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Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat., November 18th

4:00PM – (St. J)

-For Arnie Marolf by the Family.

Sun. November 19th

8:00AM – (St. P)

-For Lou Anne Beaton by daughter Rachel and Ben Kasprowicz Family.

9:30AM – (St. J)

-For The Edward Kraeger Family by the Family.

Mon., November 20th

8:30AM – (St. J)

-For Paul J. Potter, Sr. by Ray Rueger.

Tues., November 21th

8:30AM – (St. J)

-For Henry and Dolores Mancini by Their Grandchildren.

Wed. November 22nd

8:30AM – (St. P)

-For Cathy Gates by Gerry Ritter & Sons.

Thurs., November 23rd THANKSGIVING

8:30AM- (St.J)

-For Our Parishioners and Their Intentions.

Fri. November 24th

8:30AM – (St. J)

-No Scheduled Mass

Our Lord Jesus Christ,

King of the Universe

Sat., November 25th

4:00PM – (St. J)

-For John Sugar by Jane & Family.

Sun. November 26th

8:00AM – (St. P)

-For Savannah Harper by Jeannie Wolcott.

9:30AM – (St. J)

-For Andrew DeSetto by

Marie and Richard Sferra.

We remember in our prayers

Charles Mooney, Frances Miller,
Jamie Uhl-Goosman, Jeffrey Batt, Lorraine King,
Walt Belewich, Sr. Ann Lash, Jim White,
John Bailey, Cretia Carpenter, Candace Schaffer,
David Hoffman, Steven Stooks, Michael
Stinebrickner, Michelle Durney Croniser,
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Everett Otto Stoots, Madeline Mansier, Larry
Kornatowski & Arnie Marolf.

CONFESSION TIMES
SATURDAYS – 3:15PM – 3:45PM - SJ
SUNDAYS – 7:30AM – 7:50AM – SP

Christ Our Hope

Last Week's Collection & Expenses

Collection Income: \$6,124.52

Expenses: \$5,762.53

+ 361.99

(to be updated next week)

November Second Collections

Nov. 19- Human Development

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Food Pantry Corner:

"The food pantry distributed 1407 meals during the month of October.

We are fortunate to be able to assist our growing number of families.

Your continued donations of pie crust and filling, cake, cookie, and brownie mixes help us spread holiday cheer to these families.

Thank you for your ongoing support!

"Happy Thanksgiving "



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION 2023-2024

There will be no Religious Education Classes on November 26th. HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

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Catholic Women's Club News

Our Holiday Bazaar was successful thanks to all of our members, parishioners and friends who donated their time, efforts and items to sell or baked goods. Thanks to youi all!

Raffles winners were:

50/50- Pam Murray, Basket of Groceries- Marlene Kelly and the Hand quilted Bedspread- LeAnn Bartolotti.

Our Christmas Luncheon/Gift Exchange will be on Wed., Dec. 6 @ 12 noon at Kratzy's in Forestport. Cost is \$10/person and we will order from their menu. If you wish to participate in the gift exchange, please bring a \$10 gift. Please call Sue Schweinsberg (315 790-0901) or Rosemary Fitts (315 392-4425) to RSVP by Nov. 28th. All women of the Parish are invited!

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"You Strengthen the Fabric of Our Faith"

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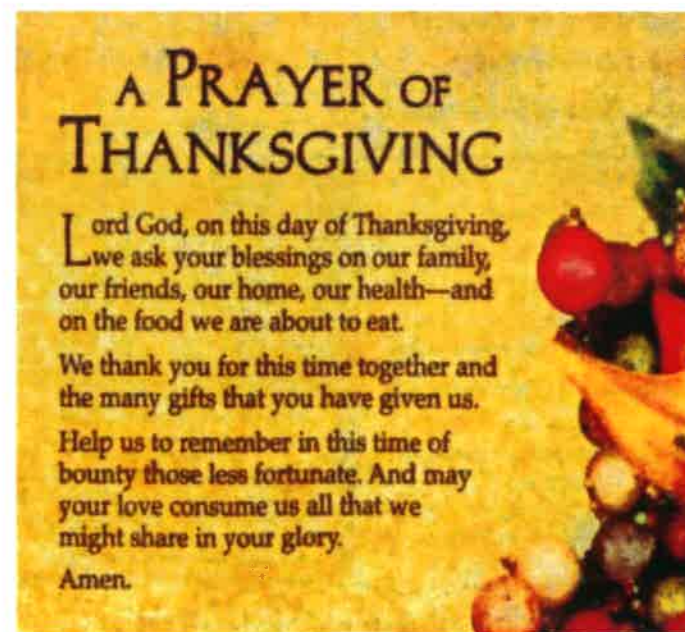
If you donated last year, you will be getting a mailing.

We have \$11,664.00 in donations and pledges toward our goal of \$18,175.00.

Hope Appeal Online Giving Link:

<https://www.syracusediocese.org/hopeappeal>

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**A PRAYER OF
THANKSGIVING**

Lord God, on this day of Thanksgiving,
we ask your blessings on our family,
our friends, our home, our health—and
on the food we are about to eat.

We thank you for this time together and
the many gifts that you have given us.

Help us to remember in this time of
bounty those less fortunate. And may
your love consume us all that we
might share in your glory.

Amen.

Dear Parishioners,

Our Gospel this week is taken from Matthew 25:14-30, where Jesus shares the parable of the talents, teaching us important lessons about stewardship and faithfulness. The story tells of a master who entrusts his servants with different amounts of money before going on a journey. Upon his return, he asks for an account of what they have done with their talents.

This parable reminds us that God has given each of us unique gifts and abilities. We are all entrusted with different talents, resources, and opportunities in life. The master represents God, and the talents symbolize the various blessings He has bestowed upon us. The first two servants take their talents and invest them wisely, doubling the amounts they were given. They demonstrate faithfulness and responsibility with what they have been entrusted. Their actions reflect a deep understanding of the master's character and desires. However, the third servant, out of fear, buries his talent in the ground. He fails to recognize the potential and value of what he has been given. This servant represents those who squander their opportunities, who are afraid to take risks or step out of their comfort zones.

The master's response to each servant's actions teaches us about God's expectations. He praises the first two servants, saying, "Well done, good and faithful servant!" They are rewarded with even greater responsibilities and joy. However, the third servant is rebuked for his lack of faith and laziness. His talent is taken away and given to the one who has multiplied the most. This parable challenges us to reflect on how we use our God-given talents and resources. Are we faithfully stewarding them, investing them wisely for God's kingdom? Or are we allowing fear, doubt, and complacency to hinder our growth and impact? God desires that we make the most of what we have been given, not only for our own benefit but also for the benefit of others. It's a call to step out in faith and take risks, trusting that God will multiply our efforts.

As we reflect on the parable of the talents, let us be encouraged to embrace a mindset of stewardship and faithfulness. Let us be intentional with our gifts, using them to bring glory to God and to bless others. May we hear the words of our Master saying, "Well done, good and faithful servant," as we strive to fulfill our God-given potential.

Have a Blessed Thanksgiving,

Fr. Matt

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The Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Today's readings begin on pg. 1024 Year A
November 19, 2023

Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31
She works with loving hands.

Psalms 128:1-2, 3, 4-5

Blessed are those who fear the Lord.

1 Thessalonians 5:1-6

Let the day of the Lord not overtake you like a thief.

Gospel Acclamation

Remain in me as I remain in you, says the Lord.

Whoever remains in me bears much fruit.

Matthew 25:14-30

Since you were faithful in small matters, come, share your master's joy.

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