**Liturgical Roles & Services**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>November 21 &amp; 22</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>LECTORS:</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY EUCHARIST:</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>SERVERS:</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>ROSARY LEADERS:</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>SACRISTAN:</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>USHERS:</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>MONEY COUNTERS:</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>CHURCH CLEANING:</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>CANTORS:</strong></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

---

**ST. BRIDGET PARISH LEADERSHIP**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>November 28 &amp; 29</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>LECTORS:</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY EUCHARIST:</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>SERVERS:</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>ROSARY LEADERS:</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>SACRISTAN:</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>USHERS:</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>MONEY COUNTERS:</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>CHURCH CLEANING:</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>CANTORS:</strong></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

---

**ST. BRIDGET PARISH LEADERSHIP**

| Chairman: Cathy Thurman | cthurman@bankofflessummit.com |
| Ross Dale | charleen2@comcast.net |
| Greg Osten | gdk12@hotmail.com |
| Joe Fiedler | jacomoese@comcast.net |
| Robert Radmacher | rradmacher@rd.com |

**St. Bridget Finance Council**

- **November 21 & 22**
- **ST. BRIDGET PARISH LEADERSHIP**

---

**SUNDAY COLLECTIONS WEEKEND**

- **November 14 & 15**
  - **St. Bridget Parish:** $2,933.00
  - **Love One Another Campaign:** $1,385.00
  - **Parish Debt:** $204,333.50
  - **Youth Group Collection:** $5.00
  - **Votive Candle:** $7.00
  - **Special Collection:** $25.00
  - **Please remember our Love One Another Campaign.**

- **HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION**
  - **Tuesday, December 8th**
  - **Immaculate Conception**
  - **Mass times will be 8:30 am & 7:00 pm.**

**PARISH OFFICE CLOSED**

The parish office will be closed for the Holy Day of the Immaculate Conception. Regular office hours will resume Wednesday, December 9th at 8:00 am.

**UPCOMING EVENTS AT ST. BRIDGET**

- **SOR Christmas Program & Parish Christmas Dinner**
  - **Sunday, December 13th**
  - **Join us for our SOR Christmas Program and then join us for our Parish Christmas Dinner immediately afterwards!**

This year we will begin our Christmas event with our SOR Christmas Pageant beginning at 5 pm followed immediately by our Parish Christmas dinner and the arrival of our very special North Pole guest. Our parish Christmas dinner is a wonderful and well-attended event for our parish family & friends, especially with the children's program.

Our special North Pole guest will arrive in Ledwidge Hall during dinner where he will visit with the children!

---

**CHRISTMAS CHOIR SCHEDULE**

- **Our 1st Christmas Choir practice is scheduled for Tuesday, December 1st from 8:30-8:00 pm.**

---

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

- **In the next few weeks, Stewardship opportunities abound here at St. Bridget!**
- **In the coming weeks you can volunteer to help: Decorate Ledwidge Hall or church for Christmas, or maybe you would like to help with our annual holiday church cleaning, Christmas Card Mailing, folding & stuffing bulletins, help with the Christmas Parish Dinner, join the Christmas Choir, or you can help give a family a wonderful Christmas with the Angel Tree.**

---

**ST. BRIDGET PENCE SERVICE**

- **Join us Wednesday, December 9th at 7:00 pm for St. Bridget’s Penance Service.**
- **Reconciliation is also available Saturdays at St. Bridget from 4:00 to 4:45 p.m. and by appointment.**

---

**DECORATING HELP**

- **Do you love decorating for the holidays? If so, then we need you! We will be decorating Ledwidge Hall soon for our Christmas Dinner and we need your help. If you would like to help decorate, contact Shelly Koehler or Laurie Himmelberg at the parish office or contact us at our St. Bridget Facebook page as soon as possible.**
“Blessed are the Merciful”. The 2016 Annual Catholic Appeal (in past years, the Bishop’s Annual Appeal) is critical to the health of our work as the Body of Christ in this Diocese.

You are the Catholic neighbor who looks at someone in need and sees the face of Christ despite any differences. “Blessed are the Merciful for they will be shown mercy” (Matthew 5:7) is Jesus’ promise to those who respond to His love through charity to those who can’t stand alone. Be generous to those you serve through the programs and ministries funded by the 2016 Annual Catholic Appeal.

Watch your mailbox this coming week for the special edition of the Catholic Key with details of what your donations accomplish and a full report on Bishop Johnstone’s installation as the Shepherd of our Diocesan Catholic Community.

GIVE YOUR SPOUSE A SPECIAL GIFT THIS CHRISTMAS
Sign up now for the next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend and receive the gift of a great marriage. Making a Weekend will help you put a little Christmas in your marriage every day!

The next Weekend in Kansas City is January 29-31, 2016.

For more information or to apply, please visit our website: www.wwme4youandme.org or call Tony & Barb Zimmerman, 816-741-4066 or email tonybarbz@prodigy.net

From Msgr. Murphy
We come to the end of the Church year by proclaiming Christ as our King! Three questions come to mind today:

1) What have I done in the past to make Christ the King of my life?
2) What am I doing in the present to make Christ the King of my life?
3) What will I do in the future to make Christ the King of my life?

As you kneel for Mass today, look up at the crucifix and remember that He died for you that you might live!

Our second collection this weekend is to help the Diocese train men for the priesthood. We had ten ordinations this past year. Would you consider helping us train more men for the priesthood?

Our Thanksgiving Mass will be at 9 a.m. If you would like your Thanksgiving Meal blessed, bring something symbolic and place it on the steps in front of the altar for a blessing.

Jesus answered Pilate, “My kingdom is not from this world.” John 18:36

Both his followers and opponents assumed Jesus’ kingdom would be in Judea. But Jesus preaches a greater kingdom, one of justice, of love, of peace. We participate in that kingdom through our faith and the way we treat one another.

Jesus, our savior, had a favorite image for himself. He called himself the Son of Man. He took that expression from the Book of Daniel, where the prophet envisioned one like a son of Man coming on the clouds of heaven. He receives dominion, glory, and kingship. All nations serve him. His dominion extended over all lands and times. In borrowing that image, Jesus gave his disciples a message of hope. He himself would lose security, suffering torment and death. But he himself would reign over all.

The church year ends with a vision of hope for each of us and death. But he himself would reign over all.
PARISH NEWS FOR ALL

**November 22**

- **8:30 am Rosary**
- **9:00 am Mass – 2nd Collection**
- **6:00 pm EDGE**
- **6:00 pm HSYG**

**Monday, November 23**

- **8:30 am Mass**

**Tuesday, November 24**

- **8:30 am Mass**
- **9:00 am Prayer & Rosary Group**

**Wednesday, November 25**

- **8:30 am Communion Service**
- **No SOR**
- **No Women of Faith**
- **No TMY**

**Thursday, November 26**

- **Parish Office Closed**
- **9:00 am Thanksgiving Mass**

**Friday, November 27**

- **8:30 am Communion Service**
- **9 am Bible Study**

**Saturday, November 28**

- **1 pm Deadline for Dec 5th Bulletin**

**Sunday, November 29**

- **5:00 pm Mass – 2nd Collection**
- **8:30 am Rosary**
- **9:00 am Mass**

---

**IN CASE OF INCLEMENT WEATHER**

If Pleasant Hill Schools have been dismissed early or cancelled completely due to bad weather, St. Bridget's SOR program will be cancelled that evening as well.

---

**TOPIC OF THE WEEK**

Do you need ideas for a Christmas gift? What about a St. Bridget t-shirt? We have adult & youth sizes. Contact the parish office to purchase yours now! Cost is $15.00.

---

**PARISH OFFICE CLOSED**

The parish office will be closed Thursday, November 26th & Friday, November 27th for Thanksgiving. Regular office hours will resume Monday, November 30th at 8:00 am.

---

**COMMUNITY BLOOD CENTER**

Blood and its components can be used to assist with many medical procedures. People who have been in car accidents and have suffered massive blood loss may require transfusions of more than 50 pints or more of red blood cells. Cancer, transplant, trauma and open-heart surgery patients require platelet transfusions to survive.

Please share your gift of life with local hospital patients who need it by donating at the next Community Blood Center blood drive. The drive will be located at 2700 East Mechanic, Our Lady of Lourdes Church. To make an appointment online, visit esavealifenow.org and use Sponsor Code: HARRMOCR. For additional details, contact Bill Ryan at 816-987-2768 or the parish office ASAP.

---

**BLOOD DRIVES**

- **St. Bridget**
  - **Christmas Memorial Poinsettias**
    - **Flowers for Purchase**
      - $35.00 each or 3 for $100.00

---

**COMING EVENTS**

- **December 13th – Meeting**
- **January 9th – Ladies Dinner**
- **14th – Knights Meeting**

---

**CHRISTMAS MEMORIALS**

**Top 2 Bottoms**

- **St. Bridget along with Our Lady of Lourdes in Harrisonville, the past several years has had a hat, glove, coat drive for the Morning Glory cafe downtown for those in need, males only. We are now able to expand this drive. We can take all adult male as well as female clothes, hats, gloves, shoes, dresses, virtually all clothes in good shape. What does not go to Morning Glory will go to Catholic Charities clothes closet at 850 Main. There is a blue barrel in the vestibule to place you donations.**