



For the One who carved the islands / has come to live among us,
And this is the house He has chosen, / St. Mary Star of the Sea. — Anne Porter



GREETERS AND SERVERS—NEXT WEEK
NOVEMBER 17/18, 2018

REMINDER: Servers and Greeters, not Parish staff, are responsible for finding a substitute once a schedule is disseminated. Thanks.

ALTAR SERVERS

SAT 9:00 am: Spanish Assigned
SAT. 5:30 pm: Sacristan
SUN. 8:15 am: Caleb, Isaac and Elias Johnson
SUN. 11:00 am: Maggie Anderson, Sacristan

GREETERS

SAT. 8:45 am: Carmen Boling
SAT. 5:30 pm: Kathie and Larry Bomke
SUN. 8:15 am: Kim Hammers and Judy Atkinson
SUN. 11:00 am: Nancy McGillis and Luci Holloway

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 9:00 AM: **For the special intentions of the Hispanic Community of St. Mary Star of the Sea.**

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 5:30 PM: **For the repose of the soul of Bea Tyner, as requested by Bob Tyner.**

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 8:15 AM: **For the special intentions of St. Mary Star of the Sea Parish.**

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 11:00 AM: **For the victims and families of and for an end to mass violence in our country.**

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 10:00 AM: **In remembrance of all those who have served and given their lives for our country especial from our parish and those who are buried in our cemetery.**

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 6:30 PM: **For our newly elected officials that they may serve all the people our country with justice, compassion, equality and integrity.**

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 12:05 PM: **For our clergy that God may strengthen them in their calling to be representatives of Christ on earth.**

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 12:05 PM: **In remembrance of the Holy Souls in Purgatory, as requested by Ana Harvey.**

Readings for the Week...

MONDAY Titus 1:1-9 Psalms 24:1-6 Luke 17:1-6	TUESDAY Titus 2:1-8, 11-14 Psalms 37:3-4, 18, 23, 27, 29 Luke 17:7-10	WEDNESDAY: Titus 3:1-7 Psalms 23:1-6 Luke 17:11-19	THURSDAY Philemon 7-20 Psalms 146:7-10 Luke 17:20-25	FRIDAY 2 John 4-9 Psalms 119:1-2, 10- 11, 17-18 Luke 17:26-37	SATURDAY: Sirach 26:1-3, 15- 18, 24 Psalms 31:4-5, 8-9, 20, 24-25 Matthew 25:31-40	SUNDAY Daniel 12:1-3 Psalms 16:5, 8-11 Hebrews 10:11-14, 18 Mark 13:24-32
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WEEKLY CALENDAR

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12

11:30 am: CONFESSIONS
12:05 pm: MASS
1:00 pm: Rosary Makers Meeting--Hall
3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Chapel

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13

12:05 pm: **Communion Service**
3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Chapel
6:00 pm: Choir Practice--Church

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14

3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Chapel
6:00 pm: CONFESSIONS
6:30 pm: MASS

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15

10:30 am: Cemetery Committee Meeting
11:30 am: CONFESSIONS
12:05 pm: MASS
3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Church

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16

11:30 am: CONFESSIONS
12:05 pm: MASS
1:00 pm: Adoration
3:00 pm: Divine Mercy Chaplet--Chapel

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17

STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN

9:00 am: SPANISH MASS
10:00 am: Spanish Lunch--Hall
4:30 pm: CONFESSION
5:30 pm: MASS

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18

STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN

8:15 am: MASS (CONFESSIONS 30 MIN. PRIOR)
9:30 am: Religious Education--Classrooms
9:30 am: Youth Choir Practice--Hall
11:00 am: MASS (CONFESSIONS 30 MIN. PRIOR)
12:30 pm: Theology Kettle--Hall
12:30 pm: Pax Christi Meeting--Rm. 6
4:00 pm: Youth Night--Hall



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The Thirtieth-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time, November 10/11, 2018

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Week of 11/04/2018

Week #19

Week / Semana

Actual / Colecta Real \$ 13,548.00

Budgeted / Presupuesto \$ 7,097.08

\$ 6,450.92

Year to Date / Año Corrido

Actual / Colecta Real \$ 140,241.68

Budgeted / Presupuesto \$ 134,844.52

\$ 5,397.16



COFFEE HOUR ON SUNDAY

There will be a Coffee Hour after the 11:00 am Mass this Sunday complements of the Bereavement Support Committee.



SOUND SYSTEM PROBLEM...

Due to the power outage last Friday our church speaker system sustained some damage which prevents its use.

Regrettably, it may take a month or more before repairs can be made. Your understanding during this time will be greatly appreciated!



**NOVEMBER
"YOUTH NIGHT"**

Our November **YOUTH NIGHT** will be held **THIS Sunday, November 11,** from 4-6:00 pm in the Hall. This month's activities will feature cookie and card making for those served by our Parish Saint Vincent de Paul Society. **Youth Night is for all youth ages 8-18 years old -- adults, too!**



EARLY BULLETIN SUBMISSIONS

Submissions to the weekly parish bulletin for the week of November 18-24 must be received by the Parish Office by 12:00 pm on Thursday, November 15 due to the short week that follows. Thanks!



**PARISH STEWARDSHIP
OF
TREASURE CAMPAIGN**

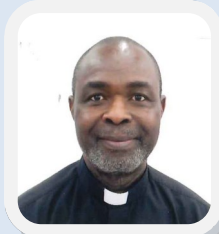
Our parish has begun its yearly **Stewardship of Treasure Campaign.** All funds from this campaign accrue to our Parish directly to fund our parish financial

needs throughout the year; our religious education programs, operating funds, building and grounds upkeep to name a few. So far, we have received \$90,549 in pledges which represents a 21% response rate for the parish towards our goal of \$369,048. Please give prayerful consideration as to how you might support the parish at this time. Your generosity will be greatly appreciated!

"OUR MISSION IS TO...

**CELEBRATE GOD'S PRESENCE IN OUR MIDST BY MASS, SACRAMENTS, AND PRAYER;
LIVE CHRIST'S LOVE BY SERVING OTHERS, ESPECIALLY THE POOR, NEGLECTED, AND SUFFERING;
GROW IN THE TRUTHS AND VALUES OF OUR CATHOLIC TRADITION, TEACH THEM TO OUR CHILDREN,
AND PROCLAIM THEM TO THOSE WHO DO NOT KNOW THEM."**





**THE CATECHISM
OF THE CATHOLIC
CHURCH**

The Virtues and Graces
§1810-1811

Human virtues acquired by education, by deliberate acts and by a perseverance ever-renewed in repeated efforts are purified and elevated by divine grace. With God's help, they forge character and give facility in the practice of the good. The virtuous man is happy to practice them.

It is not easy for man, wounded by sin, to maintain moral balance. Christ's gift of salvation offers us the grace necessary to persevere in the pursuit of the virtues. Everyone should always ask for this grace of light and strength, frequent the sacraments, cooperate with the Holy Spirit, and follow his calls to love what is good and shun evil.

**CATECISMO DE LA
IGLESIA CATOLICA**

Las Virtudes y la Gracia
§1810-1811

Las virtudes humanas adquiridas mediante la educación, mediante actos deliberados, y una perseverancia, mantenida siempre en el esfuerzo, son purificadas y elevadas por la gracia divina. Con la ayuda de Dios forjan el carácter y dan soltura en la práctica del bien. El hombre virtuoso es feliz al practicarlas.

Para el hombre herido por el pecado no es fácil guardar el equilibrio moral. El don de la salvación por Cristo nos otorga la gracia necesaria para perseverar en la búsqueda de las virtudes. Cada cual debe pedir siempre esta gracia de luz y de fortaleza, recurrir a los sacramentos, cooperar con el Espíritu Santo, seguir sus invitaciones a amar el bien y guardarse del mal.

Father Peter



MASS SCHEDULE CHANGES

On the Feast of Christ the King November 24-25 several Mass schedule changes will be made as follows:

- ◆ Saturday, November 24: There will be no 9:00 am Spanish Mass or Spanish Lunch. *The 5:30 pm Mass will remain the same.*
- ◆ Sunday, November 25: *The 8:15 am Mass will remain the same* however the 11:00 am Mass will be bilingual - celebrated in both English and Spanish.

**OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE
CELEBRATION**

December 12

Schedule as follows:

- 1:00 pm: We will meet at La Isla Mexican Restaurant;
 - 1:30 pm: Procession from La Isla to St. Mary Star of the Sea;
 - 3:00 pm: Mass at St. Mary's. Potluck to follow in the Social Hall
- All Are Welcome!!**



MUCHAS GRACIAS!

A big **THANK YOU** to the members of our Hispanic Community that spent several days cleaning and beautifying our church AND cemetery grounds.

Everything looks wonderful. *Of course a thanks as well to all the silent souls who work year round to keep St. Mary's always looking her best. (Thanks to ss.)*



**DIA DE LOS MEURTOS
CELEBRATION**

The colorful display at the foot of the altar is part of the Dia de los Muertos - the Day of the Dead - celebration which is a tradition in Mexico and other countries to honor their departed loved ones. We appreciate the members of our Hispanic Community taking the opportunity to share these traditions with the parish.



2019 CALENDARS AVAILBLE

Calendars for 2019 are now available in the vestibule. Please take only one per family so there will be enough for all.



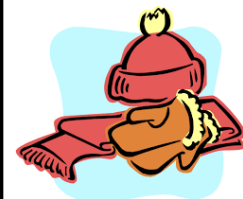
CHRISTMAS FLOWER ENVELOPES

Envelopes for donations towards the floral decoration of our church at Christmas are now in the pews.



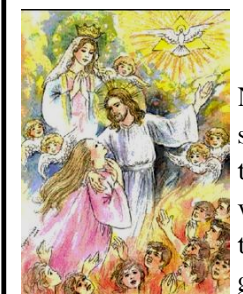
GREAT JOB!

The members of the George Welch Bridge Club wish to express their gratitude and thanks to the Ladies of St. Mary's and especially to Isaac and Lydia Johnson, Travis McConaghy, Pascale Sanok, Filomena Bertucci, and Logan McMichael for the fantastic jobs they all did. Their annual fund raiser comprised of 110-120 participants was enjoyed by all and the confirmation students played a huge roll in its success. Well done!



DAY SHELTER PROPOSAL

Jefferson Interfaith Action is spearheading a proposal to provide day shelter and supportive space for our homeless community during the cold winter months. This is intended to fill an urgent and unmet need in our community for this winter. If you're interested in helping please contact Mary Karen at marykaren1@peoplepc.com.



**NOVEMBER - MONTH OF
THE HOLY SOULS**

November is dedicated to the holy souls in purgatory. While we hope that our loved ones enjoy Eternal Life with God, it never hurts to pray for their souls. What better gift can we give them than our prayers? Although they can no longer pray for *themselves*, they can and do pray for *us* out of gratitude. Our dear ones who loved us in this life love us no less in their eternities and to continue to keep them lovingly in our thoughts and prayers during November is the best way to honor their memories.



PARISH OFFICE CLOSURE

The Parish Office will be closed on Thursday and Friday, November 22-23, in observation of the Thanksgiving Holiday.



PAX CHRISTI MEETING

Pax Christi will meet NEXT Sunday at 12:30 pm in Classroom #6. As always, all are welcome to attend.



**THE PRAYER TEAM IS
AVAILABLE**

The Prayer Team will be available to pray with people this Sunday, at 12:30 pm, in the Chapel after the 11:00 am Mass. Please wait in the pew in front of Our Lady's statue and they will come for you.



**RE-GIFTING AND
COOKIE SALE!**

St. Mary's Ladies Guild Annual Re-Gifting and Cookie Sale is coming up Saturday, December 8, and Sunday, December 9, in the church hall.

Please bring your re-gift-able items to the church hall (not to the Parish Office) on:
Saturday, December 1, before Mass 4:30-5:30 pm;
Sunday, December 2, after both Masses;
Thursday, December 6, between 10:00 am and 2:00 pm (Bring Christmas cookies also);
Friday, December 7, from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. (Bring Christmas cookies also).
Needed are gently used and new items appropriate for gifting. Suggested ideas are jewelry, books, children's books, toys, glassware, dishes, nick-knacks, Christmas decorations, CD's, DVD's, decorator mirrors, pictures, and religious items.
No clothing, rummage or electrical items will be accepted.
For more information call Marlene at 360-301-3480.