

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Vigil: Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
4:00 PM (IC) Clete Schmit
5:30 PM (SJ) For the People
Sunday- Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:00 AM (IC) Dick Steimel
10:00 AM (IC) Paul & Elma Mangrich
Monday- Weekday
8:30 AM (FRH)
Tuesday- The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
8:00 AM (SJ) Willie Breuer
Wednesday - Saint Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr
7:45 AM (IC) Ed Falk (Anniv)
Thursday- Thanksgiving Day
8:00 AM (SJ) Living and Deceased members of the
 Catholic Order of Foresters
Friday- St. Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest,
and Companions, Martyrs
NO MASS
Saturday- Vigil: Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe
4:00 PM (IC) Deceased members of the
 Ed & Rose Weber Family
5:30 PM (SJ) For the People
Sunday- Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
8:00 AM (IC) Paulette Sadler
10:00 AM (IC) Jerome "Buss" Becker

Meetings and Activities

Sunday, November 19
 RCIA Class, 8:45 -10:00 AM.....I.C. School
Sunday, November 26
 RCIA Class, 8:45 -10:00 AM.....I.C. School



The pursuit of things money can buy keeps you from enjoying the things money can't buy. Pursue a love for Jesus. You will have no regrets. Visit Him often in the Perpetual Adoration Chapel located at Columbus HS. Available 24/7. Become a committed adorer once a week or once a month. Drop-ins welcome. If interested in a committed hour email cvadoration@gmail.com or call Mike Strei at [801-920-9130](tel:801-920-9130).



The parishes' office will be closed
Friday, November 24

Daily Readings

Mon Nov 20 Reading - 1 Maccabees 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63
 Psalm- 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158
 Gospel- Luke 18:35-43
Tues Nov 21 Reading- 2 Maccabees 6:18-31
 Psalm- 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7
 Gospel- Luke 19:1-10
Wed Nov 22 Reading- 2 Maccabees 7:1, 20-31
 Psalm- 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b & 15
 Gospel- Luke 19:11-28
Thur Nov 23 Reading- Sirach 50:22-24
 Psalm- 113:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8
 2nd Reading - 1 Corinthians 1:3-9
 Gospel- Luke 17:11-19
Fri Nov 24 Reading- 1 Maccabees 4:36-37, 52-59
 Resp. 1 Chronicles 29:10bcd,11abc,11d-12a, 12bcd
 Gospel - Luke 19:45-48
Sat Nov 25 Reading- 1 Maccabees 6:1-13
 Psalm- 9:2-3, 4 & 6, 16 & 19
 Gospel- Luke 20:27-40
Sun Nov 26 1st Reading- Ezekiel 34:11-12, 15-17
 Psalm- 23:1-2, 2-3, 5-6
 2nd Reading- 1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 28
 Gospel- Matthew 25:31-46

Your Sacrificial Offering	
Previous Week	
Immaculate Conception Parish	
Budget	\$8,697.00
Youth	\$2.00
Offertory	\$507.00
Christmas	\$500.00
Holy Day	\$55.00
E-tithing	\$1,397.50
TOTAL	\$11,158.50
Needed Each Week	\$13,512.00
St. Joseph Parish	
Budget	\$2,670.00
Offertory	\$73.00
Holy Day	\$55.00
E-tithing	\$540.00
TOTAL	\$3,338.00
Needed Each Week	\$3,987.00

Quote of the week- Often we forget that prayer does not start with us. No - prayer is a *response* ...the response to a loving invitation tendered by God. The Lord himself always takes the initiative in the impetus of prayer. Prayer, says the *Catechism*, is the "response of love to the thirst of the only Son of God" He thirsts for intimacy with us. He begs us; **Everything is ready; come to the feast.**
 ~ Fr. Peter John Cameron O.P. ~

St. Joseph Parish Thanksgiving Clothing Drive for St. Vincent De Paul continues through **Monday, November 20**. Please put items in plastic bags and bring into the Lafayette Rd. entryway of the school during school hours. Thank you for your generosity in helping others by sharing good used clothes.

Harvestfest wrap-up for 2017 is done – We would like to again thank all those who worked one or two shifts. Also to the high school students that you may not see because they help with set up and the Confirmation Class is also in the back helping out with kids games. It takes many people to help make it a success so we appreciate those who volunteer their time.

We appreciated your feedback on the surveys. A few things addressed were the announcing of raffle winners not being heard. Unfortunately we were not aware of this until after we were done. We are brain storming to improve this next year and hope to have a better solution next year and maybe with the help of the noise level lowered and conversations held as well during this time.

Silent Auction bids of \$25 or lower. This is always a topic we bring up at our first meeting. We feel the Silent Auction item value should be of \$25 value or more or else it should be moved to the craft table. We will continue to evaluate this next year.

Craft Sale prices was questioned that they were too high. When someone brings a craft item to the table we ask what value they would like to have placed on the item. Pricing items sometimes is difficult but if someone takes the time to make something and donate we respect their wishes.

Most of the bills are in for Harvestfest 2017 and it's looking like we made around \$22,000. This is our only fundraiser for the year, so it does take a lot of work from everyone to make this a big success.

We are still in need of a few committee members yet for next year. Kid's games and Bake Sale is looking for one additional person for each committee. We do have a couple people interested in taking over the Book Sale, so we appreciate them stepping in. Surely there are a couple of people that we could have fill these positions for 2018.

If any questions, please contact Pam Schares 319-296-1453 or Carol Berry 319-291-9076

Thank You Notes

Our Many Thanks! Immaculate Conception parish would like to thank the crew of B & B Builders for the great job of installing new sidewalks leading up to the rectory and between the church and rectory. Funds to pay for these improvements were from the "*Doug Reiter Golf Outing*"

The family of Kyle Berry would like to thank those who helped us through this difficult time. We appreciated the prayers, expressions of sympathy, flowers, plants, food, and memorials. A special thank you to Father Huber, Bobbie Schares and the Resurrection Choir, the Catholic Order of Foresters, Rose Steils, and St. Ann's Circle. Your support has brought us comfort in this time of grief.

Cody and Kelly Berry

Our Blood Drive on Tues. November 9th, 2017 netted 56 units of blood to be used by the American Red Cross. Thanks to the 6 Honor Students from Don Bosco Catholic School that partnered with us, we had 8 new donors that included parents and students that had never donated before! Thanks to everyone that baked the pies, the students that baked cookies and bars, and the parents of the students that baked pies! What a wonderful giving community we live in... thanks again!!

Terri Schmitz

School News

Bosco Catholic School System

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Don Bosco Athletic Hall of Fame- We are excited to announce that we are inducting the Don Bosco Athletic Hall of Fame Class of 2017 into the Hall on **Friday, November 24** at 6:30 PM. The induction will take place in the Don Bosco Gym. The wrestling team and boys and girls basketball teams will have practice open to anyone who would like to come beginning at 5:00 PM. Everyone is welcome to attend both the open practices and the Hall of Fame induction ceremony.

This year's inductees are:

Coach John Birkett - Basketball
Coach Tom Kettman - Wrestling
Volleyball Team of 2005
Tony Bedard - Wrestling

Attention all Alumni and Friends of Don Bosco. The Don Bosco Alumni Dance will be held on Friday, **November 24** at the American Legion in Gilbertville. The social will be from 7:00-8:00 p.m., with the dance running from 8:00 - Midnight. Music will be by the Lovehandles. (1986 Alum Jim Scheffert's band) Cost is \$5.00 per person, with all proceeds going to the school's endowment fund. This is all in conjunction with the Don Bosco Athletic Hall of Fame Day. Hope to see you all there!

DB Alumni Basketball Tournament The alumni basketball tournament is Saturday, **November 25th**, beginning at 11:00. Registration fee is \$25 to play, and no spectator fee to watch. This tournament is open to everyone, including non DB alumni. Grab a friend and help the basketball programs raise money for new backboards in the gym! Contact Crystal Frost to register. Thank you for your support! DB Boys & Girls Basketball Programs

Sunday Night Dart League over? Same old night life? Time to meet new peeps? Well it's Pee Wee Wrestling season! Yes, you 3 to 6 year olds got a new place to hang on Sunday nights. Come in shorts, shirt, tennies, no armor, spikes or nunchuks. Have some fun, roll around and pick up a little wrestling. **Sunday, November 26 at 5:00 PM** in the Don Bosco High School wrestling room. Mature two year olds are welcome.

Coach Fox

Area Events

Open House: There will be a Birthday Open House for Maggie Kurtz on **November 25th** at the American Legion from 1 - 4 PM . Please join Maggie as she celebrates her 90th birthday, she would truly enjoy your company!



Catholic Daughter of America (CDA) Contest

The CDA is sponsoring the 218 National Education Contest. You may pick up your entry forms at IC School or Don Bosco High School.

The themes this year are:

The Lord has done great things for us

We are filled with joy

Finding joy in my life

Entry categories vary. This is for students 4th - 12th grade and adult CDA members. Please consider expressing your creativity through this worthwhile project!
