# Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time November 16, 2025

Malachi 3:19-20a; Psalm 98:5-6, 7-8, 9; 2 Thessalonians 3:7-12; Luke 21:5-19

Lo, the day is coming, blazing like an oven, when all the proud and all evildoers will be stubble, and the day that is coming will set them on fire, leaving them neither root nor branch, says the LORD of hosts. But for you who fear my name, there will arise the sun of justice with its healing rays...

# **VOCATION CORNER November 16, 2025**

"My vocation to the Dominican Order and to the priesthood was carefully formed by God through the many people he placed in my life. First and most influential was my Syro-Malabar Catholic family, from whom I learned both the meaning of my faith and how to live it out. More than anyone else, my parents helped shape me as a man of faith and taught me to see everything in light of God's providence. Everywhere I have lived – including in India, Calif., Missouri, Ohio and Alaska – friends, teachers, priests and others supported me and, most importantly, prayed for me. This constant stream of graces continues to sustain me through my formation as a Dominican friar. It is impossible to be a saint on one's own."

Bro. Antony Augustine Cherian; Dominican Friars of the Province of the Most Holy Name of Jesus, Anchorage, Alaska. Columbia Magazine December 2023



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# ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Parish Council Chair: Becky Bowers Weekdays –Thursday6:00 pm

Trustees: Steve Pobst, Matt Slife Sundays – 8:00 am



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## **Schedule of Masses**

SUNDAY 11/16 8:00 am Mass- *Bob Overby* 

**WEDNESDY** 11/19 5:30 pm Mass **THURSDAY** 11/20 6:00 pm Mass

**SUNDAY** 11/23 8:00 am Mass- *Bob Overby* 

## **Liturgical Ministers**

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# STEWARDSHIP OFFERING November 09, 2025

General 960.00 (**18**) Loose 199.00

Dio Collection 263.00 (**Hurricane Melissa**)
Donations 120.00 (**St. Francis Cemetery**)

Total \$1582.00

**BUILDING & MAINTENANCE: \$80.00 (3)** 

# **BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK**

William Hooks

## **CCW BREAKFAST MEETING**

**St. Paul CCW** will gather after Mass today *Sunday, November 16*, for breakfast and our meeting. We'll be discussing how to support parish and community events through the holiday season. All parish ladies are encouraged to attend.

## THANK YOU

Special thanks to *Steve and Peggy Widowski* for installing flags at **St. Francis Cemetery** for Veterans Day.

#### CCW COLLECTION

A collection for our St. Paul CCW will be taken up at the door after Mass.

#### **PRAYERS**

Please keep the following list of Homebound Parishoneers in your prayers. *George Bell* (Hillview), *Sandy Belski, Dick & Midge Bigler, Larry Flamm* (Hillview), *Gertrude Henderson, Suzanne McHugh, and David Zmuda Sr* 

## **FOOD DRIVE**

Our annual **Food Drive for the Vienna Food Pantry** located at the First Baptist Church continues through *Sunday, November 30*. There is a tub in church entrance for food and/or monetary donations.

#### THANKSGIVING CARD MAKING

Please join in on **November 20<sup>th</sup> at the Senior Center**. *Lunch is at 11:30 for \$3.00*. Card making will begin at 12:30. If you have any questions please contact **Cathy Kruep 618-304-4841** 

## LOOKING AHEAD

November 16St. Paul Council of Catholic Women Breakfast Meeting after MassNovember 19 Parish Council Meeting after 5:30 pm Mass

\*\*Office Hours are M-F 8 am-4 pm at the rectory. Contact Theresa at (618) 658-4501 or via email. Wednesday at 12 pm is the deadline for any bulletin changes or additions.\*\*