 25 - 9:00 am
Emily & Andy Horath, Kenny Smith

Cantor / Lector (Reader):

Saturday, November 24 - 5:00 pm
Sue Nugent / Jerry Kinsella
Sunday, November 25 - 9:00 am
Linda Cakora, Steve Hoehn

Extraordinary Minister:

Saturday, November 24 - 5:00 pm
Jerry & Carmen Kinsella
Sunday, November 25 - 9:00 am
Cindy Smith

Usher:

Saturday, November 24 - 5:00 pm
Bill Phelan, Mark Tillotson
Sunday, November 25 - 9:00 am
Eddie Horath, Bruce Boyle

Music: Cathy Engler

Collection Counters : Horath & Price

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

For the new fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018, the weekly Sunday collection goal is \$2,584.62
Sunday, November 11\$1,746.00

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.



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

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.

The second collection this weekend is for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. Thank you for your support and generosity.

There will be NO MASS on Monday, November 19

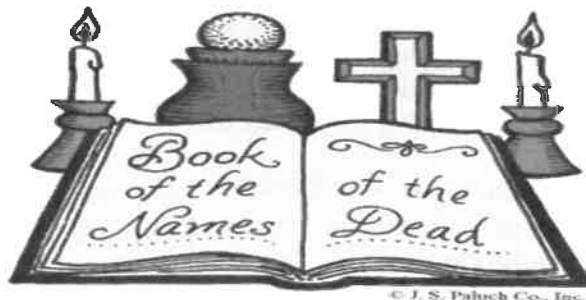
Mass intentions can be requested through the office, or dropped in any weekend collection, please mark in a separate envelope. Think about having a Mass for a loved one. Weekday and weekend Masses are available. We are also accepting requests for our 2-week Sacred Heart Candle.

Thanksgiving Day Mass is Thursday, November 22 at 9:00 am-

Any Liturgical Ministers are welcome to help with the Mass.



CCW made a profit of \$640. at the Annual Fall Card Party .



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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*Solemn Exposition of
the Blessed Sacrament*



Eucharistic Adoration

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30
EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION WILL BEGIN
AFTER 9AM MASS UNTIL 4 PM.**

**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1 IS THE
FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH
MASS WILL BE CELEBRATED AT
9:00 AM IN CHURCH**

**PLEASE SIGN UP TO SPEND 1 HOUR WITH OUR LORD
SIGN UP SHEET IS ON THE TABLE IN THE VESTIBULE
PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR PHONE NUMBER IS
CORRECT IF WE NEED TO CONTACT YOU.**



#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.

Save the Date
FOR NATIONAL WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA DAY

ABRAHAM LINCOLN NATIONAL CEMETERY

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15

- ARRIVAL TIME 9-10 A.M.
- CEREMONY AT 11:00 A.M.
- WREATH PLACEMENT IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE CEREMONY

The image is a "Save the Date" announcement for National Wreaths Across America Day. It features a background of a cemetery with several tombstones. The text is centered and includes the event name, date, and a list of activities: arrival time (9-10 A.M.), ceremony (11:00 A.M.), and wreath placement immediately following the ceremony.

Wreaths Across America

Save the Date - This year St. Rose is coordinating a group to participate in the National Wreaths Across America (WAA) Day at the Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery in Elwood. The event takes place the morning at Saturday, December 15th and open to all youth and adults. Watch for further details in upcoming weeks.

Community wide Christmas Caroling



Calling all youth grades 6-12th to help us provide joyful Christmas Carols this holiday season. We are inviting youth and their families from St. Rose, St. Patrick and other churches throughout the community to go Christmas Caroling on December 22nd. Please join us Monday, November 26th at 6 pm at St. Rose for practice. Fellowship and food will be provided after Christmas Caroling on Dec. 22nd.

ST. ROSE & ST. PATRICK'S

6-12TH GRADE YOUTH
MINISTRY

Christmas parade For a cause!

To help those that are without this holiday season, we are looking for youth to walk in the parade to help collect can goods or paper products to donate to Kuzma Care Cottage.

You can sign up either through the Church, St Rose School or St Rose Rep.  Sign up begins at 4pm at Wilmington middle school and the parade starts at 5pm. Any questions please email  bands.07@hotmail.com

November 24, 2018





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.

Each Religious Ed. Class has decorated a Christmas tree that was donated by CCW. You can purchase a raffle ticket before or after Mass or from any student. Drawing will take place on St. Nick nite.



**READINGS FOR THE WEEK
November 18, 2018**



Monday: Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 18:35-43

Tuesday: Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 19:1-10

Wednesday: Rv 4:1-11; Ps 150:1b-6; Lk 19:11-28

Thursday: Rv 5:1-10; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 19:41-44

Thanksgiving Day--Suggested:
Sir 50:22-24; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19

Friday: Rv 10:8-11; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Lk 19:45-48

Saturday: Rv 11:4-12; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Lk 20:27-40

Sunday: Dn 7:13-14; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Rv 1:5-8; Jn 18:33b-37

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Sunday: Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wednesday: The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Thursday: St. Cecilia; Thanksgiving Day

Friday: St. Clement I; St. Columban; Blessed Miguel Agustín Pro

Saturday: St. Andrew Dung-Lac and Companions



WORDS OF DARKNESS

We may feel uneasy about the end of the world for many reasons, especially considering the dramatic language that today's scriptures use to describe the last days. Rarely do our Sunday readings provoke us with descriptions of "tribulation" that is "unsurpassed in distress;" of the awakened dead who wallow in "everlasting horror and disgrace;" and of darkened heavens where "the stars will be falling from the sky." The end of the world unsettles us for another, more basic reason, too: we do not know when it is coming. The unknown can frighten us. Horror movies rely on that tendency to terrify moviegoers. Mystery and suspense thrillers fill us with anxiety while we await a resolution. We could rest easier and plan ahead, we like to think, if only we knew exactly when this final ordeal will beset humanity.

WORDS OF EVERLASTING LIFE

"Heaven and earth will pass away," Jesus assures us in today's Gospel, "but my words will not pass away." Foreboding words about the end of the world may distress us, but Jesus' words bring us glory. Word-made-flesh, Jesus walked and talked among us. We have inherited his gospel. Jesus gave us the words of everlasting life so that we can look forward to his second coming with faith, hope, and love.

While we wait, the Lord accompanies us in word and sacrament. If we begin to feel anxious, Jesus is with us. We can turn to his words in the Bible and experience his closeness. If we are overwhelmed by our shortcomings and sins, we can participate in the liturgy and feel the intimacy of Jesus in the Eucharist and in one another. The world will end, certainly. But Jesus, the Word of God, has already conquered death. Jesus invites us be unafraid. Over and over again in the Gospels, Jesus says not to fear, offering instead his deep and lasting peace.

Today's Readings: Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11; Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

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