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Tuesday-Thursday

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November 10, 2019

Thirty-Second Sunday

In Ordinary Time

FAITH DICTATES OUR ACTIONS

It is so true! If you have faith in your car, you will drive carefully, safely and be at peace. If you have faith in a friend, then you two will get along well. If you have faith in yourself, you will be more self-confident and assured. Whatever or whomever you have faith in will affect your actions. In these last weeks of this liturgical year, we are called to reaffirm our faith in heaven. Factoid - your faith or lack of faith in heaven does affect your actions. A true faith in heaven will allow you to be like the 7 brothers in 2 Maccabees 7: 1-2, 9-14 that were tortured. They never wavered because of their strong faith in God. If you have faith in heaven then ever action, ever thought, ever decision you make is directly or indirectly affected by a passion that only the Holy Spirit can provide—a passion that will give you the strength to deal with the worst of situations. The opposite is also true. If you dismiss heaven and focus on what is in front of you, then it will be easier for you to slip into self-destructive behaviors. And self-destructive behaviors result in you sucking goodness out of the air. There is a woman who has lost everyone in her family, yet she checks on an elderly uncle and aunt every day, works a part time night job and goes to mass daily. She has every right to be angry, bitter and lonely. But all she thinks about is what can she do today that will bring her closer to going to heaven. The reality is that faith in heaven will dictate your actions.

Christ's Blessings
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PARISH NEWS

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES and MASSES

Tuesday, November 12th

10:00a.m. Tuesday Morning Bible Study (Activity Center)
 10:00am St. Katherine Drexel Bible Study (Activity Center)
 5:30 p.m. Mass (Chapel)
 6:30 p.m. RCIA (Activity Center)

Wednesday, November 13th

8:00a.m. Mass (Chapel)

Thursday, November 14th

8:30a.m Mass (ACS)
 8:00am-8:00pm Adoration (Chapel)
 10:00a.m.-12:00 Thursday Morning Bible Study
 (Activity Center)

Friday, November 15th

8:00am- Mass (Chapel)

Sunday, November 17th

7:15 a.m.- 7:45 a.m. Confession (Church)
 8:00 a.m. Mass (Church)
 9:05 am Religious ED. (Activity Center)



Religious Education News

- ◆ **November 13th** at 5:30pm in ACS Gym is rehearsal for YOUTH MASS
- ◆ **November 15th**, Baptismal certificates for students making their First Reconciliation must be turned in to the Rel Ed Office
- ◆ **November 17th** is a YOUTH MASS held at the school. The Parish Picnic will take place following Mass. Please join us
- ◆ **November 17th Religious Education will be held** at 9:00am – 10:00am at the Activities Center
- ◆ **December 1st**, there are no classes
- ◆ **December 14th First Reconciliation** at 10:30am. Rehearsal is at 5:30pm on December 12th



Join our Youth Choir and help us celebrate the Parish Picnic on November 17th at 10:30 at ACS.
 Practice will be November 13th at 5:30 at ACS gym.

St Vincent de Paul

If you, your class, office or organization would like to adopt a family for Christmas or donate a gift for a family, please contact any member of St Vincent de Paul or contact Henry Barclay at 329-1559 or leave a message at 328-2927 ext #2.

Knights of Columbus will be selling Boston Butts, this will make a great donation to SVDP for their Christmas Baskets.

Baptismal Preparation Class

Baptismal Sacramental Preparation class is today at 1:00 pm in the Church. This class is required to have your child baptized. Next class will be in February 2020.



In observance of Veterans Day,

The KoC Council #7974 Ladies Auxiliary would like to thank all Veterans of the Armed Forces for their patriotic service.

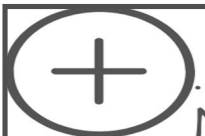


Home Bound

November 17th

Nancy Perkins &
 Margarita Rangel

will visit and minister to all our home bound.



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STEWARDSHIP IN ACTION

November 10, 2019

Weekly Offering 11/03/19: \$ 16,959.00

On-Line Giving: 11/03/19: \$ 3,020.00

Follow the Vision/ Friends of Annunciation

Historic Chapel Debt Balance: \$ 503,058.65

(Our goal is to collect a minimum of \$10,000 per month in order to fund our monthly payment.)

Generous Donations:

November 3, 2019 \$ 1,310.00

November 10, 2019 \$

November 17, 2019 \$

November 24, 2019 \$

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

In today's second reading, St. Paul pray that the Thessalonians may be strengthened in every good deed and word. May we, too, be strengthened and empowered to use our time and talents for the good of others.

"Continuing the Mission" Capital Campaign

	10/30/19	11/6/19
Total number of pledges:	181	181
Number of new pledge(s):	0	0
Amount of new pledge(s):	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Number of increased pledge(s):	0	1
Amount of increased pledge(s):	\$ 0.00	\$ 200.00
Total amount pledged:	\$ 1,827,243.84	\$ 1,827,443.84

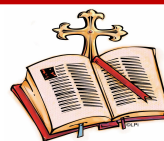
Cash received this week:	\$ 2,120.56	\$ 3,827.78
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Total pledge balances:	\$ 839,251.08	\$ 835,948.30
Total cash received to date:	\$ 1,172,113.17	\$ 1,175,940.95
TOTAL (pledge balances + cash received to date):	\$ 2,011,364.25	\$ 2,011,889.25



Mass Intentions

Tuesday	11/12/2019	5:30 p.m.	Paul Kantack	JF (RIP)
Wednesday	11/13/2019	8:00 a.m.	Donnie Schippel	BH (RIP)
Thursday	11/14/2019	8:30 a.m.	Bettye Minnett	SB (RIP)
Friday	11/15/2019	8:00 a.m.	Kelly Kantack	PK (RIP)
Sunday	11/17/2019	8:00 a.m.	No Mass	
Sunday	11/17/2019	10:30 a.m.	Alyce Forte	PW (RIP)



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

November 11—Monday

WIS 1:1-7, LK 17:1-6

November 12—Tuesday

WIS 2:23-3:9, LK 17:7-10

November 13—Wednesday

WIS 6:1-11, LK 17:11-19

November 14—Thursday

WIS 7:22B-8:1, LK 17:20-25

November 15—Friday

WIS 13:1-9, LK 17:26-37

November 16—Saturday

WIS 18:14-16; 19:6-9, LK 18:1-8

November 17—Sunday Thirty-Third

Sunday in Ordinary Time

MAL 3:19-20A, PS 98:5-6, 7-8, 9,

2 THES 3:7-12, LK 21:5-19



Parish Picnic & So^o Opening of ACS

Sunday, November 17th at
Annunciation Catholic School.

We will have mass at 10:30 (there will not be a 8:00 mass).

Knights of Columbus will provide Chicken and pulled pork.

Parish members please bring sides for 15 people.

A-J Salad/Bread

K-R Vegetable Dish

S-Z Dessert

Drinks will be provided.



**NOVEMBER 10TH
SCHOOL NEWS**

GRAND OPENING EVENTS

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17TH—Join us at ACS for a youth Mass in the school gym followed by a parish wide picnic and tours of the new building at 10:00 a.m. (There is no 8:00 Mass on this day at the church).

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21ST—Join us at ACS for Mass in the school gym at 8:30 with Bishop Kopacz followed by our Ribbon Cutting Ceremony and reception. Tours of the new facility will be given.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21ST—Join us at 5:00 at ACS for a BBQ dinner, light music, and tours of the new facility.

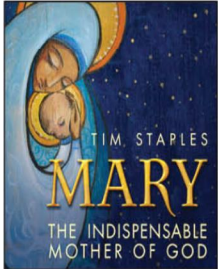
**WE ARE SO EXCITED AND WE CAN'T WAIT TO SHARE THE
EXCITEMENT WITH YOU!**

Annunciation Catholic School Mission Statement

Annunciation Catholic School teaches the whole child in a Christ-centered environment. We encourage all children to meet their full potential by building character, fostering community, and creating life-long learners.

Mary: The Indispensable Mother of God

by Tim Staples



"Tim Staples gives inspiring and reliable examples of how to respond to common questions about Mary."

—Charlie M., Winston-Salem, NC

[LISTEN ON FORMED.ORG](https://www.formed.org)

What role should Mary play in our lives?

Learn how correct knowledge of our Mother reveals our own identity in Christ, and empowers us to say, "Yes" to God!

Scholarship Opportunity

The Bishop Brunini Memorial Scholarship was established to be used specifically for tuition assistance for undergraduate or advanced studies at any accredited Catholic College/University.

There are no specific restrictions for the field of study.

The specific annual amount of the scholarship will be determined by the interest from the Bishop Brunini Memorial Trust, Catholic Foundation of the Diocese of Jackson, MS.

Any qualified person interested in receiving the Scholarship shall apply no later than December 1, 2019.

Prayers for Parishioners:

Bill Adams
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Sam & Betty Phillips
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Karen Pittman
Debra Weseli
Marianne Wright

Prayers for Families and Friends of Parishioners

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