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Office hours: Monday-Friday 8 a.m. - noon; 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

St. Stephen: Sunday 7:30 a.m. – 7:55 a.m.
or anytime by appointment

Annie Willingham and Taylor Pfaff

November 3, 2019 – Howard and Linda Willard
November 17, 2019 – Jim and Sheryl Underhill

Rosary: Jane Wilson
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Eucharistic Ministers: Charlotte Schneider, Toni Hunter,
 Dennis Long, Phyllis Campbell, David Little, Marie Little, Gary
 Hays, Sharon Hays
Lector: Paula Karr
Gifts: Heath Greiman Family
Greeters: Jim & Janice Schnitzler, Steve & Nancy Hays
Ushers: Roger Crowe, Scott Hays, Danny Benson, Cliff
 Seward

Please contribute to this appeal as you did so generously last year. You do not have to contribute a lot and you can pay your contribution over 10 months. One percent of your income is a practical suggestion. It will be beneficial to our parish if we meet our parish goals. Ten percent of the money we collect will be given back to our parishes which I intend to put toward capital improvements. Any amount that is collected over our goal, the parishes will receive 90% back to the parishes. Please support the mission of our parish by supporting the Catholic Stewardship Appeal. God bless you for all you do continually do. Prayers & Blessings.

F. Heydyschlag

READINGS FOR November 10, 2019

1st Reading – 2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14 Even their torturers marveled at the heroism of the seven Maccabee brothers who trusted in God and faced death with courage. They believed in the resurrection to life.

Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15 Lord, when your glory appears, my joy will be full.

2nd Reading – 2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5 Paul prayed that God the Father, who consoled him, also comfort and strengthen the saints of the Thessalonian church. He asked for their prayer and gave them God’s blessing.

Gospel – Luke 20:27-38 When some Sadducees tried to trap Jesus with some legal questions, he showed them God’s power over life and the Lord’s love for the living: God “is not the God of the dead, but of the living.”

On the Calendar...
November 3 – Hospitality Sunday sponsored by the Chosen Youth Group
November 5 – K of C meeting at 7 p.m.
November 14 – D of I meeting at 7 p.m.
December 18 – Advent Penance Service 7 p.m.

Please pray for...

Father Greg	Deacon Mike	Trent Zeiger
Hazel Smith	Sue Gilbert	Natalee Amos
Rosemary Evans	Deanna Buckman	Nick Hays
Kenny Underhill	Jackie Ryan	Bill Janes
Charlotte Schneider	Logan Maher	Troy Ritter
Kenneth Ryan	Bonnie Ess	Barbara Kendrick
Connie Kendrick	William P. Smith	Teresa Ritter Toland
Mark Leake	Nick Mudd	
Mary Smith Sprague		Daniel Patrick Mudd

Lord Jesus, who went about doing good and healing all, we ask you to bless our family and friends who are sick. Give them strength in body, courage in spirit and patience with pain. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL: hours available are: **Sunday:** noon-1 p.m.; **Monday:** 3-4 p.m., 5-6 p.m.; **Tuesday:** 6-7 p.m.; **Wednesday:** 3-4 p.m.; **Friday:** 6-7 a.m., noon-1 p.m., **Saturday:** 7-8 a.m., noon-1 p.m., 2-3 p.m. Please contact Phyllis Campbell, 573-795-2290 or Howard & Linda Willard, 573-735-4552.

From Deacon Mike’s Desk

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This movie captures the Capuchin friar's intense faith, devotion, and deep spiritual concern for others, as well as his great compassion for the sick and suffering. It reveals the amazing details and events in Padre Pio's life as a boy and throughout his fifty years as a friar, dramatizing the frequent attacks from the devil, as well as the persecution he suffered at the hands of people, including those in the Church.
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Catholic Stewardship Appeal

As of October 29, Holy Rosary parish has raised **\$7,544.00**, which is 0.307 % of our parish goal of \$24,500. The Diocese goal is \$2,450,000.00 and has currently received **\$842,611.00**. If you have not yet made a donation or pledge to this year's appeal, you will find envelopes in the pews or in the back of the church. Please prayerfully consider making a donation - gifts of any size are appreciated. Thank you to everyone who has already responded.

School News

- ✿ Classes will **NOT** be held on Monday, November 4, as all teachers will attend a professional development meeting in Jefferson City.
- ✿ First basketball games of the season will be held on Thursday, November 7, at Paris, beginning at 5:30.
- ✿ Mass at 8:20 on November 8, will be led by the eighth grade students.

Thank you

The **Nancy Yates family** would like to thank our parish families at Holy Rosary and St. Stephens for all your love, prayers and support. We want to thank everyone who fixed the delicious food for her funeral and the D of I for serving it. We greatly appreciate it.

Daughters of Isabella

- ✿ Our next meeting will be November 14 at 7:00 p.m. Audit will be at 6:30. Janet Kolten will be here to install our new officers. Social committee for the evening will be Denise Saunders – Chair, Audrey Fuemmeler, Kathy Dean and Betsy Barnes.
- ✿ All are invited to join in the 1st Saturday Rosary each month in Holy Rosary Church at 10:00 a.m. This was a long time tradition of the D of I recently renewed but not exclusive to just D of I. Please come and join us.

Fall Dinner

The Holy Rosary Altar Society would like to thank all those that attended, cooked, served and cleaned to make this year's Fall Dinner a success. We estimate 900 meals were served that day. Winners were Cathy Mudd of the cash raffle and Margie Hays was the lucky winner of the beautiful quilt. The efforts of many make this all work smoothly.

Knights of Columbus

- K of C meeting will be on Tuesday, November 5, starting at 7 p.m. Come and see what's up with your council. A meal will follow the meeting.
- Many thanks to everyone that helped support the Knights through our annual gun raffle. Proceeds are used to maintain the Parish Hall, and it was very successful. CONGRATULATIONS to Brother Knight Jim Underhill, as his name was drawn for the first place prize of his choice of 3 guns. Bud Smith won the \$150 second place prize, and Connie Walker took home \$50 for her third place prize.
- The Knights are looking for a decent (good) working refrigerator to replace our worn out one in the Msgr. Connolly gym meeting room. If someone would have one they are not using, or are looking to upgrade and want to sell their old one at a nominal price, please contact Parker Kendrick 735 4746, or Heath Grieman at State Farm 735 4591.

Thank You for Your Hospitality and Hard Work

Congratulations to the Altar Society and all our parishioners who worked hard to provide the Turkey Dinner last Sunday. Unfortunately, I was away but someone saved me a dinner and the food was very good. It takes a lot of coordination and time consuming work to put on such a meal. You served over 900 meals. Thank you for your hospitality to our guests.
Thank you too for hosting the White Family to grieve at the Visitation on Sunday night at our church. Over 1000 people came through our church doors and we were compassionate hosts to our high school youth, teachers, and our grieving community. I offer a special "Thank You" to Sr. Sue Walker, our hospitality ministers, and those who provided food and refreshment for our guests in the hall downstairs.

Monday morning over 800 people attended the funeral at Holy Rosary Church for Jamar White and offered prayers for his wife, Michelle, and the White family. I am honored that we could offer our church to assist them and our community to grieve and pray.

Fr. Greg