



St. Joseph Parish

Galloway

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Mission Statement

Baptized in Christ Jesus and nourished by his Word and Sacrament we strive to live our daily lives in love and service to God and neighbor.

Pastor:

Augustine K. Benti

Staff:

Sister Mary Ellen Diermeier

Mary Uttecht, DRE

Pat Kulas, Interim Parish Administrator

Mass Times

St. Joseph, Galloway

Saturday 4:00 pm

Sunday 8:30 am

St. Ladislaus, Bevent

Sunday 10:10 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 3:35-3:55 pm

Sunday 8:00-8:20 am

Mark your Calendars!

November:

Sat. 4 - Mass 4 pm

Sun. 5- Mass 8:30 am

Wed. 8 - Mass 8:30 am

CCD 6:15 pm

Fri. 10 - Mass 8:30 am

Sat. 11 - Mass 4 pm

Sun. 12 - Mass 8:30 am

Mon. 13-Fall Fundraiser Wrap-up Meeting 6:30 pm

November

NOVEMBER 5, 2023



31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"The greatest among you must be your servant."
- Mt 23:11

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IN YOU, LORD,
I HAVE FOUND

Peace.

PSALM 131

Liturgies of the Week

Wednesday, November 8 - Weekday

8:30 am- Dorothy Aschenbrenner *by PCCW*

Friday, November 10 - Weekday

8:30 am- Dale Ostrowski *by Ed Ostrowski*

Sat., Nov. 11 - Vigil: 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

4 pm - Norm & Patricia Gruna *by Larry & Wendy Gruna*

Sunday, Nov. 12 - 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30 am - Parishioners of St. Joseph & St. Ladislaus

Rosary prayed 1/2 hour before Mass

Saturday, Mass 4 pm - November 11

Lector: **Pat Kulas**

Blood of Christ: **Ron Knitter**
Pat Kulas

Ushers: **Lee Lehrer**
Fred Groshek

TV Monitors: **Evelyn Fletcher**

Rosary (Glorious): **Pat Kulas**

Sunday, Mass 8:30 am - November 12

Lector: **Michele O'Donnell**

Eucharist: **Renee Groshek**

Blood of Christ: **Donna Golomski**
Mike O'Donnell

Altar Servers: **Colton Kaminski**
Bryce Kohl

Ushers: **Marvin Meronk**
Drayden Kersten

TV Monitors: **Marcus Kohl**

Rosary (Glorious): **Crystal Bushman**

Gifts to Our Lord: October 24-30, 2023

Adult Envelopes..... \$1,207.00

Youth Envelopes..... 15.00

Offertory Gifts 498.35

World Mission Sunday 5.00

Total..... \$1,625.35



WORLD MISSION SUNDAY THANK YOU: Your generous response to the 2023 World Mission Sunday request for prayer and financial support is much appreciated!



Baptism dates: Nov. 12, 18 or 19; Dec. 2, 9, 10 or 16. Please call the rectory to schedule. If this is your first child being baptized, please also call Sister Mary Ellen (715.446.3060) to schedule a baptism class.



Book of Life

Once again, our Book of Life is in front of church this month, the month dedicated to those who have gone before us in death. You are invited to enter the names of deceased loved ones in the Book. During November, we will remember in a special way those whose names are entered in the Book of Life. "Eternal rest, grant unto them O Lord, and let Perpetual Light shine upon them."

Please plan to attend the Wrap-up Meeting: There will be a wrap up meeting to go over the Fall Breakfast and Soup fundraisers on Monday, November 13 at 6:30 pm. Come join us to get the full report on the events and contribute to the discussion on what contributed to the success of this year's events and what can be done to

ADVENT BOOK CLUB

Advent is right around the corner, December 3rd to be exact! Plans are in the works to start a 4-week-long (starting the last week of Nov.) book club featuring Jesus and Jewish Roots of the Eucharist.



If you are interested in joining us (or getting a copy of the book for your own perusing), please sign up in the foyer or online with your smart phone with the qr code to the right. We also need hosts. Scheduling sessions will depend on what works best for people.

Contact the office if you'd like more information.

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A Minute with Jesus: God wants you to spend eternity with Him.

Our destiny (goal) is to spend eternity in Heaven with the Blessed Trinity: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Jesus was willing to die for us so that we may be with Him in Heaven forever. Jesus came on this rescue mission to save His children so that we can spend eternity with Him. Our closest union with Jesus on earth is receiving the Holy Eucharist – Jesus Himself – at Mass.

Let's pray this right now and every day this week: Jesus, help me to receive Your love. I am so thankful for You, and that You want me to be with You forever.

This week, read how God saved us out of love in John 3:16-17



Do you know someone who is carrying the grief and sorrow of past abortions? Project Rachel Ministry offers a compassionate heart and confidential help. Call

608.860.6698 or email projectrachel@diolc.org.



Memorial/Candle Lighting Ceremony

On Mon. Nov. 6 at 6:30pm, we will remember those who have died since November 2022 in a special candle lighting ceremony at St. Ladislaus. Dan & Julie Krolow will be here to sing many of the songs they've written for those who are grieving.

If you would like someone remembered in the candle-lighting ceremony who died during the past year and was not from our parish, you are welcome to submit their names as well. We will be honored to include your loved one.

Even if you did not have any loved ones die this past year, we welcome and appreciate your presence. Whether you have lost a loved one, a job, a sense of security, or you are supporting someone else who has had a difficult year, you will find and strength from this service.

A light meal will follow. All are invited. Please extend this invitation to all friends, family members, and parishioners to join us for this time of remembrance, prayer, and fellowship.

Area Events

- ♦ **The Jerry Schmidt Band, Thanksgiving Party, Fri., Nov. 10, 6:30-10:30 pm**, The Arena, 8307 Heeren St, Weston, \$10 cover charge, children: Free (no flyer)
- ♦ **"A Love that Integrates and Unites" Retreat, Nov. 10-12**, St. Anthony Center, Marathon, \$225 pp.
- ♦ **Soup Sale, Nov. 11-12**, Sacred Heart, Polonia. Order by Nov. 3 by calling 715-824-6096 (no flyer)
- ♦ **Drive-Thru Chicken Dinner**, St. Michael's, Junction City, **Nov. 12, 11a-1p**. \$14 pp.
- ♦ **Bingo, Nov. 12, 1:00 pm** (doors open at 11:30am), St. Adalbert Catholic School, Rosholt, Concessions available.
- ♦ **"Happy - Not Stressed - Holidays" Retreat, Nov. 17-18**, St. Anthony Center, Marathon, \$125 pp.
- ♦ **Holiday Showcase, Sat., Nov. 18, 9am-3pm**, St. Therese, Schofield: Lunch, Crafts, Raffle, Bake Sale.

(see flyers on bulletin board for all events)

Knights of Columbus:

Cold Weather Coat Drive

The KOC are holding a drive to collect new or like new winter coats for infants through young adults. There is a bin in the vestibule of church for your contributions. Please gather or purchase coats in the coming weeks and they'll be collected and distributed to those in need.



Thank you for your generosity!

Our thanks is due to Pat Kulas who has returned to the role of Parish Administrator in an interim capacity as we seek a permanent hire. Her dedication, loyalty and professional excellence is much appreciated!



St. Joseph Parish continues to seek a person to fill the very important role of **Director of Religious Education**.

We are also hiring a **Parish Administrator**, a part-time (about 12 hrs/week) position. This position

requires a broad range of skills/attributes including secretarial, organizational, communications, financial and bookkeeping.

If you are interested or know someone who might be interested and would like to know more about either of these positions, please contact Father Gus: 715-454-6431 or stjosephchurchgalloway@gmail.com.

Thank you and may God bless you for your prayerful consideration!

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