

NOVEMBER 19TH, THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday - 4:30 pm

Sunday - 8:00 am and 10:30 am

Weekday Mass Schedule

Mon - Weds and Fri 8:30 am

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Every Wednesday from 9:00 - 3:00 pm

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please contact the Parish Administration for more information.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

3:45 - 4:15 pm on Saturday
or by appointment

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

As scheduled

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Arrangements to be made with the Pastor.

SACRAMENT OF HOLY ORDERS

As scheduled by the Bishop.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Upon request and as scheduled.

If you or your family member is sick or will be hospitalized and wants to receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick, please call Parish Office.

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We, the People of Blessed Sacrament, see ourselves as a community of faith, united by Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. Through our celebration of the Sacraments, we proclaim His Presence and offer our service to all.



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BULLETIN DEADLINES

Items must be submitted in writing to the office or emailed to bulletin@blsacr-na.org by Monday, noon to be published in the next weekend's bulletin.



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Mon - Thurs: 9:00 am - Noon & 1:00 - 4:00 pm
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Office is closed
Thursday & Friday

A Letter from Deacon Ken

Dear Blessed Sacrament Community,

In tough economic times, it can be difficult to find a reason to give thanks. In the Old Testament, the Jewish people sang the Todah Psalm, "Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good. His love endures forever." (Ps 116) St. Paul reminded the earliest Christian communities to "rejoice always, give thanks in all circumstances, for that is God's will for you in Christ Jesus." (1 Thes 5:16-18) This season as we sit around the Thanksgiving table, let's celebrate the blessings that God has bestowed on us, keeping us safe amidst the suffering in the world. Let's unite with our brothers and sisters in other countries who do not enjoy the comforts we have here at home. Let's pray for our loved ones who cannot sit with us this year, whom we have lost but are now in God's caring embrace.

As we gather together at Mass this Thanksgiving weekend, we are united as one community in the Eucharist, where Jesus dwells within us and among us, giving us peace and comfort in our daily lives.

On behalf of Father Max and the entire parish staff, it is our joy to serve you, and we wish you all a wonderful Thanksgiving.

In Christ,
Deacon Ken



**THANK YOU TO THE WOMEN
THAT PROVIDED A GREAT
BREAKFAST TO THE VETERANS!**
-RUDOLPH B.



Mass on Thanksgiving Day is at 9:00 am.

There will be Mass on Friday, November 24th.

The office will be closed Thursday and Friday for the holiday. As always, leave a message and someone will get back to you.

Prayer Requests

Our parishioners, relatives and friends who suffer from illness, are homebound, confined to a care facility or hospitalized and the unemployed. May the healing hand of God rest on these people and guide them in their time of need.

The deceased priests of the Rockford Diocese who celebrate their anniversary of death this week: Rev John J Hackett, Deacon Gregory H Liegel, Deacon Luke Cordes, Deacon Robert Real, Rev Josph J Reikas, Rev William A Kriegsmann, Deacon Carlos Navarro, Msgr John J Mitchell, Rev Edward A Cerny SS, Rev John Vuc, Deacon Melvin Murphy, Rev Clement W Caine, Msgr Clemens Kalvelage and Rev Peter Cichozki.

Our service men and women. Look upon our men and women in uniform and protect them in their time of need: CS3(SS) Kevin Bohler, SPC Dominic Bourge, PVT Elijah Bourge, PFC Morgan Bourge, CWO3 Nicholas Brandenburg, SGT Jacob Deegan, SGT Zachary Gardner, AMN Justin Kish, Med Spec4 Cheston Shacklett, Sgt Kelsey Shaw USMC, Sgt Eric Stone USMC and PVT Maggie Witt ANG.

For those who are sick. Sandra Anderson, Happye Baessler, Robert Bajt, Marie Bockhaus, Joyce Bohr, William Bower, John Bukovits, Aubrey Brandt, Fr. Charles Brunick, Kayle Carroll, Ann Ciaccio, Jordan Clark, Coring Coronado, Griselda Cuevas, Judy Culver, Grace Dungan, Laurel Emmanuel, Edward Feltes, Edsel Fernando, Laura Gatz, Alice Godzicki, Ray Godzicki, Mary Grommes, Joan Hallstein, Debbie Harvat, Mark Height, Noreen Hickey, Allen Hobbs, Manoj James, Bernadine Karafiat, Jacqueline Kelsey, Marilyn Kukuk, Rosemary & Don Larson, Joan Leifheit, Mike Levy, Michele Lewis, Brett Mathis, Larry and Linda McNamara, Gina Medernach, Delia Meenaghan, Mito Melo, Josh Miksanek, David Murdock, Gary Nemeth, Rich Nicpon, Chris Patrick, Ramona Race, Bruce Renz, Rita Ramsey, Geri Riddle, Liz Rihia, Tim Roberts, Nancy Schiffer, Kathy Score, Vera Seibert, Beth Shannon, Joseph Schones, Stephanie Schones, Ursula Sells, Martin Sickinger, Brian Simmons, Nancy Simmons, Joan Skapy, Paula Sloan, Charles Stangel, John & Shirley Theis, Jeff & Molly Treest, Regina Todd, Gary Wallace, Alice White, Debbie Whitney, Donna Williams, Victoria Williams, Mary Ann Wolf and Alicia Yon.

To add to our prayer list, please email Jenny at Psecretary@blsacr-na.org.
Names on our prayer list will be kept on for two months at a time unless the office is notified otherwise.

Mass Intentions

Mon	Nov 20	8:30 am	† Poor Souls in Purgatory / Mary Racs
Tue	Nov 21	8:30 am	† John Rogers / Fran Rogers
Wed	Nov 22	8:30 am	† Jerry & Sue Theisen / Ray & Bonnie Beach
Thur	Nov 23	9:00 am	† Jan DeBroux / Bernie Paar
Fri	Nov 24	8:30 am	† Frank Emanuel / Michelle Emanuel
Sat	Nov 25	4:30 pm	Community of Blessed Sacrament / Father Max
Sun	Nov 26	8:00 am	† Nancy Chione / Joe Chione
		10:30 am	† Frances Amesquita / Todd Banks Family

We are accepting weekday Mass intentions for December.

Reading for the week of November 19, 2022

Monday: 1 Mc 1:10-15, 41-43, 54-63/Ps 119:53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158/Lk 18:35-43
 Tuesday: 2 Mc 6:18-31/Ps 3:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Lk 19:1-10
 Wednesday: 2 Mc 7:1, 20-31/Ps 17:1bcd, 5-6, 8b and 15/Lk 19:11-28
 Thursday: 1 Mc 2:15-29/Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15/Lk 19:41-44
 Friday: 1 Mc 4:36-37, 52-59/1 Chr 29:10bcd, 11abc, 11d-12a, 12bcd/Lk 19:45-48
 Saturday: 1 Mc 6:1-13/Ps 9:2-3, 4 and 6, 16 and 19/Lk 20:27-40
 Next Sunday: Ez 34:11-12, 15-17/Ps 23:1-3, 5-6 (1)/1 Cor 15:20-26, 28/Mt 25:31-46



Are you excited about this time of year? Is one of the reasons because HOCKEY is here? Then we have the perfect opportunity for you - the HOCKEYMANIA charity fundraiser is back!

This fundraiser offers guaranteed weekly winners (cash prizes) for 15 weeks of the NHL hockey season starting after Christmas. Tickets are \$20 each. Get your ticket now in order to secure your chance to win, or as a great stocking stuffer!!! Thank you for supporting our Knights of Columbus Council!



Cookie Dough Mason Jars

The Women's Club will be selling Cookie Dough in Mason Jars decorated for Fall, Christmas and Americana following the Masses this weekend. The jars make wonderful gifts such as hostess gifts for the holidays, teacher gifts, etc. or you can just enjoy them yourselves. \$10 each or 2 for \$18.



Our Remembrance Book will be in the narthex for you to write the names of your loved ones who have died. Intercession on behalf of those who have died is a cherished tenet of our Catholic faith, springing from our belief in the resurrection of the body and the communion of saints. "Though separated from the living, the dead are still at one with the community of believers on earth and benefit from their prayer and intercession" (Order of Christian Funerals, 6).



Adoration Hours
Wednesday
9:00 - 3:00 pm

"A Holy Hour before the Most Blessed Sacrament repairs for evils of the world."

-St. John Paul II

Upcoming Happenings...

Nov 19 9:00 am RE & Family Faith Formation

Nov 21 9:00 am Coffee & Conversation

Nov 28 7:00 pm Knights of Columbus



This Thanksgiving, let us remember all the good things, and people, who have come into our lives. We focus on thanking each one who has helped us, and ultimately thank God for the good gifts of this world.

Let us pray...

God our Father,
 Graciously accept from your humble people a thankful heart and spirit. Everything we have and are able to share with others ultimately comes from your love of your creations. Often we think that everything we have is our own creation; we ask you this day to create in us a spirit of gratitude, that we may always know that all good gifts come from you.

We ask this through Christ our brother, in the power of the Holy Spirit. Amen.



KNOW HIM SEE HIM

Have Faith in Me

The 2023 Know Him See Him Diocesan Appeal Report

Envelopes are available in the narthex or go online at www.rockforddiocese.org/donate to give via the Diocesan's Give Central link.

By joining our efforts together in the Christian mission of loving others, the Diocesan Appeal shows us what we are capable of when we put Christ at the center.

Please prayerfully consider a donation to the 2023 Diocesan Appeal.

Why Register at Blessed Sacrament Parish

Registering at Blessed Sacrament Parish or any other parish has many benefits. If someone is not registered it makes it very difficult for the Pastor or the administration to issue references or recommendation letters. Parish registration is necessary before making arrangements for a Baptism, a wedding and enrollment in the RE program. Moreover, when you register, it also makes you personally feel that you 'belong' to Blessed Sacrament. If you haven't registered yet, please go to our website and download the registration form or stop by the office during office hours.

Stewardship/ Contribution Report November 11/12th

560 Registered Families

	Regular (94)	E-giving (69)	Total
Envelopes	\$6,466.25	\$2,504.00	\$8,970.25
Loose Offering	\$574.00	\$0.00	\$574.00
Children	\$0.25	\$0.00	\$0.25
Fuel	\$720.00	\$10.00	\$730.00
Building Main.	\$2,048.25	\$238.00	\$2,286.25
Totals	\$9,808.75	\$2,752.00	\$12,560.75

We are tithing \$100 to Cross Catholic Outreach.

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We received \$2,691.00 in monetary donations and bags of groceries for the Aurora Food Pantry and Hesed House. In the past month, we received \$650.00 in cash and Woodman's gift cards for those in our parish that need a little assistance.

God bless you for "serving one another humbly in love."



Married couples are invited to an evening of inspiration! Saturday, December 2, 5-7:30pm, at St. John Neumann, St. Charles. Enjoy a catered meal and festive atmosphere, along with guest speaker Fr. Bob Miller, a dynamic and heartfelt pastor from Chicago. See Advent in a new light, enjoy crafting a seasonal decoration, and grow closer in your marriage. Sponsored by St. John Neumann & Worldwide Marriage Encounter. \$20 per couple; Advanced registration is requested at sjnstcharles.org/advent-by-candlelight/.



DO YOU ENJOY KNITTING OR CROCHETING?



Consider joining the Prayer Shawl Ministry here at Blessed Sacrament. We create shawls for babies receiving the sacrament of Baptism and for adults undergoing a physical/emotional challenge. They serve as a reminder that we are carried through this life wrapped in the arms of our Father. For more information please contact **Sara** at bulletin@blsacr-na.org.

Parish Christmas Potluck & Children's Pageant



On Dec 10th, between the 8:00 am and 10:30 am Masses will be the Children's Christmas Pageant. Following the 10:30 am Mass, we will have the Parish Christmas Potluck. Great food, lots of fun and everyone in the parish is invited! **Please bring a dish to share.** If you are able to help, please contact Lizzie Winowiecki at (309)945-7643 or ewolak91@gmail.com

Coats for Kids

To make sure every child has a warm coat this winter, the Msgr. Edward Wright Knights of Columbus Council will collect Coats for Kids from October 29th thru November 19th.



The community of Blessed Sacrament is asked to donate a new or gently used, clean coat for toddlers, kids and pre-teens (K thru 8).

Please bring your donations to Holy Family Hall and place in box marked for donations. God bless you!



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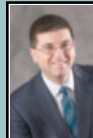
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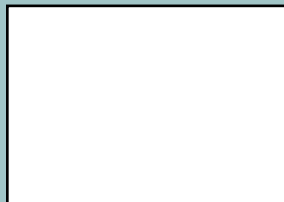


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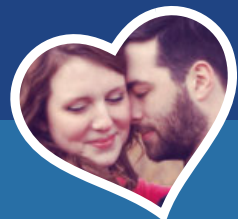
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