

Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024  
32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

✠ Eucharistic Celebrations ✠

Mon. Nov. 11 6:30 PM at Stringtown  
Tue. Nov. 12 5:00 PM at Lawrenceville  
**Wed. Nov. 13 8:05 am For the Parish**  
**1:30 PM (at Carle 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor)**  
**Special Intention**  
Thu. Nov. 14 6:30 PM at Wendelin  
**Sat. Nov. 16**  
4:00 PM at Wendelin  
**5:00 PM Linda Volk**  
*Albert, Clara, & RoseEllen Hahn*  
*Herman, Ethel, & Kathy Zwilling*  
**Sun. Nov. 17**  
**8:00 am Herman Zuber**  
*Ruth Matheny*  
*Richard & Glenda Dallmier*  
8:00 am at Stringtown  
10:00 am at Wendelin  
10:00 am at Lawrenceville

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#### OUR NOVEMBER SPONSORS

Bulletins: In memory of Don Fehrenbacher  
Missalettes: Blank's Insurance

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#### OUR TITHES FOR NOV. 3<sup>rd</sup>

Parish Operating Expense per Week = \$9,847.00  
Envelopes: \$11,363.25 (96) Outreach: \$149  
Guatemala: \$361 (25) World Mission: \$20 (1)  
All Saints Day: \$685.25 (18+loose)  
Retired Priests: \$100 (1)

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**Let Us Pray For:** Gene Bergbower, Luke G. Kocher, David Fehrenbacher, Margaret Burgener, Marlene Harris, Don Kocher, Bessie Rossiano, Mary Rowark, Mary Beth Scherer, Eleanor Steber, Tony Tredway, Anita Shultz, Kenneth Hann, Deloris Nix, and Ruth Zwilling. *Please call or email the Parish Office to add any new names to the Prayer List.*

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**Deepest Sympathy** to the family of *George Harper* (father of Caroline Trimble). May he rest in the peace of God's love.

~ AROUND OUR PARISHES ~

#### Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup>

- Children's liturgy at 8 am mass.
- 6 PM, High School CYM at Olney

#### Monday, November 11<sup>th</sup>

- Thank you to our veterans for their service, sacrifices, and bravery. Thank you to the families of veterans for their support and dedication. May we remember and appreciate them always.
- Church office is closed for Veteran's Day.
- 12 PM, finance council meets.

#### Tuesday, November 12<sup>th</sup>

- 12 PM - 3 PM, Eucharistic Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. There must always be 2 people in the church.
- Kindergarten attends the Eucharistic Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

#### Wednesday, November 13<sup>th</sup>

- Rosary, after mass
- 9:15 am, Bible Study, St. Joseph Olney, Room B: Deacon Jack will take you through the readings for the Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time. Hold onto your hats because both Jesus and the prophet Daniel will speak about a time when the world, as we know it, will end. The physical order we currently rely on will disappear. Scripture has the answers. Better get to Bible Study.
- 12 noon, Bulletin deadline. Write, type or email all announcements.

- 1:30 PM, mass at Carle in Olney on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor.

#### Saturday, November 16<sup>th</sup>

- Middle School Youth Group meets at Olney after mass.

#### Sunday, November 17<sup>th</sup>

- CYM meeting and mass at Stringtown.
- Young Adults Theology on Tap.

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#### **St. Joseph School News**

- Thank you to everyone who supported the Booster Breakfast fundraiser!
- No School- Monday, November 11- Thank you Veterans for your service!

~ PARISH NEWS ~

- **At the Blessed Mothers altar** on the north side of church, there are white roses for expectant mothers to be remembered in prayer for a safe and healthy delivery. If there is an expectant mother you wish to pray for, please sign her name on the card along with her family (maiden) name and due date. After the baby is born, please present the rose to the mother. - From the Parish and Family Life Committee.

- **OCIA** will be meeting on Tuesday evenings in conference room B at 6 PM.

- **The Parish and Family Life committee** will be collecting gift packed shoeboxes for **Operation Christmas Child** this year. Operation Christmas Child is a project of Samaritan's Purse, an international relief organization. Their mission is to provide local partners around the world with shoeboxes filled with small toys, hygiene items, and school supplies as a means of reaching out to children in their own communities with the Good News of Jesus Christ. These boxes will bring joy to many children during the Christmas season. We will be collecting shoeboxes now, until **November 18<sup>th</sup>**. A limited number of shoeboxes will be available in the back of church (or any shoe box will do). Please drop off packed shoeboxes to the parish office or leave in the tub in the back of the church. There is also a shipping fee that is needed to ship each box. Please include \$10 in an envelope along with a label (which can be found on the back table of church) for shipping, or purchase your own shipping label online at <https://www.samaritanspurse.org/operation-christmas-child/label-options/> Please join us as we pray, pack, and ship these gifts in the spirit of Christmas!

- **Book of Remembrance:** During the month of November, we especially remember and pray for those who have passed away. You are welcome to write the names of your deceased loved ones in the Book of Remembrance, which will be located in the front of church.

- **Meals for Moms** would like to welcome *Arlen Forrest Scherer*, born on October 12, 2024. Son of Stormi Raines and Devin Scherer. If you would like to sign up to provide a meal and dessert to this family, or other families who welcome little ones, please contact Laura Matthews at 618-924-5901 or [lmattthews@stjoeolney.com](mailto:lmattthews@stjoeolney.com).

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#### CALENDAR WINNERS - \$25

Oct. 28: Becky Luther (#157)  
Oct. 29: John & Karen Williams (#605)  
Oct. 30: Marlene Steber (#707)  
Oct. 31: Julia Eichhorst (#174)  
Nov. 1: Jennifer & Brett Camfield (#516)

~ KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS ~

- **November 14<sup>th</sup>:** 3<sup>rd</sup> degree meeting at 7 PM.
- **November 20<sup>th</sup>:** The Knights of Columbus Council 1352 Memorial Mass for *Cleo F. Hahn* and *Richard M. Dallmier* at 6:30 PM.
- **November 21<sup>st</sup>:** 4<sup>th</sup> degree meeting at 7 PM.
- **November 24<sup>th</sup>:** The Knights lead the Rosary at 7:40 am.
- **December 1<sup>st</sup>:** Knights of Columbus Christmas Dinner at 5 PM. All knights and their families are welcome to attend. Santa will be there around 5:45.
- **Thank you** to all that helped and supported the Tootsie Roll Drive.
- **K of C State Soccer Kick Competition** in Bloomington on November 9<sup>th</sup> for the 1st place winners from the Regionals. State Soccer Kick Competition Regional in Charleston results from our council: 1st place: Lauren French, Nora McLain, Cheney Meadows, David Fleming, and Connor Buchner, 2nd place: Ella Fitch and Meira Cotterell, 3rd place: Josh Patel. Christ in Christmas Poster Contest is beginning with information from each St. Joseph School classroom teacher and at the back of each church. There are cash prizes for three winners in each of the five class age groups. The poster deadline is November 26<sup>th</sup> at St. Joseph School Office, or November 24<sup>th</sup> in the back of each church.

~ **CYM NEWS** ~

- Nov. 10<sup>th</sup>: High school youth group (Olney)
- Nov. 16<sup>th</sup>: Middle School Youth Group (Olney)
- Nov. 17<sup>th</sup>: CYM Meeting and Mass (Stringtown)
- Nov. 22<sup>nd</sup>: High School Movie Night (HCW)
- Nov. 24<sup>th</sup>: High School Youth Group (HCW)

~ **YOUNG ADULT NEWS** ~

- Nov. 17<sup>th</sup>: Theology on Tap (more details to come).

**Journey Onward Ye Sojourners**  
**Caroline Trimble Pastoral Associate**

As we near the end of the Liturgical year our readings bring us to the triumphant power and majesty of Our Risen Lord. Our Savior and Our King. While we may take great comfort in knowing that Our Lord is reigning, there is still the necessity to be reminded of the battle that is raging for each of us. This battle is for our soul- and it will determine where we will spend eternity. Do not let the sinful wiles of evil snare you into their traps! If gossip, duplicity, unkindness, anger, slander, sloth, lust, (etc...) consume your life and time - Repent! Repent while you have this present moment! We are not promised tomorrow! Journey onward to live a life where the King of Kings and the Lord of Lords reigns within you. Be wise-Shine Brightly- with the Love and Light of Jesus! St. Joseph, pray for us! Our Lady of Fatima, pray for us! Lady of Perpetual Help, *pray for us!*

~ **DIocese OF BELLEVILLE NEWS**~

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Respect Life Bulletin Corner

“In addition to enshrining pro-life laws and policies, the transformation of our culture also requires continual conversion of our own hearts, so that we can recognize in every person the face of Christ and place their needs before our own.”

Most Reverend Michael F. Burbidge, Chair of the USCCB Committee on Pro-Life Activities  
“Living Radical Solidarity”

**The 2024 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal**  
*Serve the Lord with gladness*  
**-Psalm 100**

The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal Fund for Ministry provides funding to parishes, schools and organizations throughout our diocese for local projects. A total of 37 grants were awarded throughout our diocese in the past year. Help this popular program which funds local projects continue through **your gift** to this year’s Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal.

**Catholic Campaign for Human Development Collection**

Next week our special collection will support the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD), an initiative of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops. This collection supports community and economic development programs that empower U.S. people living in poverty to identify and address the obstacles they face. Grants help local grassroots organizations to bring permanent and positive change to their communities. One example is Rise Community Market, a grocery cooperative owned and run by people in the Cairo area who lived for years in a food desert. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development in our diocese and nation at [diobelle.org/catholic-charities/cchd](http://diobelle.org/catholic-charities/cchd). Please be generous in supporting CCHD by giving through the CCHD envelope in your envelope packet or online at (if your parish has an online giving option put that here. If not, please give this online giving option: <https://stclarechurch.org/cchd>.)

If you know of a grassroots community or economic development program that could benefit from CCHD funding, contact CCHD Diocesan Director, Cheryl Sommer at [cchddiobelle@gmail.com](mailto:cchddiobelle@gmail.com).

St. Joseph Church  
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~ **Mission Statement** ~

St. Joseph Parish family is a community of believers rooted in the teachings of Jesus Christ. Using the individual gifts we have been given by God, we minister to ourselves and others through prayer, support, and service.

We nurture our inherited faith life and through the power of the Spirit pass it to future generations.

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Jeffrey Rosenberg ..... Trustee  
Elliot Brazil..... Trustee

~ **Sacraments** ~

Baptism: Infant or adult, please contact the Parish Office.

Reconciliation: Saturdays from 4:30 PM – 4:45 PM or contact the Parish Office.

Marriage: Call no later than 6 months in advance.

Anointing of the Sick: Any time of need.



~ **Welcome, New Parishioners** ~

Please register as soon as you move into our parish. Call the Parish Office (392-8181) to receive a new member packet.

(If you are not receiving church offering envelopes, you are not properly registered.)

Office hours: Mon. Wed. Fri. 7:30-3:00 pm

~ **St. Joseph School** ~

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