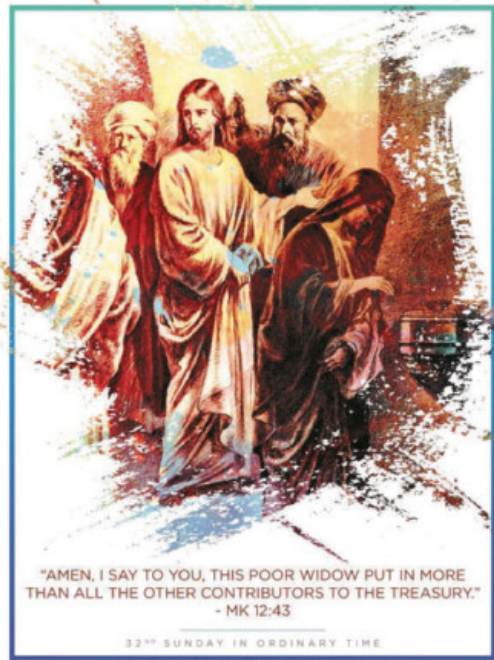


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32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Mass

Monday | 8:30 am St. Joseph's
Tuesday | 8:30 St Francis
Wednesday | No Mass today
Thursday | 8:30 am St Francis
Friday | 8:30 am St Joseph's

Weekend Mass

Saturday | 4 pm St Joseph's
6 pm St Francis (summer only)
Sunday | 8:30 am St Francis
10:30 am St Joseph's

Confession

Saturday | 3:15 pm St Joseph's
Sunday | 8 am St Francis

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Our Mission

We, the Roman Catholic community of St. Francis of Assisi and St. Joseph's are called to live the Gospel message of Jesus through Hospitality, Worship, Faith Formation and Service to others.

Trustees

SJ	SF
Sheila Bleyl	Alesha Hoffman
Carm Greco	Judy Morrison

A prayer for Veteran's Day

Lord God, Almighty Father,
creator of mankind and author of peace,
as we re ever mindful of the cost paid for the liberty we possess,
we ask you to bless the members of our armed forces.
Give them courage, hope and strength.
May they ever experience your firm support, gentle love and compassionate healing.
Be their power and protector, leading them from darkness to light.
To you be all glory, honor and praise, now and forever.

Amen.

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St. Joseph's Mass Intentions

Saturday (9) 4 pm

Jennifer MacLean + MaryLou Lockyer
Angela Fusco + Pat Cardone

Sun (10) 10:30 am

Jim Raven + Joan Raven
Angela Fusco + Pat Ottati
Patricia Ruggeri + Delliveneri family

Mon (11) 8:30 am

No Mass today in observance of Veteran's Day

Friday (15) 8:30 am

Rev. David Uhrless + Gary Herba

Saturday (16) 4 pm

Mike Gardina + Pat Cardone
Angela Fusco + Jim & Ann Sargalis
Judy Burrows + George & Carol Pifko

Sun (17) 10:30 am

Angela Fusco + St. Joseph's Closet Staff
Tim Kline + Murray Family

St. Francis Mass Intentions

Sun (10) 8:30 am

Bernard LaRose + his loving family

Tuesday (12) 8:30 am

Rev. Patrick P Livingston, Rev. William B Connell,
Rev. Henry J Burke, Msgr. Vincent DeP Srchambault,
Rev. Ralph Fingar, Rev. Francis Salamon,
Rev. Peter V Kranch

Thursday (14) 8:30 am

Julia Malacynski + Rick, Pat & Dan Fallis

Sun (17) 8:30 am

Kim Snyder + Cathy Atherton



The red Sanctuary Candle burns all week to remind people of the Presence of Jesus in the Eucharist. You can memorialize our candle at Saint Joseph Parish for a week for a deceased loved one, a living person or a special intention. The Intention and Donor's names will be published in our weekly bulletin. The suggested donation for the 7-day candle is \$20. All submissions must be made at least 2 weeks prior to the week you are requesting to accommodate bulletin printing deadlines. Please call the office for scheduling requests.

INTRODUCTION TO THE LITURGY OF THE DAY ~ We believe that everything we have ultimately comes from God. God gave us life to begin with, offers us the gift of new life through Christ Jesus, and blesses our life every day. We hope to imitate God's generosity through our own actions. The readings we hear today offer a lesson in finding a way to respond generously to the gifts we have received, no matter our state in life. They also remind us not to judge the generosity of others. Listening to God's word, may we be reminded of our obligation to give back to God, as God has generously given to us.

WORD OF LIFE ~ "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"

(Practicing) Catholic - Recognize God in your Ordinary Moments By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman ~ **Giving From Abundance**

If you're like me, and you're far, far below the "having buildings named after you" tax bracket, you might just think that today's Gospel has nothing to do with you.

You might kick back and relax, thinking of all the poor, rich suckers sitting in the pews, shifting uncomfortably as Jesus praises the meager gift of the widow and disdains those who only give from abundance, those whose charity results in admiration and praise and all manner of temporal reward.

"In this economy, every gift I give is from my poverty," you might think to yourself with a chuckle.

But you - and let me be clear, I'm talking mostly to myself here - would be wrong. Because we all have an abundance of something, even if it isn't money.

What I've come to realize about myself is that I find plenty of ways to give *only* from my abundance. For instance, if I answer any request with the words, "Sure, I can, but..." chances are high that I'm about to work out a way to give, but only in a way that doesn't really impact me.

I'm willing to help. I just don't want to feel it.

But here's the thing about Jesus: he cares what's in our hearts as well as what's in our hands. A good deed, an act of charity? That's great! But what's the story behind it? Because a world full of moral actions and selfish hearts doesn't do anyone any good.

When we give from our poverty - our poverty of money, our poverty of time, our poverty of patience - we are giving the gift of the widow.

LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK ~ Jesus praises the widow's bravery in offering all she has. He is calling *us* to be brave, challenging us to give even - especially - when it hurts. Then, our gifts become more than just good deeds. They become acts of radical trust in God. ©LPi

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 11, 2024 ~ Sunday: Kgs 17:10-16/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 (1b)/Heb 9:24-28/Mk 12:38-44 or 12:41-44; Monday: Ti 1:1-9/Ps 24:1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 17:1-6; Tuesday: Ti 2:1-8, 11-14/Ps 37:3-4, 18 & 23, 27 & 29/Lk 17:7-10; Wednesday: Ti 3:1-7/Ps 23:1b-3a, 3bc-4, 5, 6/Lk 17:11-19; Thursday: Phlm 7-20/Ps 146:7, 8-9a, 9bc-10/Lk 17:20-25; Friday: 2 Jn 4-9/Ps 119:1, 2, 10, 11, 17, 18/Lk 17:26-37; Saturday: 3 Jn 5-8/Ps 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 18:1-8; Next Sunday: Dn 12:1-3/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 (1)/Heb 10:11-14, 18/Mk 13:24-32

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	11/17/24	STUDENTS		11/10/24
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St. Joseph's

The Broadalbin Ecumenical Food Pantry has asked St. Joseph's Church to provide **gravy** for their Thanksgiving baskets.



Please drop all donations this weekend in the vestibule or the church office. Pantry distribution is Monday at 3:30-5 pm & Thursday at 9:30-11 am.

Pastoral Care: If you know of someone who is ill & needs to have communion at home or in hospital, please call the office.

Next week our special collection will support the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. Nearly 38 million people in the US live in poverty. This collection supports programs that empower people to identify



and address the obstacles they face in bringing permanent and positive change to their communities. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at www.usccb.org/cchd.

Those wishing to honor a loved one during the celebration of Mass may do so by stopping into or calling the office. Mass cards are available for the living, deceased & for healing; Masses provide opportunities for prayerful remembrance of special occasions.

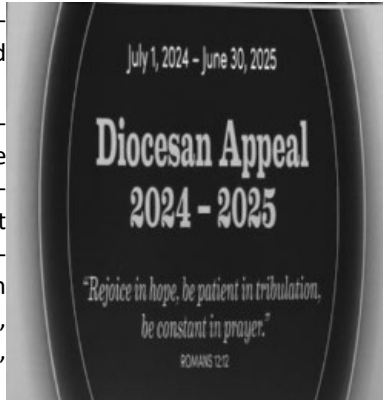


St. Francis' prayer group meets each Wednesday at 2 pm in St. Francis' St. John Paul II Hall.

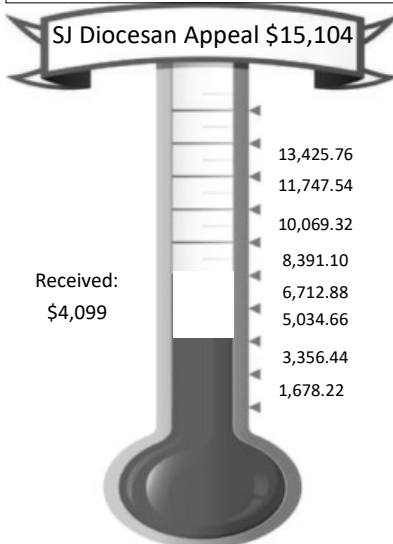
All are always welcome to join us. We are happy to lift your intention in prayer. Feel free to join us.

Donors can apportion their Diocesan Appeal gift to one or more of 4 areas of focus listed below. Please indicate in the COMMENTS section when making your gift online if you want to apportion your gift to any buckets, including percentage of gift.

1. General Budget Underwriting of Diocesan Services - includes mission & operational support and vocations.
2. Parish Mission Support Departments of the Diocese - Within each parish is where we know the Catholic Church and the propensity for the fulfillment of our mission comes to life! Mission support of your parish happens via these Diocesan Departments: Catechist Formation, Evangelization, Faith Formation & Education, Marriage & Family Life, Pastoral Care, Prayer & Worship, Respect Life, Youth & Young Adult Ministry, Catholic Charities.



3. Parish Operational Support Departments of the Diocese - Our priority is to lift up your parish leader(s) and their staff to enable their focus on ministry to the faithful. Operations support for your parish happens via these Diocesan Departments: Canonical Services (ex. marital nullity), Accounting & Finance, Human Resources & Safe Environment, Building Management Services, Information Technology, Stewardship.
4. Vocations – underwriting the education of 16 men in formation for the priesthood.



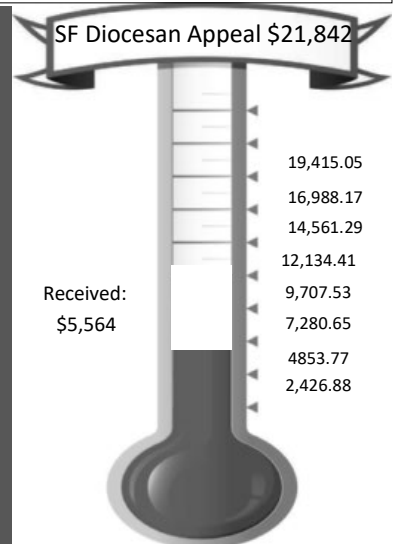
"Remember where your treasure is, your heart is also."
Matthew 6:21

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Attendance	81 / 125	118
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