



CATHEDRAL of SAINT PETER

Masses

Saturday	4:00PM Vigil
Sunday	8:00 & 10:30AM, 5:00PM
Monday-Friday	6:45AM
Thursday	8:15AM
Holydays	6:45AM, 12:10PM

Confessions

Monday-Friday	7:15-7:30AM
Thursday	6:00-7:00PM
Saturday	3:00-3:45PM

Perpetual Help Novena

Tuesday after 6:45AM Mass

Holy Hour

Thursday	6:00-7:00PM
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Most Reverend Michael G. McGovern, D.D., Bishop of Belleville

November 5, 2023 ♦ Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time



31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"The greatest among
you must be your servant."
- Mt 23:11

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From Fr. Godfrey

- **REMEMBERING.** As we enter into this month of remembering those who have gone before us, we have the opportunity to remember them *gratefully*, even while we no doubt still miss them. God's grace never ends, and so many of

the people we miss most were a gift from God to us and to the world.

- **SAINT GODFREY.** St. Godfrey of Amiens was a Benedictine monk who later became an abbot (superior) of his monastery and then was pushed into being a bishop by the Pope. Once, he escaped his diocese and went back to the monastery, until he was told to return by the Pope. I appreciate his dedication to the monastic life, even while he was assigned to other ministries. His feast day is this Wednesday, November 8.

- **SIOUX CITY.** This Friday, I'll be giving a day of reflection for the Priests of the Diocese of Sioux City, Iowa. My students who were so kind when they were students are now calling in debts I owe them for their service while in the seminary! I plan to be home Friday night.

- **MASS PRESIDERS.** Beginning this week, I intend to list the Mass Presiders here in the bulletin. I'm so grateful to the priests and bishops who are willing to help me out. I'll also try to list where I'll be on the weekend so that you all know. I hope that's helpful.

- **BOILER.** As if to prove me right in last week's bulletin, the boiler went crazy last Saturday and heated the church too much. Thanks to the dedication of Daryl Barton for coming to the rescue, even on a Saturday afternoon.

PRAYING FOR SEMINARIANS

Please pray for our Diocesan Seminarians and for the monks of Saint Meinrad in formation. Each week, I'll list one of them in the bulletin here, with an address, so that if you're inclined, you might drop them a note of support. At the very least, maybe one Hail Mary for each one each week would be helpful. For this week...

NOVICE TRAVIS SERVER, OSB

Saint Meinrad Archabbey
102 Hill Dr.
St. Meinrad, IN 47577

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Monday-Friday 9:00AM-4:00PM

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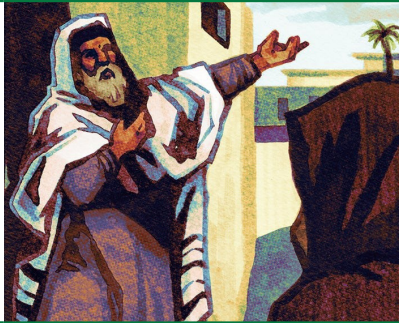
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MUSIC FOR
NOVEMBER 5TH
THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME



4:00 PM, 8:00 AM, & 10:30 AM Mass

Prelude:

Adagio in C, Symph. 5, C. M. Widor (1844-1937)

"All People That on Earth Do Dwell," arr. Mack Wilberg (b. 1955)

Entrance:

#421 *"All Are Welcome"*

Psalm:

"The Lord Will Bless Us," Janèt Sullivan Whitaker



Offertory:

#508 *"Center of My Life"*

10:30 AM Choir:

"Seek to Serve," Lloyd Pfautsch (1921-2003)

Communion:

#320 *"I Received the Living God"*

10:30 AM Choir:

"Lord, Make Me to Know Thy Ways," William Byrd (1543-1623)

Recessional:

#603 *"We Are the Light of the World"*

Postlude:

Sortie, Christopher Tambling (1964-2015)

WORSHIP

Our Cathedral worship - especially the holy Mass - is directed to the Father, through the Son, in the unity of the Holy Spirit.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 4: St. Charles Borromeo

4:00 pm James Schwartz

Sunday, November 5: 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am Fr. Joseph Rascher

10:30 am Kathleen Nolan Lee

5:00 pm Living & Deceased of Cathedral Parish

Monday, November 6: Weekday

6:45 am Daniel Stocker

Tuesday, November 7: Weekday

6:45 am Jane Blome Schulte

11:00 am Deceased Bishops, Priests, & Deacons

Wednesday, November 8: Weekday

6:45 am Joyce Lehr

Thursday, November 9: The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

6:45 am Agnew & Mellein Families

8:15 am Joseph & Jean Fogerty

Friday, November 10: St. Leo the Great

6:45 am Trish Holdener

Saturday, November 11: St. Martin of Tours

4:00 pm Living & Deceased of Hass & Becker Families

Sunday, November 12: 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am Society of the Sacred Heart

10:30 am Living & Deceased of Cathedral Parish

5:00 pm Donald & Carol Ann Keller

Mass Presiders

Monday Nov. 6 6:45 am Bishop McGovern

Tuesday Nov. 7 6:45 am Fr. Godfrey

Wednesday Nov. 8 6:45 am Msgr. Buerster
FGM at QP 8:15 am

Thursday Nov. 9 6:45 am Fr. Godfrey

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Friday Nov. 10 6:45 am Msgr. Buerster
FGM at BSac 8:15 am

Saturday Nov. 11 4:00 pm Bishop McGovern
FGM at BSac 4:30 pm

Sunday Nov. 12 8:00 am Fr. Godfrey

Sunday Nov. 12 10:30 am Fr. Godfrey

Sunday Nov. 12 5:00 pm Msgr. Buerster

Join our Parish Family!

Scan this QR Code
to register in our parish
or visit:



<https://cathedralbelle.org/join-the-parish/>

Liturgical Ministries

November 11/12

	4:00 PM Nov 11	8:00 AM Nov 12	10:30 AM Nov 12	5:00 PM Nov 12
EMHC	P Jenks	D Crawford	S Pederson	J McQuillan
	Sr Tess	M Rodriguez	J J Reitano	J Schaberg
	B McCormack	J Jacquot	C Reitano	T Segert
	S McCormack	J Townsend	J Townsend	P Segert
	G Schwartz	M Sontheimer	M Konradt	P Robison
Lector	N Weissert	D Schaefer	C Becker	S Szewczyk
Offertory	J & K Fieker	Horn Family	J & C Reitano	T & P Segert

FAITH FORMATION

For believers, faith formation is life-long - children, teens, young adults, singles, married, families, seniors - everyone at Cathedral.

Notre Dame Academy (NDA) at Cathedral Campus

We have a short & busy week. Tuesday, we will honor our veterans at our Veterans Day assembly. We are thankful for their sacrifices & the sacrifices that their families have made for us to have our rights and freedoms. We can take these rights for granted sometimes, but especially in today's world we should take time to appreciate them and be thankful.

We have our parent-teacher conferences this week. This is a good time for parents and teachers to meet and discuss the successes and areas of improvement for each of our students.

Linda Hobbs
Principal



Parishes' School of Religion (PSR) at St. Augustine Campus

The Parishes' School of Religion does meet on Sunday, November 5 from 8:45 – 10:10 A.M. and on Wednesday, November 8 from 6:00 – 7:30 P.M. Thank you for being so faithful in bringing your children to the Parishes' School of Religion. As we move into November, a reminder that there will be NO CLASSES on Wednesday, November 22, and on Sunday, November 26 so we can give thanks to

God for His many blessings to each of us and so that you can share this time with family, and friends.

Sister Theresa Markus, S.S.N.D.
Coordinator of the Parishes' School of Religion

OUTREACH

Cathedral parishioners are called to look beyond our own needs— to our neighborhoods, our city, our diocese— and to all the worlds.

Your Sunday Contributions

- **Give online:** To set up an online account, go to <https://www.osvhub.com/cathedralbelle/funds> register and set up your preferences.
- This is a secure site used by thousands of parishes throughout the USA.

Questions?
Call 618.234.1166

The first Sunday of every month we collect donations for our sister diocese in Guatemala. Envelopes are available at the entrances. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

Your Gifts to God And Parish

October 28/29: \$12,024.69

	BUDGETED	ACTUAL
Sept 30/October 1	\$14,420	\$15,232.50
October 7/8	\$14,420	\$15,353.79
October 14/15	\$14,420	\$13,559.30
October 21/22	\$14,420	\$12,119.53
October 28/29	\$14,420	\$12,024.69
TOTAL	\$72,100	\$68,289.81

Donut Ministry

THIS Sunday, November 5
after the 8 & 10:30 AM Masses
in the Cathedral Undercroft

Donuts, coffee, and juice
Provided by Knights of Columbus

We'll see you after Mass!

2023 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal

"The one who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord." - Psalm 15

"With confidence in the Lord, I am turning to you today asking for your support of this year's Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal. My hope is that your generous response will help our ministries grow and the compassion of Jesus will be experienced more profoundly in our communities."

-Bishop Michael McGovern

Please consider making your gift today!



*Join Cub Scout
Pack 11 and their
families*

*Friday,
November 10
9:00 am
at Green Mount
Catholic Cemetery*

Scouts will decorate the graves of veterans with American flags at Green Mount Catholic Cemetery. This is a small gesture of gratitude to the men and women who served our country.
God bless America!

Employment Opportunities

The Diocese of Belleville is seeking Catholic individuals to fill the following positions:

- Administrative Assistant for the Office of Child Protection Services
- Administrative Assistant for the Office of Faith Formation and Youth Ministry

**For detailed job
descriptions and
requirements
scan the QR Code or
visit:**



<https://www.diobelle.org/temporal-affairs/human-resources/employment-opportunities>

Upcoming Concerts at Cathedral

**SWIC Community Choir Fall Concert
"A Taste of Sky"**

Monday, November 13 | 8:00pm

No-Name Chorale

"An A Cappella Christmas at the Cathedral"

w/special guests Prairie Ridge & Crystal Lake
Central High School Madrigal Singers

Saturday, December 2 | 7:00pm

**The following dates are available
to schedule Mass Intentions:**

Wednesday November 22nd 6:45 am

Thursday November 30th 8:15 am

Call 618.234.1166 to schedule.



GREEN MOUNT CATHOLIC CEMETERY

679 S. GREEN MOUNT ROAD, BELLEVILLE, IL

A Ministry of the Cathedral of St. Peter

Pre-planning is strongly encouraged.

**Contact the cemetery staff
at (618) 234-4858.**

**Pre-Planning documents
may be found online at:**

<https://cathedralbelle.org/funerals/>



*As a way to honor our brothers and
sisters who have gone before us in
faith, during the month of November,
Green Mount Catholic Cemetery
will offer a \$100 reduction in the cost
of a cemetery plot.*



If you or someone you know is in need of a Thanksgiving dinner, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul Belleville Council and the Catholic Diocese of Belleville will be providing Thanksgiving dinner on:

THANKSGIVING DAY THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23

Msgr. Voss Parish Center
St. Henry Catholic Church
5303 West Main Street
Belleville, Illinois
10:45 a.m. – 12 Noon

Delivery available (maximum 3 meals)
to homebound only.

Reservations for dining and requests for delivery are required.

Please call 618-722-5024.

Reservations must be made by November 17.

Vocations

This Sunday starts National Vocations Awareness Week. National Vocation Awareness Week (NVAW) is an annual week-long celebration of the Catholic Church in the United States dedicated to promoting vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life through prayer and education, and to renew our prayers and support for those who are considering one of these vocations. Please pray each day this week for an increase of vocations and for young people to hear their call to Holiness.

SEEK24 Interest Form

Scan the QR code to fill out a SEEK Interest Form to get registered for SEEK!



SCAN ME



Diocese of Belleville



School Sisters
of Notre Dame

Online Evening Prayer with Young Adults

Young adults ages 18+ are invited to pray online together with other young adults and School Sisters of Notre Dame from across the U.S. and Canada on **Tuesday, November 28 at 7 p.m. CT.**

Learn more and register for the Zoom link at:

ssnd.org/events/11-28-23/

November is Palliative and Hospice Care Month

*We celebrate those who care for the disabled and the sick
We educate ourselves about Physician Assisted Suicide*

The Catholic Church supports palliative and hospice care in the face of growing legalization of euthanasia and assisted suicide around the world. What are these terms?

- **Palliative Care:** Relieves the pain, symptoms and stress of a serious illness while working with primary, curative care. Anyone can receive palliative care for any duration, usually in the form of pain management, and is usually covered by insurance.
- **Hospice Care:** Focuses on the pain, symptoms, and stress of a serious illness during its terminal phase, usually considered when the burden of curative treatment outweighs any benefit.
- **Euthanasia:** One person intentionally acts to end the life of another person who is deemed to be suffering, can be passive (withhold food or water) or active (injection of lethal drugs). Most of Canada's "assisted suicide" deaths are actually euthanasia.
- **Physician Assisted Suicide:** A health care provider assists the patient in acquiring the prescription to commit suicide, but does not personally administer the means of death.

What does the Catholic Church support?

CCC 2276: Those whose lives are diminished or weakened deserve special respect. Sick or handicapped persons should be helped to lead lives as normal as possible.

CCC 2277: Whatever its motives and means, direct euthanasia consists in putting an end to the lives of handicapped, sick, or dying persons. It is morally unacceptable.

CCC 2279: Even if death is thought to be imminent, the ordinary care owed to a sick person cannot be legitimately interrupted ... Palliative care is a special form of disinterested charity. As such it should be encouraged.

If people you know appear to be considering suicide, please let them know of the

National Suicide Prevention Hotline
1-800-273-8255