## St. Paul Catholic Church

Nov. 2, 2025 Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)

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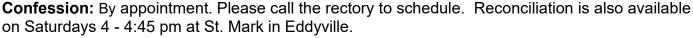
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#### **Next Eucharistic Adoration:**

Friday, Nov. 7th at 8 am



**Church website:** 

https://stmarkeddyville.weconnect.com

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**Mission Statement:** Let us experience a change in every moment of our lives for the better and touch the lives of other people whom we meet every day

#### Mass Scheduled Intentions + Deceased blank Living

Monday, Nov. 3 No Mass

Tuesday, Nov. 4 St. Mark 5 pm Bruce Gaylord

Wednesday, Nov. 5 St. Paul 6:30 pm Mommy Tin Pham CCD

Thursday, Nov. 6 St. Mark 9 am Joe and Wanda Loftus

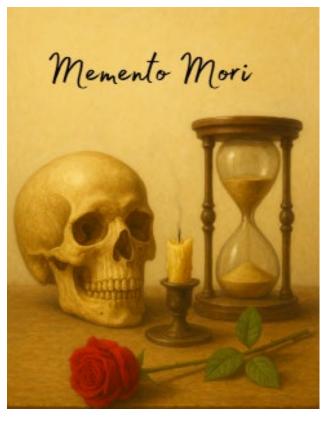
Friday, Nov. 7 St. Paul 9 am Anna Mary Gaylord

Saturday, Nov.8 St. Mark 5 pm Sonny and Karen Finnegan

Sunday, Nov. 9 St. Mark 8 am For the People of our Parishes

St. Paul 10 am Karen Elder+

Next Sunday's Readings: Ezekiel 47:1–2, 8–9, 12; 1 Corinthians 3:9c–11,16–17; John 2:13–22



**Reflection:** Throughout his ministry, Jesus gave life to those in need. Early on, it was to people who were ill or possessed by demons, freeing them from conditions that worsened or shattered their lives. He cured lepers, restoring them to life in society. He forgave the woman caught in adultery, saving her life. He raised Jairus's daughter, thought to be dead, and Lazarus, already entombed. Finally, he sacrificed his own life, saving us from the permanency of death when he was raised to eternal life. Therefore, we can rejoice, for in Jesus we have a Savior who offers us the fullness of life, both now and forever.

Realize that Thomas, who saw Jesus perform miracles, saw him raise Lazarus from the dead, and heard him testify that he would be put to death but be raised on the third day, still doubted that the other apostles had seen him in the flesh, risen to new life. How much more are we susceptible to such doubts! When we suffer from grief, as surely Thomas did as well, we find it difficult to hold on to hope.

But it is at this time that we most need it. May our faith, the faith of those close to us, and the faith of those who gather here today in his name restore in us our hope in the Resurrection, which is our ultimate consolation in the face of death.

We are all members of the communion of saints, joined by all those who have died in the faith and await that ultimate unity with God, along with the saints who are already with God. That communion not only spans space and time, it also spans life and death itself. Our parish community and all who have ever been part of it are an example of that communion. We are joined with an ever-growing communion of saints. May that console us as we remember those we have lost, for they live on in our communion as we all await our heavenly reward.

**Questions of the Week:** Who do I remember in a special way today? Throughout this coming week, can I commit to unite myself with them in prayer?

### **Prayer Requests**

**St. Paul**: Donna Holmes, Jansen Hubbard, Rachel Smotherman, Lee Weidner, Shirley Carney, Ronald Harper, Carol Adams, Tracy Hadlock, Michael Gray, Liam Stevenson, Lee Weidner, Pam Childress, Emily Stolz, Robert Peek, Jason Goodwin, Iris Brandon, Sandy Haberlock, Laura Jean Basso, Christa Strong, Teresa Boyd, Rodger Rush, Norm and Millie Thomas, Max Reil, David Cansler, Margot Shirley, Kendra Redd, Teresa Angelilli, Rick Bennett, Mary Reil, Beth Berton, Lewis Wurtman, Ronald Weidner, Mary Cheeseman

Both Parishes: People of Western KY, Theresa Weidner Griffith *Please remember our shut-ins* and nursing home residents in your prayers: Barb Adams, William Moertl, and all those living in nursing homes. *Pray for our military and their families*, especially Monica Dukes, Tucker Pittmann, and Jack Rooyakkers.

**St. Mark**: Patrick Flear, Bent, Janet Terry, Luca Carlson, Pete Arriola, Margie Hibbard, Makenna Finnegan, McBroom Family, Peggy and Tim Brown Logan Thomas, Steven Dahl, Marie Berger, Chris and Bernadette Bode, David Russell, Barbara Hughes, Joe and Wanda Loftus, Karen Finnegan, Mary McTiernan, Will Jones, Tom Johnson, Chris Davies, Mary Huhnke, Gail Biskupich, Terry O'Neill, Curtis Fritz, Kathleen and Alan Dale, Zane Pierson, Matt (in MI), Chuck Thomas, Rose Oliver, Sr. Mary Christine Taylor, Ann Munn, Roy Maynard, Pat Merimee, Wendy Welter Teller, Kevin Stuckner, Jim Dunning, Teresa Fuhrman, James I. Hosey, Mawn Family, David Harkins, Austin Benthem, Diane Edelbrock Nelson, Gerry Maynard, Jan Piche, Jim Eich, Karen Reibel, Kenny Pierson, Lonnie O'Neill, Maggie Pierson, Marie Berger, Reene McCartney, Richard Berger, Ron Eich, Shannon Doney, Sr. Joan Claire, Terence Carlin.

# **Happy Birthday!**

William Wurtz Nov. 3 Camden McEnaney Nov. 6

Mary Schalk Nov. 9 Misty Turmero Nov. 16 Martha Stewart Nov. 18

Stephanie Weston Nov. 20 Natalie Adams Nov. 30 Lewis Wurtman Nov 30

### **Happy Anniversary!**

Dan and Maureen Adams Nov. 8 16 years Robert and Marie Markham Nov. 17 53 years



#### Save the Date!

This weekend: St. Mark First Sunday Breakfast after 8 am Mass

Sunday, Nov. 9th – St. Paul Harvest Dinner after the 10 am Mass

Sunday, Nov. 16th - St Mark Thanksgiving Lunch 12-3

#### St. Paul Harvest Dinner

Please join us with family and friends for our annual Thanksgiving dinner after the 10 am Mass, at the Center. We will have traditional turkey, cornbread dressing and ham prepared for the dinner. Please bring your favorite side dishes, casseroles, or desserts to share with others for the dinner.

Special guests are the residents of Bright Life Farm to share our dinner & provide entertainment. Please join us with abundant side dishes & desserts to welcome and show hospitality to our guests.

#### Sacraments:

**Baptism:** Please contact the Pastor to schedule a Baptism. One-month notice is required.

**Matrimony:** To schedule a wedding, please make an appointment with the Pastor. At least six months is needed for preparation.

Please contact Fr. Brad at (270) 365-6786 for Anointing of the Sick, Holy Communion or Pastoral calls to the sick, shut-in, or hospitalized.

**DIOCESAN POLICY**: A full explanation of the diocese's response to sexual abuse concerns can be found in the revised sexual abuse policy, effective July 1, 2014, which is available on the bookshelf in the back of St. Paul, and online at <a href="https://owensborodiocese.org/safe">https://owensborodiocese.org/safe</a>.

**WELCOME!** Please see Fr. Brad or Kathy Talley to register. If you are a current parishioner with a change in contact information, please notify Kathy Talley <a href="kfct@umich.edu">kfct@umich.edu</a> or (270) 625-3433.

**Bulletin Announcements** should be sent directly to Regina Hosey text (931)801-6514 or <a href="mailto:reg8926@gmail.com">reg8926@gmail.com</a> or **by Tuesday evening**.

Nov. 9	Altar Server	Lector	Greeters/ Ushers	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (EMC)	Counters Financial Rep.*
10am	Kale	Geroge Barber	Susan Brinkley Sebastian	Suzanne Rush George Barber	Bob Hayes* Mike Wasielewski

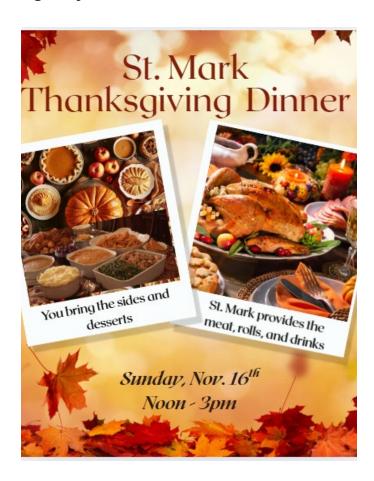
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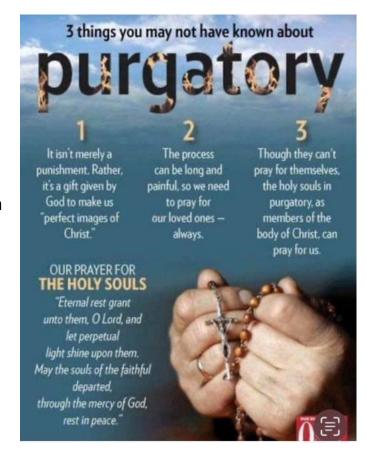
# Pope Leo XIV's Prayer Intention for November

For the prevention of suicide.

Let us pray that those who are struggling with suicidal thoughts might find the support, care, and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.

# This month's devotion is for the poor souls in Purgatory.





The symbols in this week's front page image are associated with "Memento mori." Memento Mori means "remember that you must die." Its purpose is to inspire a virtuous life in preparation for the afterlife. The hourglass symbolizes the swift passage of time and the limited nature of human life. The extinguished candle symbolizes the shortness of life.