

**Mass Intentions This Week****Saturday, November 16, 2019**

4:00 PM †Bob Boyle—Deb Boyle

**Sunday, November 17, 2019**

10:00 AM Saint Patrick Parishioners (Pro populo)

12:00 PM Spanish Mass

†Barbara Daly-Craig &amp; Carne Kline

**Tuesday, November 19, 2019**

8:00 AM †Roger Leasure-Reagan &amp; Julie Kennedy

**Thursday, November 21, 2019**

6:15 PM †Don and Fr. Jim Schrader-Richard Schrader

6:45 PM Adoration and Confession

**Saturday, November 23, 2019**

4:00 PM Saint Patrick Parishioners (Pro populo)

**Sunday, November 24, 2019**

10:00 AM †Jim Tromblay-Judy and Coop

**10:00 AM *Additional Masses at St Mary of Woods:*** Saturday, 6:00 pm and Sunday, 8:00 am; Wed. 8:00 am, Thurs, 6:15 pm, second and fourth Thursday of the month, Fri., 8:00 am, beginning again Sunday: 24 May 10:00 am Mass, ending 16 September 2020

**Parish Offering: Nov 9,10 2019**

Sunday Offering \$6,481.00

Improvement Fund \$1,040.00

Assessment \$ 100.00

All Saints Day \$ 95.00

Advent \$ 20.00

Assumption of Mary \$ 973.00

Total Collections \$8,709.00

*Thank you for your generosity*

Weekend Mass Attendance: Nov 9, 10, 2019—432

**Ministry Schedule for November****Sat, Nov 23, 4:00 pm**

Serves: Carter &amp; Cooper Buck, Josais Robles

Lect: Susan Brewer, Tim Smith

Mins: Sharon Hess, Mary Smith

**Sun, Nov 24, 10:00 am**

Serves: Patrick, Chloe &amp; Gabby Stolly

Lect: Terry Stolly, Becky Jones

Mins: Mark Jones, Kelly Stegeman

**Project Merry Christmas—It is that time of year again!** The time when we ask for your help with Project Merry Christmas to help local needy families with food and/or children with a gift. The stars and trees will be put up for the weekends of Nov 23,24,30 and Dec 1. Bags will be available with a list of food items at those weekend masses. *All items should be returned to the church by DEC 8.*

**Contact CATHY DINOVO 937.935.2557***Any questions, would like to help—St. Vincent de Paul***The Saint Cecilia Sing, Saturday  
November 23**

Supper will be at 5:00 pm in Makley Hall.

Singing will be at 6:00 pm in Church.

Come and join us for a free evening of food, singing, and fellowship! Many talented musicians will be featured in the concert.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

**The Lighthouse Emergency Shelter**

A Cooperative Ministry of Logan County Churches and Organizations

*Greetings:**My name is Brandi Kinchen, I am the new Executive Director of the Lighthouse Emergency Shelters here in Bellefontaine.**I hope to successfully oversee the Damascus House and the Emmaus house. I hope to build relationship with Logan County churches and organizations who so graciously have donated their time and giving to the ministry. If it wasn't for the churches working together as a whole, this ministry may not even exist.**Because of the donations that come in, men, women and families can have a cozy place to lay their head. They're able to stay ward (or stay cool). They're able to shower. They're able to rest. They're able to forget, if just for a moment, the hardships that are weighing on their should. Without you, this mission would cease.**We are in need to stock up on basic daily necessities with the cold months approaching. Feel free to reach out to me and I will arrange a day and time to pick up items gathered.**Thank you so much for your time and your hearts to serve. God Bless!! Brandi Kinchen, Ex Director****TOILET PAPER, PAPER TOWELS, FULL SIZE SHEETS & BLANKETS, GENERAL CLEANING SUPPLIES, LAUNDRY & DISH SOAP, BLUE CITY TRASH BAGS, 13 GALLON TRASH BAGS, PILLOWS, HYGIENE PRODUCTS: SHAMPOO, SOAP, DEODORANT, TOOTHBRUSH, TOOTH PASTE, FEMININE PRODUCTS, ETC.*****Contact: Brandi Kinchen at 937-935-4692**

**MASS INTENTIONS:** Please, fill out the form below and drop in the collection basket or mail to the office. There is a \$5 stipend for each Mass requested. **PLEASE, PRINT!**  
**Intention:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Offered by:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Date requested:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Mass requested:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**We will make every attempt to get them on the date you request, however, funerals, prior requests and other events may prevent this, a specified date needs a 3 week notice to meet publication deadlines.**

**THIS WEEK'S SCRIPTURE READING:**

Mon., Nov 18: 1 Mc 1:10-15,41-43,5-57,62-63 Ps1 19:53, 61, 134,150,155,158 Lk 18:35-43  
 Tues., Nov 19: 2 Mc 6:18-31 Ps 3:2-7 Lk 19:1-10  
 Wed., Nov 20: 2 Mc 7:1,20-31 Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6,8b,15 Lk 19:11-28  
 Thurs., Nov 21: 1 Mc 2:15-29 Ps 50:1b-2,5-6, 14-15 Lk 19:41-44  
 Fri., Nov 22: 1 Mc 4:36-37,52-59 (Ps)1 Chr 29:10b-12 Lk 19:45-48  
 Sat., Nov 23: 1 Mc 6:1-13 Ps 9:2-4,6,16b,19 Lk 20:27-40



2 Sm 5:1-3  
 Ps 122:1-5  
 Col 1:12-20  
 Lk 23:35-43

**SAVE THE DATE**

Nov 23, 2019, 7:00 am Session 9 Men's Gp—  
 Honor Your Wedding Vows

Rosary will be recited: Sat at 3:30 pm & Sun 9:15 am  
 before the Mass. ALL ARE WELCOME!

Parish Prayer Line: Tammy Bauer, 937.441.0645

**Benefits of Eucharistic Adoration:**

I understand that, each time we contemplate with desire and devotion the Host in which is hidden Christ's Eucharistic Body, we increase our merits in heaven and secure special joys to be ours later in the beatific vision of God. (St.Gertrude)

**ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (592.9455)**

Hours: 10:00 am-12:00 pm, Tuesday & Thursday;  
 5:00-7:00 pm, Wednesday. Dates: Nov 5,6,7, 2019  
 Money Spent: \$3130.99 Clients: 81  
 NEEDS: laundry detergent, personal hygiene items, plastic grocery bags  
 THANK YOU!

ANGEL OF GOD, my guardian dear, to whom God's love commits me here, ever this day be at my side, to light and guard, to rule and guide, Amen.

**Thanksgiving Reflections**

*"No duty is more urgent than that of returning thanks." - St. Ambrose*

Thankfulness is key to changing the culture. When people are thankful and they let others know, they are recognizing the work others do to serve them. As Catholics, we strive to imitate Jesus, who is the Servant and came to serve us during this time on earth. When we are not thankful, we are not recognizing Christ and the value of the other person. We especially forget to be thankful to the ones closest to us. Find a way to thank someone close to you, your spouse, parents, siblings, etc.

**Reflections from the Holy Land**

I would like to take a moment to share some highlights from my recent pilgrimage to the Holy Land. It was an amazing experience! One of the highlights was the Mass on Mt. Tabor. This mountain has a majestic view of the entire area around Galilee. It was the location of the Transfiguration, and also where Christ commanded the apostles to go and baptize all nations (Matt 28:16-20) after His Resurrection. It was powerful to reflect on the majesty of God at the very place where He revealed His glory to the apostles, and to know the Eucharist I elevated at Mass is the same Lord of Glory!

I spent some time in quiet prayer in the Church of the Holy Sepulcher, just a few feet away from the empty tomb. I meditated on John 20, the appearance of Jesus to Mary Magdalene. In particular, I focused on what she would have experienced as she first encountered the Risen Lord. It's amazing how being at a location like that can cause the events to come alive! I had a similar experience offering the Mass on Calvary, as I reflected on the words, "For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him might not perish but might have eternal life" (Jn 3:16).

A pilgrimage like this is a powerful way to strengthen our faith! It reinforces the fact that our faith is not based on mythology or fiction, but real events that took place at real places that we can visit today.

Father Shawn Landenwitch, Pastor