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Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time — November 15, 2026

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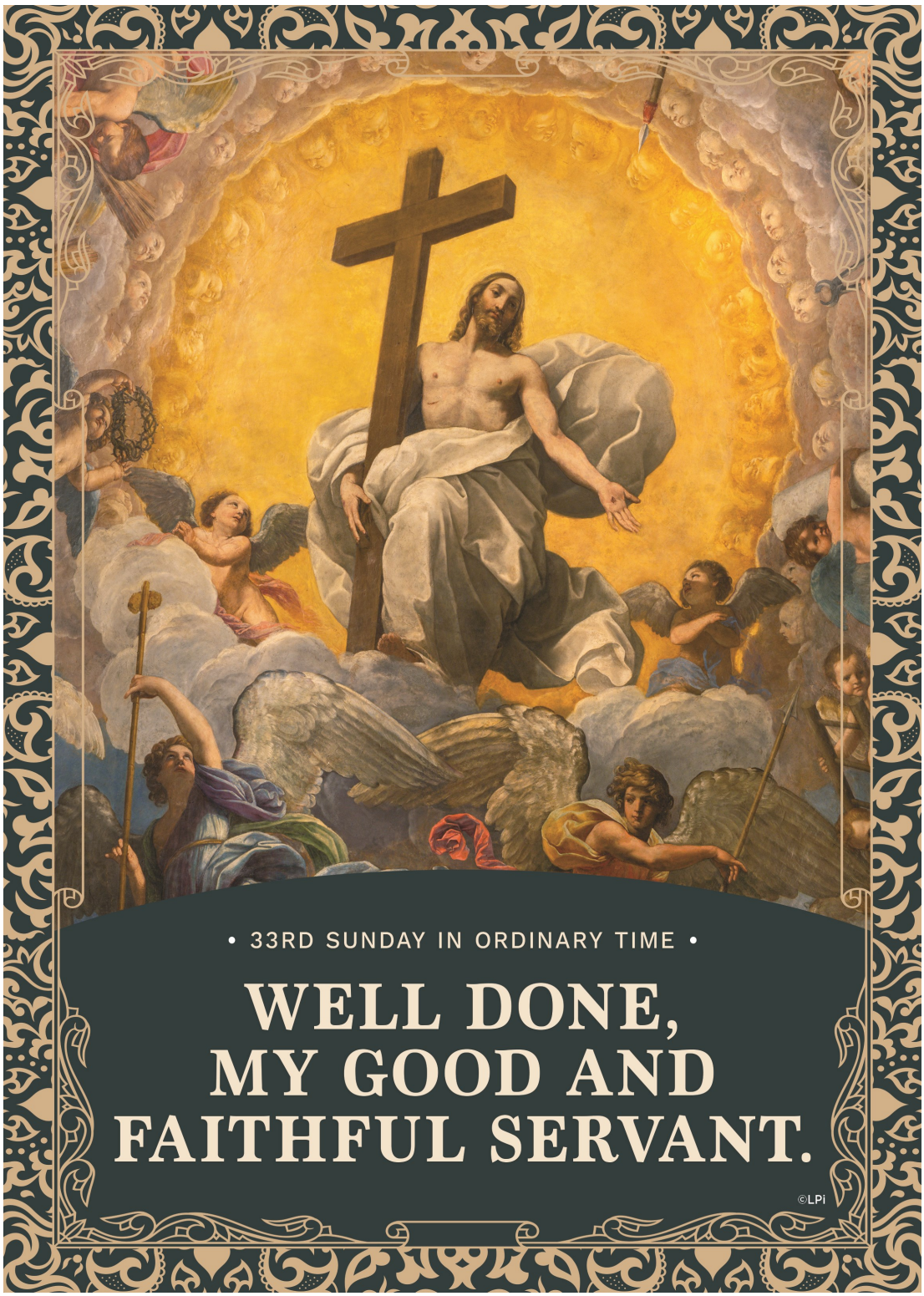
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A JUST HARVEST

BREAKING BREAD, RESTORING COMMUNITY

A Just Harvest serves a hot lunch every day. FHC donates the meal served on the SECOND THURSDAY of each month. Please use the SignUp below to sign up for FOOD DONATIONS.

NON-PERISHABLES may be dropped in the ***AJH bin in the back of church*** (open daily 7a-12p) any time BEFORE the WEDNESDAY preceding the SECOND THURSDAY of the month. ***PERISHABLES MUST BE LEFT in the bin ON THAT WEDNESDAY BY 7:30am*** to ensure they're usable when delivered that morning to the AJH kitchen.

VOLUNTEERS are also needed to SERVE the FHC lunch on that SECOND THURSDAY of each month. Volunteers are asked to be at AJH from 11:15 to 2:30 to help with set-up, lunch, and clean-up. Lunch is served 12-2. Each server is asked to bring 2-3 gallons of whole or 2% milk. ***Servers should wear closed-toe shoes and slacks or jeans (no shorts or skirts please)***. Please use the SignUp below to volunteer to serve.

The next donation date is WEDNESDAY, December 9, for the lunch that will be served on THURSDAY, December 10. Please contact Pam (pmmpilgrim@comcast.net) or John (jmcenroe561@comcast.net) McEnroe with questions.

Monetary donations for ingredients can be to John McEnroe through Zelle at 3122863541.

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Sign up by scanning the QR code or by going to https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0D49AAAE2EA75-ajustharvest#/

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Special Prayer Requests

Parishioners: Tamara Tangney, Cecilia Milotti, Gracie Iberle, Ginny Collins.

Relatives & Friends: Marilyn Norehad, Anna Marie Norehad.

If you would like to add someone to our pray list or if someone has been removed that shouldn't have been, please contact the parish office.

Baptisms

Stella Bernadette, *daughter of Michael & Elizabeth Slovitt*
Clark Ward, *son of Michael & Meghan Ward*
Caroline Louise, *daughter of Matthew & Miriam Petrillo*



Readings for the week of November 15, 2026

Sunday:	Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31/Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5/1 Thes 5:1-6/Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21
Monday:	Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 18:35-43
Tuesday:	Rv 3:1-6, 14-22/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5/Lk 19:1-10
Wednesday:	Rv 4:1-11/Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 19:11-28
Thursday:	Rv 5:1-10/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Lk 19:41-44
Friday:	Rv 10:8-11/Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131/Lk 19:45-48
Saturday:	Rv 11:4-12/Ps 144:1, 2, 9-10/Lk 20:27-40
Next Sunday:	Ez 34:11-12, 15-17/Ps 23:1-2a, 2b-3, 5, 6/1 Cor 15:20-26, 28/Mt 25:31-46

BEREAVEMENT COMMITTEE

"We are all visitors to this time, this place. We are just passing through. Our purpose here is to observe, to learn, to grow, to love. And then we return home."
-Queen Elizabeth II



Let's
Gather together
to Share
our Many Blessings
to Those in Need

Food Sharing Sunday
November 15, 2026

FOOD SHARING URGENTLY NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Place All Groceries in the Church Vestibule before **11am Sunday, November 15th**

(Food Sharing Bins - Between the back of church & the Parish Center)

Can't make it to the grocery store?

Donate by clicking on the following link:
https://www.givecentral.org/location/31/event/226

Checks can also be sent to the rectory (write "Food sharing" on memo line)

Thank You!
Questions? Judy & Chuck Murphy @ 224-392-9361 or murphyjudy@msn.com



All Normal Food Items
PLUS
THANKSGIVING Meal Items:

- **Turkey Gravy**
- **Boxes of Stuffing**
- **Sweet Potatoes(cans)**
- **Green Beans**
- **Cranberries**
- **Instant Potatoes**

A few thank yous from this past week's events:

Thank you

Thank you to **Cindy Brady and Judy Murphy** for hosting last week's chili cook off which brought out the best chili cooks in our parish. We had 12 entries of different chili recipes, all tasted great. The top three winners:

1st place: Julie McDowell
2nd place: Chris and Pat Veech
3rd place: Bill Forsyth

More important was the chance to be together for a couple of hours as parishioners and friends enjoying chili and watching the Notre Dame game. We look forward to this becoming an annual event!









Thank you

to our 8th grade class at Faith Hope and Charity school who hosted a Veterans Day Mass to honor the veterans in our parish. Our FHC Veterans Day committee hosted a breakfast following, which gave a chance to honor our veterans, and for the students to learn about Veteran's Day through the witness of our local veterans. Thank you to **Lauren Pravetz, Megan Zuercher, Cortney Raynor, Kendra Shiffman, Christine Murray** and **Melanie Speer** for setting up and hosting an excellent breakfast. Along with breakfast we were greeted with patriotic songs from our pre-K students and kindergarten classes. Our country is indebted to the service of our veterans and we as a parish are grateful!
















Thanksgiving Day Masses

7am and 10am

Please join us for Mass on Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 26.

A reception will follow the 10am Mass.

PROJECT Turkey

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DONATE TODAY

Together, we can make a difference.

EUCHARISTIC Adoration

FRIDAYS 7:30 - 9:30 AM



These two hours are an opportunity for someone who might be dropping a student off at school, someone out for a morning walk or someone who has been at Mass that morning to take a few minutes to pray before the Blessed Sacrament. We hope those who are able can find some time to stop by our church.



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A special evening to prepare our hearts for the true light of Christmas.



WEDNESDAY
DECEMBER 2
6:30 – 9:30 PM

Event will begin in the Church and move to the Parish Center.

WELCOME PRESENTERS
Julie Backer and Laura Hendricks as they share the meaning of Advent in their lives.

ENJOY MUSICIANS
Billy Dwyer and Eddie O'Connor as they fill the Church with the beautiful sounds of Christmas.

SAVOR FOOD & DRINK
A festive spread of food and beverages, including alcoholic and non-alcoholic options.

GATHER TOGETHER
Serve as a Table Hostess, invite friends and decorate your table OR purchase a seat at a group table.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 26
TABLE/TICKET SALES OPEN FOR GUILD MEMBERS*
*Deadline to join is October 23.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27
TABLE/TICKET SALES OPEN FOR NON-GUILD MEMBERS

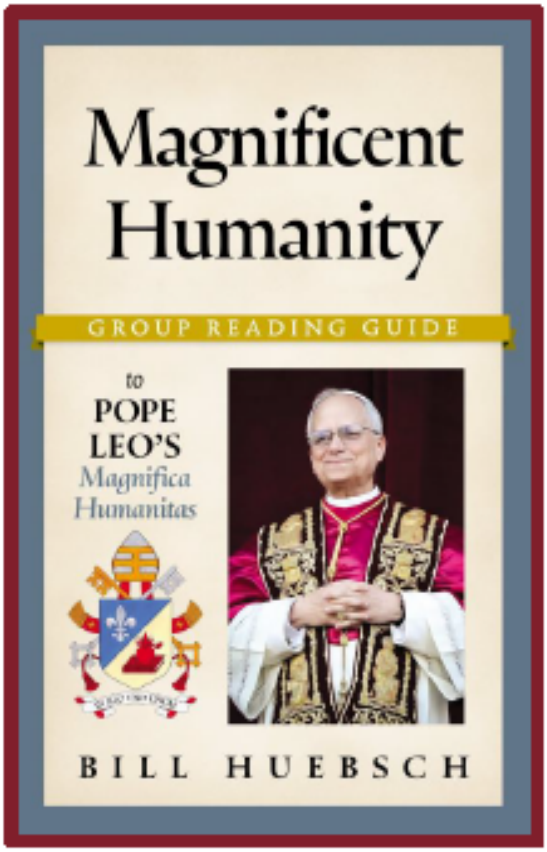
Do Something Bold this Advent

When was the last time you had the kind of Advent that changed your life?



Join our parish for BEST ADVENT EVER.
Sign up at **BestAdventEver.com** or scan the QR code.





POPE LEO ON AI AND THE DIGNITY OF THE HUMAN PERSON

When Pope Leo introduced his May 2026 encyclical, *Magnifica Humanitas*, a prominent tech titan was sitting in the front row. Why has Silicon Valley been in conversation with the Catholic Church about artificial intelligence?

As technology continues to reshape our daily lives, our Church offers 2,000 years of deep wisdom to help us navigate this historic shift together. Come explore the fascinating and important questions posed by AI with your fellow parishioners!

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Sundays, January 10 – 31

10:30 – 11:30 a.m.
Discussion via Zoom Videoconference

Questions? Contact Pam Coster at pcoster@gmail.com or George Sullivan at sullivangp@gmail.com. To register, use the QR Code below.



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Retreat Leader: Michael Pederson, SJ
Teacher of environmental science and sustainability at Arrupe College of Loyola University Chicago; academic advisor, spiritual director; former landscape laborer and psychology teacher.

Sts. Faith Hope & Charity Parish

For more information, contact:
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GOSPEL MEDITATION - ENCOURAGING DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF SCRIPTURE

A friend once took his young adult son to the casino for his birthday. He handed him $100 and said, “Let’s have a great time.” The son, a graduate student with limited money, quietly pocketed the money and refused to play. “I don’t want to lose it,” he said. But he missed the point: the money was not really his to pocket; it was his father’s invitation to share an experience together.

God sees our gifts a bit like this. In Jesus’ parable, a servant buries his master’s talent and explains: “Master, I knew you were a demanding person…so out of fear I went off and buried your talent in the ground”
(Matthew 25:24-25). The master condemns him not for failure but for refusing to risk. The servant’s fear distorts his image of the master and leads to a small, loveless response. No love, no risk. No risk, no relationship.

How easily we fall into this trap! We treat God’s gifts as fragile possessions rather than invitations. We play it safe, avoid risk, and tell ourselves we are wise and God is cruel. But Jesus praises those who trust the Master’s goodness enough to act boldly. They are not reckless but confident enough in their Master to risk their gifts for Him.

So, what is my interior story about God right now? Is it marked by generosity, adventure, and trust? Or by fear, caution, and suspicion? That hidden narrative shapes everything. Because love, by its nature, always takes risks with, and for, the beloved.

— Father John Muir

DIVINE MERCY PARISH

TEEN BAND

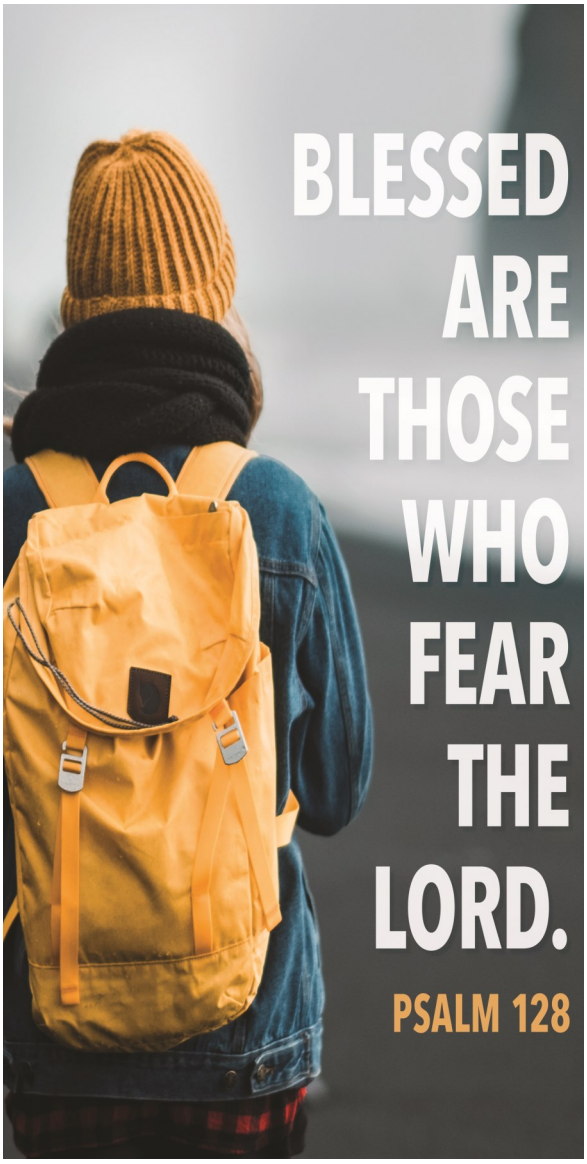
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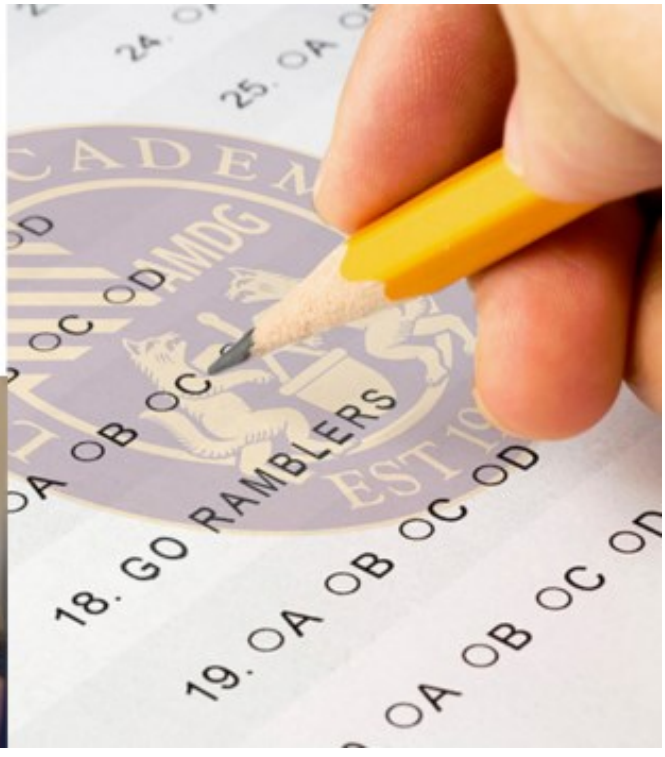
A COMMUNITY THAT INSPIRES
A FUTURE THAT AWAITS

ENTRANCE EXAM

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Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 14
8:00 Paul J. Binder / George & Anne Nelson Family
5:00 Leona & Lester Meuer / Dr. E.J. Cunningham

Sunday, November 15
7:30 All FHC Parishioners / Kailauna Mills / A Special Intention for Bob & Suzanne Aldrich
9:00 Erik Michael Thordarson / Maryanne Hernandez
10:30 Celia Kanzer / John Pigott
5:00 Nancy Jacobs / Dr. Joseph Mallon

Monday, November 16
7:00 Peggy Crowe/Daniel Garrison / Rev. Aidan Keane / Cheryl Porter

Tuesday, November 17
7:00 Mary K. O'Sullivan / Marshal McMahon / Marlene Neben

Wednesday, November 18
7:00 Eileen Caffery, Anniv. / Bill McClintic, Catherine & Leo Paul Lee / Joyce McCarron

Thursday, November 19
7:00 Peggy Byrne / Warren & Marquerite Clohisy / A Special Intention for Sophia Lambino

Friday, November 20
7:00 Jim Heider / A Special Intention for Ryan Aldrich / Frank Scoichet

Saturday, November 21
8:00 A Special Intention for Bill & Deanna Aldrich / William & Charlotte Johnson Family
5:00 Jim Connolly / Margaret Mack, Anniv.

Sunday, November 22
7:30 All FHC Parishioners / Catherine & Leo Paul Lee / Bill McClintic
9:00 The John Croghan Families / Msgr. Harold E. Collins
10:30 The Frank & Mary Portman Families / Stephen Baine

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- **To contact a staff member by email, use the initial of their first name, their full last name followed by @faithhope.org.**
- **All announcements for the weekend Masses must be submitted by 3 pm the Thursday prior to the weekend.**

Schedule of Weekly Masses
Saturday: 5:00 pm *(Vigil Mass)*
Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am & 5:00 pm
Monday - Friday (except Wednesdays): 7:00 am
Saturday: 8:00am

Holy Day Mass Schedule
Please consult the website or contact the Parish Office.

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday: 8:30 am - 9:00 am in Church

Parish Office Hours
Monday - Friday 8:45 am - 4:30 pm

Rosary
6:30 am and After the 7am Mass. All are welcome!

Adoration
Fridays until 9:30am

First Friday of the Month Adoration
Begins after the 7am Mass.

This Weekend's Schedule - November 14 & 15, 2026 (*)Preaching

Liturgy	Sat - 5:00pm	Sun - 7:30am	Sun - 9:00am	Sun - 10:30am	Sun - 5:00pm
Celebrant	Fr. Welter Dn. Schliesmann*	Fr. Welter	Fr. Kartje	Fr. Neitzke	Fr. Jackson Dn. Murray*

Next Weekend's Schedule - November 21 & 22, 2026 (*)Preaching

Liturgy	Sat - 5:00pm	Sun - 7:30am	Sun - 9:00am	Sun - 10:30am	Sun - 5:00pm
Celebrant	Fr. Jackson Dn. Murray	Fr. Welter	Fr. Neitzke	Fr. Kartje	Fr. Welter

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