

Blessed Trinity Parish

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Mass Schedule/Intentions

This Sunday, October 18

8:00 am Batchtown—Doris Weishaar

9:30 am Hardin—Agnes Simon & Keith Simon

5:00 pm Hardin—For the People

Mon. 7:00 am Hardin—Lowell Bailey (month's mind)

Tues. 6:00 pm Meppen—Rosemary Klemme

Wed. 8:30 am Hardin—Betty Hayn (1 yr. anniversary)

Thu. 7:00 am Hardin—Orville Mueller

9:30 am Nursing Home—No Mass

Fri. 8:30 am Brussels—Norbert & Mary J. Godar

Sat. 8:00 am Batchtown—Mary Tepen

4:00 pm Kampsville—Jerome Becker & Harold Becker

6:30 pm Brussels—Bob Fuhler

Next Sunday, October 25

8:00 am Batchtown—Leo Schleeper

9:30 am Hardin—Al Hillen

5:00 pm Hardin—For the People

The Sacraments and Our Parish Life

Parish Membership--Call or stop by either parish. For St. Francis of Assisi, you may visit www.sfacalhoun.com and click on *Join Our Parish*.

Matrimony--Please contact the office at least 6 months prior to the anticipated date. One person in the couple must be a registered parishioner and a practicing Catholic.

Baptisms--Baptisms may be celebrated after Mass any Sunday of the year and should occur within a month of birth. Prior to your child's birth, both parents must register for our Baptism Program, and attend before the baptism. These are held at the Hardin office quarterly, with the next one December 4 at 7 PM.

Anointing of the Sick/Home Visits--If you or a loved one is in need of this sacrament or would like a visit and Holy Communion, please contact the church office or Fr. Roberts.

Eucharistic Adoration--Eucharistic Adoration is held in St. Barbara's Church in Batchtown on Wednesdays and Thursdays. Please contact Lisa Vogel at 618-883-2200.

PSR--We meet on Wednesday evenings, 6-7:15 PM. If you are new, we welcome you to call or stop by either office.

Confessions

Sunday	7:30-7:45 AM	Batchtown
Monday	6:30-6:45 AM	Hardin
Tuesday	5:30-5:45 PM	Meppen
Wednesday	8:00-8:15 AM	Hardin
Thursday	6:30-6:45 AM	Hardin
Friday	8:00-8:15 AM	Brussels
Saturday	3:15-3:30 PM	Kampsville
	5:45-6:00 PM	Brussels

Please Pray for the Sick

Names will remain on the *Pray for the Sick* list for 12 weeks then are automatically deleted. To be included on this list, contact either parish office by phone or email.

Parish Staff & Boards

Deacon - Mike Hagen, 576-8009, mikehagen73@yahoo.com

St. Vincent de Paul - Jim Twichell, 618-334-5193/Brad Vacca, 314-608-9302- 1st/3rd Thurs. 6:30

Blessed Trinity—618-883-2400; **SM School**—618-883-2124:

Office Mgr.—Sarah Kinder, skinder@blessedtrinity.dio.org
Bkpr.—

Principal—Becky Lorts, thesmsprincipal@gmail.com

PSR Coordinator—Tammy Franke, 618-535-6099

Finance Council—2nd Tuesday @ 8 pm; Dale Hagen

Pastoral Council—2nd Tuesday @ 7 pm; Robin Hillen

St. Mary Advisory Board—4th Tuesday @ 7 pm

St. Francis—618-576-2628; **SN School**—618-576-2514:

Office Mgr.—Maria Carmody, mcarmody@sfacalhoun.com

Bkpr.—Jennifer Roth, jroth@sfacalhoun.com

Principal—Angie Goode, agoode@snsowolves.com

PSR Coordinator—

Finance Council—3rd Tues @ 8 pm; Brad Vacca, 314-608-9302

Pastoral Council—3rd Tues @ 7 pm; Dick Lieber, 217-320-8792

St. Norbert Advisory Board—1st Tuesday @ 7 pm

Children's Choir (St. Norbert)—9:30, 4th Sunday each month

Mark Baalman (1)
Matt Baalman (12)
Mark Bowers (4)
Anna Mae Griffin (8)
Carter Halemeyer (5)
Charlie Heintz (4)
Paul Hoemmen (3)
Debbie Ilges (3)
Rick Randazzo (10)
Kathy Rogers (10)
Ann Sagez (4)

Sally Schleeper (3)
Theresa Schulte (11)
Art Tepen (4)
Jim Twichell (10)
Chasity Wickenhauser (6)
Eunice Woelfel (4)

Looking Ahead

October 24—SNS Biscuits & Gravy Meal

November 7—SNS Gizzards & Liver Dinner

ANNOUNCEMENTS

This week during the Season of Stewardship we receive an invitation from Bishop Paprocki to discern how we can respond as grateful and generous stewards. Stewardship is not solely about giving money. Stewardship is about spending time with God, committing to attending Mass regularly (at home or in-person), daily prayer, time serving the church in ministry, beginning a new ministry if the need arises, serving in leadership, bringing witness to the Gospel through your service, and giving your first fruits not your lasts. Giving generously in spirit, gifts, and service, requires us to re-orient our lives to holiness. We are here to help you in this journey and hope you consider participating. Next week you will receive your Parish Stewardship Commitment Card, we hope you fill this out and say, "Yes!" If you are able, please respond to Bishop Paprocki's letter by considering a gift to the Diocesan mission and ministries. We are grateful for you and appreciate your prayerful consideration of stewardship!

2nd Collection This Weekend This weekend we will celebrate World Mission Sunday. This year we are invited to support over 1100 of the youngest dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe. Please keep the Missions in your prayers and please be generous in next weekend's collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith.

SNS is hosting a book drive for Our Lady's Catholic School located outside of Lake Charles, Louisiana which was devastated by Hurricane Laura. Donations of new/gently used children's books (K-8 interest level) can be dropped off in the bins outside the SNS front door.

JOB OPPORTUNITY: Part time bookkeeper for Blessed Trinity Parish at the Brussels Office. Interested individuals can send a resume to Blessed Trinity Parish at P O Box 38, Brussels, IL 62013. Responsible for General Operating accounts and payroll for parish and St. Mary's School. Knowledge of Quik Books and payroll accounting is important.

Scam email & texts from Fr. Roberts. Please disregard anything you get from him as he does not communicate in these ways. These are scams!

St. Mary's Altar Society members are reminded that some have not paid the annual \$5 dues for 2020. If you are in doubt, call Marietta Nolte at 883-2126. Also, there are a few who might be interested in paying your purgatorial dues, so call Yvonne Nolte at 883-2657.

Picnic fund update: Thank you to everyone who has made a contribution in lieu of hosting the annual picnics this year. As of 10/8/2020 the total is \$60,365 which is 62% of the goal of \$90,000.

Corona Cash Raffle: The total donations as of 10/8/20 is \$11,685. Tickets are available at each Blessed Trinity Church, the two banks in Brussels, Brussels Red & White

SANCTUARY LIGHTS

The votive intentions for the week of October 18

St. Mary (a)—SMS Faculty
St. Norbert (s)—Larry & Dorothy Rose



Store, Hurley's gas station in Hardin, by calling the office at 883-2400, as well as parishioners. Return sold tickets in the weekly collection basket, drop off at the office, or mail to P O Box 38, Brussels, IL 62013. The drawing will take place on November 10th at the monthly Finance Council meeting.

Freedom from Fear Women's Overnight Retreat:

What are you fearful of? Is something holding you back? Women needing a spiritual boost during such an uncertain time and anxiety filled world are in luck as the Diocese of Springfield in Illinois is hosting "Freedom from Fear," a women's overnight retreat Nov. 21 and 22.

The retreat, led by a few of the Sisters of St. Francis of the Martyr St. George, will include presentations, group discussions, personal prayer, reflection time, Mass, Confession, and Adoration.

The "Freedom from Fear" retreat begins Saturday, Nov. 21 at 9:00 a.m. and concludes Sunday, Nov. 22 at 11:00 a.m. at the Villa Maria Retreat Center in Springfield (1903 East Lake Shore Drive). The cost is \$135 and includes lodging, meals, bottomless coffee/tea, and materials. An optional Friday night stay (Nov. 20) is also available for an additional \$50. Go to benotafraid.dio.org to register. The retreat is limited to 20 people.

Stewardship of Treasure

October 4, 2020

Blessed Trinity Collections (Envelopes: 44 of 355)

	Actual	Budget	Diff
Regular	\$ 2,985.00	\$ 4,676.00	\$ (1,691.00)
YTD	\$ 35,157.50	\$ 65,464.00	\$ (30,306.50)
School	\$ 325.00		

St. Francis of Assisi Collections (Envelopes: 75 of 258)

	Actual	Budget	Diff
Regular	\$ 3,790.00	\$ 4,115.00	\$ (325.00)
YTD	\$ 44,814.62	\$ 57,610.00	\$ (12,795.38)
STF	\$ 405.00	Children	\$ 1.00

St. Francis of Assisi Annual Parish Financial Report (July 1, 2019—June 30, 2020)

I am very pleased to share that during this fiscal period, we turned our financial situation around and can report surpluses for both parish and school. Additionally, we were able to pay approximately \$163,000.00 toward our debt owed to the diocese.

How did we accomplish this after successive years of running up debt? You stepped up and made tremendous sacrifices. You increased giving and helped St. Norbert Support Club raise over \$150,000. We also raised tuition and significantly cut school and parish expenses. We participated in the Federal Government's Paycheck Protection Program (PPP), where we were awarded just over \$62,000. (\$41,000 was spent on parish and school payroll during the reporting fiscal period while the remainder has been used for 2020/2021 expenses.)

Sources of extra income (parish), 2019/20:

Increased weekly giving over previous year	\$ 28,124.00
Gift from anonymous donor	\$ 55,000.00
Paycheck Protection Program (PPP)	\$ 5,908.00
Other sources of Revenue	<u>\$ 15,294.00</u>
Total	\$104,326.00

Expense savings (parish), 2019/20:

Amount school reimbursed parish for expenses 19/20	\$130,294.00
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Sources of extra income (school), 2019/20:

Increase in tuition	\$ 25,000.00
Support Club Letter Campaign	\$ 78,165.00
Support Club Fundraisers & Share the Future	\$ 88,211.00
Paycheck Protection Program (PPP)	<u>\$ 34,764.00</u>
Total	\$226,140.00

I want to personally thank each one of you that stepped up to make this year a reality! It takes hard work and a sacrifice of Time, Talent, and Treasure. The bigger challenge now is to continue this trend! The pandemic has already had a negative impact on our finances this year. The parish is currently projecting a budget shortfall of approximately \$30,000.00. You will soon be receiving information about the Season of Stewardship that starts this week. Please consider your response carefully and with prayer. I am confident that with your help, we can accomplish another great year!

Anyone having questions about our school or parish finances, please contact Jennifer Roth at the parish office or Brad Vacca at 314-608-9302.

Sincerely, I am

Rev. Don J. Roberts

SFA Fiscal Year-End Report (7/29/2020)

LINE ITEM	19/20 ORIGINAL BUDGET	19/20 YEAR END ACTUAL	DIFFERENCE TO BUDGET
REGULAR CHURCH SUPPORT	\$167,561	\$195,685	\$28,124
OTHER SOURCES OF REVENUE and PPP	\$2,970	\$18,264	\$15,294
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	\$11,300	\$5,381	(\$5,919)
FUNDRAISERS	\$45,337	\$51,146	\$5,809
INVESTMENTS, BULLETIN, TUITION IN-COME, BLESSED TRIN SHARE OF EXPENSES	\$5,842	\$30,705	\$24,863
TOTAL INCOME	\$233,010	\$301,181	\$68,171
PARISH SALARY AND FRINGE	\$104,508	\$99,125	(\$5,383)
CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	\$9,211	\$7,941	(\$1,270)
UTILITIES	\$21,500	\$16,218	(\$5,282)
INSURANCE	\$23,104	\$22,488	(\$616)
REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE	\$16,008	\$1,293	(\$14,715)
SUPPLIES	\$12,000	\$13,386	\$1,386
ACSA & CATHOLIC TIMES	\$26,549	\$22,580	(\$3,969)
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	\$7,130	\$4,376	(\$2,754)
PROF DEVELOPMENT & MISC EXPENSES	\$2,375	\$7,255	\$4,880
PARISH SHARE OF Pre-K EXPENSES	\$0	\$25,214	\$25,214
FUNDRAISER EXPENSE	\$10,800	\$9,604	(\$1,196)
TOTAL EXPENSE	\$233,185	\$229,480	(\$3,705)
BUDGET SURPLUS / (SHORTFALL)	(\$175)	\$71,701	\$71,876

DEBT PAID TO DIOCESE IN FY 19-20

Pension and Interest from Previous Years	\$	75,122
Workman's Compensation Previous Years	\$	9,073
Property and Liability Insurance	\$	26,893
SFA Share Priest Liability (LTC, Health, Pension)	\$	12,700
Employee Health Insurance (BAS)	\$	39,131
TOTAL DEBT PAID TO DIOCESE 19/20	\$	162,919

School News

St. Mary's School

www.stmarysbrussels.org

- Thur 10/22 - SMS P/T Conferences
- Tues 10/27 - School Board Meeting @ 7pm
- Fri 10/30 - Mega Money Raffle Drawing #2
- Thursday 10/22 - SMS P/T Conferences
- Halloween Egg Hunt Oct 30th or 31st. Orders due Oct 19th. Please contact SMS or Julie Kulp to order.
- Thank you for supporting our school. Any type of donation helps. We appreciate your kindness.

Welcome to our Faith

Ally Meyer
daughter
Marty & Kelsey



St. Norbert's School

www.snsolves.com

- Thank you to Helen Heidenreich's family for \$75 donated in her memory.
- 10/20 & 10/22—P/T Conferences; dismissal at 1:15
- 10/23—No School
- 10/24—Biscuits & Gravy Drive-through meal
- 10/26-10/30—Red Ribbon Week
- 11/6—Fall Picture Day
- Mark your calendars for the following St Norbert Support Club drive-thru meals:
 - 10/24 – Biscuits & Gravy Breakfast
 - 11/7 – Gizzards & Livers Dinner
 - 12/12 – Christmas in Calhoun
 - 1/15 – Ribeye Sandwich Dinner
 - 3/5 – Lenten Fish Fry
 - 3/12 – Lenten Pasta Dinner
- Support Club is selling Fall T-Shirts! Pictures of actual shirts are posted on our St Norbert FB page.

Dive Deep Podcast – How Catholics should vote. Five ways to build faith over fear. A voice from a grave. Did we come from Adam and Eve or monkeys? 11 things Catholics need to stop doing. "The Church is wrong about marriage." That's the episode lineup of season five of Dive Deep this all, the official podcast of the Diocese of Springfield in Illinois. Make sure to subscribe to the podcast so you don't miss an episode! Go to dio.org/podcast to subscribe and listen.

Conquer - Young adults looking to test their physical strength, boost their relationship with God, and make new friends in our region are invited to "Conquer: Adventure, clarity, connection." This one day experience on Nov. 14 starts with rock climbing at Climb So Ill in St. Louis at 1:30 p.m., followed by Mass at Mother of Perpetual Help in Maryville at 4:00 p.m., dinner from Fire N' Smoke, and a Holy Hour which includes the opportunity for confession. The cost is \$30. You can sign up at benotafrad.dio.org/experience

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

	4:00 pm Oct. 24 Kampsville	6:30 pm Oct. 24 Brussels	8:00 am Oct. 25 Batchtown	9:30 am Oct. 25 Hardin	5:00 pm Oct. 25 Hardin
Servers:	Volunteers	Francis & John Paul Vogel	Volunteers	Volunteers	Volunteers
Lectors:	J. Clendenny	Mary Lee Rose		Matt Haug	Volunteers
Ushers:	D. Hayn T. Taul	Bill Held Don Moennig		Tom Lorschach Curt Peters	Volunteers
Offertory:	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Extra-Ordinary Ministers:	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

October 18, 2020

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

2020 Memorial Association

Jeanette Angel
 Gale & Marilyn Aulabaugh
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 Teresa Crofton
 Aloys Droege
 William & Mary Droege & Family
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 Ray, Dorothy & David Eberlin
 Clarence & Elizabeth Ewen
 Joyce & Susan Ewen
 Sharon Ewen
 Tom & Mary Fillo Family
 Joe, Norma, & Barney Fortschneider

Craig Franke
 Edmund & Florence Friedel
 Joseph P Friedel
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 Henry & Dorothy Fuhler Family
 Cletus & Esther German Family
 Bill & Irene Godar Family
 Norbert Godar
 Norbert & Mary J Godar Family
 Norbert & Todd Gotway
 Leroy, Bret & Tim Hagen
 Auborn L. Hager
 Melvin & Geneva Heffington
 Elmer & Miriam Held
 Clem & Irene Hillen; Jacob Hagen
 Ed Hillen
 Bobby Hoemmen
 Paul & Helen Hoemmen
 Joe & Sue Hurley Family
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 James & Judy Kinder
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 Stanley & Clara Sievers
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 Elmer and Rosalie Tepen
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 Darleen Twichell
 Paul & Minnie Vetter
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