

St. Joseph Parish

Galloway



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Mission Statement

Baptized in Christ Jesus and nourished by his Word and Sacrament we strive to live our daily lives in love and service to God and neighbor.

Pastor:

Augustine K. Bentil

Staff:

Sister Mary Ellen Diermeier

Deacon Timothy Betker

Crystal Bushman, DRE

Valerie Wierzba, Parish Administrator

Mass Times

St. Joseph, Galloway

Saturday 4:00 pm

Sunday 8:30 am

St. Ladislaus, Bevent

Sunday 10:10 am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

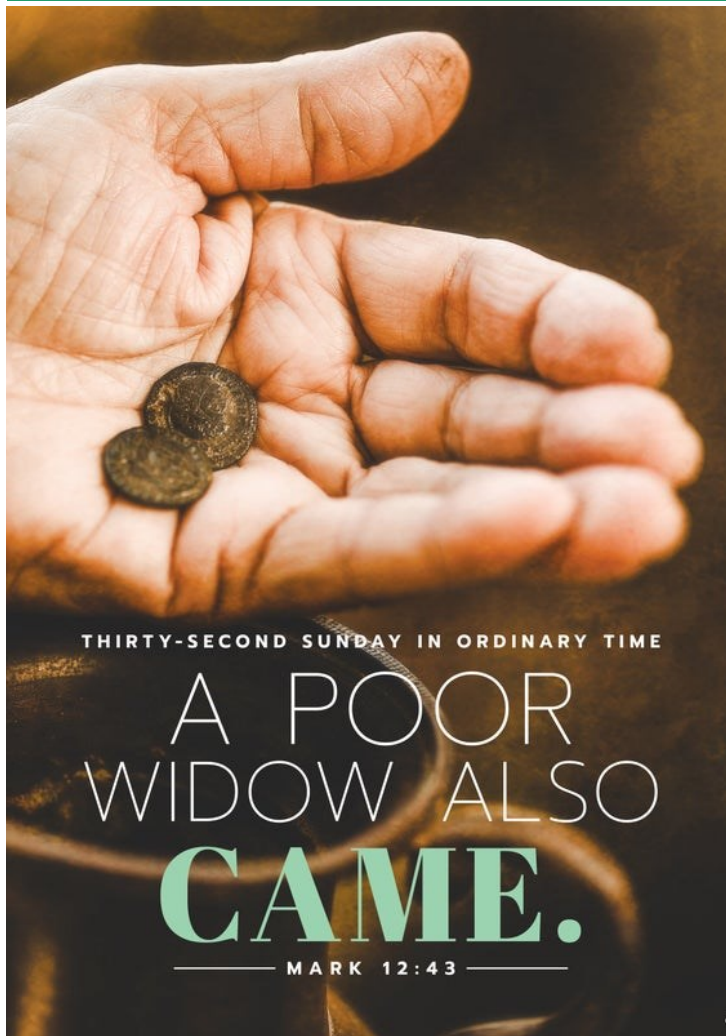
Saturday 3:35-3:55 pm

Sunday 8:00-8:20 am

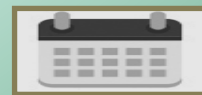
Sacrament of Marriage

Please contact the Rectory to schedule a date and time. 9 months preparation is required. One or both persons should be registered with the parish for at least 1 full year.

NOVEMBER 10, 2024



Mark your Calendars!



November:

Wed. 13- Mass 8:30 am

CCD 6:15 pm w/ Chaplet 7:20 pm

Fri. 15- Mass 8:30 am

Sat. 16- Mass 4:00 pm

Sun. 17- Mass 8:30 am

Wed. 20- Mass 8:30 am

CCD 6:15 pm w/ Chaplet 7:20 pm

Fri. 22- Mass 8:30 am

Sat. 23- Hunters' Mass 7:30 pm

Bake Sale after Mass



Liturgies of the Week

Wed. Nov 13 - St Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin
8:30 am- John & Corine Kulas *by August & Caroline Trzebiatowski*

Fri. Nov 15 - Weekday
8:30 am- Fran Cherek *by Larry & Wendy Gruna*

Sat. Nov 16 - 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Vigil
4:00 pm- Tom Link *by Family*

Sun. Nov 17 - 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
8:30 am- Emerick Zoromski *by Mark & Lisa Walder*

Rosary prayed 1/2 hour before Mass



PCCW Bake Sale

Calling all bakers to put your love of baking to good use!

Following the weekend Masses on Sat, Nov 23 (7:30 pm) and Sun, Nov 24 (8:30 am), St Joseph Parish Council of Catholic Women (PCCW) will be holding a bake sale. If you are able, we are looking for donations of breads, pies, cookies, bars, cakes, muffins, cupcakes, etc. We are also in need of individuals willing to sell the items after Sunday Mass. If you would like to help to sell on Sunday or have questions, please call or text Donna 715-570-0076.



A HUGE thank you to all for your generous donations, raffle ticket sales, and volunteer work with the soup and breakfast. St Joseph Parish held its Harvest Breakfast Wrap up meeting on Oct 29th. Here are the numbers...

Donations: \$4375.00

Breakfast: \$2428.00

Soup Sales: \$5046.00

Expenses: \$3234.08

Net Profit: \$8614.92

Raffle: Made over **\$9,000** in profit. Not all numbers are in at this time.

Volunteers Needed!



Musicians wanted:

Crystal Bushman and Brenda Flees provide music for liturgical worship, but are not

always available every mass or weekend. If anyone is interested in sharing their time and talent by providing music at St. Joseph, please contact Crystal at stjoseph4faith@gmail.com for more information.

Baptism dates: Nov 23 & 24, Dec 7, 8, 21 & 22. Please call the rectory to schedule. If this is your first child being baptized, please also call Sister Mary Ellen (715.446.3060) to schedule a baptism class.



Saturday, Mass 4 pm - November 16

Lector: **Mary Uttecht**
 Eucharist: **Jeff Uttecht**
 Blood of Christ: **Mary Uttecht**
Renee Groshek
 Ushers: **Fred Groshek**
Volunteer
 TV Monitors: **Alex Wierzba**
 Rosary (Glorious): **Renee Groshek**

Sunday, Mass 8:30 am - November 17

Lector: **Michele O'Donnell**
 Eucharist: **Mike O'Donnell**
 Blood of Christ: **Dick Golomski**
Donna Golomski
 Altar Servers: **Michael Wierzba**
Dustin Wierzba
 Ushers: **Joe Bushman Jr**
Brennen Bushman
Andy Wierzba
 TV Monitors: **Dalton Fletcher**
 Rosary (Glorious): **Joan Brahmer**

Gifts to Our Lord: Oct 28- Nov 3, 2024

Adult Envelopes	\$2348.00
Youth Envelopes	\$5.00
Offertory	\$423.00
Christmas Flowers	\$25.00
CCD Registrations	\$45.00
Total	\$2846.00

Mary and the Saints

Question: Why do Catholics pray to Mary and the saints?

Answer: One of the statements of faith we make when we pray the Nicene Creed and the Apostles Creed is that we believe in “the communion of saints.” The Catechism of the Catholic Church reminds us that this communion (another word for community) includes all the faithful on earth, the souls in Purgatory, and the blessed women, men, and children who are in heaven. This teaching is grounded in our belief that, through Baptism, we are united with Christ and to one another with bonds that are stronger even than death.

And so from the time of the early Church, Christians have turned to other believers for prayers and assistance, including those who have gone before us, confident that God hears the prayers of all of His children. While we ask the saints (and one another) for prayers and support, we remember that the saints join us in prayer. But it is God who blesses and sanctifies us.

When we think of Mary and the saints in heaven, we have to remember that we can turn to them for intercession and assistance because they were faulted, limited human beings, just like us. This means that they are able to understand our struggles, doubts, fears, joys, and hopes. But as we learn their stories, we can also begin to recognize that they stand out in the history of the Church because they persevered in their commitment to follow Christ. Whether they were ordained, vowed religious, martyrs, husbands, wives, or even children, they show us that holiness is possible. We can not only follow their example but also benefit from their prayerful support.

Our devotion to the saints and gratitude for their witness, prayers, and protection should also be an inspiration for us, especially when we become aware of the needs of others or when others ask us to pray for them. We are called to share the blessings we receive. This is also part of our own journey of growing in holiness. ©LPi

A Minute with Jesus

God created you to be His beloved son or daughter so that you may spend eternity with Him.

God is our Creator, and He only wants what is best for us. We must remember! It is *our* choice: we want to knowingly be open, and receive God’s love; or we can refuse it. God gives us this freedom to choose Him. Let us choose to receive God’s love by receiving the Eucharist – Jesus Himself.

Let’s pray this right now and every day this week: God, help me not to prefer anything more than You, nor to substitute anything for You. **Thank You** for the grace that will always strengthen me to choose You above everything.

Area Events

- ◆ **Country Spare Rib & Sauerkraut Dinner**, Faith Christian School Cafeteria, Wausau, **Nov 10, 11 am- 2 pm**, Co-Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus, funds go to support Never Forgotten Honor Flight \$15 person
- ◆ **Memorial/ Candle Lighting Ceremony**, St Ladislaus, Bevent, **Nov 11, 6:30 pm** Honor your deceased loved ones with a light meal to follow
- ◆ **Harvest Dinner**, St Adalbert Parish, **Nov 23, 4-8pm**, Chicken Soup, Ham, Kielbasa & Kraut, Potatoes & Gizzard Gravy, Gun Raffle, 50/50, Adults \$18, Children 5-12 \$10, 4 & under- free
- ◆ **Ribeye Steak Dinner**, Galloway Community Center, **Nov 24, 4-7pm**, 12oz Ribeye, Baked Potato, Salad Bar, \$35/ person
- ◆ **St. Therese Holiday Showcase**, Schofield, **Nov 23, 9am -3pm**, 60 Craft Vendors, Raffle, Luncheon, Bake Sale
- ◆ **St. Agnes Sweet Shoppe**, Weston, **Dec 14, 10am-2pm**, Fancy Cookies & Candy by the pound, Raffle, Lunch

(see flyers on bulletin board for all events)

Book of Life



Once again, our Book of Life is in the Church foyer all November, the month dedicated to those who have gone before us in death. You are invited to enter the names of deceased loved ones in the book.

During November, we will remember in a special way those whose names are entered in the Book of Life. *“Eternal rest, grant unto them O Lord, and let Perpetual Light shine upon them.”*

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