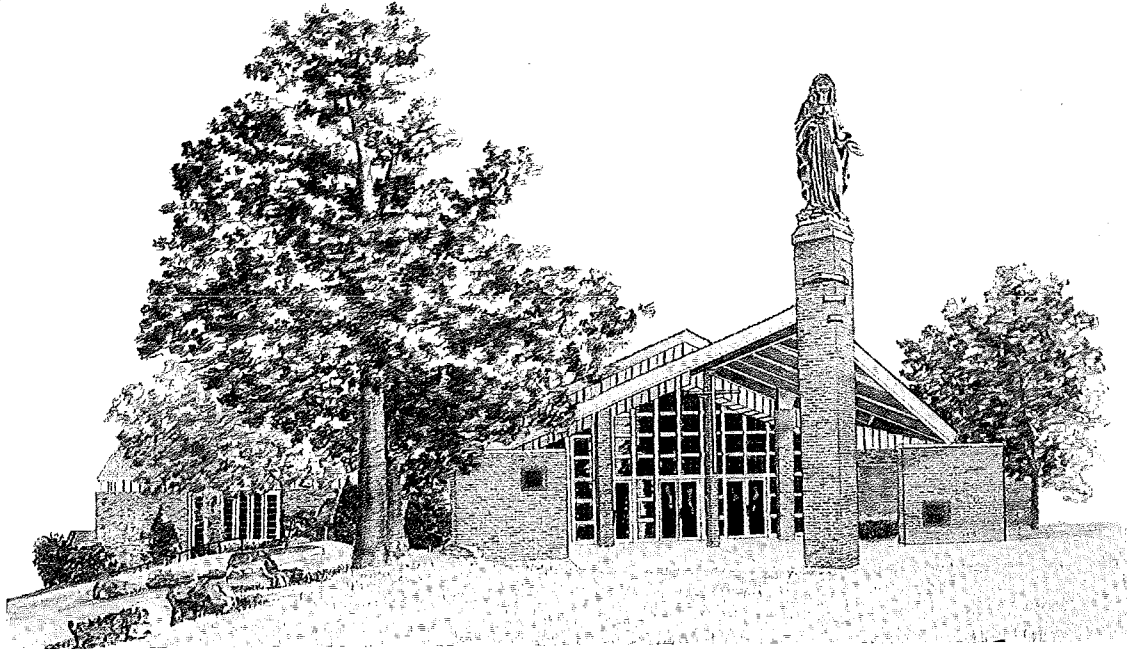


The Community of Our Lady of the Lake



The Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 19, 2017

Pastor
Rev. Monsignor Marion J. Makarewicz
Paul Poulter, Deacon

Mission Statement:

The Faith Community of Our Lady of the Lake fosters growth in God by spreading and nurturing the message of Christ, through full, active, conscious participation in the Eucharist by outreach and service to those in need and strengthening and promoting community.

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Weekend Mass Times:

Saturdays-5:00 P.M.
Sundays-8:00 A.M. and 10:00 A.M.
Reconciliation
Saturdays- 4-4:45 PM

Daily Schedule:

*Monday-No Mass, Tuesday-8 AM
Wednesdays -6 PM, Thursday-8 AM, Friday- Nov. 24-No Mass
Adoration Wednesdays at 5 PM
Baptisms & Weddings: Contact the Parish Office*

Mass Intentions for November 18-26, 2017

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| Saturday | Nov. 18 | 5:00 p.m. | Special Intention RF |
| Sunday | Nov. 19 | 8:00 a.m. | Joseph Elia |
| Sunday | Nov. 19 | 10:00 a.m. | Dan Metz |
| Monday | Nov. 20 | No Mass | |
| Tuesday | Nov. 21 | 8:00 a.m. | Deceased members of the Knights of Columbus |
| Wednesday | Nov. 22 | 6:00 p.m. | Sue Orscheln |
| THANKSGIVING DAY | | | |
| Thursday | Nov. 23 | 8:00 a.m. | Linda Riley Menard |
| Friday | Nov. 24 | NO MASS | |
| Saturday | Nov. 25 | 5:00 p.m. | Parishioners |
| Sunday | Nov. 26 | 8:00 a.m. | Rudy Majkut |
| Sunday | Nov. 26 | 10:00 a.m. | Dolores Holliman |



Prayers of the Faithful

If you or a family member is ill, in the hospital or homebound, and would like your/their name included in the Prayers of the Faithful during week-end Masses or bulletin, call the office @365-2241. Names will be included for a few weeks. If you wish continued prayers, please call the office.

Welcome to Our Lady of the Lake Church

We extend a warm welcome to all our guests and visitors who have graced us with their presence at today's liturgy. We hope that you feel at home here, please let us know if we can be of any assistance while you are with us.

HEARING IMPAIRED

Those with moderate hearing difficulties, hearing assistance units are available in the Fellowship area.

Please pray for: Ronald B. Stratman, Janis Lucido, James Richardson, Brandon Schulte, Lisa Elia, Gene Harrison, Melanie Williams, Judy Barrett, Karen Matulis, Nina Renda, Adam Laberto, Tyler Jones, Helen Mangold, Becky Lyman, Kitty McCarthy, Clara Weppner, Barbara Newberry, Sue Cotter, Shaun Otto, Kitty Bagby, Dick Folsom, Don McGoldrick, Phillip Chisolm, and Paul Menges.

May they place their trust and confidence in the Lord Jesus Christ!



November is a very special month in the Church calendar when we remember in our prayers all those who have died.

Please enter the names you wish to be prayed for in the book along side of the votive candles.



One Faith, One Family, Diocesan Celebration of Unity and Catholic Identity on Nov. 19: Please join as a member of the Diocese of Jefferson City with Bishop Gaydos as we celebrate being Catholic in mid-Missouri! The day will begin with Mass at 2pm in the Cathedral followed by a pot-luck dinner highlighting the rich food ways of people from all over the Diocese. There will be performances representing the music and dance of various cultures and backgrounds found in our Diocese. Bring your favorite dish and your friends to the Cathedral of St. Joseph at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, November 19th. Our Lady of the Lake is organizing a bus to bring facilitate attending this celebration which is the only Diocesan-wide event that invites people from all parishes to come together and be the local church gathered around our Bishop. Please contact the parish office to make bus reservations or make plans for your own transportation.



The flower arrangement at the altar for this weekend's Liturgies is donated in memory of Dan Metz and in honor of Dan and Jan's 50th wedding anniversary



STEWARDSHIP & ADMINISTRATION

COLLECTION FOR NOVEMBER 12, 2017: \$ 6,539 LAST YEAR: \$7,842

ENVELOPES: \$4,243 LOOSE: \$ 2,296

OFFICE CLOSED ON THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, NOV. 23 & 24.



**CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN
FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT**
Working to End Poverty and Injustice
in the United States

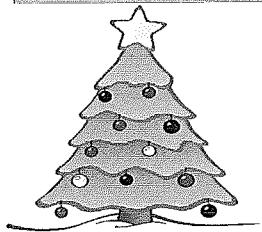
Please be generous in this week's second collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. In the United States, one in six people lives in poverty. With this collection you support programs that address the causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for

those who are struggling across the country. In addition, 25 percent of funds collected remains in our diocese to fund local anti-poverty projects. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection and work on the margins. More information about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development can be found at www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.

The parish is intimately united to the diocese as the diocese is united to the seat of Peter, This is really what we mean when we say "one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church." By making a gift to the Catholic Stewardship Appeal, you are supporting the work of the Church in our 38-county diocese. If you are still thinking about making a pledge, please consider doing it today by check, or online by visiting diojeffcity.org and clicking "Giving" on the menu bar. We count on your prayerful and financial support to help meet the various needs of parishes, missions and schools in the diocese. Thank you if you have already made a gift.



As of 11/7/2017 Our Lady of the Lake has raised \$13,513. Our Lady of the Lake's goal for this year is \$27,000.



The Advent Trees/Giving Trees are decorated with ornaments for holiday shopping for those in need. The trees are located in the Fellowship area. The gifts need to be returned, wrapped and labeled, to the Fellowship area by Noon on Sunday, December 10.

Sharing the Journey

How many times have you told someone experiencing a hardship or challenge, "I will pray for you"?

When was the last time you told someone, "I will pray *with* you"?

All Cursillistas are invited to begin this Advent season being Christ to others by exploring how we can share the journey of others. And who are the "others" in our lives, our community, our nation, the world? Join Sister Peggy Bonnot, CCVI and

Sister Barbara Neist, SSND as they lead us in an Advent reflection that we can both ponder and carry to others well beyond the holiday season. We will also add to our tool box of piety practices with the Catholic spiritual exercise, *visio divina* (Latin for "divine seeing"), often described as praying with the "eyes of the heart."

Start this Advent in reflection and fellowship with your Cursillo community.

Light refreshments will be served.

Questions? Contact Monica Galarza: 573-465-3628 or mLL20047@hotmail.com

Saturday, December 2

10:00am—12:00pm

Alphonse J. Schwartze Memorial

Catholic Center, Jefferson City

Upcoming Masses and Services

Tuesday, November 21 at 7 PM-Knights of Columbus Mass of Remembrance

Thursday, November 23– Thanksgiving Day-8 AM

Friday, November 24-NO MASS

Wednesday, November 29– Spanish Mass-6PM

Wednesday, December 6-Advent Communal Reconciliation-7PM

Friday, December 8– Immaculate Conception Masses– 8 AM and 7 PM

Tuesday, December 12-Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe 6PM Mass in the Parish Hall followed by fellowship

Sunday, December 24– Christmas Eve Mass at 5PM

Sunday, December 24-Midnight Mass

Monday, December 25-Christmas Day Mass-10AM

Trivia Night (2/3/18)
planning meeting,
November 20 at 6 PM
Everyone is welcome!



The Ladies
 Wednesday Workshop
 Craft Sale will be
 December 2-3 after
 Saturday and Sunday
 masses in the Fellow-
 ship area.



*Sounds
 of the
 Season*

Main Street Christmas Show
Sunday, December 10 at 3PM
Adults-\$17, Children 5-12-\$13,
under 5-free
Please call Colleen Parise
at 365-2580

for tickets or to leave a message.

Deadline for reservations: December 4.

Advent Reconciliation Dinner

**Would you like to donate a crockpot of soup, salad items, or an easy dessert for the
 Advent Reconciliation Soup/Salad Dinner on December 6, 5:30PM - 7:00PM?
 Please contact Mel Graessle, 573-690-1400 or melodiandluke@gmail.com**

PRAYERS FOR OUR MILITARY

Pvt 2 Austin Nye, Sgt. Matthew Willis, LCDR Tony Wolfe, LCDR Christopher Boehm, 1st Sgt. Christopher Metz, Sgt. John Cobb, Lt. Col. Eric Brauman Lt. Nicholas Zahn, S/Sgt. Daniel E. Reynolds, Sgt. Justin C. Thomas, A1C Ethan DeGraffenreid, A1C Jacob Zahn, Major Michael Lucky, Tech Sgt. Kevin Reilly, Jayson D. Osborne Air Force, Capt. Dan Collini, S/Sgt. Adam Rentsch, CW4 Kent Rackers, (Mo National Guard) Corp. Christian P. Rodriguez, CPO Derek Hotop, Tech Sgt. Ryan Fisher, A1C Logan Rackers Air Force, and CW3, Leroy F. Gilbert-Army.



If you have a family member, loved one or friend in the Military and wish to have their name added to this list, please call the office at 365-2241.

Thank You for Your Service!

HOPE HOUSE: Thank you for your ongoing generosity! Last week we received 93 grocery bags filled with food. THANK YOU! Don't forget to "bring your can to church!" each week. Just one can once a week. It makes a big difference. We helped 314 people in October with food, clothing, utilities, prescriptions and gasoline for doctor appointments.

Hope House gave away 249 coats for kids during the last 2 months.



Our greatest volunteer need is for our monthly cash register coverage (2-3 days a month.)

Our next date is: November 30 and December 2

The Food Pantry needs non-perishables and non-expired donation items please!

Sign up in the Fellowship Hall at the Hope House table or call OLOL coordinator-- Janet Bischler 374-2313.



Commissions

Social Concerns-Chair: Terry Roets 573-692-4166
 Terryroets@yahoo.com
 Meets the second Thursday of the month at 6 PM

Worship and Spiritual-Chair: Carolyn Loraine 573-365-5026
 girlcommissioner@msn.com
 Meets the fourth Tuesday of the month

Education Commission-Chair: Open
 Meets the fourth Thursday of the month at 6 PM

Finance-Chair: Mike Henze 573-348-6849
 Meets the third Tuesday of the month at 4 pm

Administration-Chair: Charlie Cassmeyer-573-365-7227
 Meets second Thursday of the month at 4 pm

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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| Sunday | Nov. 19 | 9-11:30 | K of C Donuts | Fellowship |
| Monday | Nov. 20 | | No Mass | |
| Monday | Nov. 20 | 6 PM | Trivia Meeting | |
| Tuesday | Nov. 21 | 8 AM | Mass | Chapel |
| Tuesday | Nov. 21 | 7 PM | K of C Meeting and Mass of Remembrance | |
| Wednesday | Nov. 22 | 5 PM | Adoration | Chapel |
| Wednesday | Nov. 22 | 6 PM | Mass | Chapel |
| Wednesday | Nov. 22 | 6:45 PM | NO PSR | Classes |
| Thursday | Nov. 23 | OFFICE CLOSED | 8 AM Mass | Chapel |
| Friday | Nov. 24 | OFFICE CLOSED | NO Mass | |
| Sunday | Nov. 26 | | NO K of C Donuts | Fellowship |



PASTORAL PLANNING UPDATE FROM THE CATHOLIC CENTER IN JEFFERSON CITY

With the feedback and input of our diocese's faithful, on Pentecost 2010, Bishop Gaydos established the Pastoral Plan priorities of **faith, family, reaching out** and **planning** for the future as a shared path for ministries and activities of our parishes and the Catholic Center (chancery office) in Jefferson City. The 2010 plan provided for a review after five years; the review concluded last year.

After the review, the diocese has re-committed to the 2010 Pastoral Plan. During the last year, parishes and the Catholic Center have intentionally engaged in a process that will help us: 1) to support each other regarding these planning priorities; and 2) to be more accountable in offering assistance and ministries that correspond to the Pastoral Plan priorities and to better address the needs of individuals and families in parishes.

Related to this effort is our initiation of a new phase of pastoral planning—a study and a process to evaluate **parish vitality and viability**. We want to share this information with you so that you will be aware of the general process and a pastoral goal that we, at the Catholic Center, want to do our best to abide by and respect.

A sobering situation that we are trying to do our best to prepare for has to do with our priestly resources. The average age of priests active in the diocese continues to rise; it's now 57. And by 2022—only five years from now—we could have as many as 20 fewer priests serving in the diocese due to projected retirements. This would reduce the current active number from 66 to 46. Some difficult questions and discussions will need to take place to prepare for the future.

Our goal is to complete this year's vitality and viability study in January 2018, so that diocesan administration and parishes will have sufficient time to develop plans in preparation for this new reality. Please know and be assured that local parish leadership and representatives will again take part in this planning process at both a parish and a deanery (regional) level. Broad consultation has already taken place at parishes through meetings with parish councils and leadership teams.

This intent of this update is not only to keep you informed, but to encourage your prayers and support for your parish and deanery and its leadership during this important process. Thank you for your prayers for, and participation in, this pastoral planning process to date, and the initiatives that have come to life and light as a part of this process. Please keep praying for our Local Church, your deanery, and your parish.

May the Blessed Virgin Mary, who clearly points the way to her son, Jesus Christ, be for us a sign of courage and devotion to set our sights firmly on our Lord, Jesus Christ, in spreading the good news of salvation to all people. May God bless you for your goodness.

Sincerely yours in Christ, Father Joseph Corel, Vicar General; Sister Kathleen Wegman SSND, Chancellor; and Father Gregory Meystrik, Vicar of Administration

Parish Vitality Prayer

Eternal God, Father most holy,
whose Son established the Church,
promising that the power of evil
would never prevail against her,
stir up our faith and bolster our perseverance,
that our faith may vitalize our parishes
and our perseverance maintain our outreach.
You have taught us that dying to self
and obedience to the Church
are essential to holiness, peace and unity.
Preserve our unity as one Diocesan Church,
and may the spouse of the Holy Spirit,
the Immaculate Heart of Mary,
protect us with her mantle
and intercede for us with her prayer.
Through Christ, our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, forever and ever.
Amen.