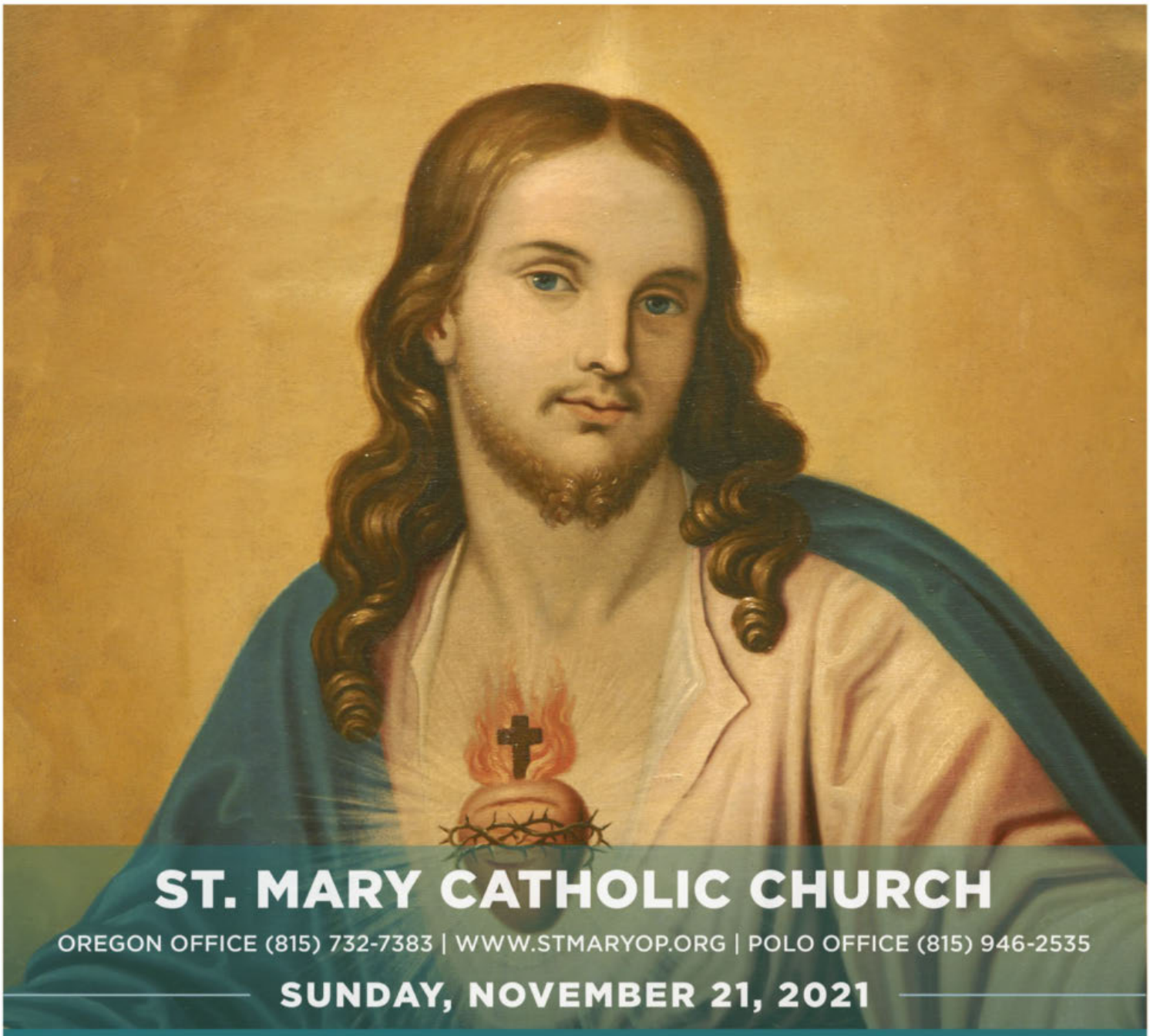

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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2021

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

So Pilate said to him, "Then you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say I am a king. For this I was born and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice." - Jn 18:37

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Eagle Brunch
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Sunday, January 23, 2022
Doors open at 9:30 AM

An information talk of
bald eagles in the area
and a casual brunch will be served.

Tickets: $20.00

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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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November R.E. Class Dates

11-24 No Classes Thanksgiving Blessings!

December R.E. Class Dates

12-1: Class

12-8: Class

12-15: Jesus Birthday Party!

All class times are on *Wednesday evenings 6:30pm–7:45pm* at the Parish Center.

Please contact the Parish Office for more information.

Ask for Marie, CRE 815-946-2535 or 815-732-7383
mariemonaco@rockforddiocese.org

Altar And Rosary Society

Christmas Dutch Treat Luncheon

Thursday, December 2 at noon

Dogwood Inn at RT 64 & RT 26

Discussion of Auction results

In lieu of a gift you may donate to Polo Lifeline

Since 2000, recycling little aluminum tabs on the tops of soda cans has generated over 360,000 for the Milwaukee area Ronald McDonalds House.

Revenue from recycling these little bits of aluminum helps provide a place to stay for families who live well-outside the area in which their child is hospitalized. The RMH in Milwaukee offers 70 private guest rooms and common spaces for families to gather and play, including a garden and art room.

Saving pop tabs is easy! Please leave yours in the box we put in the back of the church.

Thank you for helping!
OHS's Transition Program
(and Alice Starkey)

Polo Community Council of Churches

has begun collecting for the Christmas Baskets.

We are responsible for 200 cans of pears by Dec 5th.

Pack Baskets on Dec 10 at Crossroads Community Church at 5pm

Delivery of baskets on Sat. Dec 11 at 9am

2021 | DIOCESAN APPEAL
DIOCESE OF ROCKFORD

POLO

2021 DSA Goal:	$8,972.00
Pledged to Date:	$5,035.00
Short of Goal:	**$3,937.00**

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THANK YOU! We have surpassed our goal.

***Want to be more involved by becoming a*
*Lector, EMHC, Usher, Altar Server, Donation Counter, Choir Member, 2nd Hand Rose Volunteer (Polo) or a member of the Respect Life Committee (Oregon), Society of St. Vincent DePaul (Oregon), Catholic Daughters of America (Oregon), Altar & Rosary (Polo), Knights of Columbus (both) or Elizabeth Ministry (Polo). then please call your Parish office for more information.***

LITURGICAL ROLES

1st Sunday of Advent	**Nov 27, 4:30 PM** (Oregon)	**Nov 28, 8:30 AM** (Oregon)	**Nov. 28, 10:15 AM** (Polo)
Lector	Suzanne Moran	Vicki Scull	Carol Glenn
Eucharistic Minister	Susana Guzman-Holland	Alice Starkey	Volunteer
Altar Server	Miranda Ciesiel	Isaac Kramer	Volunteer
Ushers	Matt Freed Larry Holland Tom McPhillips Volunteer	Ryan Fletcher Dave Head Patty Head Volunteer	Larry Plachno Joel Gorzny Volunteer
Altar Linens			Nancy Adams

OREGON PARISH GIVING SUMMARY

On November 6-7, 2021 we received 78 envelopes out of 251 sets

Envelopes $3,245.00
Offertory..... $100.02
Online $1,410.00

Subtotal $4,755.02

Flowers $25.00
Holy Days..... $120.00
Maintenance $255.00

Weekly Grand Total $5,155.02

Mission Appeal $150.00

POLO PARISH GIVING SUMMARY

On November 7, 2021 we received envelopes out of 101 sets

Envelopes.....$1,560.00
Offertory $28.00
Subtotal.....$.00
Maintenance.....$525.00

Weekly Grand Total $2,113.00

Sincere thanks to all those who contribute faithfully and generously.
~ Fr. Naill & the Finance Committee

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SVdP CHRISTMAS GIVING TREE

Please help make Christmas a little brighter for those less fortunate by taking an "ornament" from the St. Vincent DePaul Giving Tree. The ornaments contain information on a St. Vincent client or a nursing home resident who has no family to provide a gift. Purchase a gift, wrap it and ATTACH THE ORNAMENT to the outside of the package. **Gifts should be returned by Sunday, December 12th.**

Thank you for your generosity.

St. Vincent DePaul Society

St. Mary Church-Oregon
Christmas Bazaar
Saturday, December 4th
9 AM—2 PM

*$1 Raffles * Bake Sale * Craft Booth*
*Treasure Chest * Vendor Booths*

Lunch: Baked Potato Bar, Cup of Soup or Chili, Dessert and Beverage for $10

Extra Raffle tickets available at the Parish Office or at the Bazaar.

St. Mary– Polo is inviting everyone to help warm up the residents at the Polo Rehabilitation and Heath Care Center. We are collecting new socks or slippers for those in need. Purchase comfy socks or slippers and tie with a ribbon. Please place them under the tree by Sunday, December 19th. Thank you. Any questions please call the parish office.

Christmas Star Project-Polo

A tree will be placed in the First State Bank Shannon-Polo as usual. The stars will have a child's information on them which will make it easy to participate in purchasing a gift or two to make a Special Christmas for them. We suggest a $40.00 limit per child. Their "Wish List" (which will be on the star) will be clothing, toys, books, or non-electronic games. Instruction sheets and a sign-up sheet will accompany the stars. The gifts should be purchased, wrapped and returned on or before December 15th.

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COMBINED PARISH CALENDARS WITH MASS INTENTIONS

Oregon | Polo | Both

Saturday — November 20
- 4:30 PM Mass: +John Klinger

Sunday — November 21
- 8:30 AM Mass: Pro Populo
- 10:15 AM POLO - Mass: +Leo & Helen Faivre

Monday — November 22
- 8:30 AM Mass: +Jim Lauer

Tuesday — November 23
- 8:00 AM POLO - Rosary before Mass
- 8:30 AM POLO - Mass: +Leota Cavanaugh

Wednesday — November 24
- 8:30 AM Mass: +Pete Alfano

Thursday — November 25
- (All day) Thanksgiving Holiday - Offices Closed
- 8:30 AM Mass: +Darrell & Jeff Bauer

Friday — November 26
- (All day) Thanksgiving Holiday - Offices Closed

Saturday — November 27
- 4:30 PM Mass: +Melissa Lamesch

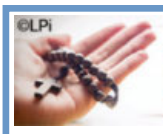
Sunday — November 28
- 8:30 AM Mass: +Reggie & Bernice Abramowicz
- 10:15 AM POLO - Mass: Pro Populo

Thanksgiving Day Mass

Thursday, November 25th

8:30 am– Oregon

Parish offices closed 11/25 and 11/26



MASS INTENTIONS

Submit a Mass Intention

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*Thanksgiving *Anniversary
* A Mass in Loving Memory

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Sunday:	8:30am, Oregon 10:15am, Polo
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