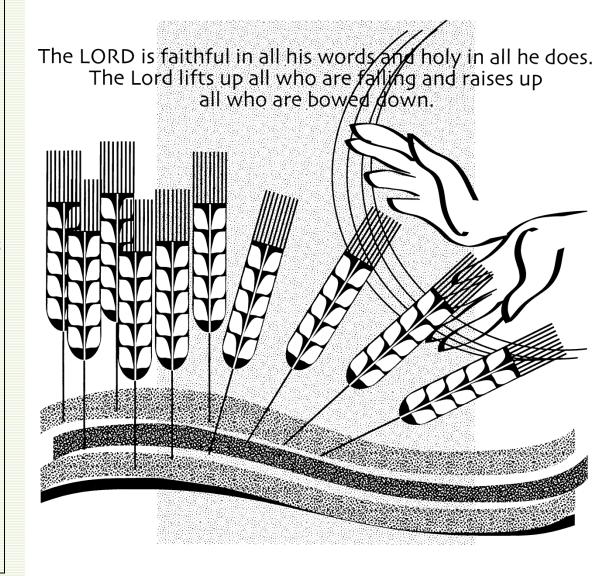
Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time October 31, 2010

BAPTISM

During Mass on the weekends outside of Lent. If outside of Mass, Sunday afternoon only. If this is your first child to be baptized, you must meet with either Fr. Timothy Hall or **Roxanne Kemper for** instructions. Please call either the St. Adrian Rectory Office at (507) 483-2317 or St. Anthony **Rectory Office at (507)** 472-8262 prior to setting the date of the baptism.

MARRIAGE

Please make arrangements at least six months in advance. Your first visit will be with Pastoral Assistant Roxanne Kemper (507) 472-8262.



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Liturgy of the Eucharist

Tues	5:30 PM	(L) Erma Koehne		
Tues	7:30 PM	(A) John Wieneke		
Wed	8:30 AM	(K) Chris & Gertrude Roeder		
Thu	8:30 AM	(A) Roman Reker		
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament				
Fri	8:30 AM	(W) Alice Menson		
Sat	5:00 PM	(L) Parishioner		
Sat	7:00 PM	(K) Matt Metz		
Sun	8:00 AM	(A) Victor Konz		
Sun	10:00 AM	(W) Elizabeth Slater		

Sacrament of Confession

Half- hour before weekend Masses

St. Adrian

Sacrificial Giving – October 24, 2010				
Amount needed per weekend	\$3,844.00			
Amount given	\$3,168.00			

Calendar Raffle Winner: Kevin Nowotny

We need help with our Annual Diocesan Appeal.

The goal is \$14,970.00 of which we have paid \$4,995.00. In spite of recent attempts to address this, the shortfall remains. You must understand, if we do not make this goal by the end of the year, the parish pays for it out of its operating funds. Those funds are typically stressed month in and month out and cannot carry the added burden of this expense. If you choose to give directly to the appeal, envelopes are available at the church entrances. If you choose not to give directly to the Annual Appeal, then I ask that you at least give more to the parish so that we can pay that bill when it comes due. This should be done soon.

**St. Adrian Pastoral Council will meet on November 11, 2010 at 7:00 PM in the Parish Rectory.

**St. Adrian Finance Council will meet on Thursday November 18th at 7:30 PM in the Parish Rectory.

We are happy to announce that we now have online giving/automatic withdrawal as a way to pay your church support! Go to the parish website and look for the "Green Leaf" logo and follow the instructions!

St. Adrian CCW will meet on Wednesday, November 10th at 7:00 PM. in the Church Hall. Lunch Committee: Arlene McCarthy & Vickie Croat

St. Adrian CCW – will be hosting lunch after the 2:30 PM Mass at Adrian Country Living on Sun. November 14th. Lunch Committee: Darcy Kellen & Sharan Honermann

Rental of the St. Adrian Education Building: Please contact Pam Konz in the Faith Formation Office at 483-2480 for family events, wedding showers, and other gatherings.

Recycle your empty ink cartridges in the box at the west end of St. Adrian Church

Our Lady of Good Counsel

Sacrificial Giving – October 24, 2010				
Amount needed per weekend	\$2,106.00			
Amount given	\$1,081.00			

Calendar Raffle Winner: Jerome Weidert

Thank you very much! There was a tremendous response to our debt reduction and especially the grain donation project. Now, we just need a little help with our Annual Diocesan Appeal. The goal is \$6,920.00 of which we have paid \$3,095.00. If we do not make this goal by the end of the year, the parish pays for it out of its operating funds. Although it looks like we are well on the road to recovery with parish finances, we could easily fall behind again. An end of the year bill of \$3,000.00 or more is detrimental. Remember, the heating season is coming up too. Please make a donation to the appeal. If you choose to give directly to the appeal, envelopes are available at the church entrances. If you choose not to give directly to the Annual Appeal, then I ask that you at least give more to the parish so that we can pay that bill when it comes due. This should be done soon.

OLGC Finance Council will meet on Tuesday, November 9th at 7:30 PM in the Parish Center.

OLGC Pastoral Council will meet on Tuesday, November 30th at 7:00 PM in the Parish Center.

St. Anthony

Sacrificial Giving – October 24, 2010				
Amount needed per weekend	\$1,296.00			
Amount given.	.\$2,118.25			

Calendar Raffle Winner: Ellen Lenz

Word & Communion: There will be NO service on Thursday, November 4th.

Lismore Presbyterian Church will have their annual Soup & Dessert Dinner on Sunday, November 7th at the Legion Hall. Serving is from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM. Everyone is invited.

St. Anthony's CCW will meet on Tuesday, November 9th at 7:00 PM in the church hall. Lunch Committee: Deb Lutmer and Judi Peterburs.

CD of A Court St. Bernard will have their memorial service for deceased members of the Court on Wednesday, November 10th at 7:00 PM. Everyone is welcome to attend. A short meeting will follow. Lunch Committee: Mindy Kemper (chair) and Esther Loonan.

Annual Diocesan Appeal: Thank you to everyone who has donated. Our parish goal was set at \$6,030. Currently, \$4,110.00 has been collected or pledged. If you have not yet donated, we encourage you to do so. Extra envelopes are located at the entrance of the church. Please give generously. Thank you

St Kilian

Sacrificial Giving-October 24, 2010

\$ 640.00 (5 Envelopes)

The Lord's Housekeepers for November, December and January are: Julie Brake (chair), Tory Bohlke, Theresa Wieneke, Cate Koehne, Celia Lais and Laurie Bohlke.

Annual Diocesan Appeal: Thank you for your generosity. To date, \$1430.00 has been collected but we still need \$1,000.00 to reach our goal. Extra envelopes are located at the entrance of the church. Please give generously.

OF INTEREST TO ALL

The 4-Youth Hay Ride will be held this Sunday, October 31st starting at 4:00 PM. Faith Formation families grades 5-12 are welcome to come for the food, fun, games, and bonfire and of course, the havride! We will meet at the Gene and Barb Reker farm. Come in your Halloween costume, dress as your favorite saint, or come as you are. Adult volunteers are needed for baking bars or cookies, serving food, and driving pickups with the hayracks. Please call Pam at 483-2480 or Leslie at 478-4540 to donate your time, truck or tasty treats. This event will be held weather permitting.

The 4-Parish 11th grade Confirmation class has T3 on Wednesday, November 3rd and 10th at 7:30 PM, at OLGC.

All Saints Day is on Monday, November 1st. Although it is a holy day, it is not an obligatory one since it falls on Monday. No masses have been scheduled for our parish cluster.

All Soul's Day Mass of Remembrance is this Tuesday, November 2nd at 5:30 PM at St. Anthony's in Lismore and 7:30 PM at St. Adrian in Adrian. Names written in the Books of Remembrance at St. Anthony's and St. Kilian will be read at the 5:30 PM Mass. Names written in the books at St. Adrian and Our Lady of Good Counsel will be read at the 7:30 PM Mass. Families will also light a candle for their loved ones who have died within the past year. Those remembered include: ST. ADRIAN - Melvin Croat, Vincent Mauch, Donald Schutz, Loretta Honermann, Neva Banck, Greg Luettel, Rita Kunkel, Karen Wieneke, Florance Fleming, Monica Konz, LaVerne Henning, Nick Gleis, Rose Hanson, Avis Dike, Daniel Schwebach, Maxine Lynn, ST. ANTHONY – Lucy Krogman, Mary LaCore, Regina Erpelding, Marion Pieper, Marie Henriksen, Fred Lenz, ST. KILIAN – Steven Moser, OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL -Helena Balster, Marlin Mitchell, Floyd Fath, Arleen Gerber. We welcome and invite everyone to gather and pray this Tuesday Evening for our loved ones!

4-Parish Faith Formation will be held Wednesday evenings November 3rd and 10th at 7:30 PM. St. Adrian youth grades 5-10 go to the St. Adrian Ed Center; St. Anthony, St. Kilian and Our Lady of Good Counsel youth go to the OLGC Ed Center.

Remember those tasty puffins? The 4-youth is now selling them. Call any youth to order yours, or call either Faith Formation Office. Pastry Puffins are made by Whye's Choice of flaky, buttery layers of pastry and filled with a variety of fruits and flavors. The cost is \$11.00 per package of 12 puffins. They arrive frozen and can be pulled apart to bake as many or as few as you need at a time. Call Pam at 483-2480 or Leslie at 926-5197 for more information or to place an order. The proceeds will help pay for the 5 youth attending this year's DCYC (Diocesan Catholic Youth Conference.) Place your order by November 10th so that you can have them for the holidays! They will be delivered on November 22nd.

The 4-Parish 9th and 10th grades will have their NET retreat on Tuesday, November 16th at St. Adrian Education Center immediately after school until 9:15pm. Anyone who would like to host some of the team members please call Pam at 483-2480 or Leslie at 926-5197.

Daylight Savings Time ends next Sunday, November 7th. Remember to set your clocks back one hour!

Election Day is Tuesday, November 2nd. As Catholics, it is our responsibility to make informed choices that reflect the faith and values of our church. As U.S. Citizens, it is our duty to remember those who made it possible for us to be members of a free and democratic nation and to remember those who won for us the right to vote. Let's not take our freedoms for granted – VOTE on Tuesday!

Going Out On A Limb!

The end of the Church's liturgical year is fast approaching. November is traditionally the month of celebrating the communion of saints and remembering those who have gone before us. It is also a time for us to reflect on our own death and future judgment: What *must I do to inherit eternal life?* In today's gospel Zacchaeus, the chief tax collector and major sinner, is looking for Jesus. Persistent and determined, he literally *goes out on a limb* by climbing a tree to get a better look. And then to everyone's amazement, Jesus invites himself into this stranger's home. As they meet, Zacchaeus' life is radically changed. Jesus does not judge as we might expect but extends warmth, forgiveness and love to this sinner. In turn, Zacchaeus straightens up his life, generously repaying and sharing his wealth with the poor.

All of us have been given many opportunities to encounter Jesus and to turn our lives around. He is always waiting and searching for us. Like Zacchaeus, Christ wants to be where we are, to be with us in our homes and to change our hearts and lives. God's love and forgiveness is pure gift – never a reward! May we respond to God's invitation to follow Christ's way of love and forgiveness. May we never hesitate to *go out on a limb for Christ!*

Harvest Blessings,



From Your Pastor,

I want to center on the DVD's on marriage which you received from our bishop. Some of you have watched it, but many have not.

The Church wants to uphold marriage as a "covenant by which a man and a woman establish between themselves a partnership [for their entire] life. [Marriage] is ordered by its nature to the good of the spouses and the procreation and education of offspring. [It] has been raised by Christ the Lord to the dignity of a sacrament between the baptized." The Church comes to this understanding through theological reflection. The Sacred Teaching of the Church is born from God's revelation to her through Sacred Scripture, Sacred Tradition and the natural order of things (i.e. natural law). One simple definition of theology is: "faith seeking understanding." Drawing that out a little more, the definition of theology begins to look something like: "the search for the truth by using the supernatural power and light of divine faith with the natural power of the human mind." Now, the truth of a thing is revealed by the thing itself, and is found true by the process of reason. Upon reflection of what marriage is, the Church has found it to be a covenant between a man and a woman for the good of each other and the procreation and education of children. A valid marriage is also sacramental if the man and woman are baptized.

Please find time to watch the DVD. Seek and discover the truth for yourself!

Peace & Blessings,

Fr. Timothy J. Hall

New Mass Schedule November 7, 2010 – February 27, 2011					
Saturday	5:00 PM	St. Anthony			
Saturday	7:00 PM	St. Kilian			
Sunday	8:00 AM	St. Adrian			
Sunday	10:00 AM	OLGC			