Diocese of Peoria St. Malachy Church and School

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Thirty-Third Sunday In Ordinary Time November 19, 2023



Weekend Mass Schedule: Saturday: 5:00 pm Sunday: 8:15 am and 10:30 am

Reconciliation: Monday & Tuesday 8:45 am; Thursday 5:00 pm Saturdays 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm

For activities in the Quad Cities, go to: <u>http://catholicquadcities.com</u> **Traveling?** <u>www.masstimes.org</u> to find Masses

We warmly welcome new parishioners and invite them to register at the Parish Office. Individuals interested in becoming Catholic may contact Fr. Daniel Gifford or call the Parish Office.

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Mass Intentions

MONDAY, November 20 8:00 am Terry Henson +	Weekday			
TUESDAY, November 21	Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary			
8:00 am Brad Shoemaker +		Altar Servers: November 25-26		
WEDNESDAY, November 22 8:00 am Sharon Riewerts +	St. Cecelia	Saturday: 5:00 pm: Lincoln & Elena Anderson Sunday: 8:15 am: Tucker & Colton Seals		
THURSDAY, November 239:00 amAlana Wachtel +	Thanksgiving Day	Sunday: 10:30 am: Joey Thoene, Shawn Pobanz		
FRIDAY, 8:00 amNovember 24No Mass - Communion Set	St. Andrew Dung-Lac and Companions Service			
SATURDAY, November 25 5:00 pm Kim Ricketts +	Vigil of the Solemnity of	Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe		
SUNDAY,November 268:15 amPat Ulam +10:30 amPeople of the Parish	Solemnity of Our Lord J	esus Christ, King of the Universe		
Please Note: Thanksgiving Day Mass The office will be closed Thursday & Fr		vill not be an evening Mass.		

Area Church Weekend Mass Schedules:

St. Anthony/Atkinson 4:00 pm Saturday 9:30 am Sunday Sacred Heart/Annawan 8:00 am Sunday OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Wednesday 8:30 am - 3:30 pm, Thursday 8:00 am - 3:00 pm, Fridays 8:00 am -1:00 pm Bulletin articles **MUST** be submitted no later than **Noon** on Tuesdays.

Readings for Sunday, November 26, 2023 Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

1st Reading: Ezekiel 34:11-12, 15-17

As for you, my flock, I will judge between one sheep and another. **Responsorial: Psalm 23** *R./:* "The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want."

2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 28

Christ will hand over the kingdom to his God and father so that God may be all in all.

Gospel: Matthew 25:31-46

The Son of Man will sit upon his glorious throne and he will separate them one from another.



Come, let us Adore Him Eucharistic Adoration

Monday 3:00 pm - 8:00 pm Adore - Every 1st Wednesday 7:30 pm Thursday 4:30 pm (1st Fridays, & 1st Saturdays at 8:30 am)

Weekly Calendar

Monday, November 20 Eucharistic Adoration 3:00 pm - 8:00 pm Holy Hour for Grieving Parents 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm Tuesday, November 21 Eternal Rest Study 9:00 am CR Chair Soul Core 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm Rm A Women's Support Group 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm Rm C OCIA 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm CR Rosary Makers 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm Rm A Thursday, November 23 - Thanksgiving Day Mass 9:00 am Friday, November 24 Chair Soul Core 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm Rm A Saturday, November 25 Mass 5:00 pm Sunday, November 26 Mass 8:15 am Children's Liturgy of the Word Mass 10:30 am Children's Liturgy of the Word 8th & 9th Grade Confirmation Prep 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm



Order of Christian Initiation of Adults Next Session Tuesday, November 21, 2023 6:00 pm Topic: Mary & Communion of Saints If you or someone you know is interested, please contact Dcn. Mike Sigwalt (msigwalt23@gmail.com (309) 502-9243)



Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord.

Joan Claerhout Of our Parish



First Lutheran Church will host a free **Community Christmas Dinner** Christmas Day from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm 114 E Main St, Geneseo

Our mission is to bring our neighbors and friends together to celebrate Christ's birth and to extend this meal as a free gift to our community. We welcome you to join us for this warm Christmas dinner including: *turkey, ham, mashed potatoes & gravy, stuffing, green bean casserole, salads, and special Christmas cookies.*

<u>Home delivery</u> will be provided for to those in Geneseo/Atkinson/Cambridge communities who are unable to leave their home. Home or curbside deliveries can be scheduled by calling the church office at 309-944-3196 by December 23 to reserve meals to be delivered on December 25.





Dear St. Malachy Parishioners,

"Well done, my good and faithful servant. Since you were faithful in small matters, I will give you great responsibilities. Come, share your

master's joy." (Matthew 25). Do we not long to hear these words? Do we not long to share in the master's joy? As we sit down for a bounteous meal this week for Thanksgiving, perhaps we might imagine it to be a foretaste of that final sharing in the master's joy, to which we look forward in heaven. And yet, this parable challenges us to recognize the way to that joy, not in the gifts bestowed upon us, but in the responsibility and generosity with which we make good use of those gifts. It is no wonder, then, that Thanksgiving becomes an important time to remember those who remain in need of the gifts that we already enjoy. This whole month, collections have been taken for the Geneseo-Atkinson Food Pantry by our families in Saint Malachy School, CCD and Confirmation Prep. This weekend and next, one percent of our parish collection also benefits the food pantry. Likewise, a collection for the pantry will be taken up at the Community Thanksgiving Worship, sponsored by the Geneseo Ministerial Association.

Thanksgiving overflows in generosity. It is an invitation to remember that all that we have is a gift and is not to be taken for granted. This is a basic fundamental principle of stewardship. We are not meant to store up possessions in this life, but to be good stewards of all that has been entrusted to us. Thus, this is a very fitting moment to recall the Saint Malachy Stewardship Prayer, which was faithfully embraced by our parishioners for many years: Generous God, I give thanks to You for the gifts You have given me - my life, my family, my friends - time, abilities, and material possessions. All that I have comes from You. Renew in me Your Spirit. Help me hear Your call to 'Come Follow Me.' I give glory to You, my God, as I make stewardship a way of life. Amen.

May you all have a very blessed and Happy Thanksgiving. In this Year of Missionary Discipleship, may we be ready for the ways in which we are given opportunities to shine His Light for our friends and family, as the Lord sends us out to make Him more widely known. "They set out at once and returned to Jerusalem where they found gathered together the eleven and those with them... Then the two recounted what had taken place on the way and how he was made known to them in the breaking of the bread" (Luke 24:33,35).

STAINED GLASS WINDOWS: This weekend, you will see information in this bulletin (and beyond) about the opportunity you have to be a part of our stained glass window project. This project has been a very long time coming for many of our parishioners. We are excited to be moving forward with phase one, as we enhance the six large sections of window on the southwest wall, facing Ogden Avenue, with an image based on Psalm 42: "As the deer longs for the running waters, so my soul longs for You, O God." Let me extend my thanks in advance to anyone who chooses to support this project. In addition to reducing the glaring sun in the eyes of our parishioners and guests, I am confident that it will also add beauty and inspiration to our worship.

In Christ through Mary,

Fr. and Fet.

Fr. Daniel P. Gifford St. Malachy, Pray for us





STEWARDSHIP

Managing God's Gifts To Us

Parish Sacrificial Giving: 1% donated to: Family Resource Center

Week 20 - November 12 2023								ADA 2023				
		Weekly Budget		Veekly Actual	Variance	I	YTD Budget	ΥT	D Actual	Variance	(As of October 31st)	
General Collection	\$	15,000	\$	5,137	(9,863)	\$	300,000	\$	259,406	(40,594)	GOAL	\$ 105,467
School Endowment	\$	750	\$	133	(617)	\$	15,000	\$	12,760	(2,240)		
Paraclete Fund	\$	750	\$	119	(631)	\$	15,000	\$	10,615	(4,385)	PLEDGED	\$ 64,685
Capital Improvement	\$	750	\$	135	(615)	\$	15,000	\$	11,392	(3,608)	VARIANCE	\$ (40,782)
Special Collections												
Pennies for Life			\$	121				\$	2,286		COLLECTED	\$ 52,368
All Saints Day			\$	90				\$	483		VARIANCE	\$ (53,099)
Camp. for Human Development	nt		\$	35				\$	125			
Bishop's Seminarian Appeal			\$	155				\$	240		# of FAMILIES	134



Upcoming Cursillo Weekends

Men's: February 22-25, 2024 Women's: March 21-24, 2024

For more information visit:: https://nwcursillo.com



Upcoming TEC Weekends

December 9-11, 2024 (Boys) February 17-19, 2024 (Girls) April 20-22, 2024 (Boys) June 22-24, 2024 (Girls) August 3-5, 2024 (Boys) October 5-7, 2024 (Girls) December 7-9, 2024 (Boys)

For information visit <u>www.northwest-tec.com</u>



DAILY PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS

Please Pray for these Seminarians:

John AssafBen SchoonmakerAndrew BelgriDcn. Nicholas ConnerJustin RamzaJohnPaul Stedwill

Are you feeling called to serve as a priest or other religious? If so, contact Fr. Chase Hilgenbrinck: 309-671-1550 or email him: fr_hilgenbrinck@cdop.org He took bread, said the blessing, broke it, gave it to them, and said, "Take it; this is my body."

Fr. Pakula Memorial Food Pantry Collection

In Memory of Father Pakula, St. Malachy Parish will have a monthly theme to collect items for the Geneseo-Atkinson Food Pantry.

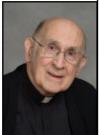
The theme for November is:

"Baking Products" Donations needed:

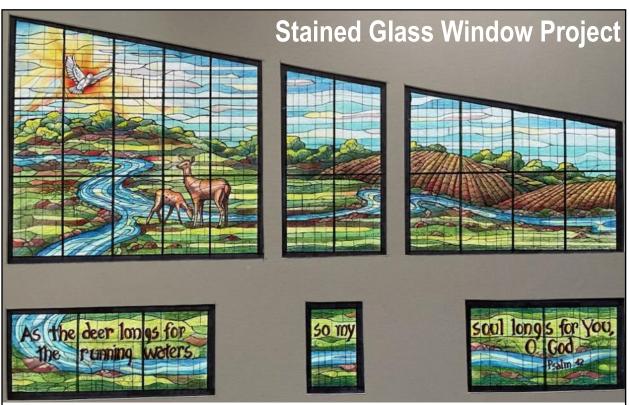
Flour, sugar, vanilla, cocoa powder, baking powder, baking soda, brown sugar, Disposable roasting pans

Items can be placed on the shelves

inside the front doors before entering the Narthex. The current Food Pantry Newsletter can be found on the St. Malachy website, under the heading Parish Life.



November 19, 2023



Please stop by the display in the Narthex to see a larger rendering of the stained glass windows that will be installed next year.

There will be envelopes addressed with your name that contain the details of the project and information on how to donate or make a pledge.

Envelopes not picked up will be mailed next week.

Thanks for your support and consideration for this long awaited project.

DECEMBER LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

- GREETERS 5:00 pm Pat & Chris Boelens (Front); Vicki Rowlands, Leslee Hager (West)
 8:15 am Larry & Cindy Hopkey (Front); Ilene Hamer, Joyce Mattan (West)
 10:30 am Julie Puentes, Julie Bauman (Front); Merlin & Lynn Sebastian (West)
- USHERS 5:00 pm Arnie Schmid, Tom Heise, Jason Snyder, Mark Roberts
 8:15 am Dick Mattan, Tom Curnyn, Gerald VanDeWoestyne, Mike Croegaert
 10:30 am Steve Egert, Jeff Hulsbrink, Dave Paxton, Monica Paxton
- LECTOR/ 5:00 pm Winnie Kane (L); Dave Wolak (C)
- COMMENTATOR 8:15 am Katy Wilson (L); Bill Hanford (C)
 - 10:30 am Theresa Walck (L;) Mark Kane (C)
- EMHCs 5:00 pm A.J. Wolak (Chalice); Virgil Thurman (Chalice); Chuck LoGiudice, Mary LoGiudice
 8:15 am Shannon Carroll (Chalice); Kathleen Repass (Chalice); Gregg Swanson, Lowell Gramling
 10:30 am Monica Venneberg (Chalice); Jennifer Higgins (Chalice); Steve Mroz, Michelle Ganson

DECEMBER ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

Saturday, December 2 - 5:00 pm Declan & Gavin Gillespie
Sunday, December 3 - 8:15 am Fitz & Lenna Bolme 10:30 am Charlie Hone, Everett Haars
Saturday, December 9 - 5:00 pm Samantha Minnaert, Camryn Hawkins
Sunday, December 10 - 8:15 am Remington Rahmus, Natalie Reisner 10:30 am Kate Vorac, Phoenix Sottos
Saturday, December 16 - 5:00 pm Elle & Easton Patterson
Sunday, December 17 - 8:15 am Garren Boelens, Camryn Hawkins 10:30 am Joey Thoene, Kain Stroud
Saturday, December 23 - 5:00 pm Aiden Daly, Trace Hager
Sunday, December 24 - 8:15 am Tucker & Colton Seals 10:30 am Beth Mroz, Joe Venneberg
Saturday, December 30 - 5:00 pm Reese & Connor Schaaf
Sunday, December 31 - 8:15 am Jaxon Seals, Fitz Bolme 10:30 am Leona Werner, Avery Emmerson

October 2023 Luck of the Draw Winners

🚓 Last day of the month (\$100) Steve Mroz Feast of St. Teresa (\$300) Larry Meyer 🖉

All other Days \$25

- Phyllis Tysma Tom Young Julie Wiese Debbie Mattan Ed Kemnitz Peyton Boyle Dick & Joyce Mattan Lynne Sebastian
- Miranda Roemer Donna Siuchninski Dave Murtha Bruce Boardman Tom Hughes Addison Snyder Betty Palaski Monica Vorac

Nathan Newman Dick Seys Brian DeJohn Lynne Sebastian John Boldt Renee Robertson Mike Patterson Mary Frimml Ryan ZumMallen Mary LoGiudice Marlan Sharer Patrick Boelens



Congratulations to our monthly winners and thank you all for participating. You can still buy, sell, and turn in raffle tickets all throughout the year. Tickets are available in the Narthex, or in the Church Office during the week. Good luck on future drawings! Thank you, Fr. Gifford and the St. Malachy Parents Club

Tired of crowds at the stores? Stressing over "the hard to buy for" person on your list? DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING AT ST. MALACHY

Did you know that St. Malachy School and Parish carry a variety of different gift cards? For every gift card we sell, the parish and school receive a percentage of the total sale. You may buy them for gifts or use them yourself at the store when you are shopping. Gift cards may be purchased after every weekend Mass in the narthex or during the week in the parish office. Save yourself the time and headache of fighting the crowds & pick up your holiday gift cards at St. Malachy.

Ideas & Suggestions

Children & Young Adults:

Local Motive Aeropostale American Eagle Roblox Bath & Body Works Gap/Old Navy Barnes & Nobles Target Amazon.com Best Buy Gas Cards PetSmart Dick's Sporting Goods Walmart Disney

<u>Men</u>:

Farm & FleetGeneseo Super WashLowesMenardsThe Home DepotScheelsCabella'sDick's Sporting GoodsBass Pro ShopREIDunham Sports

Women:

KohlsJC PenneyCJ NailsL.L. BeanLands EndBed, Bath & BeyondDillardsT.J. MaxxJo-Ann FabricsVisaNOSHAirline/Hotels

Restaurants/Grocery

Fareway Cellar Applebee's Dunkin Sweet Peas Culver's Dairy Queen Outback Steak House Cracker Barrel **Texas Roadhouse TGI Fridays Buffalo Wild Wings** Red Lobster Panera Olive Garden Arbv's Chili's Happy Joe's IHOP Starbucks Pizza Hut Wendy's Subway



GROWING DISCIPLES

PASTORAL PLAN FOR THE DIOCESE OF PEORIA

The Diocese of Peoria is constantly updating the website, so check back frequently. Please continue to pray that our efforts today, will bear fruit for a brighter tomorrow.

Parishes across the Diocese of Peoria have completed their parish meetings for Growing Disciples, the multiyear pastoral planning process for the Catholic Diocese of Peoria to renew discipleship and enhance relationships with Jesus Christ in every corner of our region. Bishop Tylka is reading, listening to and praying about all the feedback he is receiving. Your input is needed and valued as he discerns the future landscape of the Diocese of Peoria. You have until November 22 to provide feedback on the second draft of proposed parish models by going to growingdisciplescdop.org



Thank you to all who made a donation or pledge to the 2023 Annual Diocesan Appeal.

To date we have received 101 donations or pledges totaling \$52,368.00 toward our goal of \$105,467.00.

No gift is too small as all families are invited to participate. There are pledge cards available in the Narthex.

Together we can meet and exceed our 2023 ADA goal.

Save The Date!

The Catholic Diocese Office of the Tribunal and the Peoria Diocesan Council of Catholic Women **Present:**

A Morning of Clarity and Love, Information and Support

Saturday, February 17, 2024, 8:30 am - 12:00 pm Spalding Pastoral Center 419 NE Madison Ave, Peoria, IL

First Keynote Address: The Church's Response To Abuse, Divorce and The Truth About Annulment followed by breakouts on Abuse, Divorce, & Annulment .

Second Address: Divorce and Abuse by Dr. Emma Bucher, Psy.D., followed by Q&A Breakouts.

Please join us even if these are not part of your experience. As informed Catholics we can bear the truth to others.

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