



WEEKLY SCHEDULE

	SATURDAY, November 24
4:00 p.m.	For the People
	SUNDAY, November 25
9:00 a.m.	Sandra Negron †
11:30 a.m.	Charles Walker †
	MONDAY, November 26
	No Mass
	TUESDAY, November 27
8:30 a.m.	Norbert and Lucina Miller † - Latin Mass
5:30 p.m.	For Victims of Natural Disasters
	WEDNESDAY, November 28
5:30 p.m.	For the poor Souls in Purgatory † -Latin Mass
	THURSDAY, November 29
10:00 a.m.	Celebrant Intention
	FRIDAY, November 30
	Feast of Saint Andrew, the Apostle
8:30 a.m.	Sister Rosie Anthony †
	SATURDAY, December 1 – First Saturday
9:00 a.m.	Gail Hirn †
4:00 p.m.	Diane Getz †
	SUNDAY, December 2
9:00 a.m.	Saint Francis Xavier Society
11:30 a.m.	For the People

Note: Confession is heard 1/2 hour prior to each weekend Mass. Coffee and doughnuts are served following the Sunday 9:00.m. Mass

WEEKLY MEETINGS:

Adoration: Tuesday 9:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Chapel
 RCIA: Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. Specht Center

BAPTISMS IN NOVEMBER

November 25: The Wald family, son, Maximilian

SERMON ON THE AMOUNT – November 17-18, 2018

Envelopes: \$2815.50
 Non-envelope donation: \$781.00
 ECO donations: \$1812.00 (weekly, bi-weekly, 15th)
 Total offering: \$5408.50

**Refresh them Lord, with your healing grace.
 Please remember in your prayers:**

Hospital, Nursing/Assisted Living facility:

Toni Neal, Brodie, Keith Russell, John Fetherolf, Maryann Hoblit-Prager, Ed Quickert

At home: Sharon Kirby, Mary Sailor, Carla Palkuti, Patricia Sauer, Dan Hogan, Karen Schluhb, Foday Kenneh, Albert Petrikas, Joel Rivera, Denise Gammell, Robert Ressa, Tammy Littler, Brett Anderson, Shirley Thibaut, Dan Fandrey, Danny Campbell, Yvonne Brennan

If you are admitted to a hospital St. Mary may not be notified. Please ask a family member to call the parish office.

SSCM PANTRY-ITEM FOR NOVEMBER.... The item needed for the month of November continues to be **canned soup**. Please drop your donation off throughout the month. We will have a basket marked "food pantry" in the gymnasium for your donations. If you are interested in helping with this ministry... please contact Mary Kelly Minner at mkelly294@yahoo.com or cell: 614.404.0817.

JORDAN CONFERENCE.....the next quarterly Jordan Conference is scheduled for **Tuesday, November 27, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.** This meeting will be held on the 2nd floor Burkley Center for parents who wish to have a child baptized. Please contact the parish office at 614-445-9668 or email Ann at ann@stmarygu.org to confirm your attendance

ADORATION: HIS HOUR, YOUR HOUR

Sometimes we can be intimidated to go to Adoration. It is not because we fear being with Jesus in prayer but rather we have never been taught what to do in an extended period of prayer. While visiting our Lord in Eucharistic Adoration, we can pray in a variety of different ways.

"Can you not stay on hour with me?"

Adorers are especially needed for the noon hour and 1:00 p.m. hour. Please contact the parish office if you are able to fill this need.

DEAR PARISHIONERS OF ST. MARY

It's hard to believe that Advent and Christmas will soon be here! We are continuing our tradition of Adopt-a-Family and will be setting up our Christmas tree in the hallway of the school on **November 16th**. Please consider buying a gift or two for families needing a little extra help this year. In the past everyone has been so generous and we thank you in advance for your generosity. God Bless Please leave your unwrapped gifts under the tree or drop off at the office no later than December 14th so we can distribute to families before Christmas. Thank you and God Bless.

SAINT MARY SCHOOL NEWS

Our Christmas programs this year will be held on:

- Pre-K, Kindergarten and 1st grade December 6th at 6:00 p.m.
- 2nd, 3rd, and 4th grade December 13th at 6:00 p.m.

LITURGICAL/VOLUNTEER SCHEDULES for DECEMBER 1-2, 2018 (1st Sunday of the Month)

Extraordinary Ministers are reminded to cleanse the vessels after each Mass

TIME	ALTAR SERVER	LECTOR	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER	SACRISTAN
4:00 P.M.	open	open	Albert Rose	
	open	Mike McConahay	Miles Drake	Barbara Myers
9:00 A.M.	Stuart Landry	Brian Collins	Mary Gerlach	
	open	Jillian Lehosit	Mike Gerlach, Don Metnes	Karen Trifonoff
11:30 A.M.	Sean Price	Nancy Jones	open	
	Nick Dempsey	open	Linann Duren	David Larsen

Prayers after Mass: following each Mass please kneel and prayer the following prayers: The Our Father, The Hail Mary, The Glory Be and the Prayer to St. Michael the Archangel (see the back of your Missal for a copy of this prayer)

COFFEE & DOUGHNUTS: December 2 – Mary O'Reilly & Ava Goodall **Pray for our men and women in uniform**

Collection counters for the 1st Sunday of the month: Frances Melton and Beverly Walker

Notes from the Pastor

In your charity, please pray for the souls of Elois Cua from the legendary Cua Nurseries, Lena Cassidy, who went on many of our senior trips, Floyd Copley, to whom I gave the Last Rites just minutes before he died, Sally Bauman, sister-in-law of Shirley Thibaut, and Diane Getz, a long-time friend who I anointed at Mount Carmel Hospital. Please remember families who have lost loved ones at this time of year. Thanksgiving and Christmas are often difficult for many good souls in grief. May these faithful departed rest in peace.

This Sunday we celebrate the Feast of Christ the King. Christ is our King every day, but we focus in on this particular day as a statement that we belong to Him. We often are our own rulers, and what tyrants we can be. How much more peaceful we would be if Christ ruled our hearts instead of our own selfish wills.

Please notice the St. Andrew Christmas Novena that has been placed in the bulletin. It is a beautiful prayer tradition in preparation for Christmas. The novena begins on November 30, the Feast of St. Andrew and continues to Christmas.

It's getting to be that time to consider an Advent Wreath for your family. It would be nice to see the wreath at the center of the dinner table as a reminder of the preparation season of Advent. There are a variety of prayers that can be used for each day of the season.

Just to let you know, many times at the last minute we get requests for Christmas toy gifts for children on Christmas day. If you would like to do something extra for Christmas, toy gifts to give out would be helpful. If you bring extra gifts for the latecomers, please mark them as such, and I will keep a supply in the office and rectory, as well as in my car for Christmas morning.

The Lord be with you!

Fr. Kevin Lutz

News Worthy Notes**CAPITAL CAMPAIGN UPDATE**

Village Lights Event at St. Mary Church: All are welcome to attend a program in St. Mary Church featuring the Bell Choir and a choral group (including parish singers) performing Christmas music, during the annual Village Lights celebration on December 2, 2018. Church front doors will be open at 7:15 with the concert beginning at 7:30; ending at 8:45 p.m. Scaffolding will be removed by then, revealing the gorgeous, fully restored ceiling with panels of the Litany of Loreto in honor of Mary. Only a few chairs will be set up for those with special needs, so it will be standing room only for the concert. The church parking lot **WILL NOT** be available, so please plan to walk or "uber." The concert will be preceded by an invitation-only reception for major donors to the Capital Campaign. Parishioners who are major donors will be receiving your invitations soon! Please RSVP as soon as possible to help our planning. This will be a very special evening for all -- a night to celebrate and give thanks that together we have reached a major milestone in our historic renovation!

2019 CALENDARS

The 2019 calendars that are provided to us from Maeder Quint Tiberi Funeral Home are in the back. Please take one or two for your personal use.

UPCOMING EVENTS: The annual Christmas tree sale is in full swing. Trees will be sold as long as they last. Volunteers are needed: weekdays from 4:00-8:00 p.m. and weekends from 10:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m. Please contact the school office at 614.444.8944.

YOUR SPOUSE WILL THANK YOU!

Give thanks and plan now to attend a *Worldwide Marriage Encounter* weekend! The next weekend is February 15-17, 2019 in central Ohio. Marriage Encounter is where married couples can get away from jobs, kids, chores, and phones and focus on each other. For more information or to apply, contact Paul & Marilou Clouse at 614-834-6880 or visit our website at www.wmccolumbus.org

THE DECEMBER CATHOLIC MEN'S LUNCHEON CLUB: will feature a talk by Father T. J. Lehigh, Parochial Vicar at St. Andrew Parish. Father Lehigh is one of the newly ordained priests in the Columbus Diocese. Please join us Friday, December 7th at Saint Patrick Church for lunch and Father Lehigh's discussion about his vocation story. The December luncheon is sponsored by Fortner Fine Living & Upholstery. (Find more information at www.fortnerinc.com). Holy Mass begins at 11:45 a.m. followed by lunch at 12:10 p.m. and Father's talk. No reservations are necessary. \$10.00 covers the lunch and meeting. Bring a friend! For information on Catholic Men's Luncheon Club visit www.catholicmensministry.com/cmlc or contact Craig Hoppner, CMLS president at craigkofe@gmail.com.

HONEY-BAKED HAM SALE

The St. Charles volleyball team is holding their annual Honey-Baked Ham sale this fall. Order your fully prepared, spiral sliced Honey-Baked ham or gently roasted turkey breast from the volleyball team, and your order will be delivered right to your front door—just in time for the holidays! Gift certificates are also available at this link: https://honeybakedfundraising.com/fundraisers/St_Charles_Volleyball_Fundraiser. All Honey-Baked products cost the same as they would if purchased in the Honey-Baked retail store, but you avoid waiting in the long lines as the St. Charles volleyball team delivers to you **for free** on Saturday, December 22. For more information and for an order form, please contact Heidi Plank by phone at (614) 235-1178 or by e-mail at cardinalsrb@gmail.com. Orders are due to the St. Charles school office by December 7. Thank you in advance for your support!

NOMINATIONS NOW OPEN FOR THE 2019 CATHOLIC MAN OF THE YEAR:

The Catholic Men's Luncheon Club is accepting nominations for the Diocese of Columbus 2019 Catholic Man of the Year. This annual award – to be presented on Friday, February 1, 2019 at the Men's Luncheon - recognizes one lay man who, through his daily actions, words, and prayers, exemplifies the "good and faithful servant". The recipient will have the opportunity to share his personal testimony during the ceremony. Nominations will be accepted through Friday, December 28, 2018. For details, nomination instructions and the required nomination form, go to <https://www.catholicmensministry.com/cmoy>. Email the completed nomination form and up to five supporting testimonials to catholicmanoftheyear@gmail.com. Submit a nomination and let us know why your husband, father, son, uncle, brother or friend is the Catholic Man of the Year!

CHRISTMAS COAT DRIVE**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26TH - MONDAY, DECEMBER 17TH**

Our students wanted to find a way that they could lead the entire school in a Christmas service project. After submitting proposals, having in depth conversations, and voting on what would be most beneficial, they have decided we should have a coat drive. We are asking families to send in new or *gently used* coats. Families could also send in money in an envelope labeled "*Coat Drive Contribution*". We will be working with a shelter to find out what size coats they are in most need of and we will go purchase coats in those sizes with any funds collected. We will have a bin inside the front of the main school building where you can drop off coats. If you're sending in a donation for us to purchase the coats, you can give the envelope to the office or your child's teacher and Mrs. Barber or myself will make sure to collect it. ***If you are sending in a gently used coat, please make sure it is in good condition. We want to make sure anyone receiving these coats is getting a warm coat that looks and feels new.***

**BANNS OF MARRIAGE**

*Alexander Ohlemacher and Julianne Wojno
December 15, 2018 @ Saint Leo*