Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time  ➤  November 10, 2019

Our Mission

We are a welcoming Eucharistic community committed to growing together as disciples of Jesus Christ. As both a parish and the Mother Church of the Archdiocese, we serve as a beacon of faith, a patron of the arts and a haven and advocate for people who are poor and marginalized.

Mass Schedule

Sunday, the Lord’s Day
5:15 pm (Saturday, Mass of Anticipation); 9:00 am and 11:00 am

Weekday Mass
Monday through Saturday Morning (in the Day Chapel) at 7:45 am and 5:15 pm

Becoming a Parishioner

Do you attend Mass or other events at the Cathedral on a regular basis? Would you like to become a parishioner? Registration takes place at First Sunday Coffee the first Sunday of the month or online by visiting www.stjohncathedral.org.

32nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“They can no longer die, for they are like angels; and they are the children of God because they are the ones who will rise.”
- Lk 20:36


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Cathedral News & Notes …

Peace of Mind

Saturday, November 16
after the 5:15 pm Mass,
Light Dinner at 6:15, Program at 7:00
in the Atrium

Presenter: Carolyn Sweers
Carolyn Sweers is a Cathedral parishioner, a contemplative freelance philosopher, author and teacher.

Jesus said to not be anxious; to not worry about our lives. But how can we not worry when there is so much that is uncertain, and even threatening? Stoic philosophers provide practical advice in two important areas: 1) how to diminish worry by retraining our minds in order to make distinctions about what is up to us and what is not, 2) how to discover character building possibilities in experiences that may seem negative.

What are the advantages of a peaceful mind for Christians (and others)? There are several: it feels good, it facilitates an ability to see situations clearly, it makes us more present to the moment in which we live and it can open our hearts to others in need.

Carolyn’s presentation is based on a little book she wrote and self-published: Peace of Mind: Stoic Insights. Copies will be available. People who want to take one home are asked to make a donation to our sister parish, La Sagrada Familia.

Please RSVP to PatWisialowski@stjohncathedral.org, or 414/276-9814, ext. 302 by Tuesday, November 12, 2019. Thank you.

Music & Fine Arts
this Week at the Cathedral

Sunday • November 10, 2019
5:15P Mass ☰ Voces Mundi
11:00A Mass ☰ Cathedral Choir

Wednesday • November 13, 2019
12:15P Concert ☰ Cordes de Lion (cello & guitar)

Sunday • November 17, 2019
11:00A Mass ☰ Schola

Financial Stewardship Update
Parish Support –
October 28, through November 3, 2019

Envelope Giving: $6,223.80
Electronic Giving: $180.00
Offertory: $769.38

Budget updates
Fiscal Year July 1, 2019 – June 30, 2020

Year to Date Contributions: $172,358.74
Year to Date Budget: $176,050.00
Year to Date Difference: ($3,691.26)

We are called to be generous with our encouragement and hope.

Lux Mundi Young Adult Group

Fridays – 6:30 – 8:00 pm in the Center Meeting Room
All are welcome – ages 18 – 35

We are God’s disciples, as a family we work towards social justice through the formation of our faith and prayer. This is an English speaking youth group. Please join us! For more information, please contact Maria Ramirez at ramirez53215@gmail.com or Evelyn Rios at evelynrios0198@gmail.com.

A community living out our discipleship through…
Weekly Worship, Scripture Sharing, Daily Prayer,
Stewardship, Spiritual Friendship and Reconciliation.
Expecting a Baby!

The Cathedral welcomes babies and we are most anxious to help you and your child become disciples at the Cathedral. First you must be registered at the Cathedral. Our Pastoral Council members hold parish registration on the first weekend of each month after all the Masses. On Saturday evening they are in the back of the Cathedral. On Sunday they are in the Atrium. Next you will need to attend a Baptism Preparation Class. They are held every other month on a Sunday morning. Baptisms are held on one weekend of each month except during Lent. After attending the class you may schedule your Baptism for the 5:15 pm Mass on a Saturday or the 11:00 am Mass on a Sunday. There is also the option of a 10:00 am Baptism on Saturday outside of Mass with our Deacon presiding.

The next Baptism Preparation Class will be on Sunday, December 22 at 10:00 am in the North meeting room on the second floor of the Weakland Center. You can take the elevator in the Atrium. If you have any questions about Baptism at the Cathedral please feel free to email Pat Wisialowski, Pastoral Associate, at patwisialowski@stjohncathedral.org or phone 414/276-9814. Thank you.

Wedding Banns

We pray for the following couples who are preparing for the sacrament of marriage:

II – Alex Gerke and Samantha LaBee
III – Kyle Kossack and Lauren McTernan

Readings for the Week of November 10

SUN: 2 Mc 7:1-2, 9-14/Ps 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15 [15b]/2 Thes 2:16—3:5/Lk 20:27-38
MON: Wis 1:1-7/Ps 139:1b-3, 4-6, 7-8, 9-10 [24b]/Lk 17:1-6
TUE: Wis 2:23—3:9/Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19 [2a]/Lk 17:7-10
WED: Wis 6:1-11/Ps 82:3-4, 6-7 [8a]/Lk 17:11-19
THU: Wis 7:22b—8:1/Ps 119:89, 90, 91, 130, 135, 175 [89a]/Lk 17:20-25
FRI: Wis 13:1-9/Ps 19:2-3, 4-5ab [2a]/Lk 17:26-37
SAT: Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9/Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43 [5a]/Lk 18:1-8
SUN: Mal 3:19-20a/Ps 98:5-6, 7-8, 9 [cf. 9]/2 Thes 3:7-12/Lk 21:5-19
Why is it important to be registered at a parish?

Our faith journey is not walked alone. One of the joys of being a Christian is that we are one body in Christ and we are connected as a family, with God as our Father.

Active parish membership indicates that we take our faith life seriously. We need a community of believers to support and nourish our faith life, and with whom we celebrate the Eucharist. We ask you to show your involvement and membership in your parish to express your commitment to the larger Church community. It is not merely another hoop to jump through. Active parish membership helps us to get connected and stay connected to our Church! So, it’s more than merely signing a form and filling out your mailing address. It’s standing up to say that you will not just go to Mass, but that you want to be an active member in the parish, contributing to the life of the community. The people make the parish, so your life gives Christ’s light to others and vice versa.

Registering at a parish is a simple way in which we show our commitment to worshipping with the larger Church community and living out our Catholic faith. If you are not currently registered somewhere, you may take this opportunity to register at the parish where you regularly attend.

Feel free to contact Pat Wisialowski, Pastoral Associate, with any questions or concerns about parish membership you may have at patwisialowski@stjohncathedral.org or 414/276-9814, ext. 302.
An Invitation to a Gathering of Senior Adults at the Cathedral

The Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist invites you to the monthly gathering of SPARC to be held on Wednesday, November 20 at 12:45 pm in the Cathedral Atrium.

The SPARC Ministry is composed of a group of senior adults gathering together monthly to enjoy the company and friendship of peers. Camaraderie, special guests and lively conversation are what will make this a worthwhile way to spend your afternoon. Besides, Lunch is Served!

It is November and the Holidays are fast approaching. ‘Tis the season for giving thanks for all of the good in our lives, the people we have met and the friendships that have blossomed. Do join us as we say “Thank You” for another successful year of SPARC. We will celebrate with a delicious luncheon and vigorous and fun discussion. Please bring with you your views of SPARC and suggestions for the further growth of SPARC.

There is a concert in the Cathedral on this day. The DSHA Chamber Orchestra will perform this day. The concert begins at 12:15 pm with luncheon immediately following.

Please do join us and bring a friend. There is no charge for the luncheon. A Free Will Offering is gratefully appreciated to help defray costs. Reservations MUST be made to ensure your place at the table. Thank You. Please do RSVP by Monday, November 18 to jimtrzebiatowski@stjohncathedral.org or by calling 414/276-9814, ext. 308. Please include your name in the RSVP.

Cathedral News & Notes ...

Scripture with Scholars

Wednesday, December 4, 2019
Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist Atrium
7:00 – 8:30 pm
Free and open to the public

“’O’ What a Season!”
Michael S. Donahou, Ph.D.
Assistant Professor, Religious Studies and Philosophy Department
Cardinal Stritch University

The "O" Antiphons have been sung in the Catholic Church since at least the eighth century. In 2019 from December 17 - 23 they accompany the Magnificat as part of Evening Prayer (Vespers) in the Liturgy of the Hours and are used as the Alleluia verses on the same days in the Liturgy of the Mass. The well-known hymn "O Come, O Come Emmanuel" is a paraphrase of the "O" Antiphons. We will discuss the biblical context of the Messianic titles used in the antiphons to better prepare ourselves for the arrival/return of Christ. Come!

Women’s Spirituality Friday, December 6, 2019

The Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist invites you to please join us for our monthly Women’s Spirituality Lunch/Discussion gathering led by Pat Wisialowski, Cathedral Pastoral Associate. Women’s Spirituality is a group of women who meet monthly on the First Friday at noon in the Center Meeting Room to enjoy intelligent conversations pertinent to current issues in the contemporary church and our world. Camaraderie, frequent special guests, lively discussions, networking and even luscious desserts are “perks” making this a most worthwhile way to spend a lunch hour. Come occasionally or come each month! For more information, please contact Pat Wisialowski, Pastoral Associate at patwisialowski@stjohncathedral.org or 414/276-9814, ext. 302.

Birthing Wisdom
Presenter: Nancie Chmielewski

“We are in the season of advent, a time that is rife with birth stories in Scripture and in cultural symbol. We, too, are pregnant with life, waiting in labor to give birth to the wisdom that is rightfully ours by virtue of our womanhood! Join us as we look for the wisdom we have, how we may desire its birthing in new ways, and how we can bring light to our lives by fully living into that wisdom.”

Our Guest presenter this month is Nancie Chmielewski. Nancie has served in many ministerial capacities, 24 years professionally and many years prior as a faithful parishioner. She currently serves the Milwaukee parish faith community of Our Lady of Lourdes as Parish Director, a position she has held since 2017. She earned a BA from Mount Mary University in Fashion Design, a MAPS Degree from St. Francis Seminary, and a certificate in Spiritual/Direction from The Sacred Journey Spiritual Companioning program. She has a passion for women’s concerns, weaving, sewing and general creating.

Please join us and invite your friends. Please RSVP by 12:00 Noon, Wednesday, December 4, 2019 via email to jimtrzebiatowski@stjohncathedral.org or by phone at 414/276-9814 ext. 308. Please include your name with your RSVP. Thank you. If you are interested in ordering a sandwich from Cousins Subs, please call or email for more information (price is $8.00 each).
Pastoral Care
Are any among you sick?

James 5:14

The Pastoral Care Phone Extension (414/276-9814, ext. 603) is a special line dedicated exclusively to receiving requests for ministry and service to those who are sick, hospitalized, home-bound, residents of nursing homes or health care facilities or in need of the Sacraments and prayer.

The Prayer Link (ext. 604 or prayerlink@stjohncathedral.org) is a line/email address dedicated to receiving requests for prayer by other parishioners and friends of the Cathedral.

If you would like to be part of the Prayer Link and pray for parishioners please contact Pat Wisialowski, Pastoral Associate.

To arrange for a priest, deacon or lay minister to visit a loved one who is sick, homebound, or hospitalized, please contact the parish office. Because of HIPAA policies, a hospital cannot notify the Cathedral of an admittance, so a family member must take the initiative. Anointing is also offered the second Saturday of the month at the 5:15 pm Mass.
Welcome to the Cathedral

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Mass Schedule & Sacramental Celebrations

Eucharist:
Sundays: Saturday, 5:15PM (Mass of Anticipation) 9:00 & 11:00AM
Daily: 7:45AM and 5:15PM (Cathedral Day Chapel)
Holy Days: As published in the bulletin.

Reconciliation: 4:30 to 5:00PM Monday-Friday or by appointment.

Infant Baptism: Baptism preparation sessions are held for already registered Cathedral parish parents for the Catholic commitment they are making for their child. Please contact Pastoral Associate.

Christian Marriage: Marriages are scheduled for parishioners who have been registered for at least one year. Preparation sessions with a priest begins no later than six months before the marriage date.

Communion for the Sick: Parishioners who are confined to their home may have the Eucharist brought to them. Call the parish office and ask for the Pastoral Care extension, 603.

Sacrament of Anointing: Make arrangements at anytime. Communal anointing celebrated on the second Saturday of each month at the 5:15PM Mass (unless otherwise noted in the bulletin).

Confirmation: (Adult Catholics): Preparation begins each January. Please contact the Pastoral Associate.

Initiation into the Catholic Church (RCIA): Please contact the Pastoral Associate.

Annulment Support: Thinking about an annulment? Want more information on the process? Please contact the Pastoral Associate.

Looking for a Parish?
If you are new to the area or are looking for a parish, please consider joining us. Call the parish office to receive more information. New Parishioner Registration takes place after all Masses the first weekend of each month.

Parish Office/Parish Center Hours

Parish Office: 8:00AM - 4:30PM
Parish Center: 8:00AM - 7:00PM Monday-Thursday
8:00AM - 4:00PM Friday

Bulletin submissions are due by 9:00 a.m. Monday morning to Cathy Quandt at BulletinEditor@stjohncathedral.org.

If you attend Mass at any of the Catholic Communities of Our Lady of Divine Providence, Ss. Peter and Paul, Old St. Mary, and Three Holy Women, you can place your offertory envelope from your home parish in the basket and it will be forwarded for you.