SACRED HEART CATHEDRAL

NOVEMBER 15, 2026 | THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Welcome!

Mass Schedule

Weekend Masses
Saturday | 4:00 pm Vigil
Sunday | 7:00 am, 9:15 am, 11:15 am

Weekday Masses
Monday | 12:10 pm
Tuesday | 7:30 am
Wednesday | 12:10 pm
Thursday | 12:10 pm
Friday | 12:10 pm

Confession
Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday | 11:30 am - Noon
Friday | 4:45 pm - 5:30 pm
Saturday | 2:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Our Address
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Office Hours
Monday–Thursday 9:00 am – 3:00 pm
We close for mass and lunch from 12:10 pm – 12:40 pm
Friday – 9:00 am – Noon

Praise be Jesus Christ!

Next Sunday we will be collecting names for the Diocesan Called By Name Vocations Program. The process is simple. There will be cards available at the entrances to the Church, and we are simply asking that parishioners write down the names of young men from within our parish and families who exhibit some of the signs of a potential priestly vocation (e.g. a life of prayer and the pursuit of Christian virtue, a love for the Catholic faith, an inclination toward liturgical worship, a pattern of magnanimous conduct and service to others, etc). Those nominees will then receive a letter from the Bishop directly inviting them to discern a vocation more formally and to receive the support and resources necessary to conduct that discernment.

What makes this program successful, is that the invitation comes from "within the pews." It is the voice of the faithful essentially saying: "Please Lord, send us shepherds after your own heart!" Young men have a deep, authentically masculine desire to do something great and rise to a challenge—particularly when there is a clear, identifiable need and when there is something worth fighting for and defending. And what could be more noble than serving as a soldier on the front lines of the spiritual battle for souls and for the liberty and exaltation of Christ's Church.

In the Heart of Jesus and Mary,
Fr. Peter Van Lieshout

A Vocations Reflection from our seminarian, Michael Piersall

I find that God often works in many small ways within our lives, such that, while we may not feel it as it happens, if we look back at the path along with Divine Providence has led us, we then discover He has led us far or turned us completely around. That is what my own vocation story is like.

I never felt a specific radical moment where like Saint Paul I was knocked off my horse, and my life began anew. Rather, there came a moment when I looked back and realized that God had been leading me all along to a place where I could then confidently enter seminary and pursue the priesthood.

Starting from a Catholic family life and Sunday Mass where the idea of priesthood was first planted, to a Catholic education where the priesthood slowly grew in my mind as something every man should consider, little by little I had been discerning without knowing it and progressing along the path God was laying for me. Finally, when I found myself in the habit of serving daily Mass, I realized how far God had led me and that it was through the ordinary facets of my life—family, education, and friends—that He was working and leading me forward.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, November 14, 2026
3 Jn 5-8; Lk 18:1-8
2:30 pm--3:30 pm--Confession
3:00 pm--Rosary
4:00 pm--Lewis & Julia Ratigan--Hugh & Norman Ratigan
John Vorrasi--Family
Gino Capogreco--Wife, Maria
Intentions of Muriel DeMartino

Sunday, November 15, 2026--Thirty-Third Sunday In Ordinary Time
Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31, 1 Thes 5:1-6, Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21
7:00 am--For the people of Sacred Heart
9:15 am--Diane West--Fleming Family
Sr. Rosemary St. Peter--Walters Family
Michael Robbins--KoC 15118
John Nietopski--Family
11:15 am-- Lisa Dorr--Mary & Joe Giorgi

Monday, November 16, 2026--Saint Margaret of Scotland; Saint Gertrude, Virgin
Rv 1:1-4, 2:1-5; Lk 18:35-43
11:30 am--Noon--Confession
12:10 pm--Kurt & Keith Sauers--Nancy Bagrato

Tuesday, November 17, 2026--Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious
Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Lk 19:1-10
7:30 am--Grace DeMarco--Grace Ziobrowski

Wednesday, November 18, 2026--The dedication ot the Basilicas of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles
Rv 4:1-11 / Lk 19:11-28
11:30 am--Noon--Confession
12:10 pm--Intentions of Julianne Nietopski--Nietopski Family

Thursday, November 19, 2026
Rv 5:1-10; Lk19:41-44
11:30--Noon--Confession
12:10 pm--Robert Meisenzahl--Culotta Family

Friday, November 20, 2026
Rv 10:8-11; Lk 19:45-48
11:30--Noon--Confession
12:10 pm--Yvonne R. Brass--Andrew Mastin
4:45 pm – 5:30 pm--Confession

Saturday, November 21, 2026--The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Rv 11:4-12; Lk 20:27-40
2:30 pm--3:30 pm--Confession
3:00 pm--Rosary
4:00 pm--Josephine Burke--Joanna Sangueldoce
Mary Kay Sanguedolce--Joanna Sangueldoce
Nino Trunfio MD--John L. Coiro
John Vorrasi--Family

Sunday, November 22, 2026--Our Lord, Jesus Christ, King Of The Universe
Ez 34:11-12, 15-17, 1 Cor 15:20-26, 28; Mt 25:31-46
7:00 am--John Mendel--Mendel Family
9:15 am--For the people of Sacred Heart
11:15 am--Evelyn Adams--Mary & Joe Giorgi

Giving Back To God

Thank you for your generosity! Your stedfast, sacrificial financial support keeps our Cathedral parish running and able to serve God and our neighbors.

Parish Offertory for November 7 & 8, 2026 will posted in next week's bulletin

Electronic giving, via the QR code or website, is simple and convenient way to support the Cathedral Parish, either on a one-time, weekly or monthly basis.

Leave A Legacy: Remember Sacred Heart Cathedral in your Will!! It's a meaningful and tangible way of leaving a legacy that will benefit future generations of Catholics.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Bernadette Anastasi
Shirley Atwell
Gary M. Butterfield
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Deborah Deleon-Campbell
Scott Davis
Kristin Helms
Jon Herron
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Muriel DeMartino
Robert DiFulio
Heidi Erb
Frank Campione
Sr. Joan Hilbert, RSM
Fr. Thomas P. Mull
Susie Shoemaker
Sharon Springer
Susan Spinosa
Donald Stiner
Candice Verdon
Thomas Whalen

This Week's Sanctuary Candle



Intentions Of – The Piersall Family
Requested by – Friend

In Memory Of – Yvonne R. Brass
Requested by – Cousin, Andrew Mastin

Intentions Of –Fr. Jim Hewes
Requested by – Friend

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Sharing the Blessings of Thanksgiving with Joseph's Place Food Pantry

Lets share our Thanksgiving by helping needy families and individuals who request help from our food pantry! On **Monday, November 23**, we will be distributing **Aldi gift cards** and **roasting chickens** to help our neighbors celebrate the holiday**.**

Here is how you can support this vital holiday drive:





- **Aldi Gift Cards**: Please donate gift cards in the amount of $25 or $50.
- **Monetary Donations:** Cash or checks are gratefully accepted. Please make checks payable to **Joseph's Place Food Pantry.**

How to submit your donation:

Please place your gift cards, cash or checks in an envelope clearly labeled **"Thanksgiving Gift Cards"**. Envelopes can be:

- Placed directly in the Sunday collection basket.
- Dropped off during normal business hours at the Cathedral Office; Monday–Thursday from 9:00 am – 3:00 pm. (we close for mass and lunch from 12:10 pm – 12:40 pm) and on Friday from 9:00 am – Noon.

Your generosity is greatly appreciated and will bring immediate warmth and nourishment to our neighborhood families this holiday season.

The Catholic Ministries Appeal (CMA)

As of October 9, 2026, 73 families have contributed to the CMA. We thank those who have given generously and ask all who have not yet given to prayerfully consider doing so. The CMA helps our Church and our parish in so many ways. Please consider all the ways that God has blessed you and your family, an how the Church has brought goodness into your lives. Join our appeal and give back what you can so that we remain strong and able to do God's work!

This year our Goal at Sacred Heart Cathedral is $87,000



Pray For Our Deceased

In your charity, please pray for the repose of the soul of all of our faithful departed.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.



Banns Of Marriage

Nicklaus Krodthoff & Cecilia Savka

Please keep this couple in your prayers as they approach their wedding day and begin their vocation as husband and wife, revealing to the world the faithful love of Jesus Christ for His bride, the Church.

Bishop John E. McCafferty Knights of Columbus Council 15118
7th Annual Turkey Raffle



Saturday, November 21, 2026 from 5:30 pm – 8:00 pm
Sacred Heart Cathedral Hall
296 Flower City Park

8 Turkeys to be raffled
50/50 Raffle – Raffles – Door Prize

Pasta Dinner
Pasta, Salad, Bread and Butter and Drinks
Adults – $10.00
Children under 12 – $5.00

All are welcome to attend!

Charitable Endeavors

***Coats for Kids** ***Special Olympics** ***Seminarian Program** ***Nazareth Academy** ***First Communion**
***Toiletries for VA** ***Joseph's Place** ***Holiday Food Baskets** ***Children's Pentecost Ceremony**

Breakfast

Pancake Breakfast
Sunday, November 29, 2026
9:30 am – 12:45 pm
Sacred Heart Cathedral Hall
Hosted by the
Knights Of Columbus Council 15118

Convenient for Mass Attendees

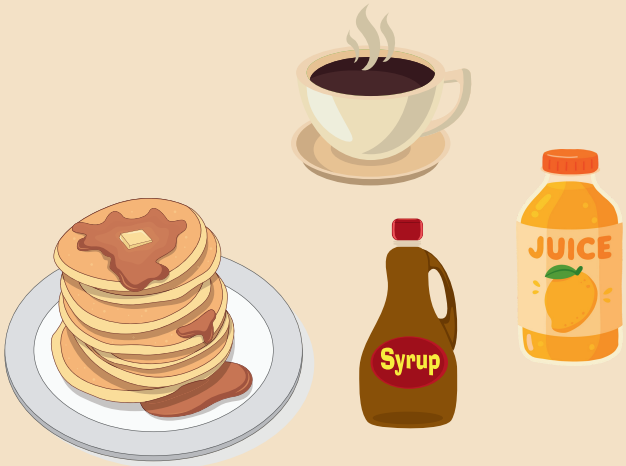
Enjoy breakfast after the 9:15 am mass or before the 11:15 am mass while observing the one-hour Eucharistic fast before receiving Holy Communion

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