

Events/Announcements for Week beginning November 24, 2018

- 1) **Our next Second Collection** will be December 9th for the Retired Religious.
- 2) **Remember that Father Will Saucier** will be giving us an Advent Retreat on Monday, December 3rd, at 7 pm. Confession will be prior to the retreat at 6:00 pm. We invited confessor for this retreat.
- 3) **Saturday, December 8th, is a Holy Day of Obligation.** We will have Mass on Saturday morning at 9 am. That will be our only Mass.
- 4) **We are asking members of the parish to sign up to serve as “Ministers of the Word” (Lectors).** We are asking all who are interested, including current lectors to please sign the form on the table in the church hall Current Lectors be sure to take your “2019 Workbook for Lectors” home. One copy per family.
- 5) **The Knights and Ladies Auxiliary** from St. Johns and St. Margaret are having a Christmas party on December 5th after the parish benediction services.
- 6) **To date we have received tithing commitments** from 57 families for a total annual amount of \$132,112.00. We still have envelopes available for those who have not pledged.
- 7) **As of today, we have received \$1500.00** in donations towards the cost of renovating the confessional. If you wish to give a donation contact the Parish Office.
- 8) **Special Thanks to Jay Graham** for getting the internet service to the new offices in the church hall. To date it is wireless, but he is working to get the fiber-optic cable laid for direct connection. The phone connection should be installed this week.
- 9) **Special Thanks also go out to Bill Schaffer** who provided the material and laid the foundation for the deck and cover project on the east side of the rectory. We are now asking for volunteers to come out on Saturday, December 1st, and help finish this project. Please contact Jack Wright to volunteer for this project.
- 10) **Known Birthdays: Nov. 25th:** Avis Garrett, **27th:** Lyman Ramsay, **30th:** Glenda Poiroux, **No Known Anniversaries:**