Blessed Trinity Parish

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St. Francis of Assisi Parish



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Office Hrs: M/W/Th 8:30-3

Mass Schedule/Intentions

This Sunday, Oct. 27

8:00 am Batchtown—Jerome & Gene Stumpf & Barb VanDoren

9:30 am Hardin — Joe & Sue Hurley Family

5:00 pm Hardin— For the People

Mon. 7:00 am Hardin— Ella & William Klaas

Tues. 6:00 pm Meppen— Bob Sievers Wed. 8:30 am Hardin— Violet Breden

Thu. 7:00 am Hardin— Norbert Godar, Jr. 9:30 am Nursing Home— No Mass

7:30 pm Meppen—Norbert & Mary J. Godar

Fri. 8:30 am Brussels— Men & Women in Service/ Youth in the Community

12:30 pm Hardin—Agnes & Keith Simon

Sat. 8:00 am Batchtown— James & Craig Franke 4:00 pm Kampsville—Jerry Klockenkemper

6:30 pm Brussels— Harry & Doris Tepen

Next Sunday, Nov. 3

8:00 am Batchtown—Vince & Agnes Snyders 9:30 am Hardin— Mitchell & Grace Holland

5:00 pm Hardin— No Mass

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	

Parish Staff & Boards

Deacon - Mike Hagen, 618-971-2391, mikehagen73@yahoo.com

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Finance Council—2nd Tuesday @ 8 pm; JoAnn Kiel

Pastoral Council—2nd Tuesday @ 7 pm; Joyce Vogel

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

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

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

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

The Sacraments and Our Parish Life

<u>Parish Membership</u>—Call or stop by either parish office. For St. Francis of Assisi, you may visit www.sfacalhoun.com and click on *Join Our Parish*.

Matrimony—Please contact the office at least 9 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 with their parish for our Baptism Program, and attend before the baptism. These are held quarterly, with the next one on Thu., 12/5, at 6:30pm, St. Mary Hall. Call your parish office.

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.

Thursdays. Please contact Lisa Vogel at 618-883-2200.

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

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.

Jim Hughart (11) Sandy Kulp (11)

Mike Hagen (11)

April Winters (10)

Debbie Clendenny (9)

Vernon Stumpf (9)

Nancy Horman (7)

Gary Gress (7)

Cindy Wieneke (6)

Tom Yates (5)

Kristy Quick (5)

Pat Riechman (4)

Carter Halemeyer (2)

Looking Ahead

October 27—Jesus Thirsts @3pm High School AV room October 28--6:30pm, Matthew Bible Study, Ch.7 October 29, BT Parish Mission @ St. Joseph's Church November 9—St. Anselm Game Night @5PM

Announcements

BT Parish Mission this week! Join us Oct. 29th at St. Joseph's for a parish mission with Sr. Karolyn Nunes, FSGM. Mass will begin at 6pm followed by two talks by Sr. Karolyn with a break in between. A free will offering will be taken to benefit Sr. Karolyn's order.

St. Francis of Assisi will have a second collection this weekend, for the parish Capital Campaign. We have 4% of \$90,000 left to go!!! Let's chip away at the remainder of \$3,410.14!!

<u>A tremendous thank you</u> to all who so generously gave their time and talent to the SFA fall dinner—especially those who led and served on the committee!

<u>Hurricane Response Help</u> – Catholic Charities USA is assisting the disaster relief effort in response to the recent hurricane. Please help the

cause: catholiccharitiesusa.org

St. Norbert Altar Society will meet Monday, November 4 at 1pm; Marge Hillen is the hostess.

RCIA (now known as OCIA) meets on Thursdays, at 7:00pm at the Hardin parish office. It isn't too late to inquire!

Catholic Grief Support coming in November! St Francis of Assisi now has a Bereavement Ministry! We are sponsoring a Christ-centered, faith-sharing group with sessions beginning November 6th at the parish office in Hardin. Carrie Baalman and Tera Pohlman will be facilitating and would like to welcome parishioners as well as people outside our parish. People of all denominations are welcome. If you or someone you know are in need of this type of support, please call the parish office at 618-576-2628 or reach out to Carrie or Tera directly. They are willing to personally invite participants who may need some encouragement. It will be a wonderful program offering prayer, scripture, and consolation with opportunities to share or simply just listen. Come and be comforted!

Rosary at St. Barbara's. During the months of Oct & Nov, the Rosary will be prayed before the Sunday 8 a.m. Mass at St. Barbara's. This is to honor the month of the Rosary in Oct, and the Poor Souls in Nov. Please plan to arrive a few minutes early so you can join us.

St. Anselm Game Night—a \$25 donation towards a turkey would be appreciated. You may drop this in the collection basket labeled "SA Turkey Bingo". Doors open at 5pm. Games start at 6pm. A variety of food and dessert items will be served.

St Vincent DePaul Society of Calhoun County needs your help! Please consider volunteering. We need people in the following areas:



SANCTUARY LIGHTS

The votive intentions for the week of October 27 St. Mary (a)—Ray, Dorothy, David & Margie Eberlin

Food Pantry Workers, Clothing Pantry Workers, Hotline Volunteers. Additionally, Board Members with Management and Organizational Skills.



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No work of charity is foreign to the Society. Join our mission, and grow in spirituality, friendship, and service.

Stewardship of Treasure October 13, 2024

Blessed Trinity Collections (Envelopes: 57 of 355)								
		Actual	Budget		Diff			
Regular	\$	3,020.00	\$	3,712.00	\$	(692.00)		
YTD	\$	52,035.80	\$	55,680.00	\$	(3,644.20)		
School	\$	-						
St. Francis of Assisi Collections (Envelopes: 60 of 257)								
		Actual	Budget		Diff			
Regular	\$	3,226.00	\$	4,192.00	\$	(966.00)		
YTD	\$	51,166.58	\$	62,880.00	\$	(11,713.42)		
STF	\$	495.00						

SCHOOL NEWS				
St. Mary School www.stmarysbrussels.org	St. Norbert School			

- Oct 30 2nd Sacramental Prep Meeting for SMS & BT PSR 3rd grade students & parents @ 6pm in SMS auditorium
- Nov 1 All Saints Day Mass @ 8:30 am. Students dressed as saints will give a presentation after Mass in the school auditorium. All are welcome!

In this Sunday's Gospel, Jesus asks Bartimaeus:
"What do you want me to do for you?" And he answers, "Master, I want to see." Let us ask Jesus for the grace to "see" our brothers and sisters who are poor and lonely. Last year, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to bring God's love and mercy to 309 households, providing food along with utility, rent and other assistance. God Bless You!

SFA CENNTENIAL CAPITAL CAMPAIGN AND PARISH VITALITY STUDY

The final, and most critical meeting for the Parish Vitality Study will be held **Sunday November 10**, at **St. Anselm Hall, 6:15** following 5:00 pm Mass at St Norbert. This is a must attend meeting because we will be discussing the future needs of the parish, including the capital needs and future of all our campuses. We will be voting on the long-term direction of our parish, and the consensus will become the direction of our efforts for the next 10-15 years. If you have an opinion regarding our future direction, you should attend this important meeting. Please contact Brad Vacca @ 314-608-9302 if you have concerns or questions.

10/27 – Children's Choir Mass 10/28-11/2 Red Ribbon Week 11/1—All Saints Day and Parade 11/5—Advisory Board Meeting

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION News:

We are so blessed to have had an Adoration program for over 25 years! A huge thank you to all those who have dedicated their time to this very special way of adoring our Lord and praying for the needs of the community, the Church, and the world.

Please consider whether the Lord is calling you to this form of prayer each week or perhaps as a part-time substitute for one of our regular adorers. We currently have an opening at 7AM each week on Thursdays, but everyone is invited to spend time with Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament—whether at St. Barbara's during our regular hours of Adoration, our monthly adoration at St. Mary's and St. Norbert's, or an informal visit to any of our churches at any time day or night.

Call **Lisa Vogel at 618-883-2200** if you have any questions or would like to be added to our list of Adorers at St. Barbara's Wednesdays 9am-7pm and Thursdays 7am- 12 midnight.

May the Heart of Jesus in the Most Blessed Sacrament be praised, adored, and loved with grateful affection at every moment, in all the tabernacles of the world, even to the end of time.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE					
	4:00 pm 11/9 Kampsville	6:30 pm 11/9 Brussels	8:00 am 11/10 Batchtown	9:30am 11/10 Hardin	5:00pm 11/10 Hardin
Servers:	Volunteers	Bradley Bonner Dayton Brundies Jayleigh Droege	Tyler Grimes Allie Franke Mya Sievers	Volunteers	Volunteers
Lector:	J. Clendenny	Julie Kulp	Debbie Eilerman	Alan Shofner	Volunteer
Ushers:	Bill Klunk Ralph Becker	Bill Schulte Mike Wrigley	Bernard Johnes Vincent Johnes	Seth Peters Curt Peters	Volunteers
Offertory:		Craig Huelsman Family		Garrett Hagen Family	Volunteers
Extra-Ordinary	John Baltisberger	Rita Hagen	Kathy Sievers	Lisa Kallal	

Ministers:

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