

Bulletin Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**November 17-18, 2018****From Fr. Anthony Ligato****Stand up and see that our salvation is at hand**

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

It can seem as if the world is breaking apart right in front of our eyes: wars, terrorism, violence, social issues, the clergy sexual abuse crisis and political discord. We also see in our communities and on our streets, the opioid drug abuse problem and crumbling schools and an overall lack of respect for human life and dignity. No wonder a person can be overwhelmed by the problems of our world. It can be more than a human body can stand. There is however reason to rejoice. Yes, I said Rejoice! The reason for the rejoicing is not because our world is breaking apart; it is because hope is breaking in. Hope in the intervention of our God. The Kingdom of God is our hope and promise, "And then they will see the Son of Man coming in the clouds with great power and glory, and then he will send out the angels and gather his elect from the four winds, from the end of the earth to the end of the sky." (Mark 13:24-32) Hope is breaking in because our God is breaking into the world by continually offering his help and protection from the evil one and the chaos that he has brought about. God's protection is given to us through the aid of St. Michael the Archangel. We are protected from the wars and pestilence we see in the world today by so great an Archangel, "At that time there shall arise Michael, the great prince, guardian of your people." (Daniel 12:1-3) The Lord our God offers us help and protection in his Angels and with so great a choir of angels watching over us, how can we not feel safe? But we must ask for this protection in our prayers by calling upon all the angels, archangels and guardian angels as well as all the saints to intercede for us and to protect us by their prayers and presence in our lives. This is not simply an expression of sentimentality. This is the truth of the scriptures for which we are called to pray daily. We can call for this help and protection in such ways as praying the prayer to St. Michael the Archangel or St. Jude the Apostle Novena Prayer.

Prayer of St. Michael the Archangel

St. Michael the Archangel defend us in battle. Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits, who wander through the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen

*Continued...***Novena Prayer to St. Jude the Apostle**

O Holy St. Jude, Apostle and Martyr, great in virtue and rich in miracles, near kinsman of our Lord Jesus Christ, faithful intercessor of all who invoke your special patronage in time of need, to you I have recourse from the depth of my heart and humbly beg to whom God has given such great power to come to my assistance. Help me in my present and urgent petition. In return I promise to make your name known and cause you to be invoked.

St. Jude pray for us all and who invoke your aid. Amen

There is hope and joy that comes from such faith, "the wise shall shine brightly like the splendor of the firmament, and those who lead the many to justice shall be like the stars forever." (Daniel 12:3) Fear and anxiety does not have to govern our lives, we have been free from such worries if we accept God's help. To accept such help from God means we are readying ourselves for the coming of the Lord in the fullness of his glory. So, when we are overwhelmed by a world that continually seems as if it is breaking apart, let us listen to the words of our Lord Jesus Christ which offer us comfort and protection. "Learn a lesson from the fig tree. When its branch becomes tender and sprouts leaves, you know that summer is near. In the same way, when you see these things happening, know that he is near, at the gates. (Mark 13: 28-29) So when you feel overwhelmed and alone in the world, remember that God is continually breaking in and especially when the world seems like it is breaking apart. Stand up and see that our salvation is at hand

Yours in Christ,
Fr. Anthony

**CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT
WORKING ON THE MARGINS**

Please be generous in this week's second collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. In the United States, one in seven people lives in poverty. With this collection you support programs that address the causes of poverty and provide a sustainable future for those who are struggling across the country. In addition, 25 percent of funds collected remains in our diocese to fund local anti-poverty projects. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this collection and work on the margins.

PARISH OFFICE NEWS

The Parish Office will be closed on Wednesday, November 21 through Friday, November 23, 2018 due to the Thanksgiving Day Holiday. We will re-open on Monday, November 26, 2018 at 8:30AM.

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

PRAYERS

We will pray for those who are ill, hospitalized, recuperating and all those who are in need of prayers. If you know someone who could use prayers, please call the Parish Office and leave their name for inclusion in the bulletin. Please make sure you have their permission to do so. This week we pray for the following people:

Jacqueline Ackner, Anne Antdomi, Raymond Bagley, Carol Bennete, Colleen Bornhorst, Ann Burke, Bryce Chapman, Bob & Rose Davignon, Michelle Darcy, Chester DeBell Sr., Tina Demczar, Edward Doin, Edward Dworakowski, Theresa Dworakowski, Joseph Esposito, Thomas Esposito, Ralph Esposito, Donna Flinton, Brenda Flynn, Dick Galvin, Dave Grinko, Pat Harley, Tony Huneau, Fran Geise, Mary Ellen Gibson, Lynn Gorman, Margaret Hoban, Debbie Hopkins, Monique Inyard, Dorothy Jones, Mary Keeley, Edward Kehn Jr., Tayla Kreiger, James E. Madden, Anthony Mainello, Craig Maloney, David Manning, Jimmy Margo, Charlie Martinec, Chuck Miorin, Debra Moulton, Anne McHugh, Morgan McEvelly, Stella Muzicka, Christine Pangburn, Dawn Perlmin, Mary Phibbs, Jack Reid, Bonnie Ritrovoto, Laney Robillard, David & Roni Ruppert, Christopher Russell, Jason Russell, Kirstin Shoemaker, Kenny Schroeder, Kaleb Schwartz, Derrick Senior, Margaret Shields, Mary Signorelli, Courtney Sims, Anne Stevens, John Sullivan, Shirley Talbot, Joseph Tenzyk, Leona Toniatti, Anthony Valenti, Ashley Valenti, Madeline Valenti, J. Van Amburgh, Holly Wait, Sharon Wiliking, and Phyllis Ziobroski.

DID YOU KNOW?

We bring Communion to those in our parish community who are homebound and cannot attend Mass. If you know of someone who is unable to attend Mass and would like to receive communion and a visit, please call the Parish Office at 283-1162.

ACTIVE, RESERVE AND NATIONAL GUARD PRAYER LIST

We would like to pray for all our military personnel in our Parish and we would like to include their names in the bulletin each week. We request that you assist us by submitting the names to the Parish Office so that these service members can be included in our prayers. **SFC. Michael Baker, Matthew S. Cannon, SRA Jordan Correll USAF, SRA Colton Correll USAF, Third Class Petty Officer Christopher Fox, USMC—CPL W (Mac) Harkin, AB Mary B. McDade USAF Joe McMillen, First Sergeant Aime Moore, LCpl. Matthew T. Nero US Marines, Airman 1st Class Michael D. Jennings,**

EUCEMENICAL THANKSGIVING PRAYER SERVICE

St. Michael the Archangel Church will be hosting the North Greenbush Ecumenical Thanksgiving Prayer Service on Tuesday, November 20, 2018 at 7:00PM. A dry or canned good offering will be accepted for Doors of Hope Food Pantry.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

November 22, 2018

Thanksgiving



9AM

Lectors	1. A. Frost 2. S. Flagg	Altar Servers	1. M. Frost 2. N. Frost 3. T. Frost
Ministers	H. Dcn. Warren 1. J. Kruczlnicki 2. M. Kruczlnicki 3. B. Zemanick 4. C. Aanonsen		

THANKSGIVING DAY FOOD COLLECTION

Please bring a canned food item or a dry food item to the 9:00am Thanksgiving Day Mass as part of our offertory collection to help replenish the shelves of Doors of Hope Food Pantry.

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY COLLECTION

The Annual Collection for young adults at Vanderheyden Hall will begin on Saturday, November 17, 2018 and run until Sunday, December 9, 2018. Gifts needed include toiletries, gift cards, hobbies, books, all size t-shirts, sweat-shirts, hats, gloves, and board games. Please bring all gifts unwrapped and place in the bags by the Giving Tree labeled Vanderheyden. Thank you for your generosity and continued support.



CHRISTIAN SERVICE Christmas Giving Tree

The St. Jude the Apostle Parish Giving Tree has ornaments which contain specific requests from our Parish families and the local community. Please take an ornament, purchase the item, and bring the WRAPPED gift with its ornament tag back, and place it under the Giving Tree no later than Sunday, December 9th. Thank You..

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Thank you for the blessings you give to us of comfort, warmth and rest.
Thank you for the beauty of nature, blue skies and smiles.
Lord, thank you for the pleasure of conversation, intimacy and love,
And for the sustenance of food, drink and water.
Help me to notice and value these rich blessings in my life.
May I feel full, whole and ready to give to those who have little.
Amen.

THANK YOU



Thank you to Jeanne Waterbury and Ann Reilly for donating the Crucifix for the Altar in the Church.

NOVEMBER 18, 2018

St. Jude The Apostle School

REMEMBERING AND HONORING VETERANS

St. Jude the Apostle students remembered and honored veterans in special ways in the days surrounding Veteran's Day this year. Some of our youngest Pre-K students created poppy flowers and a prayer to share with a special veteran. Some of our older students who serve as Student Ambassadors helped out at the Veteran's Day Mass and Reception. As a school community the halls are lined with the names of veterans and active duty military that are part of our SJS community. We remember and honor these brave and loyal men and women who have steadfastly served in their chosen branch of our military. Thank you for your service!



PARISH NURSE PROGRAM

Thanksgiving is rapidly approaching so now is a good time to remind folks of some tips to keep everyone healthy. Make sure the turkey is cooked thoroughly-we often hear of cases of salmonella and that disease can be prevented from eating only fully cooked poultry and never anything with Raw eggs. Keep hot foods hot and cold foods cold. Do not leave anything out of the refrigerator longer than 2 hours. It is much safer to refrigerate leftovers while they are still warm -cool them off before bacteria has time to grow. Eat a little bit of everything to enjoy all the great flavors. Don't stuff yourself like the turkey! Most importantly, enjoy the moment with family and friends. That is what Thanksgiving is all about! Have a wonderful Holiday!



DOORS OF HOPE

This is our local food pantry that aids our community members. The needs of those who are struggling never diminish. Please give generously to help our community pantry provide food and personal care items to those in need. Suggested items needed are: *peanut butter, jelly, rice, instant potatoes, ready to serve puddings, disposable razors, diapers, and feminine products.*

11 bags were received and brought to Doors of Hope last week. Thank you for your generosity.

ROSARY ALTARY SOCIETY

Our December meeting will be on Sunday, December 2, 2018 after the 9AM mass at the St. Jude Parish Center. Our Annual Christmas Party will also be held at our meeting. Please bring hats, mittens, and scarves for St. Joseph's Center and Joseph's House. Men's, Woman's and Children's items are needed, Thank You!



CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD

November 18, 2018

9:00AM Varsha Joseph

CHILDREN'S 11:00AM Carmella Moore

Liturgy of the Word

November 25, 2018

9:00AM NO SESSION

11:00AM NO SESSION

Children's Liturgy of the Word will be held during the 9:00 a.m. & 11:30a.m. Mass. Children's Liturgy of the Word is

K-6 FAITH FORMATION CALENDAR

November 18	Class at 10:30AM
November 25	NO CLASS
December 2	Class at 10:30AM
December 9	Class at 10:30AM

Christmas Pageant sign up sheets have been distributed to all the children in Faith Formation and at St. Jude the Apostle School. If your child is interested in participating, please contact Patti Mugrace at the Parish Center at 518-283-1162.

TEAM PATHWAYS

November 18	7th & 8th Grade Class at 10:45AM 9th & 10th Grade delivering food bags
November 25	NO CLASS **giving tree pick up at the Christmas tree at the front of Church.
December 2	7th & 8th Grade Class at 10:45AM 9th & 10th Grade Class at 10AM
December 9	7th & 8th Grade Class at 10:45AM 9th & 10th Grade Class at 10AM **giving tree pick up at the Christmas tree at the front of Church after 9AM Mass UNTIL December 9th.

ADVENT CANDLE

During Advent we will be lighting our Advent Candle and we are offering everyone the opportunity to participate in the lighting of the candle at all masses for all the Sundays of Advent. Beginning next weekend there will be a sign-up sheet located on the bulletin board in the vestibule of the Church for anyone who is interested to join in this as a couple, a family or as individuals.

Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Announced Masses

Saturday, November 17

4:00PM Daniel & Margaret Keating, Norma
Kyran Devery, Terry & Mary Dubois
Anna Passonno, T.J. & Janice Jackson
Nancy Hannigan,
Jack & Maureen Rogers

Sunday, November 18

9:00AM Dan Campbell, Dolores Long
Louise Bowen, James Krege
Louise Bowen, Jane Mamone

11:30AM Joseph Frost, Patti Mugrace
Joann Brochu, Maureen, Kevin & Logan
Florence Daly, Maureen Hannigan

Monday, November 19

8:00AM Patricia Noel, Family
David Holmes, Family

2:00PM Deceased Residents of St. Jude Apts.

Tuesday, November 20

8:00AM Kenneth Burton, St. Jude Knights of
Columbus

Wednesday, November 21

8:00AM Joseph Rodino, St. Jude Knights of
Columbus

Thursday, November 22

8:00AM Deceased Parishioners of St. Jude

Friday, November 23

Eugene Flinton, St. Jude Knights of
Columbus

Saturday, November 24

4:00PM Ned Fitzgerald, Dan O'Connell
Kyran Devery, Al & Patti Mugrace
Karen Layman, T.J. & Jan Jackson
Elaine Haskins, Dan & Trish Steen

Sunday, November 25

9:00AM Lane Zugalla, Bill & Elaine Cronin
Nancy Hannigan, Tom & Mary Phibbs
Helen Keohan, Bill Keohan
Victoria Mantello, Nadine Fong

11:30AM Joseph Frost, Patti Mugrace
Louise Bowen, Gino & Fran Lengua
Stephen Finelli, Mary Ann Grago, Susan
VerBicki, & Nancy Kyer

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Weekend of November 24, 2018

	<u>4PM</u>	<u>9AM</u>	<u>11AM</u>
Lectors	1. A. Short	N. Clemenzi	K. Giglia
	2. C. Tenzyk	M. Goss	L. Burzesi
Ministers	H. K. Harriman	Dcn. Warren	S. Bonanni
	1. L. Owens	R. Palasz	M. Donnelly
	2. J. Rogers	P. Schaeffer	Jess D.
	3. K. Caruso	H. Skiba	
	4. P. Caruso	M.Sullivan	
		C. L. Terry	
Servers	1. N. Harriman	M. McDade	A. Burzesi
	2. A. Harriman	M.McDade	R. Donnelly
	3. S. Short	E. Parker	G. Giglia

Readings for the Week of November 18, 2018

Sunday:	Dn 12:1-3/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 [1]/Heb 10:11-14, 18/Mk 13:24-32
Monday:	Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [Rv 2:17]/Lk 18:35-43
Tuesday:	Rv 3:1-6, 14-22/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5 [Rv 3:21]/Lk 19:1-10
Wednesday:	Rv 4:1-11/Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6 [1b]/Lk 19:11-28
Thursday:	Rv 5:1-10/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b [Rv 5:10]/Lk 19:41-44
Friday:	Rv 10:8-11/Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131 [103a]/Lk 19:45-48
Saturday:	Rv 11:4-12/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10 [1b]/Lk 20:27-40
Next Sunday:	Dn 7:13-14/Ps 93:1, 1-2, 5 [1a]/Rv 1:5-8/Jn 18:33b-37

Stewardship

Offertory support of our Parish Community week of 11/11/2018	\$4,081.00
Total accumulated offertory for the current year to date beginning July 1, 2018 is	\$108,692.00
Total Offertory budget for the current year beginning July 1, 2018	\$349,800.00
Offertory support of our Parish Community for the same week in 2017 was	\$4,845.00
Total accumulated offertory for the same period year to date in 2017-2018	\$114,439.00
2nd Collection Maintenance & Repairs	\$486.00

November 18, 2018 Team #1 Mary Ellen Hunt
November 25, 2018 Team #2 Peter McMillen
December 2, 2018 Team #3 Bob Myron
December 9, 2018 Team #4 John Waterbury
December 16, 2018 Team #5 Cherie Aanonsen
December 23, 2018 Team #6 Tanya Halse
December 30, 2018 Team #7 Rose Galipeau
January 6, 2019 Team #1 Mary Ellen Hunt

Mass Schedule for our Local Catholic Community

Sacred Heart	Sat. 4P M, Sun. 8:30AM & 10:30AM Weekday Mon.-Fri. 9AM
St. Jude	Sat. 4PM, Sun. 9AM & 11:30AM Weekday Mon.-Fri. 8AM
St. Michael	Sat. 5:15, Sun. 7:30AM & 10:15AM Weekday Mon-Thru. 12:10PM
Van Rensselaer Manor	Tuesdays at 1:45PM