

November 3rd, 2019 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

An Ever-growing Eucharistic Community Boldly Serving Others Through Gods Love

Mass Schedule

Saturday 8:00 pm Sunday 8:30, 10:30 am Daily Mass 8:30 am - Mon-Fri

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday 6:45-7:45 pm

All Saints Holy Day Mass

Friday, Nov 1st 8:30 am & 7:00 pm

Rosar

Monday-Friday 8:10 am, Saturday 7:30 pm

Perpetual Adoration 24 hrs - 7 days a week

Office Hours Mon-Fri 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

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Weekly Words from The Rock

TriviOver the course of the last weeks, we have been looking at Bible Trivia. Continuing with the theme of the Bible, I would like to focus on the gospels. Here are some trivia questions from the gospels.

Question 1: The night before he died, Jesus celebrated the Last Supper with his disciples. During the course of the Last Supper, he changed bread and wine into his body and blood. In which gospel do we not find the story of the changing of the bread and wine into the body and blood of Jesus Christ?

- a. Luke
- b. Mark
- c. John
- d. Matthew

Question 2: Which of the apostles was in charge of the money purse?

- a. James the Lesser
- b. James the Greater
- c. Matthew (the tax collector)
- d. Judas Iscariot

Question 3: Which gospel is the longest (in terms of chapters)?

- a. Matthew
- b. Mark
- c. Luke
- d. John

Question 4: Which gospels contain the infancy narratives (the birth story of Jesus Christ)?

- a. John and Luke
- b. Mark and Matthew
- c. Luke and Matthew
- d. Mark and Luke

Question 5: Which gospel is the shortest (in terms of chapters)?

- a. Matthew
- b. Mark
- c. Luke
- d. John

I will provide the answers next week.

Thoughts from The Rock

I would like to share with you what I enjoy about the priesthood. Call this my "top ten list."

- 1. A priest plays a fundamental role in preparing people for the next life eternal life. Without a priest, how would we prepare?
- 2. Providing the sacraments.
- 3. The people. A priest encounters people from all walks of life.
- 4. The humble reality that I am in many ways carved from the same niche as the people I serve. I am a sinner.
- 5. I enjoy hearing a young child, after they look up, stare, say, "There is God." Of course, I am not God; however, it does remind me of who I am to model and represent.
- 6. The realization that a priest doesn't need to continue searching for the right/perfect mission statement. A priest is called to serve in the name of Jesus Christ. Period.
- 7. It doesn't take long for a priest to learn that God doesn't choose the best in choosing his priests. In fact, in many cases, the opposite is true.
- 8. I don't have to worry about being elected to office. The call doesn't come from a popularity contest; the call comes from God.
- 9. I don't concern myself with the latest fashions. Black is always the color of the day.
- 10. People's expectations of a priest are really fairly simple. Be there, give us the sacraments, and pray.

Holy Humor Ever had one of these days?



Fr. Peter Schuster, Pastor, pastor@rescathroch.org.

Liturgical Ministries Nov 8th/9th

If unable to fulfill your ministry as scheduled, please find a substitute. Thank you.

Ministry Schedule as of October 18th, 2019

Altar Servers

8:00 pm Kelton Schoenfelder, Nate Spors 8:30 am Zach Guyer, Hope Kurtz 10:30 am Cameron Vareberg, Eric Vareberg

Lectors

8:00 pm Therese Schoenfelder 8:30 am Richard Miller, Ellen Harford 10:30 am Allen Aksamit, Regina Boehmke

Greeters

8:00 pm Eileen King, Jennifer Foy 8:30 am David Gathje, Tom Brown 10:30 am Darci & Peter Kopischke, NOT FILLED

Eucharistic Ministers

8:00 pm Bread: Debbie Olson (1), Theresa Root (2) Cup: Kim Shimak-Hansen (1), Patricia Schoenfelder (2), Patricia Max (3), Walter Max (4), Judith Pelowski (5), NOT FILLED(6)

8:30 am Bread: Micki Miller - LG, Joan Miller (1), Laura Rud (2), Christiane Lund (3), Sheila Pelowski (4), Deb Rowekamp (5) Cup: John-Howard Carroll (1), Douglas Hudson (2), Melody Hudson (3), Beverly Sanders (4), Suzanne Holt (5), Patrice Steier (6)

10:30 am Bread: Barbara Vareberg - LG, Joseph Kostick (1), Leonida Crawley (2), Jackie O'Connell (3), John Wurst (4), Bob Voss (5) Cup: Marianne Aksamit (1), Arlys Leitzen

(2), Lynette Lenoch (3), Mary Stettler (4), Shannon Weick (5), Marylu Nemgar (6)

Ushers

8:00 pm Greg Hansen, John Schoenfelder, Reilyn Schoenfelder

8:30 am Diane Beiswanger, John Beiswanger, Eric Ladin, J.R. Miller

10:30 am James Maronde, Jeffrey Schotzko, Kilian Schotzko, McKaid Schotzko

Sacristans

8:00 pm Judith Pelowski 8:30 am Tracy & Donna Smith 10:30 am Bob Voss

If you or your family members are interested in becoming a Liturgical Minister, please contact Joy Viceroy at joyv@rescathroch.org.

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Chapel

24 hours/7 days a week

Prayerfully consider committing to one hour a week before Him in Eucharistic Adoration. "Could you not spend one hour with Me?" Matthew 26:40 Life changes when we spend time with Jesus face to face.

Hours of Need

Call Tim Fague at 507-288-6578 to sign up.

Open Hours

Second adorer needed.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat
1am	12 am	12 am	10 am	9 am	3 am	12 am
2 pm	2 am	1 am	12 pm	1 pm	10 am	3 am
3 pm	3 am	3 am	1 pm	3 pm	12 pm	4 am
4 pm	4 am	4 am	2 pm	11 pm	1 pm	5 am
5 pm	9am	5 am	3 pm		2 pm	11 am
	10 am	11 am			8 pm	12 pm
	10 pm				11 pm	1pm
						3 pm
						4 pm
						5 pm

Parish Events

Coming Soon--



Resurrection Church 2019 Holiday

Christmas Bazaar

When--Sunday December 8th--9:30 am until 2:00 pm

What--There will be Food, Games, Bake Sale, Specialty Cookie Collection, Bingo, Cake Walk, Silent Auction, and Holiday Entertainment.

What a GREAT WAY to spend your Sunday.

Come join the fun!!!!

BIG TICKET CASH RAFFLE NEWS

TOP PRIZE: \$1,000. Total of \$5,000 to be given away. Your \$5 ticket could be the winner. Tickets available soon to be picked up in the Gathering Space.

How can I help? It takes lots of special people and volunteers to make this event a success. We've got a great team of leaders so far, but need help in the following areas:

- 1. Entertainment--Coordinate and find 3-4 entertainers for the event
- 2. Games--Make sure all games are set up and run smoothly. Games include cake walk, bingo, and much more.
- 3. Decorations, Set up/Take Down--We need someone/team to help decorate the Hall for this event and be in charge of set up/take down.
- 4. Publicity--Are you great at marketing/promoting events? If so, we need your help. Call Randy for details.
- 5. Goodies--As always, we will need your help by donating baked goods, cakes for the cake walk, and items for the silent auction.

Please be thinking about how you can help. More details to follow.

Please call me at 507-722-6999 if you have any volunteer questions.. Thanks in advance. Randy Stocker, Holiday Christmas Bazaar Chair

OPERATION: ONE MORE HOLIDAY FOOD BASKETS

Joining forces with the St. Francis School and Ben Franklin Elementary, Church of the Resurrection Food for Friends ministry will be providing Holiday Food Baskets to nearly 200 people struggling with hunger in our own community. Our hope is that these food baskets will provide enough food for a full Holiday meal, including a turkey. We will be collecting dry goods starting Sunday, November 2nd through Sunday, December 8th.

If you have questions or would like to volunteer further with this ministry please contact Stephanie Collura at 314-374-9239.

ITEMS WE ARE COLLECTING

Canned soup or stew, canned chicken or tuna, gravy packets, boxed rice or instant potatoes, peanut butter, jelly, oatmeal, macaroni and cheese, stuffing mix, dry pasta and cans of tomato sauce.

We are also collecting money for milk and bread that will be purchased the weekend of delivery. Make checks payable to Church of the Resurrection, noting "Operation One More".

RESURRECTION'S BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY invites you to a presentation by Randy Stocker, parishioner and Bereavement Ministry member on Tuesday, November 12th at 6:30 pm . He will share his story of healing and hope after the loss of family members in an accident. The presentation will include how to help someone in a time of loss and deal with grief through the Holidays. For more information see our bulletin boards.



Real People sharing Real Stories Friday, November 8th 7:00pm Childcare will be provided.



"A Pilgrimage of Hope: A Story of Cancer, Faith and Medicine. Join Mary McCarty as she shares her story chronicling the challenges of radiation and chemotherapy, and her compelling

journey of faith. Despite her cancer diagnosis, she found herself being called closer to God in the midst of her treatments and struggles.

At Resurrection This Week

Monday 4 Nov	•Rosary 8:10 am • Mass 8:30 am • Faith Formation Classes Gr 1, 3, 4, 5 4:30 & 6:00 pm	 First Reconciliation Learning Centers 4:00- 7:00 pm Heart of Trinity Prayer Group 7:00 pm Rom 11:29-36/Ps 69:30-31, 33-34, 36 [14c]/ Lk 14:12-14
Tuesday 5 Nov	•Rosary 8:10 am •Mass 8:30 am •Romans Scripture Study 9:00 am & 6:30 pm	Rom 12:5-16b/Ps 131:1bcde, 2, 3/Lk 14:15-24
Wednesday 6 Nov	 Rosary 8: 10 am Mass 8:30 am Adult Sunday Scripture Class 9:00 am & 6:30 pm Food for Friends 4:30 pm 	 Faith Formation Classes Gr 6-10 6:30 pm Choir Rehearsal 6:30 pm Rom 13:8-10/Ps 112:1b-2, 4-5, 9 [5a]/Lk 14:25-33
Thursday 7 Nov	 Rosary 8:10 am Mass 8:30 am Adult Bible Timeline classes 9:00 am & 6:30 pm 	•Choir Rehearsal 6:30 pm •Buildings & Grounds Committee Meeting 6:30 pm Rom 14:7-12/Ps 27:1bcde, 4, 13-14 [13]/ Lk 15:1-10
Friday 8 Nov	Rosary 8:10 amMass 8:30 amWidow Group Meeting 9:15 amCEO 7:00 pm	Rom 15:14-21/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4 [cf. 2b]/ Lk 16:1-8
Saturday 9 Nov	•Society of Divine Mercy Monastery Prayer 6:30 am •Sacrament of Reconciliation 6:45-7:45 pm •Knights of Columbus Rosary 7:30 pm •Mass 8:00 pm	Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/Ps 46:2-3, 5-6, 8, 9 [5]/ 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22
Sunday 10 Nov	•Masses 8:30 am, 10:30 am •Sunday School & Nursery Open 10:30 am	2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14/Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15 [15b]/ 2 Thes 2:16—3:5/Lk 20:27-38 or 20:27, 34-38



Musical Musings from Joy

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NOVEMBER 2019 REMEMBRANCE OF THE DECEASED

Richard "Dick" Neumann Mary Catherine Boyum Elwin John Tanner Bryce Jared Samuelson Mary Ann Sullivan Leslie "Ozzie" Crawley Darlene Marie Caflisch Janet "Jan" Lucille Helgren Garald "Jerry" Milvin Goodman Marlene F.sther Vasilis Rodney Dean Hanson Gerald "Jerry" Vernon Shanahan Larry Robert Hagan Anthony Maximilian Roetzler Rosemary Wilson Mildred "Millie" Therese Dee Joan Frances Sudman Peter Joseph Murphy Patrick James Inman Darcy Jean Ling Lori Angela Powers Ryan Salas Yanson Sharon Ann Nolan All Our Family & Our Friends



Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, And let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Mass Intentions

Mon., Nov., 4th 8:30 am Special Intention
Tues., Nov., 5th 8:30 am †Rob Frisby
Wed., Nov., 6th 8:30 am †Joyce Berdahl
Thurs., Nov., 7th 8:30 am †Thomas Haremza
Fri., Nov., 8th 8:30 am Mass of Thanksgiving
Sat., Nov., 9th 8:00 pm †Mary Smith
Sun., Nov., 10th 8:30 am Special Intention
10:30 am For the Parish

Dedication Candles

Nov 2nd - Nov 8th 1. †Jack, Lue and Sonnie Bien



St. Francis School News

The regular monthly meeting of the Home and School Association will be held on Monday, November 4th at 6:30 pm in the school library.

The weekly all school Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, November 5th at 9:15 am.

Thursday, November 7th is the end of the first quarter and will be a Student Council sponsored theme day.

There will be no school on Friday, November 8th. It is a Professional Development Day for Faculty.



Fr. Marreddy will be here next weekend to offer Mass and to update our parish on his missions in India that are supported financially by Resurrection's parish through the Ann Loomis Fund. Thank you for your continued support of the Ann Loomis Fund.

Calvary Cemetery Fall Clean-up. Please help with fall clean-up by removing flowers, decorations and plants that are not secured in a stand to avoid being covered by ice and snow. After clean-up is completed on Nov 15, the cemetery will be ready for your holiday plantings and decorations to honor your loved ones. Please remember that everything should be off the ground and well secured during the winter season. Thank you.

Faith Formation



News from Stacey, Grades 1-5, Family Ministry, dre1to5fm@rescathroch.org or 288-5528 x108

Grades 1-5: We will have faith formation classes for grades 1, 3, 4, and 5 on Monday, November 4th at 4:30 and 6:00pm. Fourth graders will have the opportunity to receive the sacrament of reconciliation during class time. The children preparing to receive their first reconciliation will be participating in learning centers with one of their parents instead of

attending classes.

First Reconciliation: On Monday, November 4th, all the children preparing to receive the sacrament of reconciliation will be participating in the Reconciliation Learning Centers with parents. The centers will be set up in Fr. Zenk Hall and take about an hour to complete. Families are welcome to come anytime between 4:00-7:00pm. Please remember to bring your completed Reconciliation Booklet so you can hand it in.

Virtues in Practice: For November, our virtue is courtesy and the first and second graders will be learning about St. Martin de Porres. St. Martin's father almost never came to see him. When Martin was old enough, his father had him trained to be a doctor. Martin became a doctor and a Dominican friar who was very thoughtful of people who were sick. He insisted on doing all the lowliest jobs for them. Sometimes, he brought poor, sick people home and put them to sleep in his own bed! November 3rd is the feast day for St. Martin de Porres. St. Martin, thank you for helping us to be thoughtful of others, which is called being courteous. St. Martin, pray for us!



Celebrating Sunday

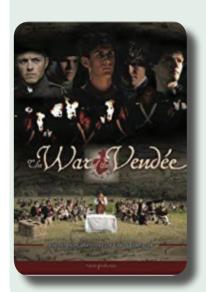


News for Sheila, Birth-KG; Grades 6-12, Children and Youth Ministry, RCIA dresscm@rescathroch.org or 288-5528, x 101

Sunday School and Nursery Families: Did you get your Celebrating

Sunday for Catholic Families Sunday gospel resource book? If not, extra copies are available. See Sheila at the Sunday School attendance table.

A prayer for families— Help us Father, to admit our mistakes and to turn to your love and forgiveness. We ask this through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen



Grades 6-10 SPARK SOCIAL NIGHTS

For all students grades 6-10. Catholic, Homeschool, and Public school students are invited for a night of prayer, popcorn and snacks, and a movie that we will watch over a period of three weeks.

Feature Film: **The War of the Vendee** showing on Wednesday November 6,13,and 20!

The War of the Vendee from Navis Pictures tells the forgotten story of a valiant, six year struggle to restore the Catholic Holy Religion and French King. The sacrifices of the Vendean people resulted in countless martyrdoms, but ultimately won the restoration of religious freedom for all of France. This film is suitable for all ages and features a non-traditional cast made up entirely of children.