

Saint Patrick's Church Girard
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33rd Sunday of Ordinary Times
Nov. 17th, 2019

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<p>Contact Information Office Phone: (217) 438-6222 Rectory Phone: (217) 438-6196</p> <p>Deacon Rick Schnetzler Cell Phone: (217) 971-5125 E-mail: deaconrick2016@gmail.com</p>	<p>Universal- Communication and Reconciliation: <i>That the spirit of Dialogue, encounter and reconciliation emerges in the near East, where diverse religious communities share their lives together.</i></p>
<p>FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM COORDINATOR: St. Patrick's, P.S.R.: Terri Joslin, coordinator Phone: (217) 416-4271</p>	<p>BAPTISM AND MARRIAGE: Please contact the parish office. For marriage, please contact the parish office at least six months in advance.</p>
<p>DIOCESAN VICTIM ASSISTANCE:</p> <p>Child abuse reporting and investigation number (217) 321-1155</p>	<p>ANOINTING OF THE SICK/HOME VISITS: If you or a loved one is in need of this sacrament or in need of a visit and Holy Communion, please contact Fr. James</p>
<p>THE SACRAMENT OF PENNANCE Confessions are heard beginning thirty minutes prior to the weekend Masses ant at 5:30 on Tuesdays. Appointments may also be made.</p>	<p>RIGHT OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS (R.C.I.A) If you are a non-Catholic and are interested in being Baptized or you are a Baptized Christian and are interested in coming into full communion with the Church, please contact Fr. James or Dcn. Rick.</p>

MASS SCHEDULES/INTENTIONS

Saturday (Vigil)	Nov 16	4:00 pm Girard	Barbara Pierson Compton (Family and Friends) 
Saturday	Nov 16	5:30 pm Auburn	Ryken Bailey (B'day 11/27) (Todd & Christy)
Sunday	Nov 17	8:15 am Auburn	Kenny & Lottie Layne (/20 Anniv.) (Andy & Donna Kuenstler)
Sunday	Nov 17	10:15 am Virden	Geraldine Neff (M/M Ron Swygman)
Monday	Nov 18	NO/MASS	
Tuesday	Nov 19	6:00 pm Auburn	All Souls (Mr/Mrs Gene Maley)
Wednesday	Nov 20	7:30 am Virden	Ester Quinn (Pat Allen & Family)
Thursday	Nov 21	7:15 am Virden	Poor Souls (Scott & Vicky Crye)
Friday	Nov 22	7:00 am Auburn	Pro Populo
Saturday	Nov 23	4:00 pm Girard	Gerry & Leonard Neff (The Neff Family) 
Saturday	Nov 23	5:30 pm Auburn	Al & Margaret Codron (73 rd Anniv.) (Rick, Carol, Leonard & grandkids)
Sunday	Nov 24	8:15 am Auburn	Carl & Tony Ferrero (Ken & Andrea Violet)
Sunday	Nov 24	10:15 am Virden	Mary Jo Kennedy (Vic & Sara Goeckner)

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Sat Nov 16	Sat Nov 23
Server: Rawley Eldridge	Server: Volunteers
Server: Ella Eldridge	Server: Volunteers
Reader: Raymond Schneider	Reader: Annette Cole
E.M.H.C.: Vanessa Reinhart & Kim Eldridge	E.M.H.C.: Vanessa Reinhart & Kim Eldridge
Ushers: Volunteers	Ushers: Volunteers

Our Finance council members are **Annette Cole, Kris Eldridge, Bill Hart, George Hart, Taurie Jones, Terri Joslin, Tom Reinhart, Diane Rogers, Amy Smith, Jim Walker, and Mike Walter**. Any concerns or Ideas please let them know. Our meetings are the second Thursday of each month unless otherwise announced, at 7pm.

WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS

Bishop Approved Capital Camp. (3)	\$ 240.00
General Fund (23 envelopes) (4 online)	\$ 1,202.00
Military Services Collection (5)	\$ 79.00
TOTAL	\$ 1,521.00

Capital Campaign running totals.

Capital Campaign	Running Total
As of Nov 10	\$ 16,257.80

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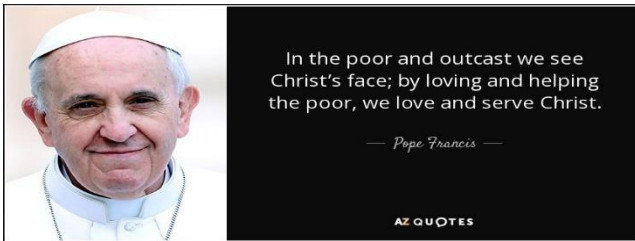
\$7,756.00 - \$1,870.00 = 5,886.00

Church Cleaners: Nov. 1st week Taurie Jones & Jessica Grady
3RD WEEK Lisa Fouts, Jill Grider & Carla Mayernick

If you cannot clean on the week you are scheduled you may contact Katie Prose at 217-313-0915 for a fee she will clean for you.

**Please be advised that we now have a key to the dumpster, just one it is located in the cleaning closet
Please make sure it is returned for the next cleaning crew, Thank you**

From the Diocese



Standing with the poor. At the end of the Jubilee of Mercy in 2017, Pope Francis established this second-last Sunday of the liturgical year as the World Day of the Poor. How fitting it is that as we look to the end our lives, to the end of the world, and to the final coming of Christ, we look to the poor.

- Let us sing the Psalm each day this week: “The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice.”
- How will I equally treat each person with justice?
- How will I be generous? How will I care for the poor?

The pain and sorrow of a past abortion need not endure for a lifetime. Call Project Rachel for a confidential, non-judgmental referral to those who can help: 1-877-RACHEL-5.

Running for Life Runners ProLife Team - Bishop Thomas John Paprocki is seeking sponsors for his November 24, 2019 Tulsa Route 66 Marathon run. Proceeds are to benefit the Life Runners team. More information on the team is available at: www.liferunners.org. To pledge go to www.dio.org/marathon or call 217-698-8500 to have a pledge form mailed to you.

November 23-24, 2019 is the annual collection for the Diocesan Campaign for Justice and Hope (DCJH). Your donations make it possible to provide hope and assistance of food, clothing, housing, education and medication to local people living in poverty. 100% of your contribution stays within our Diocese. Please give generously.

St. Patrick General

We will be having a soup and chilli dinner Sat. Dec. 7th

Stay tuned for more information coming soon.

Remembering Our Beloved and Devoted Parents

Gerry And Leonard Neff

Mom Feb. 25, 1933- Oct 5, 2019

Dad Jan 22, 1929- July 15, 2019



We were so Blessed. The Families of:

Carla & John Mayernick

Mike & Denise Neff

Jill Grider

James Neff

Lisa & Steven Fouts

Tracy & Mark Bertolino



THE BIG MISSAL SWAP WILL BE NOV. 23RD. The big Missal swap is song books and Missals.

Please stay to help. Many Hands make light work.



Saint John's Breadline will be Nov. 23rd suggested donation is \$4.00 a loaf.

Nov. 30th is Saint Patrick's turn to work the food pantry

"Attention Men of the Parish : The Carlinville Knights of Columbus Council 663 will be hosting a 1st, 2nd, and 3rd degree ceremony [on Sunday, November 17](#) at Ss. Mary and Joseph church in Carlinville. Registration is [from 11:30 to Noon](#) with a light lunch provided. The 1st degree ceremony will begin [at noon](#) with the 2nd and 3rd degrees to follow.

Dinner will be served at the conclusion of the 3rd degree. To pre-register please contact Tom Broaddus at 217-341-2138 or you may register at the door. Registration fees: \$15.00"

The Bible and the Virgin Mary Study Continues

"The knot of Eve's disobedience was loosed by the obedience of Mary. The knot which the virgin Eve tied by her unbelief, the Virgin Mary opened by her belief," St. Irenaeus.

Join us for Lesson 4 - The New Eve in our Bible study, *The Bible and the Virgin Mary*, on Sunday, Nov. 10, 6:30 pm at Sacred Heart Church, Virden. In this session we will learn why Jesus only refers to His mother as 'woman' in the Gospel of John. We'll also discuss Mary's title as the New Eve and discover who the real Bridegroom is at the wedding at Cana. If you missed past sessions, don't worry.....each session is a lesson of its own, and we guarantee you'll come away with a greater love for our Blessed Mother.

PSR

Oct 16th thru Nov 7th is Santa's workshop we need flour and sugar!

Nov. 20 Class

Nov. 28 No Class

Dec. 07 Jesse Tree

CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE

www.stpatgirard.com online giving is now available!!!

Saint Patrick's Church, Girard 2019 Advent/Christmas Schedule

WEEKDAY MASS & ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

Wednesday, November 27: No Adoration
Friday, November 29: No Mass

THANKSGIVING DAY:

Thursday, November 28: 8:30 a.m. Mass in Virden

2019 Advent/Christmas

SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION*:

Monday, December 9: 7:00 p.m. Mass in Virden

*Note: Not a Holy Day of Obligation this year

EXTENDED CONFESSION HOURS:

Saturday, December 14: 3:00 p.m. -3:30 p.m. in Girard
6:30 p.m. -7:00 p.m. in Auburn
Sunday, December 15: 7:45 a.m. -8:10 a.m. in Auburn
11:30 a.m. -12:15 p.m. in Virden





SOLEMNITY OF THE NATIVITY OF THE LORD (CHRISTMAS): A Holy Day of Obligation:

Tuesday, December 24: 4:00 p.m. Mass in Auburn
5:00 p.m. Mass in Virden, **With Fr. Teddy**

Wednesday, December 25: 9:00 a.m. Mass in Girard

CHRISTMAS NOVENA: December 16-24

This Novena (9 consecutive days of prayer before Christmas) will be held in Virden each evening beginning at 6:00 p.m. The final night, Christmas Eve, the prayers will begin at 4:15 p.m. Each evening's prayers will last around 15 minutes.

CHRISTMAS EVE AT SACRED HEART:

4:15 p.m. – Christmas Novena
4:30 – 5:00 p.m. – Christmas Music
5:00 p.m. – Christmas Eve Mass

FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY (FOR NORMAL SUNDAY OBLIGATION):

Saturday/Sunday, December 28/29: Regular Weekend Mass Schedule

THE SOLEMNITY OF MARY THE MOTHER OF GOD (NEW YEAR'S): A Holy Day of Obligation

Tuesday, December 31: 4:00 p.m. Mass in Girard
5:30 p.m. Mass in Auburn
Wednesday, January 1: 9:00 a.m. Mass in Virden

WEEKDAY MASSES & ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

Wednesday, December 11: 9:30 a.m. Mass at Sunrise Nursing in Virden
Wednesday, December 18: 9:30 a.m. Mass at Eastland in Auburn
Wednesday, December 25: No Adoration
Thursday, December 26: No Mass
Friday, December 27: No Mass
Wednesday, January 1: No Adoration



The Virden K of C Council #2321, has a Wednesday night dinner at the KC Hall in Virden doors open at 5pm
Food served 5:30-8pm
Menu varies weekly



Queen of Hearts Drawing
Tickets 6 for \$5.00, 30 tickets for \$20.00. Tickets sold until 7:30 pm
Drawing is at 8pm Come join the fun!

Jackpot increases weekly

50-50 tickets 6 for \$5.00, 30 for \$20.00 sold until 7:30 pm drawing at around 7:35 pm