

REFLECTION FOR THE DAY

Sunday, November 14th

As the liturgical year comes to a close, we hear the Scripture readings about the end times, when all of will be ushered into the judgment before our savior, Jesus Christ. No one knows when the last judgment will occur, only that we will be called to account for how we have lived our lives. How will we fare as individuals and as a Church as we stand before Christ?

Jesus lived, suffered, died and rose from the dead so that all people could have eternal life. He shows us the way to the Father, and has given us the Advocate—the Holy Spirit—to guide us. All we have to do is take up our cross and follow him. While not an easy path, with God's grace we can be one with Christ now and for all eternity in heaven.

Sunday, November 21st

The feast of Christ the King was established by Pope Pius XI in 1925. Europe was still healing from the effects of World War I. The once great Catholic monarchies of Europe had been replaced by fascists, socialists and communists—all styles of government that are opposed to religious observance. Europe was beginning to turn away from God and his Church. The intent of this solemnity was to let all people know that the kings of men will never match the great and glorious, merciful and mighty kingship of Jesus Christ. The Church was staking her claim with the powers of heaven.

In the Gospel, Jesus is mocked on the cross, even by those crucified with him. The good thief is aware that they have condemned an innocent man, undeserving of the most cruel punishment to which he was subjected.

Let us pray that in the darkest moments of our life, when we find ourselves like the Good Thief—that we, like him, will trust in the Lord who is our friend, confidant and our king. He will set us free and remind us that one day we, too, will be with him in paradise.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Fridays at 6:00 pm. Please join us.

You are able to order **Frozen Berries** again this year through The Knights of Columbus. Order form is enclosed with more details. **Orders must be placed by Sun, Nov 21st. Do not put orders in the collection.** Delivery will happen sometime in Dec and you will be notified.

Anyone wishing to subscribe to a personal copy of **Word Among Us**, please drop off payment with collection or place in mail slot at garage door by **Sun, Nov 21st. Yearly subscription rate for 2022 is \$25.00. Living With Christ** subscription will be **offered at a later date** because of the 2021 subscription extension.

Parish Council meeting on Thurs, Nov 25th at 7:00 pm. All council members are encouraged to attend.

MV Hospice Palliative Care is hosting a **FREE** event, "**Help for the Holidays**", on **Sun, Nov 28th from 1:30 – 3:30 pm** at the Opeongo Seniors Centre in Barry's Bay. Join us to hear ideas for coping, participate in making and taking home a Memory Decoration to celebrate your loved one. Refreshments being provided. **All current health and safety guidelines are in effect and will be followed.** Please register by **Nov 26th**. For more information and to reserve, call 613-756-3045, ext 350.

PARISH COLLECTIONS

Please use stmaryswilno@gmail.com when you are making an etransfer from your bank account. It will be directly deposited and the church will be notified. There is a section to make a note, please indicate if donation is regular Sunday collection, building fund or In Memory Of (with name). Also, if you are not a parishioner, please provide mailing address there. All donations will be recorded as usual, designated as per request, and will appear on the year end tax receipt.

Ministry Assignment

	Sat, Nov 13—5:00 pm	Sun, Nov 14—11:00 am
Lector	Steve Platt	Catherine Bloskie / Ryszard Prusakiewicz
Altar Guild	Mon, Nov 15th to Sun, Nov 28th—Drenda Lapenskie & helpers (2 weeks)	

	Sat, Nov 20— 5:00 pm	Sun, Nov 21—11:00 am
Lector	Edwin Echavarry	Catherine Bloskie / Andrzej Wielgosz

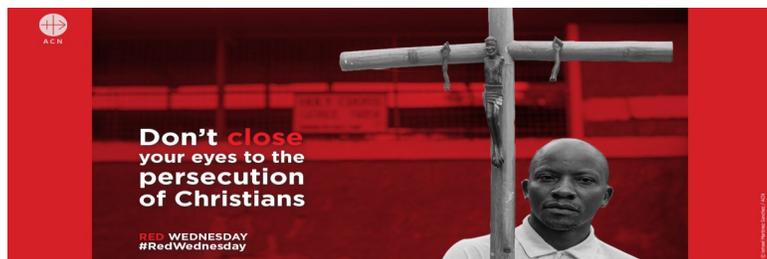
	Sat, Nov 27—5:00 pm	Sun, Nov 28—11:00 am
Lector	Ana & Tobias Sullivan	Len Gignac / Andrzej Suska
Altar Guild	Mon, Nov 29th to Sun, Dec 12th—Lillian Shulist & helpers (2 weeks)	

	Sat, Dec 4— 5:00 pm	Sun, Dec 5—11:00 am
Lector	Rita Coulas	Len Gignac / Ryszard Prusakiewicz

DIOCESEAN NEWS

World Day of the Poor—Nov 14th In 2017, Pope Francis instituted the World Day of the Poor so that “throughout the world Christian communities can become an ever greater sign of Christ’s charity for the least and those most in need.”

-Message of his Holiness Pope Francis, First World Day of the Poor, 19 Nov 2017



Red Wednesday, Nov 17th: As a Catholic and Pontifical organization, *Aid to the Church in Need* is particularly concerned with the poor, oppressed, or persecuted communities. **Red Wednesday** is an event aimed at highlighting the persecution and injustice suffered by Christians, while promoting respect and tolerance between people of different reli-

gions. We want people to take a stand for their faith, and more broadly for religious freedom. Currently, 327 million Christians live in a country where there is religious persecution. Another 178 million live where there is discrimination. Although it is difficult to keep a precise count, we believe that 75% of religiously motivated violence is perpetrated against Christians. In solidarity with Christians who suffer for their faith, we are inviting people to make themselves visible by wearing red. For further details and to view all available materials pertaining to Red Wednesday, you are invited to visit the website of *Aid to the Church in Need Canada*— <https://acn-canada.org/red-wednesday/>

Job Postings—CCCB is searching to fill 3 positions. Application deadline is **Fri, Nov 19th**. Please go to CCCB website <https://www.cccb.ca/about/careers/> to view job postings.

The CCCB Office for Family and Life has recently added a series of resource pages to their website to promote the “**Year of the *Amoris Laetitia* Family.**” These resources seek to help families to grow in faith and unity, offering ways for them to learn, pray, and discern together. Please go to the following link: <https://www.cccb.ca/faith-moral-issues/family-and-life/celebrating-the-amoris-laetitia-family-year/>

The Most Reverend Guy Desrochers, C.Ss.R., announces the following **pastoral appointments:**

Reverend Justin Bertrand has been appointed Administrator of St-Thomas-d’Aquin Parish, Astorville, Ste-Bernadette Parish, Bonfield, and Sacred Heart Parish, Corbeil.

Reverend Réal Ouellette has been appointed Pastor of Holy Canadian Martyrs Parish, Combermere, and St. Francis de Sales Mission, Latchford Bridge. These appointments become effective on Dec 1st.

In October, **Reverend Kenneth O’Brien** concluded his ministry as Chaplain to Marianhill in Pembroke. **Reverend William Kenney** has been assigned as Chaplain to Marianhill. Father Kenney will provide pastoral care one day a week.

Seminarian Lukas Časta has been assigned to St. Columbkille Cathedral Parish for his pastoral year. Due to renovations of the Cathedral rectory, Lukas is in residence at Our Lady of Lourdes rectory in Pembroke.

SCHEDULE OF MASSES—NOVEMBER 15th to November 20th

For sacramental celebrations, in Step 3, as of July 16th, there is no capacity limit for places of worship. However, physical distancing of 2 metres (6 ft) is still required between parishioners attending Mass who are not from the same household, therefore our capacity remains at **125 people**.

At the same time, we have to keep in place all the former restrictions, we sanitize our hands, **we sign in after coming into the church**, follow one way traffic in the church building, singing with a mask on and receive Holy Communion with our hands. **Bishop Desrochers is reminding us once again, that the Renfrew County District Health Unit is asking us to wear the mask throughout the whole celebration, not just at certain times.**

Similar to other sacramental celebrations, there are no capacity restrictions for funerals as long as 2 metres (6 ft) of physical distancing can be maintained between attendees who are not from the same household.

Masses will be still transmitted through the radio station **88.3 FM**.

Monday, November 15—St. Albert the Great, St. Nikola Tavelic

10:00 am (Polish) +Shaun Lapenskie (Bonnie Mask)

Tuesday, November 16—No Mass—St. Gertrude, St. Margaret of Scotland

Wednesday, November 17—St. Elizabeth of Hungary

7:00 pm (Polish/English) +Emmett Cybulskie (Barry & Janice Cybulskie & Family)

+Nicholas Stamplecoskie (Darlene, Ronnie, Emily & Joey Stamplecoskie)

+Ambrose Ostroskie (Michael & Catherine Bloskie)

Thursday, November 18—No Mass—Dedication of Basilicas of St. Peter & Paul, St. Rose Duchesne

Friday, November 19—St. Pontian, St. Mechtild

6:00 pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

7:00 pm +Alfie Kuiack (Hedwig Kuiack & Family)

+Catherine Recoskie (Theresa Shulist)

+Aloysius Lorbetskie (Dave & Helen McIntyre)

Saturday, November 20—St. Felix of Valois

5:00 pm For all of our Parishioners

Faith IS NOT KNOWING
WHAT THE FUTURE HOLDS,
BUT KNOWING
who holds the future.

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Sunday, November 21—34th or Last Sunday in Ordinary Time— Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

11:00 am (Polish/English) God's blessing for Bielec Family

Monday, November 22—*St. Cecilia*

10:00 am (Polish) +Dominic Bloskie (John & Kern Bloskie)

Tuesday, November 23—No Mass—*St. Clement I, St. Columban, Bl. Miguel Pro*

Wednesday, November 24—*St. Andrew Dung-Lac & Companions*

7:00 pm (Polish/English) +Terry Hoffman (Andrew & Marlene Shulist)

+Patrick Yaskolskie (Theresa Trader)

+Mary C. Luckasavitch (Susan Cybulski)

Thursday, November 25—No Mass—*St. Catherine of Alexandria*

Friday, November 26—*St. John Berchmans*

6:00 pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

7:00 pm +Bernadette Ostroskie (Andrew Norlock)

+Adolph & Stella Burchat & departed souls of Burchat & Prince Family (Burchat Family)

God's blessing for Ginnette, Berney & children (Berney)

Saturday, November 27—*Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal*

5:00 pm For all of our Parishioners

Sunday, November 28—First Sunday of Advent—*St. Catherine*

11:00 am (Polish/English) +Michal & Michalina Wolnik (Mark & Bea Wolnik)

In your prayers remember:



- * Our sick and hospitalized
- * Our elderly parishioners.
- * All those at the manor, lodge and homebound.
- * Our deceased family & friends.