# 31st Sunday of Ordinary Time, November 3, 2019

## **COLLECTIONS**

What is God asking of me? Our response to the Lord last week Adult: \$ 14.023.62 Plate: \$ 445.00 Youth: \$43.00 E-Tithing: \$631.00 Other: \$78.00

Check out <u>http://formed.org</u> Parish Access Code: XGWYOP

#### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

#### **UPCOMING PARISH & SCHOOL ACTIVITIES** November

- 3 Spirit Mtging
- 4 Facility Mtg.-7 p.m.
- 4 RCIA-6:30 p.m.
- 5 PTO Mtging— 7 p.m.
- Mass at Gr. Place-2 p.m. Pub Theology—Par 15—7:30 p.m.
- Kapaun Men's Group 9
- RCIA-6:30 p.m.
- 11
- Strategic Planning Mtging-6:30 p.m. 12
- Finance Meeing 12 Mass At Brookdale-1:15 p.m. 13
- 16 Kapaun Men's Group

#### **FOOD FOR THOUGHT**

Poco A Poco "Little By Little"

This week's Challenge:

## Smile and wave at a stranger.

Bishop's Appeal for Vocation
Parish Assessment:

\$13.150.00 Amount Received:

\$9,706.00

Balance: \$3,444.00

## **A LETTER FROM MONSIGOR**

#### Dear Parishioners.

I wrote nearly a month ago about the importance of renewing ones consecration to the Blessed Mother. If you are intending to do this on December 8th, the preparation for it begins on November 5th.

I think since we just celebrated All Saints day and have been reminded of our personal call to holiness, it is very appropriate to annually renew our consecration to Mary. She is truly our model to follow, and she also helps us with her intercession.

Another part of the call to holiness is gratitude and humility. We heard last week in the readings that God hears the cry of the poor. In the beatitudes Jesus calls the poor blessed and it is the first beatitude. Humility is the key to holiness, as we come to realize that holiness depends on the reception of God's grace and love which sustains and propels us to live a holy life. As we understand this, we grow in gratitude for these necessary gifts. What better time to reflect on these thoughts and truth than now, as we will quickly approach the celebration of Thanksgiving. God bless you.

Msgr Tucker

#### Please join the St. Vincent de Paul School students and staff, as we **Celebrate and Sing to our Veterans on** November 11, 2019. We will begin our program shortly after the 8:10 a.m. Mass in the church. Refreshments served afterwards

| If you would like to be recognized during our program, or know a veteran whom you would like to have recognized please list him or her below.

(Please turn in your Veteran's name by November 7, 2019. You may either drop it by the school office or send the name to the following email janet-kuehl@cdolinc.net )

Name	Branch	Living or Deceased
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## **Come join CANTOR CHOIR!**

A new opportunity for singers will begin in December! Maybe you've been considering becoming a cantor but you're not ready to try it on your own or you may just like to sing in a group setting. The Cantor Choir will begin in December as a once-amonth, no weekly practice needed opportunity for ages 8<sup>th</sup> grade and up. The choir will lead music for Mass, just as does a cantor, so will only need to meet an hour before each 10am Mass for which the choir is assigned. Please use this opportunity to share your talents and to possibly urge some younger parishioners to do the same. Interested and need dates and assigned hymns? Questions? Call Beth Peery, 402-641-3725

#### **Helping Hands Ministry**

Your fellow parishioners are here to help! This ministry is now available and open to parishioners in all stages of life. For more info, please call Mary Henley 402-968-9091.

### 2019 PCCW Appreciation Celebration

#### Ladies of the parish

Sign up for the PCCW appreciation evening to be held Monday, November 18, 2019, at 6:30 in the social hall. It will be a catered meal in appreciation for your efforts to help accomplish good things through the PCCW, plus recognition of Golden Age members. Use the sign up sheet in the Narthex for both regular members and Golden members.

Sign up by Friday, November 15.

Questions? Call Linda Wentink @ 402-641-5997 or Sandy Shaw @ 402-643-0681.

#### Strategic Planning Open Forum Meeting:

St. Vincent de Paul will be hosting an Open Forum Meeting to review the Strategic Plan and 5 Year budget. The plan was created in 2017 by the faithful parishioners in our community and we want to update you on the progress and also get your input about the direction of the objectives in the plan. Please plan to attend the Open Forum Meeting on November 12th at 6:30PM in the Social Hall. We value your input and we need your help! We encourage all parishioners to attend the meeting, your input will be invaluable in sustaining our long term vision for the church and school.

Christmas Program for Gr. 1-4 CCD on Wednesday, December 18.

Can you help us out? Do you enjoy baking and supporting worthy causes at the same time? If so, please support our Godteens by donating baked goods to our upcoming bake sale! Members of the Godparent Program will be running a bake sale booth at the Seward Junior Women's Craft Show, held in the Ag Pavilion, from 9:00 am-3:30 pm on November 16. Please bring items to the SVDP kitchen Friday evening (Nov. 15) or by 7:45am Saturday morning (Nov. 16). Contact Emily O'Brien with questions or for more information: Emily Elaine@hotmail.com or (402)-640-7144

#### **Caregivers Retreat**

Thursday, Nov 14th 10:00-2:00 p.m.

## Pizza Kitchen-Milford

\$10. Contact sshaw@lincoln.ne.gov or

call 402-761-3573

sponsored by Seward County Aging Services partnering with: Lincoln Wellness Group, NE Wesleyan, Aging Partners, Farmers and Merchants Bank, Massage Therapy.



#### PRAYERS FOR THOSE IN THE MILITARY: Please keep the following servicemen and women who are members of our parish family and our extended families in your prayers

Stanley Benes, Son of Gerald & Julie Benes Jacob Bierbaum, Son of Randy & Jill Bierbaum Trevor Day, Grandson of Val & Jan Makovicka Maxwell Dworak, Grandson of Val & Blanche Dworak Josiah Hain, Nephew of Jeff & Janet Bohaty Aaron Jirovsky, Son of Carl & Ellen Jirovsky Timothy Ketterer, Son of George & Pauline Ketterer Eric Kitt, Son-in-law of Gene & Annamae Soucie Chuck Leikam, Nephew of Bob Brungardt Phil Lenz, Son-in-law of Ken & Mary Meyer Riley Lewis, son of Doug & Kris Lewis Mark Makovicka, Son of Val & Jan Makovicka Dylan Nyhoff, grandson of Gerry & Geraldine Irwin Gretchen Peetz, Daughter of Brad & Monique Peetz Daniel Petersen, Son of Gary & Paula Petersen Jamie Policky, Grandson of Don & Kathy Policky Tom Rolfsmeyer, Son of Mark & Laurie Rolfsmeyer Matthew Svoboda, son of Diane & the late Ed A Svoboda Jesse Tempel, grandson of Joan & the late Bruce Tempel Cullen Wake/Nephew of Bryan & Tamara Kratochvil Michael Young/ son-in-law of Greg & Pam Walz

> If you have a name to add to this list, please call the office 402-643-3421



#### **MASS INTENTIONS:**

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4 7:00 AM : Special intentions of Jim & Ellen Varney 8:10 AM: †Kevin Bohaty/ R & E Bohaty

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5** 7:00 AM : †Barbara Barak/Terry & Diana Nollen 8:10 AM: †Dorothy Kotera/ Bette Tomes

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6 7:00 AM : Father Phan/ Donna Harding 8:10 AM: †James & Sarah Johnson/ Jennifer Masek

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7** 7:00 AM : †Gene Liska/ Family 8:10 AM: †Kevin Gill/ Mary J. Croissant

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8 7:00 AM : †Alan Hofer/ Peggy Bauer 8:10 AM: †Mary Ann Fiala/ Leroy Fiala

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9 8:00 AM : †Bern Kralik/ Anne Kralik 5:30 PM : Wyatt Dybdal/ Jon Dybdal Family

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 10 8:00 AM : For All Parishioners 10:00 AM : †Linda Johnson/ Family

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## **MONSIGNOR ROBERT TUCKER, PASTOR FATHER ALLAN PHAN**

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#### MASS TIMES:

FOR DAILY MASS TIMES PLEASE CALL (402) 643-3421 Saturday 5:30 pm | Sunday 8:00 am & 10:00 am

#### **CONFESSION TIMES:**

Monday thru Friday 20 minutes before 7:00 am Daily Mass Saturday 20 minutes before 8:00 AM Mass & 4:30 to 5:20 PM Sunday 7:30 to 7:50 am & 9:30 to 9:50 am

#### LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY	November 9   5:30 pm
Acolyte	Tom McHale, Roger Grunke
Servers	Gabe & Marcus Weiland, Finn Hochstein
Lector	Jill Hochstein
Greeters	Dan & Mary Frisbie
CANTOR	Jenny Policky
SUNDAY	November 10   8:00 am
Acolyte	Scott Wanetka, Ron Sorensen
Servers	Ben, Jake & Nicholas Wanetka
Lector	Andy Breiner
Greeters	Aaron Busse, CJ Novak
CANTOR	Rebecca Rerucha
SUNDAY	November 10   10:00 am
Acolyte	Jeremy Sousek, Kelly Schrad
Servers	Blaise, Cameron, Sam Schrad
Lector	Mark Peery
Greeters	Randy Bierbaum Family
CANTOR	Karen Coufal