

Saint Ann's

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This Week at St. Ann's November 19 - November 25

(Any unanticipated changes to this schedule will be announced through Flocknote.)

Monday, November 19

9:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday, November 20

6:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist
 (For + Josephine Borquez Baca)

Wednesday, November 21

Parish Office Closes at Noon Today
 No Mass Today
 No Children's Choir Practice Tonight
 No Youth Ministry Tonight

Thursday, November 22 - Thanksgiving Day

Parish Office Closed Today
 10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist
 (For Fathers)

No Choir Practice

Friday, November 23

Parish Office Closed Today
 No Mass Today

Saturday, November 24

4:00 p.m. Sacrament of Reconciliation
 5:00 p.m. Holy Eucharist
 (For Special Intention)

Sunday, November 25

8:30 a.m. Holy Eucharist
 (For + the Faithful Departed)
 No Faith Formation Classes or RCIA Today
 11:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist
 (For the People of God)

Upcoming Events

December 2 Angel Tree Project Begins

The Pastor's Corner

In a few weeks, we will begin praying the Prayer to St. Michael at each weekend liturgy. St. Michael the Archangel is traditionally known as the defender against the forces of evil. With all of the many forms of evil facing the Church and the world today, Bishop Zurek has asked all of the parishes in this diocese to begin using this prayer after Communion. This is actually a return to a practice that was started by Pope Leo XIII in 1886 and continued until the Second Vatican Council. Some people may find the words and images in this prayer outdated or even a bit frightening. It speaks very directly about "evil spirits" who "prowl about the world for the ruin of souls." But the intent of this prayer is not to scare us. Quite the opposite, really. It honestly admits the existence of evil in the world around us (which should not be a surprise to any of us!) while at the same time acknowledging that God and the spiritual forces of good are far more powerful and will ultimately be victorious! It is a prayer that recognizes our need for God's help in our efforts to overcome evil in our personal lives and in the life of this world. The language of this prayer may be traditional, but its meaning is just as contemporary now as it was when Pope Leo XIII wrote it at the end of the 19th century! The Prayer to St. Michael is printed on the back cover of our hymnal. We will begin praying it together on the First Sunday of Advent (the first weekend in December).



Thanksgiving Day

Holy Eucharist
10:00 a.m.

A sign-up sheet for liturgical ministers is on the table in the narthex. Please volunteer if you will be in town.

Stewardship of Treasure

November 10-11: \$7,749.31 (Weekly Goal: \$9,000)
Month of November: \$18,591.47 (Budget: \$36,000)

Thank you for your generosity!

Liturgical Ministers' Schedule for November 24-25

Lectors

5:00 p.m. Mary Hiner
8:30 a.m. Brittany Block
11:15 a.m. Mark Porter

Altar Servers

5:00 p.m. Hayden McClanahan, Ben & Meredith Zotter
8:30 a.m. Zach Knox, James & Mia Saldivar
11:15 a.m. Bret Ramirez, Harper Miller, Easton Stocker

Extraordinary Ministers of Communion

5:00 p.m. Tammy Ramaekers, Bruce Clarke
8:30 a.m. Pam & Joe Shehan, Cheryl Rickwartz,
Joe Roder, Roger & Cindy Cross
11:15 a.m. Geri Russell, Agnes Posadas, Glenn Backus,
Cortni Hudspeth, Cindy Rohrbach,
Debbie Vega

Ushers

5:00 p.m. *Mike Coulter, Keith Dietz
8:30 a.m. *Carl Coffelt, Kevin Rickwartz, Kendall Karr,
Roger Cross
11:15 a.m. *Robert Posadas, Bill Bowen, Bill Stocker,
Manuel Vega

* Usher to select gift bearers

Accompanists/Cantors

5:00 p.m. Mykel Byersmith, Serena Hernandez
8:30 a.m. Mykel Byersmith, Adam Zielinski
11:15 a.m. Mykel Byersmith, Marcella Crabtree, Choir

Nursery Care

8:30 a.m. Kris McConnell
11:15 a.m. Cassi Hernandez, Adelina Ohmes

Communion Ministers to the Sick and Homebound:
Terry & Rhonda Melugin, Donna Almond

Around the Parish...

Newcomer Reception - Welcome to our new parishioners who are being honored this morning (Sunday) at a reception in the parish hall at 9:45 a.m. Please stop by to meet and greet them!

Congratulations to Ethan Douglass, Brooklyn Cornelsen, Jasie Jarvis, Haley Hunt, Robert Martineau, and Renee Salazar who are participating in the Rite of Welcome this weekend as part of their journey towards their celebration of the Easter sacraments of initiation.

Youth Ministry - There will be no youth ministry activities this Wednesday evening. Enjoy your Thanksgiving Break! See you next Wednesday!

Faith Formation Classes - There will be no faith formation classes next Sunday because of the Thanksgiving holiday. Classes will resume on Sunday, December 2.

Book of the Names of the Dead - Throughout the month of November, our parish's Book of the Names of the Dead will be placed near the baptismal font. Please feel free to inscribe the names of your friends and family members who have died this past year or whose names were not previously recorded in the book. All of the faithful departed will be remembered at one of our Masses each weekend during the month of November.

Lector Workbooks - Workbooks for 2019 are available for all of our lectors. Please pick up the one with your name on it at the parish office during office hours or after Mass.



Congratulations to Brooke Buchanan and Jacob Rivas, who celebrated the Sacrament of Matrimony here at St. Ann's this weekend. May God bless your life together as husband and wife!

Young Catholics' Corner

At every Mass,
we say or sing the words, "until you come again."
We believe that one day, Jesus will return
and when he does
the whole world will be changed for good!
We do not know when Jesus will return,
but we know that it will be amazing.
Jesus will finish getting rid of all of the bad things
we sometimes experience in life
and will set everything right
so that the world will be filled
with nothing but peace, love, and happiness forever!
So we should look forward to the return of Jesus
and live in ways that will make Jesus' job easier
when he does come again!

