



Readings For Sunday, November 23, 2025

First Reading: 2 Samuel 5:1-3
Psalm: 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5
Second Reading: Colossians 1:12-20
Gospel: Luke 23:35-43

Mass Schedule & Offerings

Monday, November 17
12:00 a.m. Mass
†Phyllis Kenyon (LaCross Family)

Tuesday, November 18
12:00 a.m. Mass
†Jim Kennard (Randy, Teresa & Family)

Wednesday, November 19
5:00 p.m. Mass ~ Adoration from 9am – 5pm
†Virgie & Joe Oleniczak (Terry Braciszewski)

Thursday, November 20
9:00 a.m. Mass ~ Adoration at 8 a.m.
†Ted & Marlene Corey (Corky)

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Saturday, November 22
3:30 p.m. Rosary ~ 4:00 p.m. Mass – Hillman
†Harry Marquardt (Pat Zwolinski & Family)

Sunday, November 23
8:30 a.m. Rosary ~ 9:00 a.m. Mass – Hillman
The People

Faith Formation 2025/2026

Wednesday, November 19th we are asking all parents to attend catechism with their children. We will all meet in the parish hall for 2 very special presentations. Class is the usual 6pm-7pm. Dinner will be served at 5:30pm for all who would like to attend.

Standing In Need of Prayer

Claudette Colombo, Kevin Struzik, Myles Richardson, Chris Mutz, Dominic Tillman, Eric Tillman, Bonnie Benac, Sam Vicari, Margaret Barton, Brenda Sabol, Jack Stevens, Mary Ann Ferasin, Diane Marchlewski, RaeLynn Burger, D.J. Normile, Justin Dahal, Patricia Plohocky, Caster Family, JanMarie, Jo Dusseau, Sandy Dubie, Emerick Dubie, Kendra Sherman, Jennifer Dubie, Christoffer Simpson, Jasmine Mouseau, Peggy Lange, Dennis Pietrykowski, Grace Franzoni, Dawn & Jagger Franzoni, Ben & Sandy Cassisi, Tammy (Nimf) Rygwelski, John Platevoet, Tina Montgomery, Pat Cronk, Geno Franzoni, John Schultz, Hailie Tondreau, Tammy Kelly, Scott VanPamel, Virginia Nash, Sophia Nash, Tyler Lockhart, Michele Klotz, Don Faulhaver, Judy Edmunds, David Lautner, John Minaudo, Janet Demeulenaere, Kay Lumsden, Brittany Campbell, Ruth Rabeau, Jane Hardies, Gary Witkowski, Ann Neuman, Baby Case Phillips, Don Vlodyka, Baby Malia Grace Thomas, Jean Hayka

Prayer Chain

Our prayer chain can be reached by calling or texting
Judy Elkie ~ 989-590-8411.

Prayers For Clergy & Religious

Sun: Rev. Raymond Cotter
Mon: Vocations to Priesthood and Religious Life
Tues: Rev. Matthew Cowan
Wed: Rev. Anthony Cureton
Thurs: Rev. Robbie Deka
Fri: Rev. James M. Doherty
Sat: Seminarians

Stewardship

Weekend of November 8th & 9th

St. Augustine	
Envelopes (38) Online (7)	\$1,366.00
Loose	\$ 517.00
Building & Maintenance (3) Online (1)	\$ 60.00
Mass Stipends	\$ 120.00
Total	\$2,063.00
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Plot Sale	\$ 10.00
Total	\$ 310.00
Jesus the Good Shepherd	
Envelopes (8)	\$ 440.00
Total	\$ 440.00

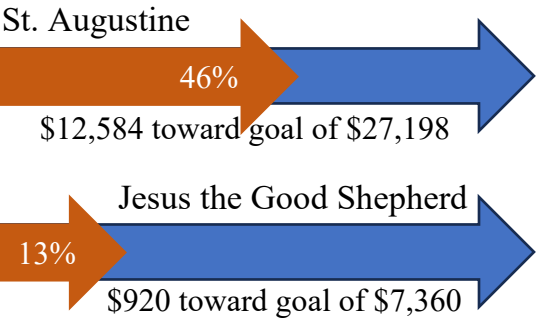


The Council of Catholic Women and the Knights of Columbus are sponsoring a food drive to restock the St. Augustine Food Pantry. Parishioners are asked to take a grocery bag and return it to the church next Sunday or any day most convenient for you.

Bags can be placed by the confessionals.

The drive will run from Nov. 1st – Nov. 30th. Thank you for your past and present support of this charitable program!

CSA Progress Report



God’s Radiation Therapy – By Fr. George Kosicki

Eucharist As Communion The Holy Eucharist is a communion with Christ in a very intimate way; it is a common-union-in-Christ. We consume His Body and Blood in order that we become what we eat and drink; that we become living Eucharist; that we may daily grow more fully into His mystical Body; that we may live His life: *He who feeds on my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life ...* (Jn 6:54) The point I want to make is that this union with Christ is not only at the moment of reception of Holy Communion, but also this union can continue throughout our day: *Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me and I in him.* (Jn 6:56) The Lord remains with us in our hearts as we live in Him and as He does in us. Throughout the day, we can make “spiritual communions,” uniting our- selves with His presence, living on in His love. A spiritual communion is an act of the will, an act of love uniting our hearts with His presence — a sim 35 plea act, but a very loving and affectionate one. St. Peter put it this way: Venerate the Lord, that is, Christ in your hearts (1Pt. 3::15). St. Paul describes that union with Christ as “The mystery of Christ in you, your hope of glory” (Col. 1:27). For me, the practice of spiritual communion matured during my time of solitude with the Camaldolese Hermits. The lesson I carried away and have treasured ever since my first stay of three months was a message I felt in my heart: To please me, be present to me with your heart ... in the heart of Mary, trusting, rejoicing, giving thanks. To be present to the Lord with my heart is what pleases Him. It is a loving, trusting and joyful awareness of His presence in my heart. It is not analyzed, nor probed, but a silent presence. It is a fire of divine love that we pray for in the Church’s prayer to the Holy Spirit: “Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful, enkindle in them the fire of your divine love.” It is that fire of divine love that “*God has poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit who has been given to us*” (Rom 5:5). In Holy Communion and in spiritual communion, the Lord speaks to us clearly and even loudly, but His language is silence! We can commune so much in silent communion of love with the Lord. Let your heart just love Him 36 and let it remain in that love. Let your heart be silent in His silent presence. Let your heart glow with love for Him. You know that the Lord is always present to us, but we are not always present to Him. In His extreme humility He will not force Himself upon us; instead, as described in the Book of Revelation, He stands at the door of our hearts and knocks and waits: *Here I stand, knocking at the door. If anyone hears me calling and opens the door, I will enter his house and have supper with him, and he with me.* (Rev 3:20) The Lord never refuses an invitation! If we ask Him to come in, He will come in and share the heavenly banquet with us. And more than that, as the text goes on to say: *I will give the victor the right to sit with me on my throne as I myself won the victory and took my seat beside my Father on his throne.* (Rev 3:21) Holy Communion is a sharing in both the eternal banquet and the throne of victory. It really is a common-union-in-Christ. Holy Communion is also a proclamation of the death, resurrection and coming again of the Lord. In the Eucharistic prayer of the Mass our response to the priest’s invitation, “Let us proclaim the mystery of faith”, is: *When we eat this bread and drink this cup, we proclaim your 37 death, Lord Jesus, until you come in glory.* (Roman Liturgy, Acclamation C) Each time we celebrate Mass and receive Holy Communion we not only proclaim His coming again, but we also hasten the day of His coming by our devotion and holy conduct. Let us receive the Lord in Holy Communion often and continue to venerate Him in our hearts by our spiritual communions, and so hasten the Day of His coming! In Holy Communion we receive Mercy itself, but we also want to *enter into* communion with humility. Our Blessed Mother Mary is a special help to enter into communion with her Son. Pope John Paul II in his encyclical on the Eucharist suggests we ask Mary to help us as we say with her our “Amen” — our Fiat — to the proclamation of the priest on giving us the consecrated host: “The Body of Christ.” The we continue to be present to the Lord Jesus with love, adoration, and Thanksgiving in awesome awareness and “Eucharistic Amazement” (John Paul II, *Ecclesiacle de Eucharistia Vivit*) 38

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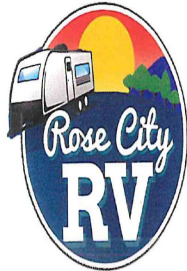


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2nd Tuesday of the Month

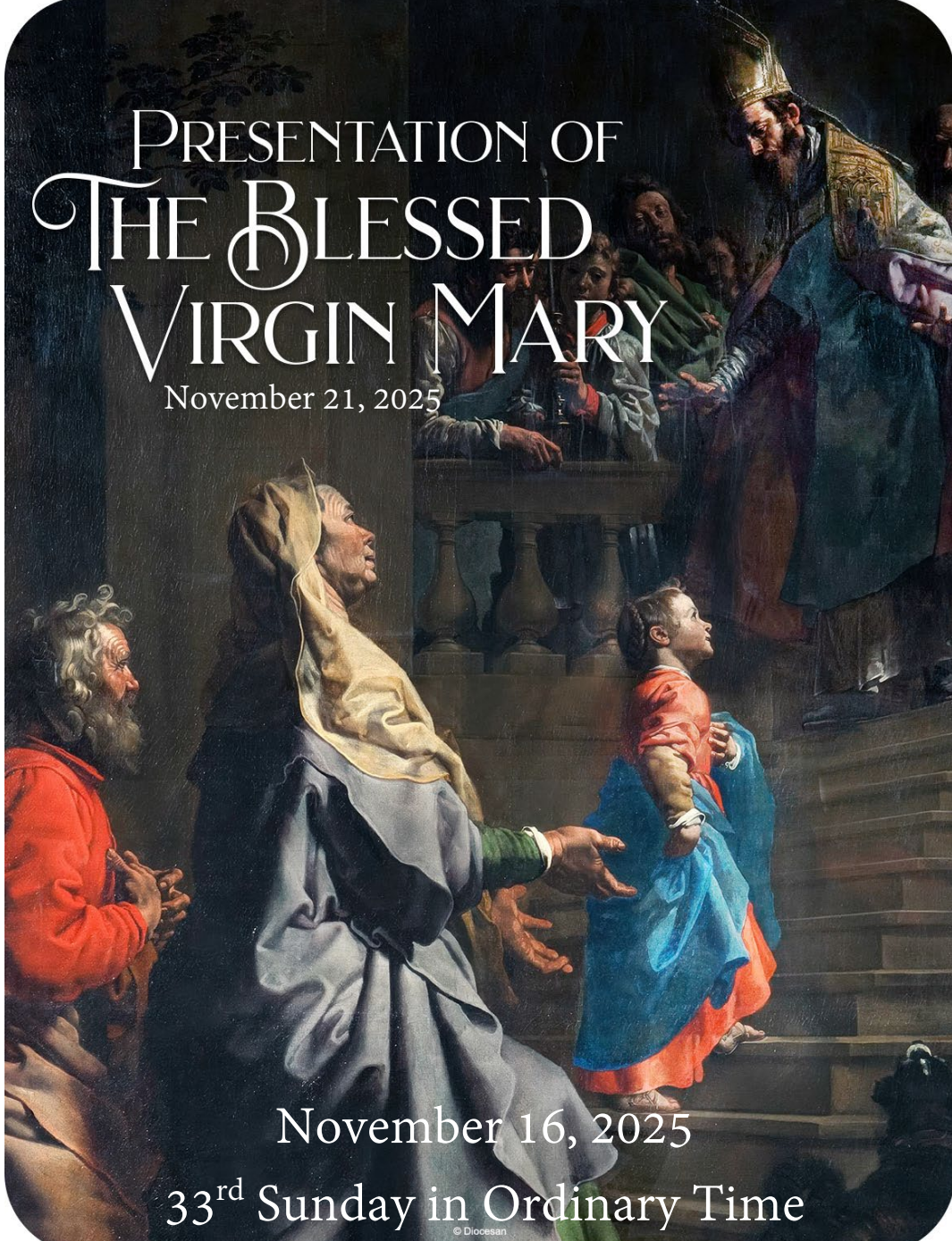
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November 21, 2025



November 16, 2025
33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time