

## **Announcements for Week November 23, 2019**

- 1) The 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection** this week, will be for the Campaign for Human Development.
- 2) Our youth in the CRE** raised \$441.00 in tips during their Thanks-for-giving Dinner. Thanks for everyone who supported this event.
- 3) Altar Server Training** – All youth that have made their 1<sup>st</sup> Communion and wish to serve God from the altar need to be in the Church on Wednesday, December 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm. Father Sherwin and Deacon Graham will hold training at that time.
- 4) Advent Retreat** is scheduled for Monday, Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup>, at 6:30 pm in the church. Everyone is invited to come and hear Father Victor Ingalls speak. All Confirmation Students are required to come to this event.
- 5) St. John's is once again**, after many years, having a float in the Grand Bay Christmas Parade on Saturday, December 7<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm. Our theme is "Keeping Christ in Christmas." Our youth will portray a live Nativity scene on the float. Walking alongside the float, youth and adults will pass out candy. We need help from the parishioners to make this become a reality. Please see the Christmas Float Help list in the bulletin on page 3.
- 6) Our Capital Campaign** this week is at \$423,900.00 which is 217% of our campaign goal.
- 7) We had Fifteen Youth** from our CRE and Youth programs that attended the "Search Retreat" this weekend at Camp Baldwin in Alberta, AL. Please continue to pray for them as they close out the retreat today.
- 8) Known Birthdays: 25<sup>th</sup>:** Avis Garrett, **27<sup>th</sup>:** Lyman Ramsay, **No Known Anniversaries this week:**