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t. Mary's Warroad, MN
t. Joseph's Williams, MN
acred Heart Baudette, MN

31st Sunday of

Ordinary
Time

November 3, 2019

Mass Times

St. Mary's Warroad Saturday 6pm

Sunday 8:30am

St. Joseph Williams Saturday: 4:30pm

Sacred Heart Baudette Sunday 10:30am

Parish Offices

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Sacrament of Reconciliation

St. Mary's: Tuesday 5:45-6:45, Saturday 3-3:30pm,
Sunday 7:45-8:15am

St. Joseph's : before Mass

Sacred Heart: by request after Mass

Anytime by appointment

Homebound or in a health care facility?

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Call pastor if Holy Communion/or a visit is desired.

Hospitals will not call unless a patient asks that a priest be notified.

Planning a Marriage or Baptism?

Contact pastor for more information

Parishioners

Please notify the parish office of changes of address or telephone number.

If you are new to the area or a seasonal parishioner please register with the parish office

Abortion Alternative

Birthright~1-800-550-4900

Crisis Pregnancy Helpline~1-888-4-OPTIONS

Bemidjipregnancyoptions.com or 218-444-3035

Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator

Cindy Hulst, LSW,

218-281-7895 (24-hour confidential number).

St. Mary's Week Ahead

Saturday Nov. 2

6pm Mass +Ron Bishop

Sunday Nov. 3

8:30am Mass For the Parishes

6:30pm HS RE

Tuesday Nov. 5

5:15pm Mass +Richard LaChappelle

Wednesday Nov. 6

10:30am Rosary/Prayer Group

2-3:30pm Elem RE

6:30 MS RE

Thursday Nov. 7

10:30am Mass@ WSLC +Milo Larson

Friday Nov. 8

8:30am Mass +Wanda Olson

Saturday Nov 9

6pm Mass +Roger Lien

Potluck following Mass

Sunday Nov. 10

8:30am Mass +Wanda Olson

6:30pm HS RE

Liturgical Ministers

Saturday Nov. 9

Commentator— Barb Kotta

Reader— Bob Wennerstrand

Music— Pat

Sacristan— Phil

Sunday Nov. 10

Commentator—Pat Larson

Reader— Harold Thiessen

Music— Heather

Sacristan— Jeri



Our gift to God for
10-27-19
\$1621.00

We thank God for all gifts!

Bible Readings for the Week of Nov. 4-10

Monday Rom 11:29-36/Lk 14:12-14

Tuesday Rom 12:5-16b/Lk 14:15-24

Wednesday Rom 13:8-10/Lk 14:25-33

Thursday Rom 14:7-12/Lk 15:1-10

Friday Rom 15:14-21/Lk 16:1-8

Saturday Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/

Jn 2:13-22

Sunday 2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14/2 Thes 2:16—3:5/Lk 20:27-38 or
20:27, 34-38

Sacred Heart & St. Joseph's Week Ahead

Saturday, Nov. 2

4:30pm Mass@ St. Joseph's Simon & Mary Super †

Sunday, Nov. 3

10:30am Mass @ Sacred Heart Tom Dinndorf †

Wednesday, Nov. 6

8:30am Mass @ Sacred Heart Simon & Mary Super †

10:30am Mass@ Lakewood Roger Schmickle †

Thursday Nov. 7

11am-3pm Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament

Saturday Nov. 9

4:30pm Mass @ St. Joseph's For the Parishes

Sunday Nov. 10

10:30am Mass @ Sacred Heart Simon & Mary Super †

Liturgical Ministers

Saturday Nov. 9 4:30pm @ St. Joseph's

Eucharistic Minister: David Cassi

Lector: Sue Lemm

St. Joseph Church cleaning

Nov. 9 Verna Pieper

Sunday Nov. 10 10:30am @ Sacred Heart

Eucharistic Ministers: Lector: Jennifer Hovde

Ann Ellis, Rita Krause

Cantor: Connie Nesmith

Accompanist: Lori

Altar Server: Caleb

Ushers:

Todd & Elaina Higgins

Hospitality Time ~ Sacred Heart

Sunday Nov. 10

Book of the Faithful Departed

Throughout the month of November, the Book of the Faithful Departed will be in the entrance of the Church. Please take some time to add those who are in your prayers, and pray for those that others have entered.

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“But Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, ‘Behold, half of my possessions, Lord, I will give to the poor, and if I extorted anything from anyone I shall repay it four times over.’” LUKE 19:8

We are all called to gratefully give back to the Lord in proportion to the blessings we have been given. This means everyone isn't called to give the same amount, but is called to give equal sacrifice. No amount is too small or insignificant! Open your heart, how is God calling you to be more generous with your financial resources and possessions?

Saint Mary's

Religious Education

Sunday November 3

6:30-7:30pm High School

Wednesday November 6

2-3:30pm Elementary RE

6:30-7:30pm Middle School RE

Sunday November 10

6:30-7:30pm High School

Taste of Uganda

Thank you for making the Uganda Well Project a huge success. More information on the totals will follow.

Birthday wishes (Nov. 4-10) go out to.....

Hunter Pelland, Roxann Stoskopf, Matt Thunder, Madison Hahn, Henry Harren, Jaret Furusest, Abbey Hardwick, Arnold Freije, Jeanne MacLean & Soda Johnson.

Feast of all Souls

November 2 is the feast of all souls, when we especially remember those people who have passed to eternal life. A Book of Remembrance is available in the gathering space for you to write names of people you wish the parish to include in prayer during the month of November.

Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord. May perpetual life shine upon them. Bless all of us with Your mercy, Lord.

New Parish Secretary/Bookkeeper

We thank Terrie Lynn Dignan for accepting to fill the positions of parish secretary and bookkeeper for St. Mary's, Warroad. Terrie already started working on Friday, November 1st so that she may be introduced into her new roles by Jenifer Hilligoss during this month of November.

Also, please do not forget to join us in a Farewell Potluck Party for Jenifer and Bob next Saturday, November 9th after the 6 pm Mass. We thank both Jenifer and Bob for the many years of generous service to our parish. They will be greatly missed.

St. Joseph's & Sacred Heart

Sacred Heart

Coffee and rolls are served downstairs after the 10:30am Mass. Everyone is welcome to come relax and visit.

FAREWELL PARTY

FOR JENNIFER AND BOB HILLIGOSS

Please join us in a Farewell Party Potluck on Saturday, Nov. 9 after the 6 pm Mass. We thank them both for the many years of generous service. They will be greatly missed.

After 15 years of serving our parish as a bookkeeper and secretary, Jennifer will be leaving her position as she and Bob will be moving near family. Jennifer and Bob have done many behind the scenes tasks. In addition, Jennifer has been the coordinator for Piece Makers prayer quilt ministry and Bob has served as a lay minister, helped with building, grounds and electrical maintenance and the chief cook for Knights of Columbus breakfasts.

Prayer Requests

Katrin Peterson, Tom Gerszewski, Asher Sorrels, Kathy Stokke, Richard Merrill, Kai Canfield, Deanne Johnson, Charlene Kuznia, Fr. Todd, Ellen Otto, Sue Magnusson, Gerti Muggli, Ann Winkler, Roberta Brunell, George Ganyo, Frank Ciekliński, Susie Lykken, Loren Olson, Arne Freije, Dale Telle, and Stephanie Schmitz.

Please remember to call the office when a name should be added or removed. Those listed in the "Prayer Request" box will listed for two months and then removed unless a request is made to keep them on

HONOR OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN

We Keep in our prayers...

St. Marys: Ryan Hartman, Maksymilian Crompton, Jacob Larson, Tyler Larson, Brett Hebel, Nic Gray, Joseph Larson, Shane Thompson, Krista Johnston, Alex Johnston, Derek Woodward, Jason Hilligoss, Deb Lien & Kyle Mohrbacher.

Sacred Heart: Evan Torgeson, Ryan Torgeson, Jennifer Dalton, Victoria Chamberlain and Brandon Lockner, & Kalvin Krause

Lover of Souls: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Readings:

[Wisdom 11:22–12:2](#)

[Psalm 145:1–2, 8–11, 13–14](#)

[2 Thessalonians 1:11–2:2](#)

[Luke 19:1–10](#)

Our Lord is a lover of souls, the Liturgy shows us today. As we sing in today's Psalm, He is slow to anger and compassionate toward all that He has made.

In His mercy, our First Reading tells us, He overlooks our sins and ignorance, giving us space that we might repent and not perish in our sinfulness (see [Wisdom 12:10](#); [2 Peter 3:9](#)).

In Jesus, He has become the Savior of His children, coming Himself to save the lost (see [Isaiah 63:8–9](#); [Ezekiel 34:16](#)).

In the figure of Zacchaeus in today's Gospel, we have a portrait of a lost soul. He is a tax collector, by profession a "sinner" excluded from Israel's religious life. Not only that, he is a "chief tax collector." Worse still, he is a rich man who has apparently gained his living by fraud.

But Zacchaeus' faith brings salvation to his house. He expresses his faith in his fervent desire to "see" Jesus, even humbling himself to climb a tree just to watch Him pass by. While those of loftier religious stature react to Jesus with grumbling, Zacchaeus receives Him with joy.

Zacchaeus is not like the other rich men Jesus meets or tells stories about (see [Luke 12:16–21](#); [16:19–31](#); [18:18–25](#)). He repents, vowing to pay restitution to those he has cheated and to give half of his money to the poor.

By his humility he is exalted, made worthy to welcome the Lord into his house. By his faith he is justified, made a descendant of Abraham (see [Romans 4:16–17](#)).

As He did last week, Jesus is again using a tax collector to show us the faith and humility we need to obtain salvation.

We are also called to seek Jesus daily with repentant hearts. And we should make our own Paul's prayer in today's Epistle: that God might make us worthy of His calling, that by our lives we might give glory to the name of Jesus.

