

St. Mark Catholic Church

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Grateful
Thankful
Blessed

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 19, 2023

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday - Anticipated Mass 5PM

Sunday - 7:30, 9:00 & 11:30AM

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE:

Monday - Friday - 8:30AM

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday 3:30PM - 4:30PM or by appointment

Bulletin News for December 3rd must be submitted to Tricia Palko by Wednesday, November 22nd

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STEWARDSHIP FOR THE WEEK OF 11/12/23

Offertory	11/12/2023	\$ 15,957.73
Deferred Maintenance	11/12/2023	\$ 393.00
Building Fund	11/12/2023	\$ 2,217.00
MTD Offertory		\$ 37,768.30
MTD Deferred Maintenance		\$ 1,392.00
MTD Building Fund		\$ 3,529.00
Total amount owed on building loan as of 9/30/2023		\$1,083,885.68
Monthly Building Loan Payment		\$ 17,200.00

The Story and You™



Sacred Conversations

THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

When I ask myself who the people are in my life who have used the talents given them, I always go first to the musicians who make our Sunday worship so beautiful. Consider what it takes to be a choir member. Remember all those cold Monday nights last winter, when you snuggled in with the kids, a warm dinner, and a good book? The reason that the music at Mass the following Sunday was so beautiful is because the members of your choir (and their director) went out into the cold night for a long rehearsal.

Think of the skills a choir member needs. It starts with recognizing that 5 gifts have been given: a pleasant singing voice that can stay on pitch. A sense of rhythm. A disciplined nature. A good musical memory. A supple brain that is willing to be trained to learn the connection between the notes on the page and the music that is sung.

You only have two of the gifts, you say? Beautiful choirs are full of generous musicians who have been given two of those gifts. I'll bet that those who place themselves in that number would be amazed to see how much their investment in the choir has earned over time. Every gift they give us grows in ways they will never see.

And now, ahem, you say you just like to sing in the shower? Well, I guess we'll all have to sneak over to your bathroom and listen. OR, you could invest that voice in your parish choir. It's fun, it builds lifetime friendships, and it builds up the Body of Christ.

Instrumentalists, accompanists, composers, directors, choir members. Thank them today.

What particular gifts are you using to build up the Body?

Kathy McGovern© 2023 www.thestoryandyou.com

Mass Intentions

November 20th - 26th

Monday, November 20th

+ Mary Wilhelmi
Lucy Dunn

Tuesday, November 21st

+ Anna & Joachim
Nguyen

Wednesday, November 22nd

+ William Proksch
+ George Hovarka
Leonardo Elio

Thursday, November 23rd

St. Mark Parishioners

Friday, November 24th

No Daily Mass

Saturday, November 25th

+ Ricard Swoboda

Sunday, November 26th

+ Frank Jaime
+ Grace Giordano
St. Mark Parishioners

+ indicates deceased

All others are intentions

OUR PARISH FAMILY

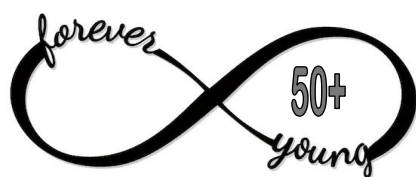
Baptism:

Ariliana Gomez-Mendoza
Adeline Mendoza-Salano
Mia Mendoza-Salano
Catalina Pollard

Anniversary:

Joe & Erma Gallegos 66 Years
Ken & Rosanna Pazzin 66 Years

November 19, 2023 Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time



President:
Lois Tochtrop
303-469-8150
Dues: \$10 (single)
\$15 (couple)

- * **Book Club** Tuesday, November 28th, 10:00am St. Rose Room / Church
Book: *Invention of Wings* By: Sue Monk Kidd
- * **Lunch/Bocce** Mickey's Restaurant, None in November & December

****Please note:**

At our December Potluck, instead of doing a "White Elephant" gift exchange - please bring an UNWRAPPED new toy, gift or gift card for children between the ages of birth to 16.

GIVE YOUR PARISH A GIFT THIS SEASON

We often express thanks to God by giving to others. As you consider your charitable gifts before the end of the year, remember that gifts made now could generate income tax deductions. If you would like to explore your possibilities of bequests, as well as gifts of appreciated stocks, IRA Charitable Rollovers, real estate and cash to fulfill your need to give in gratitude for all your blessings, give us a call.

Deacon Steve Stemper, Lisa Kukura and Joshua Gideon
303-468-9885 or www.TheCatholicFoundation.com



During Advent Martha will present a class on
THE CHOSEN CHRISTMAS SPECIAL
Tuesday, December 12th at 6pm or
Wednesday, December 13th at 9:30am.
Bring a friend or two to enjoy the class with you.
There is no fee for the class.
All ADULTS are invited!

ONLINE GIVING

We encourage you to donate online. There are multiple options available, you can schedule a one-time donation or set up weekly or monthly recurring contributions. When holiday travel, illness, or anything else prevents you from attending Mass, St. Mark will continue to receive your contribution on an uninterrupted basis. To donate online, visit our website www.saintmarkcc.org, click on the Online Giving. For more information please contact Tricia at 303-466-8720.

WEEKLY PLANNER FOR NOVEMBER 19TH - 26TH

Sunday 19th	K of C Food Drive Coffee & Donuts after 7:30am & 9am / Center
Monday 20th	
Tuesday 21st	1:00pm Grief Ministry Meeting / Church
Wednesday 22nd	7:00pm Choir Practice / Church
Thursday 23rd	Office Closed
Friday 24th	Office Closed
Saturday 25th	
Sunday 26th	RCIA Rite of Welcome 9am Mass

**GIVE YOUR VOICE AS A GIFT
FOR OUR CHRISTMAS SEASON!**



**DECEMBER 3, FIRST SUNDAY OF AD-
VENT THROUGH JANUARY 7, EPIPHANY**

**Rehearsals: Wednesdays, 7:00 pm
(or by arrangement)**

**Choir masses: 9:00 Sundays;
4 pm Christmas Eve;
10 am Christmas Day**

**Contact Donna, musicdirector@saintmarkcc.org
or 303-725-8425**

FAITH FORMATION

There will be no Faith Formation classes this Sunday, November 19 or next Sunday, November 26. Classes will resume on Sunday, December 3 with our Jesse Tree family workshop. Please remember to bring your child's books back! Have a blessed Thanksgiving!

JOIN US FOR
Thanksgiving Mass
November 23rd 8:30am
**MINISTERS PLEASE
SIGN UP ONLINE!**

2023 SCHEDULE

THANKSGIVING MASS

Thursday, November 23rd

MASS: 8:30AM

NO DAILY MASS

Friday, November 24th

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

(Holy Day of Obligation)

Friday, December 8th

MASSES:

8:30AM & 6:00PM

PENANCE SERVICE

Tuesday, December 19th

6:00PM

4th SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Saturday, December 23rd

Anticipated Mass 5:00PM

Sunday, December 24th

MASSES: 7:30AM & 9:00AM

(NO 11:30AM MASS)

CHRISTMAS EVE Sunday, December 24th

MASSES:

4:00PM

6:00PM

10:00PM

CHRISTMAS DAY Monday, December 25th

MASSES:

8:00AM

10:00AM

MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD

(NOT a Holy Day of Obligation)

Monday, January 1st

MASS: 8:30AM

PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED

November 23rd & 24th Thanksgiving Break

December 8th Holy Day

December 25th thru January 2nd Christmas Break

(re-opens 9:00AM Wednesday, January 3rd)

