

Please remember in your prayers those who are ill: Rosie Crego, Jim Shroyer, John Holoher, Deacon Rick Martin, Mary Margaret Gerlach, Pat Foley, Marianne Martin, Debbie Green Bryant, John Davis, Pat Mehling, Doris Fahrenbach, John Fahrenbach, Roger Wright, Nancy Finneran, Marilyn Greene, Christine Money, Barbara (Rhodes) Dillon, Ann Shroyer, Albert Scarpitti, Joni Dray, Janice Holtschulte, Lew Lindner, Maggie Cosgrove, Patsy Davis, Kenny Quinn, Mildred & Marlene Parsley, Madelyn Radich, Tom & Helen Moore, Nichola Storey, Don & Rita Schooley, Mary Jo & Shannon Patke, Amy Manning, William Foley, Kathy Maxwell, Thomas Knight, Sue Keeler, Elizabeth Guy, Alan Wiseman, Ken Miller, Joann Colopy, Pam Moine, Dotty Kelly, Marge Foley, Nick Hayes, Marge Casey, Gene Catlett & Michelle Martin and Mike George. Please call to remove names as health improves.

From the pastor:

This weekend is the Feast of Christ the King. It was originally celebrated on the last Sunday of October. Then, we thought better about making the date of a liturgical feast depend upon the mechanics of the secular calendar and instead made its date depend upon the liturgical calendar, like all the other "movable feasts." So now it falls on the thirty-fourth or last Sunday in Ordinary Time.

When we acclaim that Christ is our King, we assert the priority of our faith over the secular world. Although we understand that we as Catholics have a serious responsibility to participate the political, social, economic, and cultural systems of the world to the extent to which they are consistent with the reign of God, we reserve a place for ourselves to stand, outside of those systems, to examine them and evaluate them. We understand that no matter how good, useful, and valuable these systems are, they are, at best, second best. It is to the reign of God that we owe our first allegiance and in which we hold our true citizenship.

Please stop by the tables at the church doors for Advent Materials and 2018 calendars. There is an assortment for adults and children. It's a very busy time of the year, so remember to take a minute and think about the true meaning of Christmas.

We thank Maeder-Quint-Tiberi Funeral Services for again donating the beautiful Church calendars. If you have the opportunity, please let them know how much these are appreciated!

Remember to keep collecting calendars and cards for **PRISON MINISTRY**. Collection boxes are at the doors.

Next Sunday's Readings

Isaiah 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7
1 Corinthians 1:3-9
Mark 13:33-37

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS

Saturday, November 25 –

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

4:00 p.m. Judy Sapp Burke – Joann Colopy

Sunday, November 26 –

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

9:00 a.m. For the Living & Deceased Members of
St. Mary Magdalene Parish

11:00 a.m. Tony Frumento – Karin Carrier

Monday, November 27 – Weekday

8:15 a.m. Audrey Milbourne – Pat Martindale

7:00 p.m. One Year Anniversary of Death of
Mary Jo O'Rourke

Tuesday, November 28 – Weekday

8:15 a.m. Denny Shonebarger – Joann Colopy

Thursday, November 30 – Saint Andrew, Apostle

8:15 a.m. Michelle Stover – Tim & Karen Jansen

Friday, December 1 – Weekday

8:15 a.m. Larry Booth – Dorothy Scales

Saturday, December 2 – First Sunday of Advent

4:00 p.m. Anne Josephine Coccia – Faulkner –
Dr. Maria Regina Coccia, MD

Sunday, December 3 – First Sunday of Advent

9:00 a.m. Larry Rogers – SMM Choir

11:00 a.m. For the Living & Deceased Members of
St. Mary Magdalene Parish

Liturgical Ministers Schedules

Servers for Weekday, November 27-December 1

Bailey Wright, Lauren Wright

Saturday, December 2 4:00 p.m.

Servers: Haley & Michael Bush, Abigail Conturo

Readers: Julia Bricker, Sue Corrova

Greeters: Julia Bricker, Ken Miller, Tony Swaneck

Eucharistic Ministers: * John & Shelley Hamilton,
Haley Bush, Rocco Fumi, Sue Thompson,
Gretchen Conturo

Sunday, December 3 – 9:00 a.m.

Servers: Cade, Cael, Cullen, Conlan Dent

Readers: Jane Thomas, Julie Marmon

Greeters: Patrick Stumpp, Rick Schirtzinger,
David Creighton, David Doane

Eucharistic Ministers: * Jim & Dee Slee, Cade Dent,
Brian Montgomery, Dick Rammel, Jim Stumpp,
Kathy Puccetti, Greg Smith, Jan Ries

Sunday, December 3 – 11:00 a.m.

Servers: Tony Puccetti, Wesley Rowe

Readers: Alan & Melanie Kaiser

Greeters: Joe Regan, Chuck Rowe

Eucharistic Ministers: * Joe & Brian Regan,
Jack & Nancy Smith, Tony & Paul Puccetti,
Karin Carrier, Andrew & Chuck Rowe

Servers for Weekday, December 4-8

Chris Aponte, Hannah Bailey

Counters: Martindale, Hammonds, Bricker

Altar Linens: Pat Martindale

Hospitality Committee: (December) C./J. Cramer,
G./B. Smith, L. Gerardi

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**Sunday, November 26**

10:10 a.m. Bible Study
No RCIA

Tuesday, November 28

7:00 p.m. Knights of Columbus Meeting

Wednesday, November 29

7:30 p.m. Adult Choir

Thursday, November 30

6:00-8:00 p.m. ESL
6:30 p.m. PREP

Friday, December 1

First Friday – Communion to Our Shut-ins

Collection report will be in the next bulletin due to holiday deadline for bulletin.

The **Garden Club's Annual Christmas Cookie Sale** is fast approaching! Warm up your ovens and have fun baking your favorite, fancy/decorated cookies.

FOOD PANTRY: Next weekend, December 2 and 3, is the first weekend of the month and time for the collection of nonperishable items for the St. Mary Magdalene Food Pantry. The following items are needed for the pantry: both cold and hot cereals; jelly; peanut butter; canned fruit; packages of rice dinners to which you only add water. The following nonfood items are also needed: toilet paper; toothpaste; dish washing soap; laundry detergent. Nonfood items cannot be purchased with food stamps, even though it would be extremely difficult to live without them. Imagine no toilet paper or no soap to take a bath/shower. Thanks to each of you for all you contribute to our Food Pantry. It would be impossible to operate without your donations. We hope each of you have a Merry Christmas with your loved ones.

GIVING TREE: It's that time of year when we take the opportunity of sharing our many blessings with families who have not been so fortunate. Our Parish Family that extends to both our St. Mary Magdalene schoolchildren and children attending the Parish Religious Education Program will again be recipients of St. Vincent de Paul's Christmas Tree Ministry. Your support of this ministry has been very much appreciated. We will be providing grocery baskets for the Holidays to families and gifts for children. The Christmas Tree with gift suggestion ornaments is in the Church Gathering Space. We suggest that you limit your purchases to \$25.00 to \$30.00. All gifts are to be gift-wrapped with ornaments attached for identification. Please remember to record your names on the sheets next to the number of the ornament you take off the tree. Gifts may be returned to the Church gathering space or Parish Office. All gifts must be returned by December 17th. May God Bless You Today and All Of Your Tomorrows.

SMM St.VdP Conference

St. Vincent de Paul annual Coat Drive is now through December 9. Share the gift of warmth this winter. Please donate new or clean "gently used" children's and adults' coats, hats and gloves, and place in the drop box at the main doors. Please help as you are able and ask family and friends for donations. Any questions or for pick-up, please call Sandy Bonneville at 614-875-5669.

Tuesday, November 28, is #GivingTuesday! Turn your passion into action by supporting social services and charitable works at the Diocese of Columbus. Your gift supports people right here in our diocese by providing meals and special Christmas dinners for hungry families, emergency assistance to keep people in their homes, life-sustaining prescription drugs to those who could not afford them, and reduced-cost preschool programs for at-risk families. Remember to visit www.columbuscatholic.org/givingtuesday on November 28 to make your gift!

Nominations now open for the 2018 Catholic Man of the Year: The Catholic Men's Luncheon Club is accepting nominations for the Diocese of Columbus 2018 Catholic Man of the Year. This annual award (to be presented by Bishop Frederick Campbell on Friday, February 2, 2018 at the Men's Luncheon) recognizes one layman 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 December 29th. 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!

For Your Holiday Planning...Advent Penance Service

December 17th – 3:00 p.m., at
St. Agnes Church (2364 W. Mound Street)

Masses for Feast of the Immaculate Conception

Thursday, December 7 – 7:00 p.m.

Friday, December 8 – 8:15 a.m.

Weekend Masses for December 23 & 24

Saturday, December 23 – 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, December 24 – 11:00 a.m.

(NO 9:00 a.m. Mass)

Masses for Christmas

Sunday, December 24 – 4:00 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Monday, December 25 – 11:00 a.m.

(Christmas Carols at 10:30 a.m.)

Weekend Masses for December 30 & 31

Saturday, December 30 – 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, December 31 – 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Mass for the Solemnity of Mary

Monday, January 1 – 8:15 a.m.

THIS WEEKEND

10:10 a.m. Bible Study
No RCIA