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#### RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday  
 11:00 a.m. -- 1:00 p.m.  
 Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday  
 9:00 a.m. -- 1:00 p.m.

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Tuesdays, 1:00–5:00 p.m.

#### MASS SCHEDULE

**Saturday Vigil:** .....4:00 p.m.  
**Sunday:**.....8:30 a.m.  
**Weekdays: Monday–Wednesday, Friday:**.....8:30 a.m.

#### SACRAMENTS

**Infant Baptism:** During weekend Masses. Parents must be practicing Catholics and attend a Pre-Baptismal Class. Call the rectory office to register.

**Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA):** call the rectory office.

**Reconciliation (Confessions):** Upon request only.

**Marriage:** Couples contemplating marriage must make an appointment to meet personally with the Pastor before a definite wedding date may be scheduled. Church arrangements should be made at least 6 months prior to the wedding. No wedding date will be scheduled over the phone.

**Anointing of the Sick:** Anyone who is seriously ill is invited to contact the rectory to request the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick and Holy Communion.

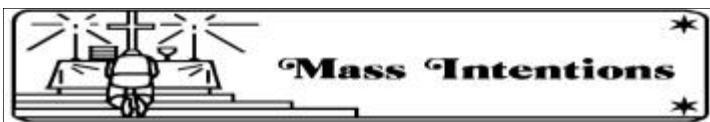
#### Parish Devotions (Cancelled until further notice).

*Holy Hour with Eucharistic Adoration :* Tuesdays: 1:00–2:00 p.m.

*Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help:* Wednesdays after 7:30 a.m.  
*Mass. Recitation of Rosary:* daily after 7:30 a.m. Mass.

**Letters of Recommendation:** Registered parishioners in good standing for a minimum of 3 months and active, who are confirmed, and if married, did so in accordance with the Church's regulations, will be issued letters on request. One week prior notice is required.



**Saturday, November 6****Vigil: Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

4:00 PM - Rose Pinker - req. Robert Wargula Family

**Sunday, November 7 - 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:30 AM - Ronald Piskorz - req. MPB Staff

**Monday, November 8**

8:30 AM - Theresa Sack - req. Family

**Tuesday, November 9 - Dedication of the Lateran Basilica**8:30 AM - Joan Keohane - req. Stafflinger/Kidd/  
Simmeth Families**Wednesday, November 10 - St. Leo the Great, pope & doctor**

8:30 AM - Bob &amp; Irene Stoessel - req. Bob &amp; Danielle

**Friday, November 12 - St. Josaphat, bishop & martyr**

8:30 AM - Mel &amp; Dorothy Galfo - req. Karen &amp; Spencer

**Saturday, November 13 - St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, virgin****Vigil: Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**4:00 PM - Nick & Jessie Conoscenti - req. Robert  
Wargula Family**Sunday, November 14 - 33rd. Sunday in Ordinary Time**8:30 AM - Deceased Members of St. Vincent DePaul  
Society

*In your prayers, please pray for the deceased of the parish, especially Patricia Coyle.*

**READINGS FOR SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7****1 KINGS 17:10-16****PSALM 146****HEBREWS 9:24-28****MARK 12:38-44****READINGS FOR SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 14****DANIEL 12:1-3****PSALM 16****HEBREWS 10:11-14, 18****MARK 13:24-32****A Message from the Pastor**

*Do I give God what I am living for?*

And you thought loving God with your whole heart, your whole soul, your whole strength, your whole mind, and your neighbor as yourself was enough! It is. Yet, our intent is important.

Today we hear two stories about widows who give from their need, simply because God gave to them. But there is always meaning for us.

Elijah, the great prophet, has called upon the people to repent of their idolatry and evil, but they won't. So God sends a drought upon the land. Even Elijah struggles through the drought when God sends him out of the community to a poor widow who has nothing. Widows had no source of support, physical or emotional. Their sole source of support is God. This widow is on her very last. It is to her, however, that Elijah is sent.

Elijah is being tested too. Sent to an outsider widow on her last leg, Elijah instructs her to give him a cake. He professes that the means will last until the end of the drought. She trusts the prophet and believes in his God. Feeding the prophet first and ultimately inviting him into her life, both live through the drought and gain life.

In the Gospel, the faithful are entering the temple and following the law, putting their donations in the treasury. Jesus acknowledges that, but points out the next important step when the widow comes in and leaves a pittance. It's nothing but Jesus points her out, "She has given more than all the rest." The amount wasn't important; her situation was. Like our first story, she gave what she needed for herself.

God isn't worried about the money. God wants us. He demands our lives, our very essence, what we depend on, what we live on. Do we give God what's left over after we've taken care of everything else? Or do we give God what we are living for? Our giving to God is just giving back what is already His! The least we can do is offer it first, offer the best of us.

The gift of our faith, the gift of our hearts is what we need to do. To gift our hearts is when we give our interests and desires, our accomplishments and purposes. In essence, we should make our purpose God's purpose and we should make God's purpose our purpose. Maybe even better, everything we have, all that we are is from God. Put God first. Give back in God's way. Give forward in God's way. Give first, last and always in God's way.

God's way? Through your neighbor. Take care of your family. Give all and so much more will come. We can never "out generous" God. Simply, love God and your neighbor. You will always have more; you will never run out! Give God what you are living for.

Choicest Blessings,

*Fr. Tím*



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**Faith Formation Sessions**

Faith Formation classes for grades K-11 in the Parish Hall have begun. To register, contact the Rectory Office (549-0420). Grades K-8 report to class at 9:15 a.m. and Grades 9-11 at 7:00 p.m.

All who attend are to be masked and are to enter the hall at the gym entrance. Students K-8 must be signed in and picked up by a parent or guardian.

More information is available on the parish website: [MPB Faith Formation \(mpbangola.org\)](http://MPB Faith Formation (mpbangola.org)).

**MPB CALENDAR****Sunday, November 7***(Daylight Saving Time Ends)*

9:15 a.m. - Faith Formation (K-8): Parish Hall

7:00 p.m. - Faith Formation (9-11): Parish Hall

**Tuesday, November 9**

1:00 p.m. - Operation Good Neighbor: Parish Hall

7:00 p.m. - Respect Life: Chapel

**Wednesday, November 10**

10:00 a.m. &amp; 7:00 p.m. - Bible Study: Annex

**Thursday, November 11***(Veterans Day)***Saturday, November 13**

4:30 - 6:00 p.m. - MPB Pork Chop Dinner  
(Drive-Thru): Parish Hall Parking Lot

**Sunday, November 14**

9:15 a.m. - Faith Formation (K-8): Parish Hall

7:00 p.m. - Faith Formation (9-11): Parish Hall

**2022 Mass Intentions**

Requests for 2022 Mass intentions may be made at the rectory during office hours or by mail. Please do not phone in requests.

**Project Keep Evans Warm and Fed**

The pandemic has affected many Americans including some Evans residents. Loss of jobs, loss of housing and even loss of life have been caused by this horrible sickness. As a result, the warm clothing drive, **Project Keep Evans Warm**, will also include a food and paper drive. All collections will be turned over to Operation Good Neighbor for distribution to families in need who reside in Evans.

Requests for clothing donations include winter coats, gloves, boots and hats in all sizes, colors and styles. Children's sizes are very popular. All donated clothing must be clean. Dry and canned food for donations might include soups, cereals, pasta and vegetables. Baby food is in great demand. Paper goods (Kleenex, paper towels and bathroom tissue) will also be collected.

You may drop off donations in the Chapel foyer for Sunday morning pick-up. For home pick up, call 481-4480 or 507-6703. Leave a message.

Please help to **Keep Evans Warm and Fed**.

**Pray For the Healing of the Sick**

Kathy Duerr, Mary Angela Richir, Kathy Nolan, Amy Jezioro Crawford, Lily Schwieter, Sandy Clark, Cassie Rizzuto, Miya Wardlaw, Lynn Sellick, Linda A. Hogg, Ryan O'Meara, Jean Francis, Deborah Schiedel Downs, Mason Joseph Reynolds, Patricia Jasinski, Ann Marie Collura, Fred Gugino, Josephine Prisco, Jonah Delang, Robert Catalino, Michele White, Cheryl Kendall, Eryn Ramirez, Sandra Stevens, Jenna Place, Renee Perez-Quinn, Bonnie Hyman, Mark Faraci, Jackie Francisco, Eleanor Rathgeber, Eugene Frometa, Richard Riley, Jane Granville, Jessie Keith, Diane Cooke, Michael Rizzuto, Sr., Pauline Landes, Anna Marie Kirsch, Joseph Newland, Karen Schiavone, Stephen Rodler, Lucille Zoda Galfo, Anthony Genovese, Dorothy Genovese, Linda Muscato, Patricia Latimore, Kimberly Borkowski, Jeannie DiChristopher, Eric Kohlmeier, Wendy Lang, Paulette Dailey.



November 13 & 14	MPB Extraordinary Ministers	Lectors
4:00 p.m.	B. Weslow, F. Dybdahl, J. Sack, A. Vail	N. Preischel
8:30 a.m.	D. Hosler, K. Young, J. Dillon, K. Wells	J. Sedor





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### All Souls Memorial Book

To remember a family member or friend who has died this year, you may personally write the name of the deceased loved one in the All Saints Memorial Book located in front of the baptismal font in the church. The deceased will be remembered in prayer at Masses in November.

### 250 Club Drawing

The winner of the October 31 drawing is **Linda Rayburg** with ticket number 062.

A drive-thru Pork Chop Dinner is planned for November 13 from 4:30 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall parking lot. The required reservations were due October 29. The dinner is \$12, but is free to 250 Club members.

### Consider ACH Direct Payment For Your Church Contributions

During this time when many are not able to attend Mass regularly, ACH may be the answer to making weekly contributions.

ACH is a process for automatic donations to be made from your checking or savings account to Most Precious Blood Church. This allows the withdrawal of contributions on a weekly, bi-weekly or monthly basis.

If interested in the ACH payment, please fill out the form below and mail it to MPB Rectory Office, 22 Prospect St., Angola, NY 14006.

#### Please mail more ACH information to:

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**ACH Form is also available on MPB's website: <http://www.mpbangola.org/contact.htm>**

*Place this completed form in the collection basket at a weekend Mass or mail to: Most Precious Blood Church, 22 Prospect St., Angola, NY 14006.*

### Becoming Catholic .....RCIA

If you have not had the opportunity to receive all the sacraments of initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist) and would like to remedy the situation or if you have pertinent questions about your faith, contact the Faith Formation Office (549-1818) to discuss your concerns.

Adults, and children who have reached the age of reason (usually age 7), who are not baptized, prepare to enter the Catholic Church through a process known as the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA), which can easily be accommodated to children.

RCIA gathers regularly and tailors the process to the needs of the individual. Adults who have been baptized in another Christian tradition and who are preparing to become Catholic follow a similar process adapted to their own particular circumstances.

### MPB Church Hours

The front door of the church is unlocked **Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday** (8:00 a.m.- 1:00 p.m.); **Saturday** (3:00 - 5:00 p.m.); and **Sunday** (8:00 a.m.- 10:30 a.m.).

### MPB DRIVE - THRU

## PORK CHOP DINNER

**Saturday, November 13**

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