

Nov. 15th, 2020 - 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

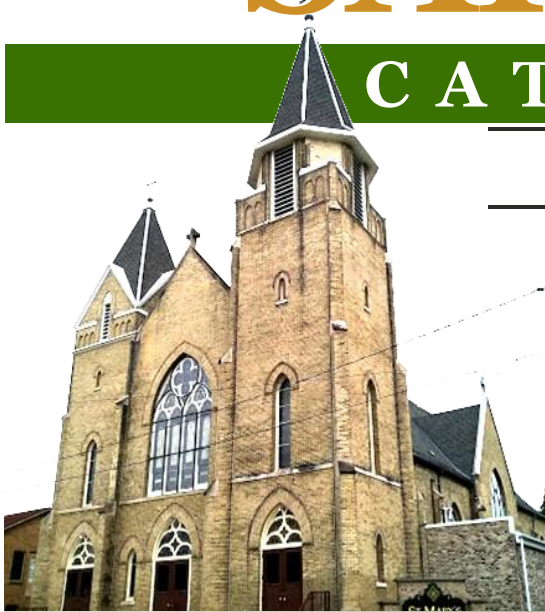
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MASS SCHEDULE

Weekdays

Tuesday 5:30 pm

Wed, Thurs, & Fri 8:30 am

Weekends

Saturday 7:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am & 1:00 pm

Adoration

Wed, Thurs & Fri 8:00 - 8:30 am

Confessions

Tuesday 5:00 pm

Saturday 6:00 pm

Rosary

Saturday 6:35 pm

Sunday 8:35 am

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*Veterans
Day*

GREATER LOVE HAS NO ONE THAN THIS, THAT SOMEONE
LAY DOWN HIS LIFE FOR HIS FRIENDS. - JOHN 15:13

'Well done, my good and faithful servant. Since you were faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities. Come, share your master's joy.' For to everyone who has, more will be given and he will grow rich; but from the one who has not, even what he has will be taken away.

Mass Intentions

Tuesday, November 17

5:30 pm † Gene Delmore
By: Betty Delmore

Wednesday, November 18

8:30 am Special Intention
By: The Ostrowski Family

Thursday, November 19

8:30 am Blessing for Poland
By: Anna & Jozef Styracula

Friday, November 20

8:30 am † Maria Rychtarczyk
By: Maria Podczerwinska

Saturday, November 21

7:00 pm † Bill McGowan
By: Dan McGowan

Sunday, November 22

9:00 am † J Doyle, B Roth,
E Walsh & P Laridaen
By: Family

1:00 pm The Parishioner Mass



Upcoming Events

Thanksgiving Mass

Nov 26th at 8:30 am

First Sunday of Advent

November 29th

Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception

Dec 8th at 5:30 pm

Parish Finance Council

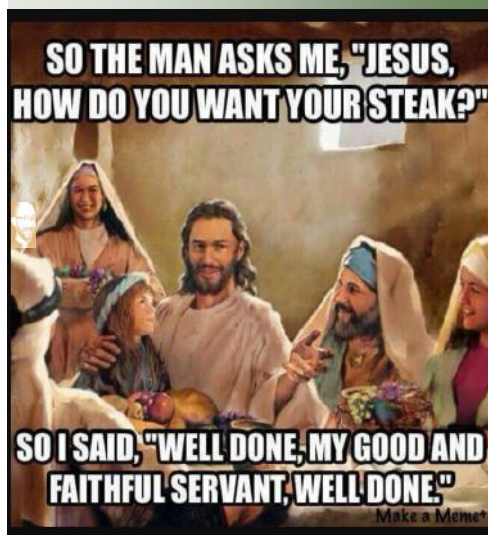
Dec 8th at 6:45 pm

Christmas Decorating

Dec 17th at 6:00 pm
(we will not start till 6 pm)

Advent Penance Service

December 22nd, 4:30-5:30



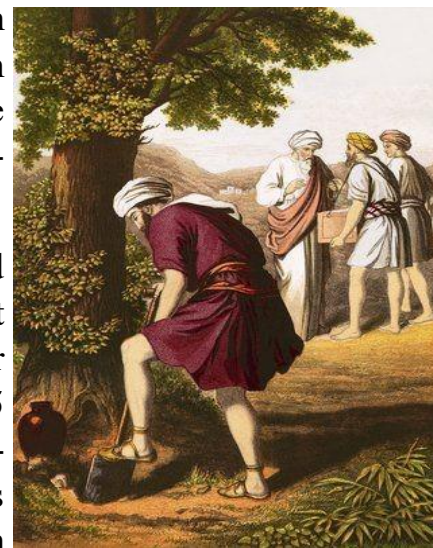
Within the Word - Thanking those who've Served

Every year friends we go through season after season, from nature to the church, of holidays and solemnities, days of remembrance and memorials; from all saints day to all souls day, and especially Easter to Christmas. We love to celebrate and remember all these things, because it's part of our culture, faith and heritage. We enjoy them and pass them on to our children, who will one day pass them on to their children. This is our way of life and we appreciate it. We also have many cherished national holidays and memorials for many reasons.

This past week we celebrated a much loved and honored day for all our veterans. Many might not know it but we have several dozen veterans in our own parish. Many folks have served in all 5 branches, ranging from all ranks. Many have given and even served their entire careers and lives for the United States military. Many have even

sacrificed long hardships, (tours and overseas assignments) like being away from home and far from loved ones. We must never forget the cost it takes to ensure our way of life is preserved, and our freedoms protected. Thank a veteran and ask them how they served. They WILL greatly appreciate it!

This Sunday we hear about the parable of the talents, and the men who were given money to invest while the master went away. Friends, this Gospel passage is important to remember. Every one of us, young and old have been given some talent or treasure, and we should share them with others. We shouldn't be foolish or selfish, dull or lazy and not use these gifts; they are ours to give and share and not hide. As Christians we have an obligation to share talents with others, to be good stewards to one another & better the community –just like our veterans who've shared their lives for us. Jesus teaches that we should give & serve in the capacity that we've been given, so we can enjoy His words some day, "Well done, my good and faithful servant..."



F. Clayton

Honoring Our Veterans

Every year we honor our veterans on November 11th. Everyone who enjoys their freedoms, liberties & the great country that protects them, should remember that everything comes at a price. Our citizenship & all that it entails comes & continues to do so, at a cost. Millions of veterans have served many years to protect & safe-guard our way of life. Reach out & thank a veteran this week. Maybe even ask how & what they did in the service. There are so many untold stories of those who gave all, to the country we dearly love. God Bless our veterans!!



The Lyndon Station Fire Department

As you may already know, our local fire department was unable to hold their annual fund raising dance this year. This was a huge lose and very unfortunate; as it is a huge part of their annual funds needed to support our local community. St Mary's will be sending the Lyndon Station fire dept. a donation to help. If you haven't done so already, please consider helping them as well. They are courageous men & woman who are always on standby. They are our hero's!



This bulletin, was created, designed, printed and folded by Fr. Clayton; with love, in his empty office for you. Please share & spread the Word. So God's Word can be Set on Fire!



LADIES SODALITY “BAKE-LESS BAKE SALE”

Yes you read that correctly--no baking involved this year due to Covid-19. Our ladies are still on track to prepare Christmas gift bags for our area shut in's and help out the Lyndon Station Elementary School. Please consider donating, by using the green envelope attached to the bulletin. Unfortunately no food donations will be accepted this year for shut-in bags. You may drop the envelope in the weekly offertory basket or mail to the parish office. They would like donations by December 1st, (so shopping can commence). Please be generous and help as best as you can. Keep in mind that many civic groups in the area who are experiencing loss of revenue also; so those in need will be helped this year.

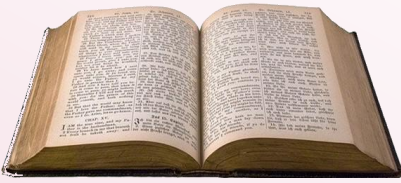
WORLD MISSION COLLECTIONS

Friends every year we give to the missions, and every Catholic church gives to the missions. It is a great honor to be able to help those who are in need. In addition to the \$684.44 collected on the weekend of Oct 24/25th, for the Conventual Franciscan Mission, we also had additional donations totaling \$390.00 for World Mission Sunday. Thank you for your support and spreading the Gospel of Christ. These funds will be forwarded to the Office of the Propagation of the Faith, at the Diocese of La Crosse.



November: Remembering our Beloved Dead...

The Saints are people God's plan and are now Some were children, mothers and fathers;



who've said "yes" to with Him in Heaven. young and old, some some were monks, priests & nuns. On all Souls' day and throughout November, we pray for all our loved ones who have died. We ask God to bring them to the joyful banquet in the Heavenly kingdom, (for we do not know when they enter) to be with God & the Saints forever. Remember the book of the dead, (It's in the back of church) & the holy souls in heaven, who later in turn, pray for us to join them. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen...

CONGRATS TO MAEVE ROSEMARY HOLLOWAY



What a wonderful gift it is to receive a child from God, and be able to give that child the incredible gift of baptism. There is no greater treasure (the pearl of great price) then to be Christened in Jesus Christ and become one in Him. We welcome Mitch and Teresa on becoming parents. We congratulate them both and wish them the best on starting a new family.

May God bless you both and I look forward to walking this journey with you!

Financial Stewardship

November 8th, 2020

Adult Envelopes.....	\$2331.00
Student Envelopes.....	\$7.00
Offertory.....	\$498.84
Holy Days.....	.\$30.00
Votive Candles.....	\$108.50
Total	\$2,975.34
Weekly Budget	\$2,548.07
(164 registered families)	

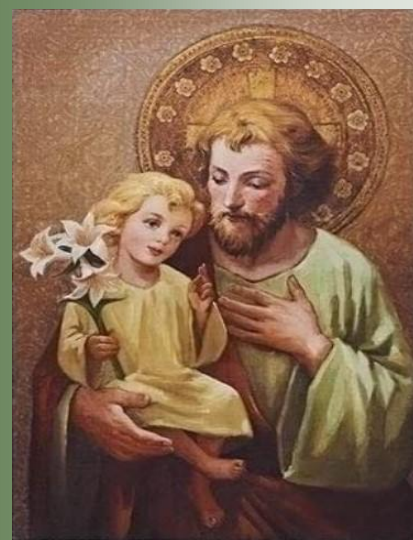
Year-to-date*

Budgeted	\$48,413.96
Contributed	\$52,544.20

Time to go to St. Joseph

St. Joseph protected the Holy Family & we can trust ourselves, to him at a time when fatherhood is so needed. We can ask him to help strengthen our families – as well as the bonds of our parish during this time of hardship.

-St. Joseph, Pray for us!



St. Mary's Floor Project

Parishioners' Goal: \$75,000
Total Received: \$69,350
Percent of Goal received: 92.47%

2020-21 Annual Appeal

Goal: \$15,810
Total Pledged & Received: \$195.00
Percent of Goal pledged: 1.23%


Where's Fr. Clayton?

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