



Church of the Good Shepherd

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November 12, 2023—Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Lord, Lord, open the door for us! But he said in reply, ‘Amen, I say to you, I do not know you.’” - Mt 25:11-12

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This Week at Church of the Good Shepherd

- Sunday:** CGS, Level 1, 9-11 am, Parish Hall
CGS Level II, 12:15pm-2:15pm, Parish Office
CGS Level III, 9-11:00am, Parish Hall
- Tuesday:** Pierogi Making, 5:00pm, Parish Hall
- Wednesday:** Choir Rehearsal, 6:30pm, Church
- Next Sunday:** CGS I, III, 9-11 am, Parish Hall
CGS II, 12:15pm-2:15pm, Parish Office
Youth Ministry, 9-11, Rectory Meeting Room
- Next Weekend** 2nd Collection—Diocesan Poverty Relief Fund and Catholic Relief Services—Both Masses



We would like to thank everyone who helped with the planning and implementation of Sunday's Turkey Dinner. It was a wonderful occasion and a great opportunity to come together. When we do anything in the name of God everything is possible. And when two or more gather in the name of Jesus, He is there and we experience the hope, optimism and love that flow from the Holy Spirit, which was in abundance on Sunday!

In the early days of our assignment, we heard about the Turkey Dinner but to experience, was an experience! We are glad that we were able to be a small part of it. Once again, we thank everyone for all they did in making the Turkey Dinner a success.

May God Bless +
Fr. Dino & Deacon Mark

Interim Mass Schedule:

Good Shepherd, Kent:

Saturday Vigil: 6:00 PM

Sunday: 11:00 AM

Weekdays: 6:00 PM Monday

8:30 AM Tuesday/Thursday
(unless otherwise noted)

Ss. Simon & Jude, Blairsville:

Saturday: 4 PM; Sunday: 9 AM

Weekdays: 8 AM Mon/Wed/Fri

Office Hours:

Mon—Thu: 10 AM—4 PM

Friday: 10 AM—12:30 PM

Reconciliation:

Monday 5—6 PM during Holy Hour, and by appointment.

To schedule Baptisms or Weddings, please contact the Parish Office.

Staff & Directory

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Masses and Candles — Week of 11/12/2023

<u>Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</u>	
<i>Wis 6:12-16; Ps 63; 1 Thes 4:13-18 or 13-14; Mt. 25:1-13</i>	
Saturday, November 11	
6:00 PM	August & Josephine Stango by Family
Sunday, November 12	
11:00 AM	All the People of Good Shepherd Parish
Monday, November 13, St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin	
<i>Wis 1:1-7; Ps 139; Lk 17:1-6</i>	
5:00 PM	Holy Hour (Adoration), Confessions
6:00 PM	Patty & Ludwig Sharek by John & Joann Sharek
Tuesday, November 14, Weekday	
<i>Wis 2:23—3:9; Ps 34; Lk 17:7-10</i>	
8:30 AM	Richard Maus by Mr. & Mrs. Charles Vasos & Family
Wednesday, November 15, St. Albert the Great, Bishop and Doctor of the Church	
<i>Wis 6:1-11; Ps 82; Lk 17:11-19</i>	
NO MASS	
Thursday, November 16, St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude, Virgin	
<i>Wis 7:11b—8:1; Ps 119; Lk 17:20-25</i>	
8:30 AM	Julia Mlinarich by Elaine Maudie
Friday, November 17, St. Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious	
<i>Wis 13:1-9; Ps 19; Lk 17:26-37</i>	
8:30 AM	NO MASS
Saturday, November 18, The Dedication of the Basilicas of SS Peter and Paul, Apostles; St. Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin	
<i>Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9; Ps 105; Lk 18:1-8</i>	
<u>Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</u>	
<i>Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31; PW 128; 1 Thes 5:1-6; Mt 25:14-30 or 15:14-15, 19-21</i>	
6:00 PM	Julia Mlinarich by Diane Black
Sunday, November 19	
11:00 AM	All the People of Good Shepherd Parish

Prayer Chain Updates

Critical Prayer: Larry Askins, Helen Kovalcik
Ongoing: Carol Ferrence

The Blessed Mother Candle is lit in memory of Julia Mlinarich by Elaine Maudie.

From Fr. Dino's Desk

November 12 – Texts: Wis 6:12-16, 1 Thes 4:13-18, Mt 25:1-13. **“We know not the day nor the hour.”** Everyone suffers sometimes from bereavement, and some losses are especially difficult to bear. But if we hope in the resurrection, we should not grieve like others who have no hope. The underlying optimism shining through today’s text from the book of Wisdom is given a personal focus by St. Paul, who says that all we have lost will be restored when Jesus returns in glory. The Gospel adds that we must be ready to welcome Him.

Next Week’s Second Collection—Diocesan Poverty Relief Fund and Catholic Relief Services - Catholic Relief Services (CRS) is the official overseas relief and development agency of the USCCB; it serves those affected by humanitarian crises and natural disasters throughout the world. The *Diocesan Poverty Relief Fund* (DPRF) is used to provide grants to qualifying human services organizations in the four counties of our Diocese through direct assistance and providing humanitarian programs. This year, **three-fourths** of this collection remains in the Diocese—half to the DPRF, a quarter to Catholic Charities for direct assistance for heating fuel and utilities for the poor, and a quarter to CRS.

Public Rosary Rally – Saturday, 18 November 2023, 10:00 a.m.: Join local-area Catholics in praying a public Rosary on the sidewalk in front of the **Indiana County Courthouse**, 825 Philadelphia St. In this month of November, we will pray for the **Holy Souls in Purgatory** and ask for **God’s protection for law enforcement officials** who maintain peace & security in our community. Praying in public is **powerful witness of our Catholic Faith!** The Rally will last about 45 minutes and will occur rain or shine, so please dress appropriately. Call/text Marianne 724-717-3278 with any questions.

Turkey Dinner Report

Our Turkey Dinner sold 546 Whole meals and 58 half meals for a total of 604 meals, as well as 77 bags of pierogi. Thanks to all the volunteers who helped and also those who came and enjoyed the meals. We were a success because of all of you.

50/50 Number 1831583 winner has been notified and claimed her winnings of \$40.

A ‘special thanks’ goes to the **Bowser-Minich Funeral Home**, Indiana for being the dinner sponsor.

Faith Formation News

Please remember that *Faith Formation is essential for everyone at every stage in life*, but it is particularly important for our children and youth.

Job Opening

CUSTODIAN POSITION OPEN: SS. Simon & Jude Parish, Blairsville, has an opening for a custodian. The position is part-time, with approximately 25 hours per week. For more information or if interested in this position, please call the parish office at 724-459-7103.

Around the Diocese



ST. ANNE HOME Lottery Calendars - Knights of Columbus Council #10960 are selling the St. Anne Home Lottery calendars with chances to win all year. Cost: \$ 30.

You can purchase after Masses, contact Norb Rayko, 724-422-1533, other K of C members or call St. Anne Home, 724-837-6070.

St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store, 4th St., Indiana



Adult coats (excluding white tag items) are BOGO this week at the St. Vincent de Paul Thrift Store AND Christmas items are now available. Located in the BiLo Plaza on N. 4th Street, store hours are Monday thru Saturday from 10am to 2pm with donations accepted at the back door from 10am to 1pm (space permitting).

Please continue to watch for further information in the bulletin and on Facebook (@SVDPIndianaPa).

To request assistance from SVdP, please call the SVdP hotline at 724-471-2210

Parish Stewardship—Weekend of 11/5/2023

Weekly:	\$ 1,408.00
Monthly:	\$ 1,245.00
Loose:	\$ 139.00
Children:	\$ 2.00
Votive Candles:	\$ 52.00
For Improvements to Parish:	\$ 60.00
Catholic Accent	\$ 45.00
Resources	\$ 23.00
All Souls	\$ 200.00
All Saints	\$ 301.00
Online Giving	\$ 150.00
Total Income:	\$ 3,625.00
Needed Weekly to Meet Budget:	\$ 4,242.83
Variance Over or (Under):	(\$ 617.83)
Fiscal Year-to-Date:	
Collected:	\$ 53,012.06
Needed to Meet Budget:	\$ 80,613.77
Variance Over or (Under):	\$ 27,601.71
Diocesan/Other Collections:	
Diocesan Relief/CRS	\$ 100.00
Thanksgiving (Love Basket)	\$ 40.00
Annual Appeal Retired Religious	\$ 404.00

Matters of Sexual Misconduct Information

If you have any suspicion about the sexual abuse (or any other type of abuse) of a minor child by anyone — please contact PA ChildLine immediately at 1-800-932-0313. If the alleged abuser is functioning in a parish, school or diocesan position as clergy, religious, paid staff or volunteer you are also requested to contact the Bishop’s Delegate for Matters of Sexual Misconduct after you have called the ChildLine number and made the report. The Bishop’s Delegate may be reached at 724-837-0901, ext. 1221.

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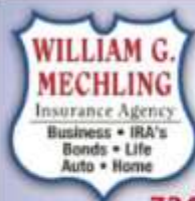


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