

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time - Remembrance Day - November 10th & 11th, 2018

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Collection November 3 & 4	Collections Required Per Week	Weekly Collection + / -	Year to Date Collections + / -
\$ 3,839.75	\$ 3,860.00	- \$ 20.25	- \$ 12,559.03

Sharing God's Gifts

2018 Target Amount	Collected As of November 4th	Year to Date + / -
\$ 19,210.00	\$ 16,454.25	- \$ 2,775.75



*Walking Together
In God's Embrace*

Walking with Christ is a spiritual journey fed by prayer, scripture reading and the Eucharist.



**An Evening Of Hope and Light
Good Shepherd Parish**

Many people are struggling with what's happening in the Catholic Church globally. The Ministry of Hope invites you to an evening of sharing & discussion with facilitator, Helena Fitzgerald, titled "Finding Hope in Challenging Times for the Church". Please bring your concerns and thoughts, and join us for a time of sharing and fellowship on **November 15th at 7:00 p.m.** in our parish hall. Everyone is most welcome!

CHRISTIAN LIFE PROGRAM (CLP) - Couples for Christ (CFC) community is a movement with a goal to renew and strengthen Christian family values. CFC will conduct CLP on **Nov 18, 25 and Dec 2, at 1:30 pm** at Good Shepherd Parish. The program is open all adult individuals - single, couples, married, separated, divorced, widowed/widower. Let's journey together and rekindle the gifts God has given us. Come and be blessed! For more information, please contact the parish office at (204) 857-5172 or Bro Kris (204) 872-0246."

PRAIRIE WELCOME HOUSE - is in need of the following supplies: ICED TEA, SUGAR, COFFEE WHITENER, TOILET PAPER, and PAPER TOWELS, SNACK CRACKERS/BRENTON. Items can be placed in the bin on the way to the hall. Your generosity is greatly appreciated by all our guests. Michel and Joe

**Good Shepherd Catholic Women's League
Raffle Winners**


Afghan - Chad Green

Painting - Alex Lubkiwski

Co-op Gift Card - Elaine Vint

MacDonald's Sporting Goods Ltd Gift Certificate -
Patty Semchyshyn

The Catholic Women's League, we would like to thank everyone who sold and bought tickets for our raffle.

 **BULIDING FUND COLLECTION** - will be the second collection on **November 17 & 18.**

NOVEMBER

- 11 Remembrance Day
- 11 Operation Christmas Child Shoe Boxes Due
- 13 Parish Office Closed**
- 13 Lion's Prairie Manor Mass 2:00 pm
- 13 Catholic Women's League Meeting after Mass
- 13 Confirmation Meeting 7:00 pm
- 15 Ministry of Hope 7:00 pm
- 17 Liturgy Ministries Workshop after Mass
- 18 Liturgy Ministries Workshop after Mass
- 18 Couples for Christ 1:30 pm
- 21 M.D.C. Mass 10:00 am



*The office will be closed
Tuesday November 13th.*



All are welcome to come to the parish hall after Sunday Mass to enjoy a cup of coffee, the fellowship of other parishioners and a visit.



BAPTISM PREPARATION - is planned for Saturday, **December 1st, from 9:00 am till 1:00 pm** (lunch is provided). To register please call the parish office or Dawn at 204-872-2897.



IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS - Our sincerest condolences to the family and friends of Shirley O'Neil. Please remember her in your prayers. May she rest in the peace of Christ.



WORD AMONG US REFLECTION

BOOKLETS - for the month of **November** booklets are available in the gathering area. If you choose to pick up a booklet for yourself, the cost of these books are \$2.50 each. Please give as it help to cover our costs.



2018 MISSALS AND COLLECTION ENVELOPES - will be ready for **November 24th & 25th** for pick up. 2018 Missals are \$ 4.00 each. **Please try to have the correct change. Thank you.**



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Celebration



The Communion of Saints and Souls

SCRIPTURE REFLECTION - With the anticipation of Advent around the corner, **we will be offering weekly sessions, starting Wednesday, November 21st at 1:00 pm at Good Shepherd Parish.** Please note that people are not always free to attend the weekly sessions, therefore you do not need to commit to being at every session. Each person will have the opportunity to speak as they are comfortable to participate. All are welcome.



LITURGY MINISTRIES WORKSHOPS - There will be training workshops following the masses on **Saturday, November 17th and November 18th.** Please sign up for one of the following ministries....communion minister, lector/reader, hospitality (greeters, ushers-collection and gift bearers). In addition to these ministries, I would like to meet with the sacristans for each mass.

Please note that these meeting times will immediately follow the mass. For those who are participating in the Christian Life Program please note that it is scheduled on Sunday afternoon following coffee.



CONFIRMATION 2019 - a meeting will be held on **Tuesday, November 13th at 7:00 pm** in the **storage room.** It can be attended by both the candidates and the parents. This meeting will entail setting up a schedule for the candidates for lessons over the next 4 months. We will need to go over some key points of what is expected of them in regards to participating in our parish and community. I hope to have at least 2 classes before Christmas. Also, if anyone has time to help out with classes it is best to have at least 2 people leading. We also need to pick a date for Confirmation in the spring. You can also email Stan at prairielamberts@gmail.com or call 204-872-0648 if you need more information.



"A FIDDLING CHRISTMAS" - presented by Mark Morisseau - **Saturday, December 1st at 2:00 pm,** at Good Shepherd Parish. The concert is approximately a 75 minute traditional show with a variety of level of artists from emerging artists to recording artists with Dance and vocal arrangements and a whole lot of fiddle of course! There is a full band backing up about 50 artists that share the stage together for a number of group performances. Everyone is welcome to help us cheer on our rising artists. Refreshments served following the concert. Tickets are available at the door but should guests wish to skip the line the that day, we encourage purchasing an advanced ticket through one of the performers or at the parish office. Tickets-Adult - \$ 12.00 / 12 & under \$ 6.00

STEWARDSHIP SAINT FOR NOVEMBER - Saint Albert the Great was a 13th-century German Dominican priest, considered one of the most extraordinary men of his age alongside Peter Lombard, Roger Bacon and Saint Thomas Aquinas. His stewardship of the intellectual life, his students and our life of faith is profound. Born in 1200, near Ulm, Albert was the eldest son of a powerful and wealthy German family. He was educated in the liberal arts at the University of Padua, Italy, and against his family's wishes, joined the Dominican Order in 1223. He earned his doctorate at the University of Paris and taught theology with much success in a number of medieval German universities, including Cologne. For a time Albert was the pope's personal theologian, and in 1260 was appointed bishop of Regensburg, Germany, against his will. He remained for only three years before returning his time and energy to teaching and writing in Cologne. He enhanced his reputation for humility by refusing to ride horses. Instead, he walked back and forth across his huge diocese, keeping with the rules of the Dominican order. Albert's influence on scholars is substantial. His fame is due in part to being the forerunner, spiritual guide and teacher of Saint Thomas Aquinas. But he also composed an encyclopedia containing treatises on almost every branch of learning known at the time. His work fills thirty-eight volumes and covers subjects ranging from astronomy and chemistry to geography and philosophy. His knowledge of science was considerable, and for the age remarkably accurate. He also displayed an insight into nature and a knowledge of theology that surprised his contemporaries, who named him "Magnus" ("the Great") to recognize his genius. Albert even inspired a mystical school of theology among fellow Dominicans such as Meister Eckhart. Albert participated in the Second Council of Lyons, France, in 1274, the fourteenth of the Catholic Church's 21 great councils (Vatican II was the twenty-first). On his way to the council, he was shocked to learn of Aquinas' death at age 49, and he publicly defended his former student against attacks on the Catholicity of his writings. After suffering from what is now thought to be Alzheimer's disease, Albert died in Cologne on November 15, 1280. He was declared a Doctor of the Church in 1931, one of only 33 individuals bestowed that honor. His tomb is in the crypt of the Dominican church in Cologne, and his relics are in the Cologne Cathedral. His feast day is November 15th.

Take a refreshing walk. Finding a place to enjoy God's gift of creation.

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The rosary is recited before every Saturday evening mass starting at 6:20 pm

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time Saturday, November 10th Sunday, November 11th	7:00 pm 10:30 am	Good Shepherd Good Shepherd	† Pauline Dionne by Laura Ratte Deceased Members of the Soos & Le Lievre Families
Tuesday, November 13th	2:00 pm 7:00 pm	Lions Prairie Manor Good Shepherd	† Alice Bohn by Dave & Rosemary Barney Deceased Members of The Catholic Women's League
Friday, November 16th	9:00 am	Good Shepherd	For Mom's Successful Surgery by Joicy Shyin & Shyin Mathew
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Friendly Reminders
Saturday, November 17th

Greeters - Irma Gobert
Ushers - Paul Seguin, Raymond Smith
 Doris Nichol, Karl Voesenek
Gift Bearers -
Lectors - Dave & Rosemary Barney
Eucharist Ministers - Jane Hebert, Jo-ann Voesenek,
 Lynda Jones, Helena Kot

Friendly Reminders
Sunday, November 18th

Greeters - Joan Dufresne, Marilyn Spence
Ushers - Armand Tanguay, Dawson Lernowicz,
 Jo Lauans, Irene Souque Hewitt
Gift Bearers -
Lectors - Margaret Whiteley, John Chudzik
Ministers - Irv Wegleitner, Gary & Dawn Lernowicz,
 Kerry McGowan, Shawn Rawlings, Karen McLeod



MONTH OF REMEMBRANCE - In our Catholic tradition, November is the month of Remembrance. We remember, honor and pray for our deceased family members, friends and loved ones who have influenced and shaped our lives by their love and presence. You are invited to write the name of your loved one in the Book of Remembrance located in our gathering area. At each Mass for the month of November, we will be praying for all those written in our book. Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. Amen.

NEVER FORGOTTEN - You'll never be forgotten, that simply cannot be. As long as I am living I'll carry you with me. Safely tucked within my heart your light will always shine; a glowing ember never stilled, throughout the end of time. No matter what the future brings, or what may lie ahead, I know that you will walk with me along the path I tread. So rest my angel, be at peace and let your soul fly free. One day I'll join your glorious flight for all eternity.



REMEMBRANCE DAY POPPY - How many are made? The Royal Canadian Legion distributed 18 million poppies last year – one for every two Canadians. This year, Legion officials expect to distribute 20 million poppies. Weren't the center of poppies green for a while? - Yes, they were. From 1980 to 2002, poppy pins were made with a green center instead of the common black centers you see now. The color was changed back to black to reflect the actual colors of the flowers in France. How do I wear my poppy? The poppy is worn on the left lapel, or as close to the heart as possible.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION - Jesus points out to his disciples the poor widow who has just dropped two simple copper coins into the temple treasury. He then delivers a teaching on stewardship. Despite her poverty, the poor widow in today's Gospel does not refuse God her generosity. Out of her desperately impoverished life she contributes to an earthly institution to give God glory and praise. It is not the monetary value of the gift that was important, but the love, trust and gratitude expressed through the gift. The Gospel asks us similarly compelling stewardship questions: What do we value? In what or whom do we place our trust? How do our own contributions to our community of faith reflect our generosity toward God?

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