

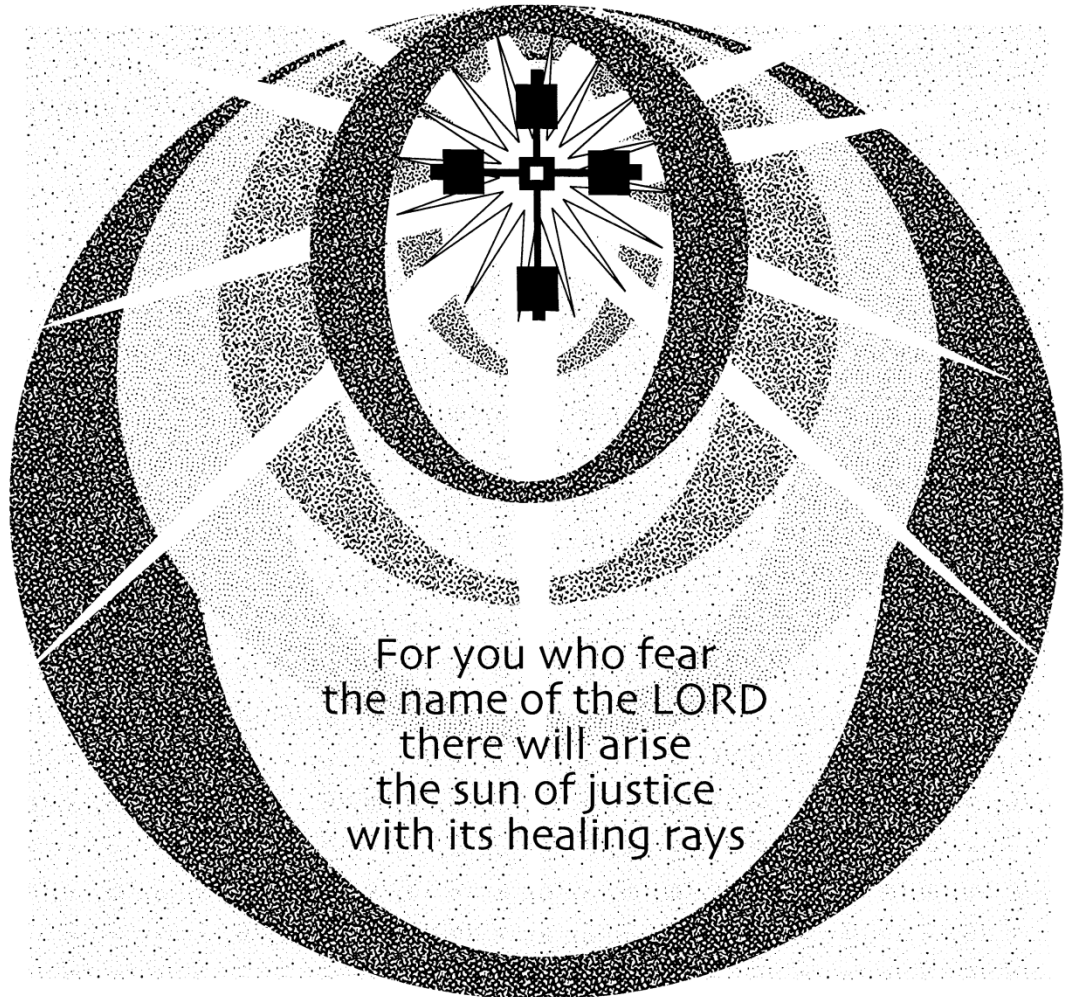
**Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 14, 2010**

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.



For you who fear
the name of the LORD
there will arise
the sun of justice
with its healing rays

**SAINT ADRIAN
OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL**

**SAINT ANTHONY
SAINT KILIAN**

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Liturgy of the Eucharist

Tues 8:30 AM (L) Marion Pieper
Wed 8:30 AM (K) Jim Loosbrock
Thu 8:30 AM (A) Ed & Margaret Dorn
Fri 8:30 AM (W) Heinrich Hakeneward
Sat 5:00 PM (L) Homer Loonan
Sat 7:00 PM (K) Arvin Loosbrock
Sun 8:00 AM (A) Parishioners
Sun 10:00AM (W) Alice Mensen

Word & Communion

Thursday 8:30 AM (L)

Sacrament of Confession

Half- hour before weekend Masses

St. Adrian

Sacrificial Giving – November 7, 2010

Amount needed per weekend..... \$3,844.00
Amount given.....\$3,219.05

Ministry Schedule November 21, 2010

Reader: Stacie Elias & Luann Oertli

Servers: Kayla Lonneman & Marshall Taylor

Calendar Raffle Winner: Linda Hohn

St. Adrian CCW and the Knights of Columbus is hosting a ministry fair to be held after the 8:00 AM Mass on Sunday November 14. There will be information given on twelve ministries offered by our parish which include reader, extra-ordinary minister of Holy Communion, server, usher, CCW, Knight's of Columbus, etc, with door prizes from each organization. The Knight's of Columbus will be serving a breakfast in conjunction with this event. There will be games for the kids with prizes. There will be no charge for all this fun! This is a faith community builder, not a fund raiser. Please come and inquire as to how you can be of greater service to our worshipping communities.

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.

Healing Mass: The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated this Thursday, November 18th at the 8:30 AM Mass. Everyone is invited.

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

Court Santa Maria #247: Catholic Daughters of Americas will have a Mass for Deceased members on November 18th at 6:30 PM. The meeting will follow immediately with the lunch being provided by Eileen Henning and Rita Boltjes. Please bring an Angel figurine to share a short story about it.

Coffee & Rolls will be served by the Catholic Daughter of America on November 21st after the 8:00 AM Mass.

St. Adrian CCW will be cleaning the church on Monday and Tuesday November 22nd & 23rd from 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM. Please feel free to come in at anytime between these hours and work as long as you can. Many hands make light work.

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.

Rental of the St. Adrian Education Building will be done through Pam Konz in the Faith Formation Office. Call 483-2480 or 483-2835 when you would like to rent the building for family events, wedding showers and other gatherings.

Our Lady of Good Counsel

Sacrificial Giving – November 7, 2010

Amount needed per weekend..... \$2,106.00
Amount given.....\$2,349.50

Ministry Schedule November 21, 2010

Reader: Jill Paulzine

Servers: Josh Zemler & Matthew Slater

Eucharistic Ministers: JoAnn Burkard, Ed Herring & Jack Slater

Calendar Raffle Winner: Kayla Rodenberg

Sympathy: We extend our prayers of sympathy to the family and friends of Lorraine Balster. May God bring them peace and comfort.

CCW will meet on Tuesday, November 16th at 7:00 PM. in the parish kitchenette. We invite all women of the parish to come and gather as we do the good work of the Lord. We need your input and ideas so please join us! Lunch will be served by Julie Balk and Karen Fuerstenberg. Hope to see you there.

Healing Mass: The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated this Friday, November 19th at the 8:30 AM Mass. Everyone is welcome.

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

OLGC Parish Finance Council will meet on Tuesday, February 8, 2011 at 7:30 PM in the Parish Center.

Attention members of Court Madonna #839! We will be putting together our annual thanksgiving plates for area shut-ins and those in need of a little "pick-me-up". Members are urged to help make and deliver these care packages on Sunday, November 21st, after the 10:00 AM Mass in Wilmont. We will be putting them together in the Marian Hall. Donations of cookies are also appreciated; please have them in the church basement before Mass. Let's all do our share in spreading our motto: **Unity and Charity!**

Remember: We still owe about \$3,000 to the Annual Diocesan Appeal. If you choose to give directly to the Annual Diocesan Appeal, please use the envelopes that are available in the back of the church. If you do not want give directly to the appeal, then I ask that you at least give to the parish so that we can pay the annual appeal bill when it comes due.

St. Anthony

Sacrificial Giving – November 6, 2010

Amount needed per weekend..... \$1,296.00
Amount given.....\$ 980.00

Ministry Schedule November 20, 2010

Reader: Laura Lorang
Servers: Katie Wieneke & Alexia Kemper
Eucharistic Ministers: Tim & Bridget Henning
Mary Ann Loosbrock

Calendar Raffle Winner: Betty Reker

Healing Mass: The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated this Tuesday, November 16th at the 8:30 AM Mass. Everyone is invited.

Knights of Columbus will have their monthly meeting on Monday, November 22nd at 7:30 PM in the church basement.

Going Green: Thanks to all for the recycled greeting cards. We sent them to St. Jude's Ranch for Children. If you still have cards you wish to donate, send them to: St. Jude's Ranch for Children, Recycled Card Program, 100 St. Jude's Street, Boulder City, NV 89006.

Calendar Raffle Tickets: St. Anthony Parish now has their calendar raffle tickets available. Please pick up your envelope in the back of the church. If you need more tickets, please contact the parish office.

The Lismore Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service will be held on Wednesday, November 24th at 7:30 PM at the First Presbyterian Church in Lismore. A free will offering will be taken for the Manna Food Pantry (Nobles County Food Shelf). Refreshments will be served. Everyone is invited!

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.

Feather Party will be held next Sunday, November 21st at 7:00 PM in the Lismore Legion Hall. Lunch will be served starting at 6:30 PM. Everyone is welcome!

St Kilian

Sacrificial Giving– November 6, 2010

\$ 570.00 (6 Envelopes)

Ministry Schedule November 20, 2010

Reader: Lois Engels
Servers: Tyler & Cassie Fuerstenberg
Eucharistic Ministers: Rob Fuerstenberg, Doug Brake
Vonnie Sieve

Healing Mass: The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will be celebrated this Wednesday, November 17th at the 8:30 AM Mass. Everyone is welcome.

Thanksgiving Mass will be celebrated on Wednesday, November 24th at 5:30 PM. Everyone is welcome.

Parish Pastoral & Finance Council meeting has been changed to Thursday, December 2nd. Please note change of date. Thank you.

Mark Your Calendars for St. Kilian's Christmas Potluck on Sunday, December 12th at 6:00 PM.

Annual Diocesan Appeal: Congratulations! We have met our goal for 2010. Thank you to everyone who participated. If you still wish to contribute, there are extra envelopes on the back table.

OF INTEREST TO ALL

Special Collection: Next weekend, we will take up the Collection for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. This collection began 40 years ago by the bishops of the United States when they realized that the lives of those in need would not improve until the systems and policies that keep people in poverty were changed. To help bring about lasting change, please use the attached envelope and place it in next week's collection. Please give generously.

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. This is a required event which will be made up if you miss it. Anyone who would like to host some of the team members please call Pam at 483-2480 or Leslie at 926-5197.

The puffins that were ordered will be delivered on Monday, November 22nd. They need to be kept frozen, so sellers remember to pick yours up. Thank you to everyone who supported this fund-raiser!

The annual food drives will take place on Wednesday, November 17th in the area towns. In Adrian, the youth grades 5-12 will meet at the United Methodist Church at 6:30 PM. Drivers are needed to help with food collecting. In Lismore, St. Kilian and Wilmont the youth will begin collecting items around 6:30 PM and will finish by meeting in Wilmont at the Ed Center at 7:30 PM. In each of the towns, we ask that you place donations in a bag and place it on your front step or by your front door. If you live in the country and want to make a donation please call a neighbor youth and make arrangements with them to drop it off or pick it up. You may also call Pam at 483-2480 or Leslie at 926-5197 to make arrangements. We will not have collection boxes in the back of the churches this year. Donations will go to the Manna Food Shelf and to the Christmas basket project of Nobles County.

November Liturgy Schedules for St. Anthony, St. Kilian and Our Lady of Good Counsel are at the entrance of the church. You may also visit the 4-Parish Web Site to view all ministry schedules.

Promise of Heaven!

Beginning this week, Fr. Hall and I will alternate our columns for the bulletin. So let me start with this Sunday's reflection:

As we draw closer to the end of the Church Calendar Year, our scripture readings invite us into a deeper reflection on the Second Coming of Christ and on the end of all time. Today's readings remind us to stop and take inventory of our lives. Where do we really stand before God? Are we praying at home with our families? Do our actions show the world that we are Christians? Are we faith-filled and hopeful people, even as the world experiences so much turmoil and fear? Are we so caught up in our own worries and concerns that we have forgotten that there will be a day of reckoning? Just as in business, an inventory is routinely needed to see how things are going and what needs to be done to ensure future success. Success for a Christian is eternal life with Jesus – the promise of heaven!

In today's gospel, Jesus reminded the people to be prepared: *By your perseverance you will secure your lives.* Our security in life rests in our faith in Christ and our willingness to care for others. Our safety is rooted in our relationship with our loving and faithful God. We attend Mass – we pray – we celebrate the Sacraments – we love one another. Through our perseverance we come to realize that we are so loved by God that we have been shown the way to everlasting happiness. Our journey of life may include suffering and difficult times but it is only a reminder that “we are not quite there yet” but we are getting closer. Through our perseverance, fear no longer controls our lives and we believe in the promises of our Lord, including the promise of heaven. With God at our side, a successful future is truly possible and we will always have eternal hope!

November Blessings,

Roxanne

