

# St. Francis of Assisi Church, Aviston, IL

November 11, 2018

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## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK:

Mon. Nov. 12		<b>NO MASS</b>
Tue. Nov. 13	7:30am	Bill Friedman
Wed. Nov. 14	7:30am	Raymond & Irene Buscher Jenny Lueke
Thu. Nov. 15	7:30am	Lucille Feldmann
Fri. Nov. 16	7:30am	Odelia Ratermann
Sat. Nov. 17	<b>1:30pm</b> 7:30pm	<b>Wedding: C. Imming &amp; K. Bunker</b> Hubert & Rose Markus Craig Huels
Sun. Nov. 18	7:30am 9:30am	Roy, Lester & Eric Mollet L/D Aloys & Mary Strubhart Family Norbert & Estella Hollenkamp Marvin Hollenkamp & Family

### NOVEMBER 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> WEEKEND SERVERS

Sat. 7:30pm -Nolan Pruet, Brendan Strieker, (I) *Volunteer*  
 Sun. 7:30am -Joe, Mason & Zac Wieter  
 9:30am -Cole Buschmann, Gavin Nettekmeier, Chris Richter,  
 Luke Pingsterhaus, Brooke Trame

### NOVEMBER 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> WEEKEND SERVERS

Sat. 7:30pm -Jake & Cecelia Richter, Elyse Strader  
 Sun. 7:30am -Jayden Gonet, Kaden & Kylie Rakers  
 9:30am -Kylie Stockmann, Evan Schlueter, Easton Rakers,  
 Ava & Mason Millard



*(If you cannot be there at the appointed time, please get a sub!)*

\*\***ROSARY** found in church, call 228-7219 claim!



**PASTORS NOTE:** The attitude Jesus exalts in the widow's gift is to realize all we have to be grateful for, and that such gratitude translates into generosity. It is that attitude that Jesus exalts in the widow's gift. In the economy of God, numbers are not the true value of giving; it is what we give from our want, not from our extra, that reflects what we truly value, what good we actually want to accomplish, what we really want our lives and world to be. In the Gospel scheme of things, it is not the amount of content of the gift but the measure of the love, selflessness and commitment that direct the gift that is great before God; for Christ calls us not to seek greater things or talents to astound the world but for greater love and selflessness with which to enrich the world.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to *Kyle & Elizabeth [Fuhler] Emig* upon receiving the Sacrament of Marriage this weekend. May God Bless them with many years of happiness!



### SICK & HOSPITALIZED:

Ruth Bruns	Maggie Fix	Jane Gebhart
Donna Hegger	Rosina Hollenkamp	Ken Kavanaugh
Carla Knackstedt	Dominic Kuhl	Dennis Kuper
Martha Litteken	Jim Markus	Fr. Joe Rascher
Abby Robke	Patricia Rollings	Fr. Ken Schaefer
Fallon Schlautmann	Dayceon Spihlmann	Floyd Sudholt
Nick Tebbe	Kyle Uhring	

### CONFESSIONS:

Sat. Evening 6:30 - 7:10pm or by appointment

### WEEKLY ROSARY:

Sat. Evening at 7:10pm (before mass)  
 Sun. Morning at 7:10am (before mass)



### CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Sun. Nov. 11 - 9:30am -St. Francis Sunday School Classes  
 - **VETERAN'S DAY HOLIDAY!!!**  
 Mon. - Thu., Nov. 12 - 15 - 9:00am -4:00pm -*Quilting in Heritage Rm.*  
 Mon. Nov. 12 -**CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED - VETERAN'S DAY!!**  
 - 7:00pm -RCIA at St. Dominic Annex Bldg.  
 Tue. Nov. 13 - 7:30pm -SAL Meeting at the Legion  
 Wed. Nov. 14 - 7:00pm -Bible Class in Pre-K Room #2  
 Fri. Nov. 16 - **-NO QUILTING**

**SYMPATHY:** Remember *Lois Ann Esther Klein* (mother of Craig [Coleen] Klein) and *Rev. Louis A. Koehr* who died. Keep *Lois, Fr. Lou* and their families in your prayers.



**SECOND COLLECTION:** Next week, our second collection will be for the *Catholic Campaign for Human Development*. Today over 43 million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs to empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face as they work to bring permanent and positive change to their communities. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at [www.usccb.org/cchd/collection](http://www.usccb.org/cchd/collection).



**QUILTING THE WEEK OF** Mon., Nov. 12<sup>th</sup> thru Thu., Nov. 15<sup>th</sup> from 9:00am - 4:00pm. **NO QUILTING** on Friday, November 16<sup>th</sup>. Questions, call Kathy Barkman, 228-7751.



**RCIA** on Monday, November 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:00pm at St. Dominic Annex Building “located at 307 North Cherry Street” (behind the Clintonian Plaza) in Breese.

“Discovering vocation does not mean scrambling toward some prize just beyond my reach but accepting the treasure of true self I already possess. Vocation does not come from a voice out there calling me to be something I am not. It comes from a voice in here calling me to be the person I was born to be, to fulfill the original selfhood given me at birth by God.” – Thomas Merton

**BIBLE STUDY** continues each Wednesday evening through December 9<sup>th</sup> (except Nov. 21<sup>st</sup>, the Wednesday of Thanksgiving week) from 7:00pm to 8:30pm in the St. Francis, Aviston, Parish Center. It is covering the last eight chapters of the Book of Daniel. Please bring your own Bibles. You do not have to have attended previous sessions. Everyone (all ages) is welcome at any time. Two hours diocesan catechist credit is given for each of these classes. The cost is free for members of the partnership (St. Francis/St. Rose/St. Felicitas). We ask others to pay \$12 for the cost of the book, which is used for Daniel Parts I and II.



The **GIVING TREE** will be placed in church Saturday, November 17<sup>th</sup>. This year we will be donating gifts to families in need from Aviston Terrace, DCFs, Hispanic families and the Holy Angels Shelter. Each gift goes to a specific individual. **Important: Please attach the gift tag you take from the Giving Tree to your gift.** No need to wrap, however placing in a gift bag is appreciated! The last weekend we will be receiving gifts in December 9<sup>th</sup>. If you know of anyone who could use our assistance, call Peggy Litteken at 618-779-9940. Thank you for your generosity and sincere wishes for a Blessed Holiday!



**Are you being called to serve?** Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Servers and Ushers are always need for **ALL** Mass! Call the parish office (228-7219) if you are interested.

**MATER DEI HIGH SCHOOL NEWS:**  
**MD MUSIC PROGRAM GLO BINGO** on Fri., Nov. 16<sup>th</sup> at the Breese Legion. Doors open at 6:00pm. Bingo starts at 7:00pm. \$25 per person. Reservations, call (618-531-5027) or email [mdknightsmusic@gmail.com](mailto:mdknightsmusic@gmail.com).



**2019 Mater Dei CALENDARS** are now available for purchase! For only \$25, buyers have 391 chances to win cash - \$30 daily, \$100 and \$500 monthly, and \$1,000 & \$2,000 on December 31<sup>st</sup>. To purchase a calendar, contact a Mater Dei family or *Fr. Chuck Tuttle, Director of Advancement*.

**AVISTON LEGION NEWS:**  
 Tue. Nov. 13 - 7:30pm -SAL Meeting  
 Thu. Nov. 15 - 7:00pm -Executive Board Meeting

**AVISTON LEGION FRIDAY NIGHT FISH FRY** on Friday, November 16<sup>th</sup> from 4:30pm – 7:00pm.

**QUILT/CASH BINGO** on Sun., Nov. 18<sup>th</sup> at St. Augustine, Breese. Bingo starts at 2:00pm. (16 Quilts, (8) Cash Games & 50/50 Game.) **Fried Chicken Luncheon served from 11:00am-1:00pm.**



**BUNCO & DESSERT PARTY** on Mon., Nov. 19<sup>th</sup> at 1:00pm at St. Anthony Parish Center, Beckemeyer. \$5 per person *Benefits St. Anthony Cemetery Fund.*



**ROAST TURKEY DINNER - FALL BAZAAR** on Sun., Nov. 11<sup>th</sup> at St. Theresa of Avila School Gym in Salem, IL. Silent Auction, Country Store, 50/50 Drawing, Big Raffle, Quilt Raffle.

**BLOOD DRIVE** at HSHS St. Joseph’s Hospital Breese on Mon., Nov. 12<sup>th</sup> from 12Noon – 4:30pm in the Heritage Room. To schedule an appointment, call The Blood Center at (866-448-3253) or online at [www.bloodcenterimpact.org](http://www.bloodcenterimpact.org). Use group sponsor code 10229 online. **MUST bring photo ID to donate!**



Comprehensive Care Pharmacy will be giving **FLU SHOTS** at Aviston Village Hall on Wednesday, November 14<sup>th</sup> from 9:00am – 11:00am.



**VETERANS DAY CELEBRATION** on Sunday, November 11<sup>th</sup> in New Baden. Schedule of events: Mass at 9:00am at St. George’s Church, Council Meeting at 10:30am, Dinner at 11:00am, Parade line-up at 2:00pm and Parade at 2:30pm.



Kaskaskia College’s Annual **VETERANS DAY PROGRAM, ENDURING FREEDOM CELEBRATION, on Wed., Nov. 14<sup>th</sup> at the main campus.** The celebration provides FREE breakfast for veterans and their guest from 7:30am – 9:30am. The program starts at 9:45am featuring: The Beckemeyer Legion Honor Guard, performance of the Military Service songs by the “KC Blues” and more. Public is invited to attend and to show their appreciation for our veterans.



**ST. GEORGE & ST. MARY PARISH MISSION**  
**NOVEMBER 11<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup>**  
 Mon., Tue. & Wed. at 8:00am at St. George, New Baden. Sun. thru Thu. at 6:30pm at St. Mary, Trenton. Come One! Come All! Join us along with Fr. Pete Schavitz, Share God’s love during this unique experience. Transportation available – 588-4321 or 224-9335. Childcare provided – 224-7823 or 971-7570. Fellowship after each session.



**THANKSGIVING DINNER DONATIONS NEEDED:** The St. Vincent de Paul Belleville Council needs your help with the Belleville Thanksgiving Dinner that will be held at St. Luke’s Parish Center on Thursday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> for those who are alone and would like to join others for dinner and conversation. **The following items are needed: Pies (store or bakery purchased...health laws will not allow home-baked items), Fruit Cups (individually packaged) and Drinks (individually packaged...Capri Sun, etc.).** Donations may be dropped off on Tuesday/Wednesday, November 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> from 9:00am - 2:00pm at #13 Vieux Carre Drive, East St. Louis or Thanksgiving Day at St. Luke’s Parish Center, 226 North Church Street, Belleville. **Cash donations mail check to SVDP, PO Box 3415, East St. Louis, IL 62203.** Be sure to mark “Thanksgiving” in the memo portion of your check. *Thank you so much for your generosity!!*

