Blessed Trinity Parish

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St. Francis of Assisi Parish



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Mass Schedule/Intentions

This Sunday, Nov. 10

8:00 am Batchtown—Kenny Bick 9:30 am Hardin— Jason Sagez 5:00 pm Hardin— For the People

Mon. 7:00 am Hardin— Gary Roundcount

Tues. 6:00 pm Meppen— Dale, Mary & Marie Hare

Wed. 8:30 am Hardin— Severine Baalman

Thu. 7:00 am Hardin— Severine & Mary Jane Baalman Family

9:30 am Nursing Home— Janet Williams (1 yr anniversary)

Fri. 8:30 am Brussels— Memorial Association

Sat. 8:00 am Batchtown— Mary Nolan

4:00 pm Kampsville—Curt & Eleanor Robeen 6:30 pm Brussels— Lee G. & Estelle Schleeper Family

Next Sunday, Nov. 17

8:00 am Batchtown—Alvie & Sabina Klaas Family 9:30 am Hardin— William & Mary Droege & Jason Sagez

5:00 pm Hardin— For the People

Confessions

Sunday	7:30-7:45 AM	Batchtown
Monday	6:30-6:45 AM	Hardin
Tuesday	5:30-5:45 PM	Mepen
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

St. Vincent de Paul—3rd Thurs 6:30; Brad Vacca 314-608-9302

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

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

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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 Holv 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, 6-7:15pm. 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 (1)

April Winters (12)

Debbie Clendenny (11)

Vernon Stumpf (11)

Nancy Horman (9)

Gary Gress (9)

Cindy Wieneke (8)

Tom Yates (7)

Kristy Quick (7)

Pat Riechman (6)

Carter Halemeyer (4)

Elda Hayn (1)

Looking Ahead

November 10—SFA Parish Meeting, 6:15pm, SA Hall November 11--6:30pm, Matthew Bible Study, Ch.9 November 12—7:00pm, BT Pastoral Council in Meppen

Announcements

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 \$3,167.14!!

<u>Calhoun for Life updates:</u> The recent Walk for Life raised \$2956.00 for Thrive in Alton. The earlier Baby Bottle campaign for Thrive raised \$689.79.

<u>The BT Pastoral Council</u> will meet Nov 12th, 7pm at Meppen.

<u>The winner of the St. Barbara's vacation raffle</u> was Allysun Wallendorf, and we would like to thank everyone that purchased chances.

SFA Dinner Raffle Winners—checks are ready to pick up! **RCIA** (now known as OCIA) meets on Thursdays, at 7:00pm at the Hardin parish office.

<u>Thank you</u> to everyone who has made a donation to one of our Catholic cemeteries. There is still time to contribute to the upkeep of these special places in our parish.

BLESSED TRINITY REQUEST FOR UPDATES: The diocese has switched to a new software system for parish registration, record keeping, messaging, and financial postings. Online giving and an app for accessing your account is forthcoming, and updating your personal information will be very helpful as our parish makes this transition. If you have not already completed a form at church, please consider calling the office at 883-2400, or sending an email to skinder@blessedtrinity.dio.org with your primary phone number or cell phone number and an email address. Also, if there is a wage-earning adult child living in your home, or on their own, he/she should be registered as an individual. Please contact the office for a registration form. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

<u>Beware of a fake email</u> from Fr. Roberts. These have surfaced again. Please do not respond to any email from Fr. Roberts as he does not send emails.

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

<u>Homebound Outreach</u>—If you aren't on our regular list of the homebound and have a need for Annointing of the Sick and/or Communion, please call our parish offices. Father will visit you on the next First Friday, and extraordinary homebound ministers can bring you Communion thereafter if you are unable to return to Mass.



SANCTUARY LIGHTS

The votive intentions for the week of November 10 St. Mary (a)(s)—Deceased Veterans of Blessed Trinity Parish

St. Norbert—Jason Sagez

SAVE THE DATE for the Illinois Pro-Life March and Mass for Life on March 25, 2025 at the Sangamon Auditorium on the campus of the University of Illinois Springfield and then the streets around the Statehouse in Springfield.

Prayer for Vocations

Father, we're your people, the work of your hands.

So precious are we in your sight that you sent your Son, Jesus.

Jesus calls us to heal the brokenhearted,

to dry the tears of those who mourn, to give hope to those who despair, and to rejoice in your steadfast love. We, the baptized, realize our call to serve.

Help us to know how.

Call forth from among us priests, sisters, brothers and lay ministers.

With our hearts you continue to love your people.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,

who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,

one God forever and ever.

Stewardship of Treasure October 27, 2024

Blessed Trinity Collections (Envelopes: 50 of 355)								
		Actual		Budget		Diff		
Regular	\$	2,620.00	\$	3,712.00	\$	(1,092.00)		
YTD	\$	58,392.80	\$	63,104.00	\$	(4,711.20)		
School	\$	30.00						
St. Francis of Assisi Collections (Envelopes: 64 of 257)								
		Actual Budget		Diff				
Regular	\$	4,557.29	\$	4,192.00	\$	365.29		
YTD	\$	58,398.87	\$	71,264.00	\$	(12,865.13)		
STF	\$	50.00						

^{*} Includes October Online Giving

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

- Mon Nov 11 No school in remembrance of our Veterans.
- Fri Nov 15 Quarter 2 Midterm
- Wed Nov 20 Sacramental Prep Meeting for 3rd grade students & parents @ 6pm in SMS auditorium
- Tues Nov 26 2pm Dismissal
- Wed Nov 27 Fri Nov 29 Thanksgiving Break
- St. Mary School is in dire need of a part-time custodian(s). Hours are flexible. For more information or interested in applying contact Becky Lorts at 618-883-2124 or via email thesmsprincipal@gmail.com.

In today's Gospel Jesus tells us: "I want you to observe that this poor widow contributed more than all the others who donated to the treasury. They gave from their surplus wealth, but she gave from her want, all that she had to live on." Ask yourself "Am I only giving from my surplus wealth?" and then consider a gift to the **Society of St. Vincent de Paul** so that those who are suffering will be able to know God's love and care.

11/11—Veteran's Day—no school

11/12 - Fall Literary Night, 6-7pm

11/13 – 3rd Grade Sac Prep Mtg, 6pm

11/15 – 2nd Quarter Midterm

11/15 – Picture Day

11/22 - Support Club Ladies Night

11/27 – 1st Thanksgiving Reenactment

11/27 - 1:15 Dismissal

11/28 - No School - Thanksgiving

11/29 - No School - Thanksgiving

The November Mass for the Military will be Nov. 14th. at 6:00 PM at St. Peter and Paul Church in Alton. Please join us to pray for our active Military, Veterans, both living and deceased, and their families and our nation. Bring a picture of your Military member to be placed near the altar during Holy Mass. PLEASE NOTE: There will not be a December Mass for the Military.



LITURGICAL SCHEDULE							
	4:00 pm 11/16 Kampsville	6:30 pm 11/16 Brussels	8:00 am 11/17 Batchtown	9:30am 11/17 Hardin	5:00pm 11/17 Hardin		
Servers:	Volunteers	Jasmine Ennis Drew Friedel Ellie Friedel	Ryan Baalman Conley Klocke Warner Pluester	Volunteers	Volunteers		
Lector:	Jamie Bailey	Scott Maag	Martha Bick	Julie Godar	Volunteer		
Ushers:	Bill Klunk Devin Hayn	Jeremy Kirn Jeff Kiel	Rod Bick Eric Klaas	Caleb Goode Joe Friedel	Volunteers		
Offertory:		Jeremy Kirn Family		Eric Hagen Family	Volunteers		
Extra-Ordinary Ministers:	Tom Droste	JoAnn Nolte	Chelsie Pluester	Marian Hagen			

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