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The Thirty-Third Sunday
of Ordinary Time
November 14, 2021



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Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 8:15 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Outdoor Communion Sundays: 9:45 - 10:00 am

Reconciliation:

Monday & Tuesday 8:45 am; Thursday 5:00 pm

Saturdays 3:30 - 4:30 pm

For activities in the Quad Cities, go to:

<http://catholicquadcities.com>

Traveling? www.masstimes.org to find Masses

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

Mass Intentions

MONDAY, November 15 St. Albert the Great
8:00 am Kevin & Marie Lillis 36th Anniversary Blessing

TUESDAY, November 16 St. Gertrude
8:00 am Duzie Atwell+

WEDNESDAY, November 17 St. Elizabeth of Hungary
8:00 am Hayden DeDecker+
9:00 am Chuck Emmendorfer+

THURSDAY, November 18 St. Rose Philippine Duchesne
5:45 pm Brad Shoemaker+

FRIDAY, November 19 Weekday
8:00 am No Mass - Communion Service

SATURDAY, November 20 Vigil Mass Solemn Feast of Christ the King
5:00 pm People of the Parish

SUNDAY, November 21 Solemn Feast of Christ the King
8:15 am Leonard Loftus+
10:30 am Hector Poelvoorde+



Weekend Mass Schedules:

St. Anthony/Atkinson **Sacred Heart/Annawan**
4:00 pm Saturday 8:00 am Sunday
9:30 am Sunday

OFFICE HOURS:

Mon. - Wed. 8:30 am - 3:30 pm, Thurs.. 8 - 3 Fridays 8 -1
*Bulletin articles **MUST** be submitted no later than 12:00 noon on Tuesdays.*

READINGS FOR SUNDAY - November 21, 2021

1st Reading: Daniel 7:13-14

His dominion is an everlasting dominion.

Responsorial: Psalm 93

R./: "The Lord is king; he is robed in majesty!"

2nd Reading: Revelation 1:5-8

The ruler of the kings of the earth has made us into a kingdom, priests for his God and Father.

Gospel: John 18:33b-37

You say I am a king.



Weekly Calendar

Tuesday, November 16

The Bible and the Virgin Mary Study 9:00 am YR
Knights of Columbus

First-Third Degree Exemplification 7:00 pm YR

Wednesday, November 17

School Mass 9:00 am

Circle 6 - 1:30 pm-3:00 pm

K-5 CCD 3:30 pm-4:45 pm

Oasis 6:30pm-8:00 pm

6th & 7th Grade CCD 6:30 pm-7:45 pm

Thursday, November 18

The Rock 7th/8th Grade 6:30 pm-8:00 pm

The Bible and the Virgin Mary Study 6:30 in the CR

Sunday, November 21

The Bible and the Virgin Mary Study 9:15 am YR

Outdoor Communion 9:45 am-10:00 am

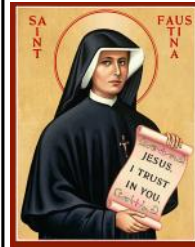


Eucharistic Adoration

Monday 3:00 - 8:00 pm

Thursday 4:30 pm

(8:30 am on the 1st Fridays & 1st Saturdays)



O my Lord. Inflame my heart with love for You, that my spirit may not grow weary amidst the storms, the sufferings, and the trials.

St. Faustina Kowalska

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St. Giuseppe: Doctor to the Poor



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Holy Heroes
and the Formation of Children
with Fr. Ben Miles and Ken Davison

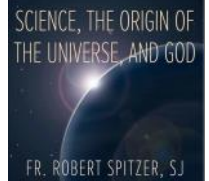
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LEARN:

Formed Now: Holy Heroes and the Formation of Children.

LISTEN:

Science, The Origin Of The Universe, & God By: Fr. Robert Spitzer



PICK OF THE WEEK November 14, 2021



The Catholic Diocese of Peoria is sponsoring a bus pilgrimage to attend the **2022 CHICAGO MARCH FOR LIFE**

For more information contact the Respect Life Office at 309-671-1550 or Email - csone@ccdop.org

Online registration at <https://cdop.weshareonline.org/MarchforLife-Chicago2022>
Seats are limited - register early!

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Please consider online giving.

Go to our website or call the office to do so.

Going to be gone for a month or more?

Let us know so we can place a hold on them.



The **Knights of Columbus** will be hosting a **First-Third Degree Exemplification** on Tuesday, November 16 at 7:00 pm at St. Malachy. If you would like to join the Knights or are a First-Degree Knight and would like to become a Third-Degree Knight, see the Knights ad on the back of the bulletin for contact information.

A Note From the Pastor

Dear St. Malachy Parishioners,

Wow, what a weekend we had last week!

First, we had a blessed Feast Day Celebration at both the Holy Mass and the receptions after both Masses on Sundays. The Mass was a genuinely felt experience of God's love alive in our parish, as well a reminder of His abiding presence through the years, while the receptions provided an opportunity to continue to celebrate this gift gratefully, within a more social setting. A big thank you to Altar and Rosary for this reception, as well as the children for contributing their artwork and the teachers who helped make this happen! Second, we had many of our school parents working hard to pull off a "Take N' Bake" option for the Lasagna Supper, with remarkable success. Finally, we had many of our parishioners involved with the JP II Experience retreat in Moline and I am still continuing to hear the graces from grateful hearts of youth who encountered Christ, parents rejoicing in this gift for their children and also adult team members who saw His Love moving and active in powerful ways. During the homily, I spoke about moments that do a shepherd's heart good. An example of such moments could be found in the weekend itself and the novena days which preceded it.

I also spoke about the connection between shepherds and fathers, as fathers are called to shepherd their families. That connection also goes the other way: shepherds too are called to be spiritual fathers. I found it ironic that between JP II Experience, Oasis (High School Youth Ministry) and The Rock (Junior High Youth Ministry), I had the opportunity to speak about vocations and discernment to three different groups of young people in the final days leading up to the feast day. Once the feast day arrived, we read a Gospel which ended in the words "*The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few. So*

ask the master of the harvest to send out laborers for his harvest." You all must have heeded our Lord's words and asked the Master to send out laborers for His harvest, because He answered those prayers by sending me into the fields to plant some seeds.

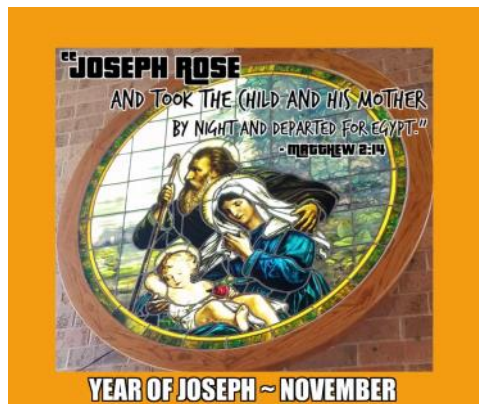
There are few things that fuel my spiritual fatherhood more than looking young people in the eye and paying forward the important truth that was told to me: *God loves you and has a plan for your life and that plan is the best plan for your happiness.* When I was their age, I would never have guessed that this plan included coming to Geneseo to be a spiritual father to this parish family. It just goes to show that the truly best plan for our happiness is something we could not dream up on our own.

As our hearts are filled with gratitude and affection for our parish family, may Saint Joseph continue to watch over all of our children, that they may be shepherded into God's glorious plan for their lives. "*Joseph rose and took the child and his mother by night and departed for Egypt.*" (Matthew 2:14). *Saint Joseph, Noble Offspring of David, Light of Patriarchs, Zealous Defender of Christ, pray for us!*

In Christ through Mary,
Fr. Daniel P. Gifford



St. Malachy, Pray for us





ST MALACHY MISSION:

St Malachy Parish exists to praise God and to teach and serve all His people by living the Truth revealed in Jesus Christ and preserved in the Teaching and Tradition of the Roman Catholic Church.

The Rock - 7th & 8th Grade Youth Ministry

Meets every Thursday from 6:30-8:00 pm in the Youth Room. Please pray for the students as they grow closer to Christ in fellowship and service, seeking the patronage of St. Patrick & St. Teresa of Calcutta



Oasis .

Oasis meets every Wednesday from 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm in the Youth Room. We strive to nourish our mind, body, and soul. Growing in community as we walk together to come to know Jesus.



Library News

At this time the library is NOT accepting donations of any books. If you have books to donate, we ask that you please find someplace to take them, or hold on to them for the future.

The Library is open to check out books and media.

LAY MINISTERS NEEDED

We are in need of lay ministers for December & January. Please call the office if you would like to join the team.

If you are already participating, please check your email to sign up.



The **Altar & Rosary** will be hosting their **Annual Bake Sale** after each Mass, November 20 & 21.

Baked goods will need to be dropped off at church on Saturday between 3:00 pm & 4:00 pm. All members of the Altar & Rosary are asked to contribute.

We would also welcome baked goods from members of the parish.

Gift Shop News

After almost two years, we are excited to be able to display our Advent, and Christmas items the weekend of November 20 and 21. Come find a treasure that will enhance your Christmas experience!

If you have any special requests please call:
Judy Kanke
at 309-269-6921



Before I formed you in the womb I knew you

Jeremiah 1:5



Thanksgiving Mass - Lay Minister Sign Up

Thanksgiving Mass: 9:00 am

We are in need of: Lay Ministers to help in the following areas: EMHC, Lector, Commentator, Ushers, Greeters and Altar Servers

If you are able to help please contact the office to sign up.



Christmas Mass - Lay Minister Sign Up

Mass Schedule:

Christmas Eve, Friday

4:00 pm, 7:00 pm & 10:00 pm

Christmas Day, Saturday

9:00 am

Can you help at our Christmas Masses?

We are in need of: EMHC, Lectors, Commentators, Ushers, Greeters and Altar Servers Please call the office to sign up.





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Parish Sacrificial Giving:
1% donated to
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Week 19 - November 7, 2021

	Weekly Budget	Weekly Actual	Variance	YTD Budget	YTD Actual	Variance	
General Collection	\$ 13,000	\$ 15,047	\$ 2,047	\$ 247,000	\$ 232,260	\$ (14,740)	
School Endowment	\$ 750	\$ 610	\$ (140)	\$ 14,250	\$ 15,360	\$ 1,110	
Paraclete Fund	\$ 750	\$ 450	\$ (300)	\$ 14,250	\$ 9,849	\$ (4,401)	
Capital Improvement	\$ 750	\$ 680	\$ (70)	\$ 14,250	\$ 11,959	\$ (2,291)	
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GOAL	PLEGGED	VARIANCE	COLLECTED	VARIANCE	GOAL	# FAMILIES	VARIANCE
\$ 85,185	\$ 84,340	\$ (845)	\$ 67,460	\$ (17,725)	233	169	(64)



Upcoming Cursillo Weekends

October & November weekends postponed due to Covid

New Date, Men's: February 24-27, 2021

New Date, Women's: March 24-27, 2021

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

Upcoming TEC Weekends



Dec. 4-6, 2021 (Boys)
Feb. 12-14, 2022 (Girls)
April 2-4, 2022 (Boys)
June 25-27, 2022 (Girls)



For more info, visit www.northwest-tec.com



DAILY PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS

Please Pray for these
Seminarians:

Patrick Wille Ignacio Cardenas Moran
Daniel Dionesotes Jacob Hopper
JohnPaul Stedwill Nicholas Conner

Are you feeling called to serve as a priest or other religious?

If so, contact Fr. Chase Hilgenbrink:

309-671-1550 or email him: fr_hilgenbrinck@cdop.org

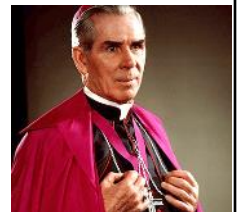
He took bread, said the blessing, broke it, gave it to them, and said, "Take it; this is my body."

Prayer and Pilgrimage with Fulton Sheen

You are invited to the new
Sacre-Coeur Retreat Center,
Henry, IL for a weekend retreat,
December 3-5, 2021.

The retreat will feature reflections by Msgr. Stanley Deptula, Executive Director of the Archbishop Sheen Foundation, as well as a pilgrimage to sites in the Peoria area important to the life of Fulton Sheen. Mass, Holy Hours, beautiful scenery, delicious meals, and quiet prayer – come away and spend some time with Our Lord and His servant, Archbishop Fulton Sheen.

For more information or to reserve a spot, email:
info@sheencause.org



Luck of the Draw Winners October 2021



First Day of the Month/ Feast of St. Thérèse—(\$300) Elaine Bouwens

Last Day of the Month—(\$100) Kate Pobanz

All other Days \$25:

Larissa Francis

Conner Welch

Eugene Bouwens

Misty Smith

John Puentes

Michelle Springer

Cole McCarville

Andie Welch

Mark & Cindy Reade

Sarah Pillen

Jason Boone

Jeanna Francis

Janet Verplaetse

Julie Schmid

Rodney Remme

Barb Moe

Chris Lynch

Kristen Boelens

Lynne Sebastian

Chris McCarville

Rebecca Morrison

Philip Cauwels

Sonya Sturtevant

Tim Kretschmar

Joe Thomas

Jason Boone

Avery Dooley

Mary Thomas

Sam Welch

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



St. Malachy Advent Giving Tree

St. Malachy Social Justice Committee is once again sponsoring our Advent Giving Tree. Our Giving Tree will be in the same format as last year. Instead of asking for household item donations as in years past, this year we are again asking for financial donations only. These can be in the form of cash, checks, or gift cards. Keep in mind, purchasing your gift card from Heaven Sent Scrip would also benefit our parish and school.

There are so many people in our area in need. Your donations will benefit: The Food Pantry, Humility Homes and Services, Local Students in Need, The New Life Farm, and Backpack Blessings.



The Giving Tree will be set up near the church office the first weekend of Advent (Nov.27-28) and donations will be accepted until the fourth Sunday of Advent, December 19. Donation envelopes can be found near the tree. Mark your envelope with your donation preference and return to the church office.
Thank you.

“For it is in giving that we receive.”
St. Francis of Assisi

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