



# Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time



November 6, 2016

Dear Parish Family,

Please join me in prayer as our nation approaches Election Day 2016. The prayer below was authored by Archbishop Carroll, circa 1791.

We pray, Thee O Almighty and Eternal God! Who through Jesus Christ hast revealed Thy glory to all nations, to preserve the works of Thy mercy, that Thy Church, being spread through the whole world, may continue with unchanging faith in the confession of Thy Name. We pray Thee, who alone art good and holy, to endow with heavenly knowledge, sincere zeal, and sanctity of life, our chief bishop, Pope Francis, the Vicar of Our Lord Jesus Christ, in the government of his Church; our own bishop, Paul, all other bishops, prelates, and pastors of the Church; and especially those who are appointed to exercise amongst us the functions of the holy ministry, and conduct Thy people into the ways of salvation. We pray Thee O God of might, wisdom, and justice! Through whom authority is rightly administered, laws are enacted, and judgment decreed, assist with Thy Holy Spirit of counsel and fortitude the President of these United States, that his administration may be conducted in righteousness, and be eminently useful to Thy people over whom he presides; by encouraging due respect for virtue and religion; by a faithful execution of the laws in justice and mercy; and by restraining vice and immorality. Let the light of Thy divine wisdom direct the deliberations of Congress, and shine forth in all the proceedings and laws framed for our rule and government, so that they may tend to the preservation of peace, the promotion of national happiness, the increase of industry, sobriety, and useful knowledge; and may perpetuate to us the blessing of equal liberty. We pray for his Excellency, the governor of this state, for the members of the assembly, for all judges, magistrates, and other officers who are appointed to guard our political welfare, that they may be enabled, by Thy powerful protection, to discharge the duties of their respective stations with honesty and ability. We recommend likewise, to Thy unbounded mercy, all our brethren and fellow citizens throughout the United States, that they may be blessed in the knowledge and sanctified in the observance of Thy most holy law; that they may be preserved in union, and in that peace which the world cannot give; and after enjoying the blessings of this life, be admitted to those which are eternal. Finally, we pray to Thee, O Lord of mercy, to remember the souls of Thy servants departed who are gone before us with the sign of faith and repose in the sleep of peace; the souls of our parents, relatives, and friends; of those who, when living, were members of this congregation, and particularly of such as are lately deceased; of all benefactors who, by their donations or legacies to this Church, witnessed their zeal for the decency of divine worship and proved their claim to our grateful and charitable remembrance. To these, O Lord, and to all that rest in Christ, grant, we beseech Thee, a place of refreshment, light, and everlasting peace, through the same Jesus Christ, Our Lord and Savior. Amen.

Peace to you and yours,  
Fr. Stevens

## PARISH COLLECTION



Envelopes: \$ 8,799.00 (293 parishioners)  
Loose: \$ 1,080.93  
Children: \$ 96.25

Total collected last week: \$ 9,976.18 Thank You!

An average of \$14,000 in weekly contributions is needed to offset the cost of living increase for parish expenses, etc. Thank you!

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**AUTOMATIC WITHDRAWALS FOR CONTRIBUTIONS (ACH):** If you would like to have your church contributions automatically deducted from your bank account each month, call the parish office at 996-3639. Forms can also be found on our website, [www.holyfamilymitchell.com](http://www.holyfamilymitchell.com) (under FORMS) that you can fill out and return to the parish office.

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**PARISH MEMBERSHIP:** We welcome those who are new to our parish and ask them to call the parish office for registration information, or if you are moving, please also notify the parish office at 996-3639.



## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Every Tuesday from 8:30 AM to 8:00 PM

CONFESSIONS 5:30 PM

## † PARISH NEWS



**We Welcome through the Living Waters of Baptism:**  
**KINLEY RHAЕ**, daughter of Eugene & Elizabeth (Volek) Kitchens. May God shower you with an abundance of His grace and blessings.



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*Holy Family extends our deepest sympathy to Lawrence Haiar and family on the death of his grandson, Sam Kirwan. May you find strength and comfort in the love and hope of our Lord.*

## SLOPPY JOE SUNDAY/ RECTORY OPEN HOUSE



TODAY - NOVEMBER 6, 2016

Holy Family Gathering Space



Serving from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Sloppy Joes, Baked Beans, Cupcakes & Drink (Free-Will Offering)  
Come have lunch and then take a tour of the rectory!

## HAPPINESS/GRATITUDE SEMINAR - November 14 - 6:30 to 9:30 PM

**8 to Great: The Powerful Process for Positive Change** by MK Mueller

Presented by Karen Harrington - Certified Life Coach

Holy Family Gathering Space - 222 N Kimball St (use south entrance)

Learn a process used by the happiest, healthiest, and most successful people! Restoring hope and inspiring possibilities.

TICKETS: Advance - \$20, call 605-770-3671 or

Email: [karenharrington37@gmail.com](mailto:karenharrington37@gmail.com) or \$25 at the door.

\$100 - 6 advance tickets - company mentioned at seminar.



## FOOD PANTRY CHRISTMAS BASKETS:

Holy Family has been assigned TUNA for this year's Christmas Food Baskets. The Mitchell Food Pantry plans to make up about 500 baskets for the needy in the surrounding area. Donations are needed by December 5<sup>th</sup> and can be placed in the blue container in the Gathering Space entrance. Thank you!



This Veteran's Day and always, we thank the men & women who serve us in the military and we commend to the Lord those who have died serving our country.

S.C.R.I.P. IS BEING SOLD IN THE GATHERING SPACE AFTER ALL MASSES

## JOHN PAUL II SCHOOL NEWS



**Robin Cahoy – Principal**  
1510 W Elm Ave, Mitchell, SD 57301  
(605) 996-2365 – Website: [www.johnpaul2.org](http://www.johnpaul2.org)

Please remember to save Box Tops for Education symbols, Coborn's receipts, Coborn's Labels for Learning, Campbell's Soup UPC symbols, and County Fair stamps. These items can be brought to the school or placed in the boxes at the entrances of Holy Family and Holy Spirit Churches. Thank you for supporting JP II school!

### November dates to remember:

- 10 – PTO meeting at 7:00
- 11 – No School – Veteran's Day
- 15 – DARE graduation
- 16 – Thanksgiving meal at JP II
- 18 – No School – Staff Development
- 24 – 25 – No School – Thanksgiving

**ADOPT-A-STUDENT:** As we begin to look to the end of 2016, please consider making an end of the year tax deductible contribution to the John Paul II Adopt-A-Student Fund. This fund allows families to attend John Paul II School who might otherwise not be able to due to financial restraints. For more information about this special program please call the school office at 996-2365. Thank you!

## FAITH FORMATION NEWS



**Holy Family & Holy Spirit Catholic Churches**  
K-6: Christine Lemmer – [clemmer@ffmitchell.com](mailto:clemmer@ffmitchell.com)  
7-12: Briana Fiegen – [briana.fiegen@ffmitchell.com](mailto:briana.fiegen@ffmitchell.com)  
Adult: Nigel McBain – [muscholyfamily@gmail.com](mailto:muscholyfamily@gmail.com)

**Book Fair:** The Book Fair items are on display in the Faith Formation Office until November 17. Books make great gifts! Mark your calendar for the Advent/Christmas Book Fair after all of the Masses at Holy Family the weekend of Nov. 19/20. In addition to any of our current book supply, we will have Christmas books, etc. Thank you for supporting the Book Fair! -- Nigel, Briana & Christine

The confirmation students are sponsoring a weekend for the Mitchell Snackpack. We will be collecting items and packing 450 bags.

### Items we are collecting:

- 1) 450 boxes of macaroni and cheese (7.25oz)
- 2) 450 jars of peanut butter (16oz)--no glass jars
- 3) 450 squeeze bottles of jelly (20oz)--no glass jars
- 4) 450 chewy granola bars (Great Value brand is perfect)
- 5) 350 individual packets of Swiss Miss hot chocolate (sold in 30 or 10 packs in local stores)
- 6) Monetary donation for 450 apples (approx. \$150)

**We will be collecting items until December 9th at the entrance of both parishes and the faith formation office at JP II.**

Contact Briana with any questions.

## MITCHELL FOUNDATION FOR CATHOLIC EDUCATION NEWS



Mitchell Foundation  
for Catholic Education

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I would like to offer my heartfelt thanks to everyone who made the auction a few weeks ago a great success! Special thanks to all the donors, especially Keith and Barb Young. Also, to the Knights of Columbus for setting up a lunch counter and donating all the free will donations. A very generous donation was made to the 7-12 Faith Formation program from the proceeds of the sale. Please continue to pray for these students, and for the success of their discipleship and ministry program!

## WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

11/08	8:00am	d. Jasmine Guevara
11/09	8:00am	d. Allen Ridgway
11/10	8:00am	For the United States Marine Corps
11/11	8:00am	d. Gene Paradeis
11/12	5:00pm	d. Ted Piti
11/13	8:30am	Anniv. of d. of Deb Feiner
	10:00am	d. Marvin Healy
	11:30am	For Holy Family Parish

## MINISTRY SCHEDULES

### Lectors and Extraordinary Ministers

11/12	5:00pm	L-V Redder; EM-Deacon Graves, D Callies, T&S Kirby, R Wuertzer
11/13	8:30am	L-J Feiner; EM-Deacon Graves, F&M Bruna, B&E Sullivan
	10:00am	L-J Schumacher; EM-Deacon Graves, C&L Bannwarth, T Schumacher, D Nesheim
	11:30am	L-R Grimsley; EM-Deacon Graves, J Hunt, K Mohr, S Peschong, M Wilson

### Mass Servers

11/12	5:00pm	J Fritzeimer, K Gullings, E Vermeulen
11/13	8:30am	K Nash, L LeBrun, C Singrey
	10:00am	J Mentele, J Rients, <b>Volunteer</b>
	11:30am	C Mentele, B Jarding, (A&K Mika - Subs Requested)

### Ministers of Hospitality

11/12	5:00pm	L Dorale, S Grosz, M&J McMahon, J&J Fritzeimer
11/13	8:30am	T Misiaszek, T&V Zens, C Hegg, E McGregor, J Miller
	10:00am	L&V Boehmer, T&J Hohrman, B&B Puetz
	11:30am	C Brewster, C Gehrke, M Kattner, E Mauer, Z Mohr, K Nelson

## WEEKLY BULLETIN BOARD



11/08	<b>Eucharistic Adoration</b> – 8:30am to 8:00pm <b>Children's Choir</b> – 5pm – Music Office <b>Confessions</b> – 5:30pm <b>Women's Choir</b> – 6pm – Music Office
11/09	<b>JP II School Mass</b> – 9am – Holy Spirit Church <b>Men's Choir</b> – 3pm – Music Office <b>Gr. K-6 Faith Formation</b> – 5:30-6:30 – JP II School <b>Full Choir</b> – 6pm – Music Office <b>7-12 Faith Formation</b> – Meal, 6:30/Class, 7 to 8:15pm – JP II Gym <b>R.C.I.A Class</b> – 7:30pm – Nazareth Rm
11/10	<b>CDA Mtg</b> – 7pm – Church Bsmt
11/11	<b>Veteran's Day</b> – No JP II School
11/12	<b>Wedding</b> – 2pm - Church <b>Confessions</b> – 3:30pm

## COMMUNITY EVENTS

### CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS NEWS:

The next meeting of Catholic Daughters will be held on Thursday, November 10 at Holy Family Church. At 7:00 PM Ron Sullivan and Dottie Iverson will present an inspirational program on the apparitions of the Blessed Mother at Medjugorje, a town in the Herzegovina region of Bosnia. The meeting will follow. All members are encouraged to attend. Visitors are WELCOME! For more information call Barb Young 996-6839. Thank you!

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### MARK YOUR CALENDARS – 20th Annual Christmas at the Cathedral

**December 15, 16, 17 & 18.** There are several ways to get your tickets: **1)** at any Sioux Falls HyVee store, **2)** on-line at [www.ccfesd.org](http://www.ccfesd.org), **3)** phone 605.988.3765 **4)** email [events@ccfesd.org](mailto:events@ccfesd.org), **5)** stop by the Catholic Community Foundation Office (523 N Duluth Ave). Please also note that many volunteers are needed and if interested, you are encouraged to call 605-988-3765.