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**NOVEMBER 15, 2020 - THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**HELLO AND WELCOME TO ST. JOSEPH PARISH!**

**Thank you for joining us today. Blessings! May you have a beautiful day. The St. Joseph Parish family extends a warm welcome to our visitors and new families. We are delighted to have you! If you are a new parishioner, ask one of the ushers for a parish census/registration form. Please complete and drop in the collections basket or bring by the church office during business hours. If we can be of any assistance to you, please let us know. We hope you will find a true home at St. Joseph Church!**

**RECORD OF OUR STEWARDSHIP**

**November 8, 2020**

**RECORD OF OUR FAITHFULNESS**

Offertory—\$4,674.00  
 Poor Box—\$0.00  
 Bldg Fund—\$360.00

**May we answer God’s call to  
 nurture and develop our gifts  
 and return them with increase.**

6:00PM—35  
 11:00AM—77  
**Total—112**

*Blessed Thanks!*



**Please pray for our sick, shut-ins, those listed in our book of intentions, parishioners residing in nursing homes, and others who have asked for prayers: *Gino Aureli, Gia Blanchard, Bill Bryant, Richard Cass, Brandie Castleberry, Sybil Cope, Shelley Dedman, Eleonore Dennis, Victoria Doyle, Theresa Failla, Cindy Fakouri, Julie Dial Habelmann, Gene Hastings, Scott Howell, Anna Marie Jacks, David Jackson, Mary Ann Kizer, Mike Lambert, Lucille Marconi, Scott McGeorge, Elaine McKenney, Lynn Morgan, Franklin Murray, Thomas Jay Oster, Judy Reese, Rose Mary Smith, Laurie Stanfield, and Hazel Turchi.* Please keep them in your prayers in their time of need... And all others in need of our healing prayers. Also, remember the caregivers of the ill.**

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*In your prayers, also remember the deceased, especially Beryl Theriot, mother of Walt Theriot.  
 Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord...*

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION – Adoration Chapel is now open. Please contact Mark or Mary Ives (870-489-4404) if you would like to send a quiet hour with our Lord on a Tuesday or Wednesday.**

**Court Victory (Catholic Daughters of the Americas) will be making masks for a couple of agencies in town. Those members of St. Joseph who would like to help please contact Angelique Ford at 870-489-0563. Leave a message and she will call you back. Thank you!**

**Catholic Daughters of the Americas will meet Sunday, November 22 at 12:00PM in Gallagher Hall. All members are encouraged to attend. Masks and social distancing will be required.**

**Attention CDA members: Once again, our Court will be sponsoring a “No Bake” Bake Sale in November due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Please give donations to KerryEllen Campbell or leave at the church office. Thank you!**

**Catholic Daughters has tamales available for sale at \$10.00 per dozen. Please contact the parish office if interested in making a purchase.**



*Please remember, during this temporary time of changes to our parish Mass and activities schedules, that we must still pay our bills. Your continued Stewardship is very important. Please place in the box in church or mail to the parish office. A BIG thanks to those sending in their Stewardship.*

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION DURING THE PANDEMIC

- Bishop Taylor lifted the dispensation from the Sunday Mass obligation effective October 1. **ALL HEALTHY CATHOLICS SHOULD NOW ATTEND SUNDAY MASS.**
- **SUNDAY MASS TIMES:** Saturday Vigil-6PM, Sunday Mass-11AM
- Daily Masses will be Mondays, Thursdays, & Fridays at 8AM and Wednesdays at 5:30PM (*Wednesday Masses no longer count as Sunday Obligation.*)
- The only entrance to the church will be the east door (by the parish offices).
- Everyone over 10 years of age **MUST** wear a mask at all times.
- Everyone must sanitize hands when entering church and must disinfect the pew area where seated when arrive at church and again after Mass.
- Only sit in designated areas - 6 feet apart, unless a family group.
- *If you wish to come pray during the week (outside of normal Mass times), please contact the parish office (534-4701) for entrance into the church or chapel.*
- Confessions will be heard from 11AM-12PM on Saturdays and anytime by request (behind the screen **ONLY**).

Our Facebook page is *St. Joseph Catholic Church-Pine Bluff, AR*. Our 6PM Saturday Masses will be live streamed there. Additional information available, also.

Our website is [www.stjosephpinebluff.org](http://www.stjosephpinebluff.org) where you can get the latest bulletin and other important parish information.

**NEIGHBOR TO NEIGHBOR** is requesting canned goods and **50 CAKE MIXES** from St. Joseph parishioners by November 30 for the Christmas baskets they will start giving out on December 1st. They are also asking us to sponsor children for Christmas at \$60.00 per child to make sure they wake up Christmas morning with toys under the tree and food on their tables. *Please make checks payable to Neighbor to Neighbor.*

# *This week in our parish*

Sun Nov 15 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30AM Digital PRE

11:00AM †Millie Strachota (Church)

Mon Nov 16 St Margaret of Scotland

St Gertrude, Virgin

8:00AM †Leroy Gilbert (Church)

6:00PM RCIA (Contact office if interested.)

Tue Nov 17 ST ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY, RELIGIOUS

*No Daily Mass*

Wed Nov 18 The Dedication of the Basilicas of

Sts Peter and Paul, Apostles

St Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin

5:30PM Annual Memorial Mass

†Ryan Renfro (Church)

(Wed Mass no longer fulfills Sunday Obligation)

Chili Supper in Gallagher Hall following Mass

Thu Nov 19

8:00AM †Leda Anne King (Church)

Fri Nov 20

8:00AM †Bill Strong, Jr

Sat Nov 21 THE PRESENTATION OF THE BLESSED

VIRGIN MARY

11AM-12PM Confessions Heard

Behind Screen ONLY (Church)

6:00PM †St Joseph Parishioners (Church)

*(6PM Mass will also be Live Streamed*

*on Facebook )*

Sun Nov 22 Our Lord Jesus Christ the King of the

Universe Sunday

9:30AM Digital PRE

11:00AM Don and †Susan Puddephatt (Church)

12:00PM CDA Meeting (G Hall)



*“Well done, my good and faithful servant. Since you have been faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities.”*

*~Matthew 25:21*

God calls us to nurture and develop the gifts He has given us and then generously return a portion with increase. He doesn't want us to waste or hoard the gifts He has given us. He expects us to grow our gifts, use them wisely and be generous with them. Unfortunately, many of us are not generous in proportion to all that God has given us.

*Please notify the parish office when you or relatives are admitted to Jefferson Regional Medical Center. Thank you! WE CARE!!*

**ALTAR SOCIETY/CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS CHRISTMAS PARTY** - The annual Altar Society/Catholic Daughters Christmas Party will be Saturday, December 12 immediately following 6:00PM Mass in Gallagher Hall. Reservations are required and may be made by contacting the church office or Angelique Ford (870-489-0563). Deadline to register is 12Noon Monday, November 30. Cost is \$15 per person. You may pay in advance or at the door. Anyone who signs up but does not attend will be required to pay. Altar Society is collecting women's toiletries and children's toys for the CASA Women's Shelter. CDA is collecting money to purchase items for Shut-ins. If you would like to furnish a door prize to be given away at the party, the price limit is \$10. Masks and social distancing will be required at the party.