

**HOLY GHOST PARISH OF JERSEYVILLE
ST. MARY'S PARISH OF FIELDON**

Rev. William Hembrow/Church Office: 498-3416

Holy Ghost School: 498-4910

St. Francis School: 498-4823

Church Office Hours: Mon, Tues, Wed, and Fri: 8:30 to 3:00 p.m.

Church E-mail: hgchurch@gtec.com

Church Website: holyghostjerseyville.com

E-Giving: www.givecentral.org

Rite of Reconciliation: Saturday: 4:30p.m. - 5:25 p.m.

Weddings: Plans are to be made by appointment with the parish priest

Newman Connection Outreach Contact, Kevin McNicholas: 618-535-5494

MASS INTENTIONS – HOLY GHOST

Mon., Nov. 23rd 8:30am: Edmond & Chris Goetten

Tues., Nov. 24th 8:30am: Cecilia Kallal

Wed., Nov. 25th 8:30am: Bob and Doris Madson

Thurs, Nov. 26th 8:30am: Kris and Kraig Reno

Fri., Nov. 27th 8:30am: Leo and Dorothy Godar, 68th Ann.

Sat., Nov. 28th 5:30pm: Ray Alexander

Sun., Nov. 29th 8:00am: Robert and Mildred Weller

10:00am: Dylan Howell

11:15am: Bob and Niece Tonsor

MASS INTENTIONS – ST. MARY'S

Thurs, Nov. 26th 9am: Richard Hansen & Carol Hansen

Sunday, Nov. 29th 9am: Wendel Meszaros

Contribution Reports:

Holy Ghost: Envelopes: \$6,427.55, Loose: \$1,567.00, School: \$145.00, Imp. Fund: \$40.00, **Total: \$8,179.55**

Give Central E-Giving: Offering: \$1,835.00, **Total: \$1,835.00**

St. Mary's: Envelopes: \$1,621.00, Loose: \$124.00, **Total: \$1,745.00**

Thanksgiving Masses: Holy Ghost 8:30am and St. Mary's 9:00am

MEALS ON WHEELS VOLUNTEERS: If you have volunteered, please note the schedule on the bulletin board in the church.

Holiday Book Fair: Mon., Nov. 23 and Tues, Nov. 24: 7am-4pm each day. At OSF St. Anthony's Health Center Cafeteria and OSF St. Clare's Medical Office Building Auditorium in Alton. Call 618-465-2264. Sponsored by OSF St. Anthony's Foundation,

Pie Fundraiser: Pies will be ready for pick up on 11/22 after masses. All proceeds will benefit the pilgrimage for March for Life. For more information or to place an order please contact Kim Kuebrich (618)604-4158.

What Protecting God's Children is all about? "A safe environment protects our children from harm, including sexual abuse and child molestation. It allows them to feel confident and secure in the classroom and at church. The National Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People is a landmark document announced by the U.S. Conference of Bishops in 2002. The document is a response to the sexual abuse crisis in the Church and is their "Promise to Protect, Pledge to Heal." Article 12 of the Charter mandates that all dioceses and parishes establish safe environment programs to help protect children from sexual abuse and child molestation. It will make clear to clergy and all members of the community the standards of conduct for clergy and other persons in positions of trust with regard to sexual abuse. This guideline is the basis for the Diocese of Springfield's safe environment program."-Diocese of Springfield in Illinois Victim Assistance Coordinator, Pat Kornfeld: 1-217-698-8500 Ext 155

Convert Class: Father Hembrow would like to start a convert class. If you know of anyone who might be interested, please have them call the church office at 618-498-3416. Thank you.

Sock It To Me: Local Men's Prayer Group is assisting St. Peter/Paul Parish in S. St. Louis which ministers to the homeless in that area. Ask for donations of New socks, and underwear. Also, in need of gloves, long underwear, or sweatshirts "New or Used" that you might want to clean out of your closet.

Sacred Heart Church (Springfield): 40hrs of Eucharistic Adoration Inaugurating the Holy Year of Mercy, Dec. 8th-12th. Beginning on Dec. 8 with a sung Latin Mass at 7:30pm, Exposition at 8:45pm and adoration until 10pm. Dec. 9th-11th, Holy Mass 8am followed by Adoration 8am-9pm; Dec. 12th Spanish Rosary with indoor procession 5:30am Adoration and morning prayer 6:45am Benediction & Reposition at 7:45am Sung Latin Mass 8am.

Christmas Craft Bazaar: Nov. 28th 9am-3pm, Held at the Holy Ghost Gym. Kid's Corner 9am-2pm. Our Student's Bake Sale and lunch counter will offer a variety of food. Any question or booth info please contact Wendy Hansen-Vahle at 618-946-2295 Sponsored by SF/HG School Athletics.

Upcoming Events:

Nov. 22nd: Pie Pickup

Nov. 28th 9-3pm: Christmas Craft Bazaar

Dec. 5th 5:30pm: Mass, First Saturday

Dec. 8th-12th: Adoration, Sacred Heart, Springfield

Dec. 13th: Nativity & Christmas Decorating

Dec. 13th 6pm: Youth Ministry Meeting

Dec. 19th & 20th: Altar Society Cookie/Candy Sale

Jan. 2nd 5:30pm: Mass, First Saturday