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DECEMBER 13, 2020

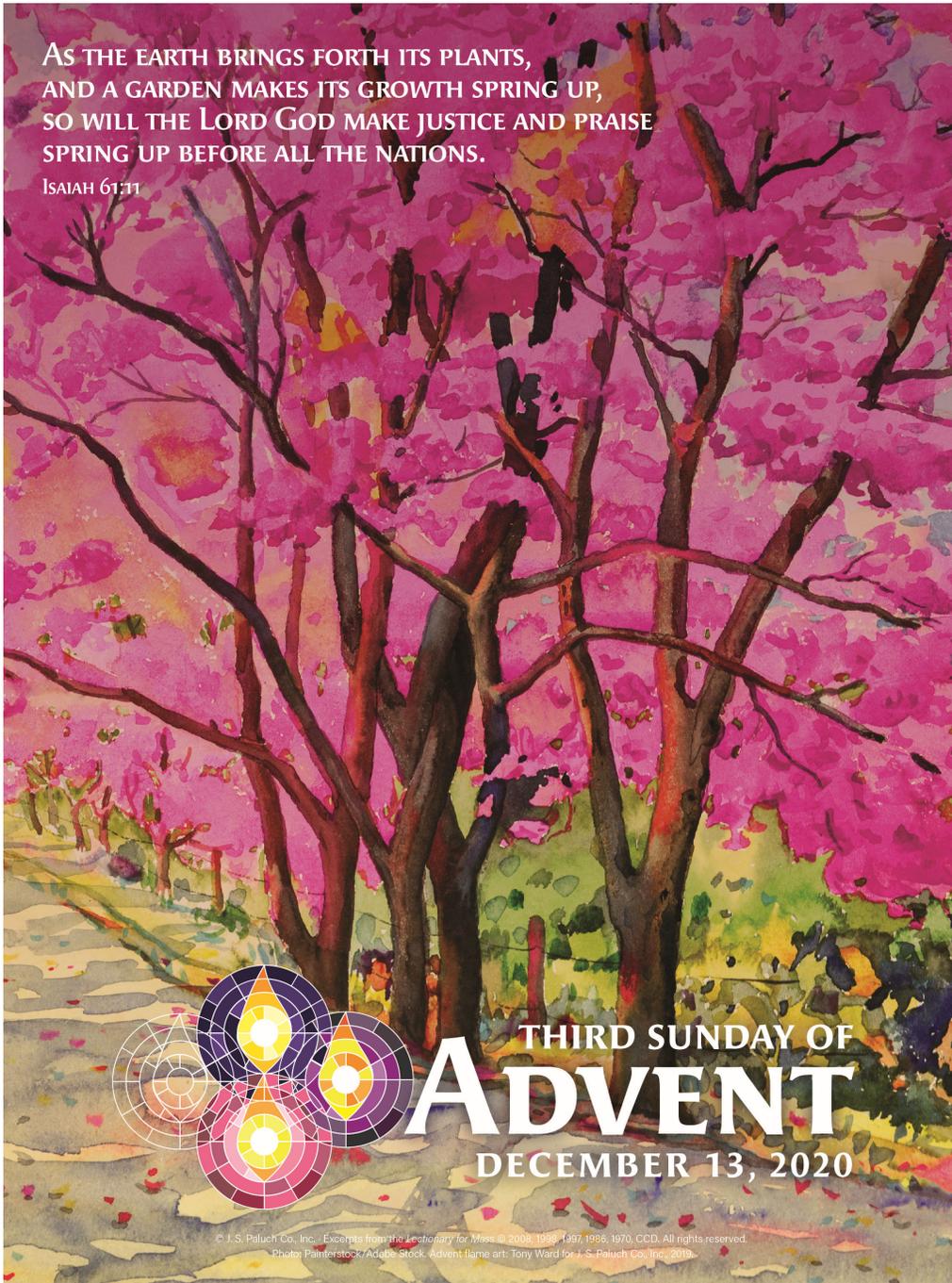
# Saint Cletus Parish Canticle

**Rejoice always.  
Pray without ceasing.**  
— 1 THESSALONIANS 5:16



AS THE EARTH BRINGS FORTH ITS PLANTS,  
AND A GARDEN MAKES ITS GROWTH SPRING UP,  
SO WILL THE LORD GOD MAKE JUSTICE AND PRAISE  
SPRING UP BEFORE ALL THE NATIONS.

ISAIAH 61:11



THIRD SUNDAY OF  
**ADVENT**  
DECEMBER 13, 2020

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## Mass Intentions for December 14 - 20, 2020

Day	Presider (subject to change)	Time	Intentions
December 14	Fr. Baker	8:00am	Delphine Marciszewski, Rosa Battista
December 15	Fr. Baker	8:00am	St. Cletus Parishioners
December 16	Fr. Gamboa	8:00am	Virginia Rachford, Frank Wojcik, Evelyn Prevanas, Nancy Makris, Joshua Swibel, Thomas Forkin
December 17	Fr. Clark	8:00am	Evelyn Badonski, BC Collins
December 18	Fr. Gamboa	8:00am	Gene Gajos, Mary Pat O'Connor, Joan Klein
December 19	Fr. Clark	5:00pm	Frank Cesario, Ed Stec, Frank Mamolella, Arlene Colonna
December 20	Fr. Gamboa	7:15am	George Duda, Bill DePasquale, Emilia & Marco Rattin, Frank Lesh, Richard Gomez, Frank Miller, Jack Powers, Sam & Maria Scopellit, John & Dorothy Walsh
	Fr. Baker	8:45am	Josephine Sorrentino, Stacy Baker, Samuel Colonna, Mike Thuma, Jerry Welch, Mary & John Nisniewski
	Fr. Clark	10:30am	Dolores Glennon, Eleanor Mlot, Therese "Sue" Baker, Ken Herzog, Valier Moskus, Gail Saban, Daniel Linklater
	Fr. Gamboa	12:30pm	St. Cletus Parishioners

### CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE

Christmas Eve - Please note location of Mass

2:00 p.m. Church  
 2:30 p.m. Parish Center  
 4:00 p.m. Church  
 4:30 p.m. Parish Center  
 7:00 p.m. Spanish in Church  
 10:30 p.m. Church

Christmas Day - All Masses are in Church

7:15 a.m., 8:45 a.m., 10:30 a.m.

Solemnity of Mary - 1 Mass only on New Year's Day

9:00 a.m. Church

*Please note: You must pre-register to attend.*

### ONLINE SIGN UP REQUIRED

All worship opportunities, including Christmas Masses, require that you pre-register. No walk-ins allowed. The sign up link can be found on our website, [stcletusparish.com](http://stcletusparish.com). If you don't have internet access you can call the parish office at 708.352.6209. Recordings are available on the St. Cletus Parish YouTube channel.

### RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS COLLECTION

Please return your envelopes for the Retirement Fund for Religious this weekend. More information can be found online at [retiredreligious.org](http://retiredreligious.org) and on page 5.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED AND THEIR FAMILIES...

**Dr. Thomas Connelly**

Father of Maureen O'Connor

**Anthony "Tony" Noonan**

Father of Tom Noonan (wife Anne)

**May they rest in peace. Amen.**

### PLEASE REMEMBER OUR SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS:

*We always welcome names for the sick. Please note that requests must only be made by the individual or an immediate family member. Names will remain in this prayer list for 3 months.*

**December** - Judy McLean, John Zydek

**November** - Sandra Eckrich, Patricia Hays, Marilyn Kornau, Maria Matayka, Peggy McCaffray, Kevin Peck, Patricia Rodey, Laura Terrazino, Patrick Wingert

**October** - Carol Reckwerdt, Catherine Cosgrove, Rosemarie Gallagher, Virginia Kriho, Toni Swindall, Vic Swindall, Baby Vivian Furry, Frank Colonna, John Duda, Alice Dunkovich, Annette Bonvillian, Mary Ann Doornbos, John Paul Granger, Virginia Klecka, Frank Niwa, Waclaw Berdysz, Mary Duckett, Wayne Hamilton, Christine Wolosewicz

*Also pray for our parishioners who are in nursing homes or are homebound unable to attend Mass.*

## Notes from Fr. Bob...

### THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

“Everybody’s happy now,” Henry said.  
 “Yes, everybody’s happy now, repeated  
 Lenina. They had heard the words over and over  
 again, a hundred and fifty times a night for twelve  
 years.

Happiness is important in Aldous Huxley’s *BRAVE NEW WORLD*, the futuristic satire on science and progress. In the book, children are brainwashed from an early age to believe they are happy. And where brainwashing does not convince, SOMA takes over. SOMA is a drug which induces a feeling of wellbeing. It protects the inhabitants of *BRAVE NEW WORLD* from anxiety, from thinking unhappy thoughts. In a parody of a communion service, SOMA is consumed by the worshippers, and happiness is the result. But there are the misfits who have their doubts. They suspect that there is more to happiness, and as they discover the truth, they suffer.

*BRAVE NEW WORLD* is funny, far-fetched, and wholly frightening. It is a penetrating look at modern science-driven society, taking current trends to their logical conclusions. The *POSSIBILITY* of it all is what alarms. Cloned human beings, chemically engineered, brainwashed and drugged. People taught over and over again that they live in a world with the supreme values of “Community, Identity and Stability”. And above all, they are happy. Surely there is no danger that this nightmare scenario will ever come true?

In the light of the artificial happiness of *BRAVE NEW WORLD*, Paul’s injunction today to “be happy at all times” can seem at best impossible, at worst, sinister. How can we be told to be happy? Surely happiness is a feeling that arises inside us because we have reasons to be happy: we have what we need to live; we have people around us to love; we are aware of our blessings. But Paul is under no illusions. For him, happiness is no easily achieved state; it is not something cheap. Paul is no stranger to suffering. His happiness comes from prayer and from faith.

The prophet Isaiah lived in a time of great political turmoil, was often in danger of his life, and, according to Jewish tradition, was put to death. Yet the spirit of joy which pervades some of his prophecies is equal to that found in any other biblical literature. “I exult for joy in the Lord, my soul rejoices in my God.” The presence of the Lord, for Isaiah as for Paul, is the cause of a deep and lasting happiness.

John the Baptist is a grimmer figure altogether. There would seem to be no joy or happiness in his ministry. But John was driven by the Spirit of the Lord, preparing the way for Jesus. John saw the ugly side of people as they

came to him with their sins. He saw the hypocrisy of professional religious people, and angrily denounced it. But anger alone is not enough to drive the prophet. He must have a vision of a better world. He must glimpse glory. He must sense, however fleetingly, true happiness in his soul.

Today’s reading from Isaiah foretells that the time of the Messiah will be one of gladness and rejoicing. It is John the Baptist who ushers in that time. It is he who hands over to Jesus the ministry of forgiveness; it is he who recognizes and proclaims Jesus as the Lamb of God. It is he who can rejoice that the time so long foretold has come. Though John will pay with his life for the message he preaches, he can die knowing that his mission is fulfilled. John is a happy man.

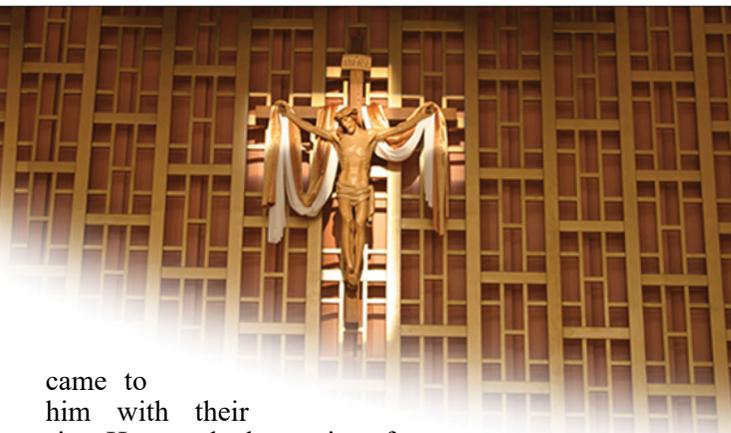
There is no point faking happiness: we fool only ourselves. We cannot find true happiness in escape: we merely find distraction from our misery. So *BRAVE NEW WORLD* is not for us. But the happiness of Isaiah can be ours. If we can look at the world through the eyes of the prophet and glimpse it as it is meant to be, we will be inspired and full of praise to God. If we can have the faith of the apostle Paul, for whom Christ was all, then we will have a window into heaven. And glimpsing eternal happiness, we can rejoice on earth. If we can have the integrity and faithfulness of John the Baptist, proclaiming salvation in Christ, then we will have the reward of faithfulness: happiness with God, for ever.

There are no short cuts. Advent teaches us the importance of waiting and watching. Not simply passing time until something happens, but using time creatively to prepare ourselves for the Lord who is with us, yet who is to come. And lest we imagine it is all hard work and sacrifice, we are reminded it is about happiness too.

*Advent Happiness,*



**Fr. Bob**  
**Pastor**



## Social Concerns Ministry



### ST. CLETUS FOOD PANTRY THURSDAYS 6-8PM

#### Most needed at this time:

- Canned tomatoes
- Flavored rice/noodles
- Dry pinto beans (1-2 lb bags)
- Mac & Cheese
- Tuna

Please look for the FOOD PANTRY DONATION bin near the Rectory door, they will be checked daily.



Follow us on Facebook:  
@StCletusFoodPantry

Now on Instagram:  
@St.CletusFoodPantry

*If you have questions or would like to volunteer with the Social Concerns Ministry contact Kendall Grant (708)215-5418 kgrant@stcletusparish.com*

### FOOD PANTRY UPDATE

We are so grateful for all of the support we have in this community. Here are a few fun, creative, ways that people have recently supported the pantry that we want to highlight!

1. The Kwak family on the 900 block of South Ashland is going all out with holiday decorations this year. They are asking visitors to contribute a non perishable food item which will be donated to the St. Cletus food pantry! You'll find the box on the walkway. Over 1,000 items have been donated so far! Check out their feature on NBC Chicago!
2. Beatrice and Charlotte, 4th graders at St. Cletus School, made a video to encourage people to donate to the Giving Tree this year. Support comes in so many different ways and from all ages!
3. Megan Wenstrup recently organized a Thanksgiving Day Thank Out virtual family fundraiser! This event exceeded all expectations and blew their goals out of the water, raising \$2,785 for the pantry!

### GIVING TREE GIFTS DUE BACK THIS WEEKEND DEC. 12 & 13

If you took a Giving Tree tag, thank you! Please remember:

1. Wrap gifts
2. Label each gift with the tag # and person's name so we get it to the correct person!
3. Drop off gifts...  
**December 12 from 8:00am-6:00pm**  
**December 13 from 6:30am-1:00pm**  
**St. Cletus Parish Center**  
(contact free, drive thru drop off)

Please make sure gifts arrive by 1:00 on 12/13, some are delivered immediately.

### GIVING TREE VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

As you can imagine, Giving Tree will be very different this year! Please read all volunteer descriptions very carefully before signing up. A few highlights:

- All volunteers must be 13 & older.
- All slots will be expected to work outside and lift large gifts.
- COVID-19 safety protocols are imperative to keeping all of us safe.
- We will have less volunteers at each shift and we will have more shifts throughout each day.
- We plan to work out of the Parish Center instead of Morrissey Hall.
- The only people entering the building will be registered volunteers.
- Clients will pick up their gifts in a drive-thru, curbside style.
- We are also looking for volunteers to help do home deliveries for gifts. Gifts will be delivered to the door, you will not enter any home.

#### Giving Tree Collection Weekend 12/11-12/13:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e094cacac2ea2fc1-giving6>

#### Giving Tree Distribution Weekend 12/19-12/20:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e094cacac2ea2fc1-giving7>



“We don’t know what the future holds, but it’s all God’s work,” says Sister Theresa McGrath (*center*), 86, a member of the Sisters of Charity of the Incarnate Word, San Antonio, for nearly 70 years.

# Retirement Fund for Religious

**Please give to those who have given a lifetime.**

In good times and bad, Sister Theresa and the senior religious shown here have devoted themselves to God’s work. Together with nearly 30,000 elderly sisters, brothers, and religious order priests, they educated the young, tended the sick, and ministered to the needy. Today, they pray for a hurting world. Yet many US religious communities do not have enough retirement savings and struggle to provide for aging members. Covid-19 has only increased these challenges. Your gift to the Retirement Fund for Religious helps furnish medications, nursing care, and more. Please be generous.

**Please give at your local parish.**

**To donate by mail:**

National Religious Retirement Office  
3211 Fourth Street NE  
Washington DC 20017-1194

*Make check payable to Retirement Fund for Religious.*

**[retiredreligious.org](http://retiredreligious.org)**

# St. Cletus School

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## A VISIT FROM ST. NICK

St. Nicholas visited St. Cletus School offering good wishes, prayers, and candy canes to all the students!



## ST. NICK'S DRIVE BY EVENT

St. Nick's drive by was a great success! Over 70 cars came through to wave at St. Nick! Thank you to all who participated and thank you to the FSA for organizing this event.



## SAVE THE DATE FOR A FUN, VIRTUAL NIGHT CELEBRATING OUR SCHOOL AT THE ST. CLETUS SPRING AUCTION 2021

WHEN: Saturday, April 24th

TIME: 6-10pm

WHERE: Anywhere you like!

Be Ready for Raffles, Live & Silent Auctions, Fun! More information at <https://stcletusschool.com/fundraising/auction/>



## DISCOVER ST. CLETUS SCHOOL!

Visit our website to learn about all the great things happening at our school. If you know family or friends who are looking for an excellent educational experience for their child, let them know about St. Cletus School – where every day is a great day to be a Cardinal!

## Religious Education

### WHAT'S HAPPENING IN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION?



The Third Sunday of Advent is Gaudete Sunday, the 'pink candle' Sunday. This Sunday we light the pink candle on the Advent wreath. Gaudete means rejoice. We're halfway through Advent, meaning we're halfway to Christmas! In these cold, dark days of the pandemic, that's nothing to sneeze at! The readings we hear at mass today reflect joy, and recall the joyful spirit that Jesus brought with Him as

he became one of us. This Gaudete Sunday reminds us of

the joy that is to come, and serves, amid this season of waiting, as a kind of 'break' when we recall the hope we have because of the coming of Jesus.

The earliest Christians cried 'Maranatha! Come Lord Jesus!' expecting Jesus to come at any moment. So should we--we should long for His return with our lamps trimmed and our souls ready. It is indeed something to celebrate--and prepare for. Advent turns our hearts and minds to this reality.

If commercialism or the dark times we are experiencing are getting us down, we need to look at the Advent wreath with its candles burning. Each week we have been lighting a new candle, and they are burning down within the wreath which symbolizes God's endless and infinite love – with no beginning and no end. As we light the pink one this week, may you be filled with joy in the realization that we are getting closer and closer to the coming of the Lord.

## Adult Confirmation

### ADULT CONFIRMATION CLASSES BEGIN IN JANUARY



St. Cletus and St. John of the Cross Parishes will be hosting a Confirmation prep program for any adult Catholic who has received First Holy Communion, but not the Sacrament of Confirmation. This is open to all parishioners at St. Cletus, St. Francis Xavier, and St. John of the Cross Parishes.

Sessions will be held on Monday nights on Zoom:

- January 11
- January 18
- January 25
- February 1
- February 8
- February 15
- February 22

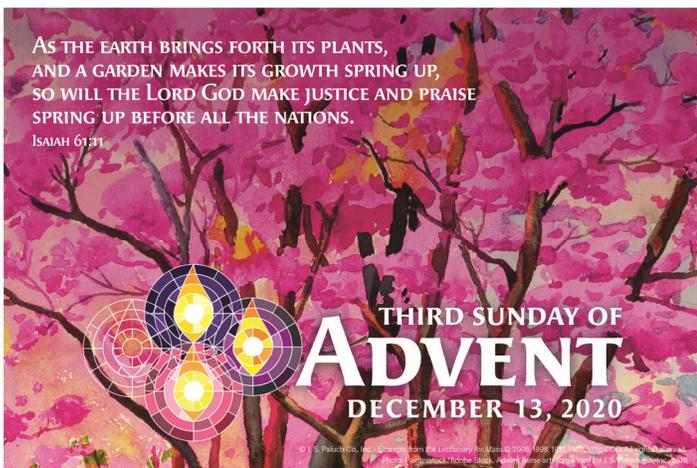
We will meet on Zoom from 7 - 8:30 p.m. Registration is required. Please use the link below to sign up: <https://stcletusparish.com/learn/adultconfirmation/>

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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## Sunday Notes



### JOHN THE BAPTIST

At a school open house a woman could be overheard introducing her husband to some of the other parents. “Oh, Bill, I’d like you to meet Johnny’s father. And over here, this is Marie’s mom; you know, the little girl from our Ellen’s soccer team.”

With satisfied resignation Bill introduced himself not by name: “I’m Ellen’s Dad.”

It’s good to know who you are. Be it someone’s father or mother, son or daughter, husband or wife, it’s important to embrace the full meaning of our various roles.

John the Baptist knows who he is. And who he is not. He is not the Christ. Nor Elijah. Nor like any other prophet God’s people had ever seen.

John the Baptist knows his mission is divine. He’s more than satisfied to be the one to announce the coming of God’s reign. The Christ is near. Make straight your paths.

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### TODAY’S READINGS

**First Reading** — As a garden makes its growth spring up, so will God make justice spring up before all the nations (Isaiah 61:1-2a, 10-11).

**Psalms** — My soul rejoices in my God (Luke 1:46-50, 53-54).

**Second Reading** — Do not quench the Spirit. Do not despise prophetic utterances. Test everything; retain what is good (1 Thessalonians 5:16-24).

**Gospel** — I am the voice of one crying out in the desert, make straight the way of the Lord (John 1:6-8, 19-28).

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### SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Third Sunday of Advent

Monday: St. John of the Cross

Wednesday: *Las Posadas* begins

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Nm 24:2-7, 15-17a; Ps 25:4-5ab, 6, 7bc-9; Mt 21:23-27

Tuesday: Zep 3:1-2, 9-13; Ps 34:2-3, 6-7, 17-18, 19, 23; Mt 21:28-32

Wednesday: Is 45:6b-8, 18, 21c-25; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14; Lk 7:18b-23

Thursday: Gn 49:2, 8-10; Ps 72:1-4ab, 7-8, 17; Mt 1:1-17

Friday: Jer 23:5-8; Ps 72:1-2, 12-13, 18-19; Mt 1:18-25

Saturday: Jgs 13:2-7, 24-25a; Ps 71:3-4a, 5-6ab, 16-17; Lk 1:5-25

Sunday: 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16; Ps 89:2-5, 27, 29; Rom 16:25-27; Lk 1:26-38

### FEAST OF FAITH

**The Shape of the Mass** - In the renewal of the liturgy that followed the Second Vatican Council, the full, conscious, and active participation of the assembly was the primary consideration. By participation, the Council Fathers did not mean just joining in the singing and the spoken responses, but active engagement and prayerful understanding of the rites. They envisioned a transparent liturgy, a worship that spoke so directly to the hearts and minds of the faithful that it would require no explanation at all.

The liturgy itself is the best possible catechesis on the liturgy. What does the liturgy teach us? It shows us the ministry of Jesus continuing in the present. He gathers a community. He calls us to prayer and repentance and praise. He teaches us with the very word of God. He does not send us away empty, but sets before us a marvelous banquet, feeding us with his very body and blood. Then he sends us forth to do what he has done—to give ourselves for others, not just in words, but in deeds. The Mass is the pattern of our Christian lives.

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### MEASURING SUCCESS

Success is to be measured not so much by the position that one has reached in life as by the obstacles that one has overcome while trying to succeed.

—Booker T. Washington

### UNDERSTANDING SCRIPTURE

Most people are bothered by those passages in Scripture which they can’t understand; but... I have noticed that the passages in Scripture which trouble me most are those I do understand.

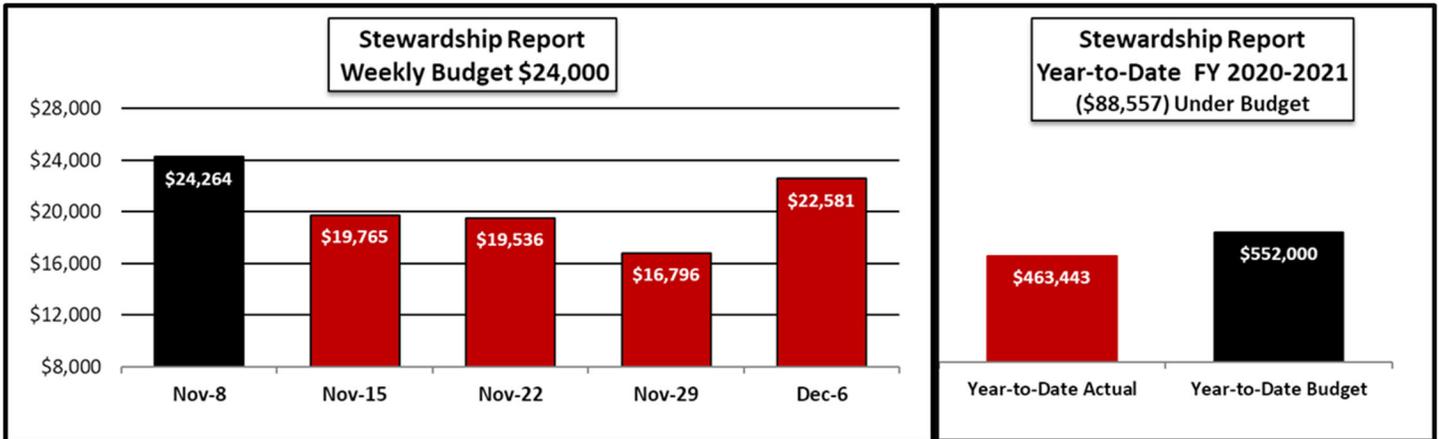
—Mark Twain

### ANGELS OF PEACE

Let us not be justices of the peace, but angels of peace.

—St. Thérèse of Lisieux

# Stewardship Report



## Other Ministry News

### MISSION LADIES

We are still looking for White Cotton Eyelet fabric to continue to making Bibs for the babies who are Christened at St. Cletus.

Also, need crosses for the bibs, either in Gold tone or Silver tone, at least 1" high. These can be delivered to Dolores Scalette, or left at the Ushers room in church. Please label the package "Mission Ladies". If delivering to Dolores, please call first to the number below.

We are not taking any new members now until the virus is over. But, if you need any information on our future meetings - call the number below.

Stay warm, stay safe, and keep praying.

Dolores Scaletta, #708-839-9605

### WORD OF LIFE



“O St. Bakhita, assist all those who are trapped in a state of slavery; Intercede with God on their behalf so that they will be released from their chains of captivity. Those whom man enslaves, let God set free.”

USCCB, “Prayer to St. Josephine Bakhita”

### BULLETIN ARTICLE SUBMISSIONS

Please note that all Canticle articles are to be emailed to [canticle@stcletusparish.com](mailto:canticle@stcletusparish.com) as text with pictures attached separately. All articles are due 5p.m. Friday a full week (9 days) before Sunday’s publication.

### HOLY NAME SOCIETY - WHEN YOU CAN'T HOLD A TURKEY RAFFLE...

In years past, the Holy Name Society would have already completed its biggest annual fundraiser, the **Turkey Raffle**. This year the purchase and distribution of turkeys, and selling raffle chances (filling in the raffle cards), was deemed impractical. So instead of the raffle, HNS solicited donations from its membership and other interested parishioners to purchase **grocery store gift cards**. The response was overwhelming!

As a result, \$25 gift cards were distributed to 37 school faculty, etc. and parish staff members, and 51 additional cards were provided to the parish Food Pantry for distribution to their clients. With gratitude and appreciation for all that the teachers, office staff, and parish staff members do for the school and parish, the HNS hopes that they and their families had a Happy Thanksgiving despite the challenges of the pandemic.

### ENROLL IN ELECTRONIC GIVING



*Do you want to transition away from writing checks and contribute electronically? It is SO EASY!*

Visit the St. Cletus Parish website at [www.stcletusparish.com](http://www.stcletusparish.com) and click the “DONATE” BUTTON. Click Sunday donations. We accept checks (ACH), debit and credit cards. If you have questions or need help, call Mary Zwolinski 708.352.6209

# St. Cletus Parish Information

## CONTACT US

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## PARISH CENTER OFFICE HOURS

Please note that all deliveries and inquiries should be made to the parish center office. Food pantry will remain in the rectory.

Monday-Friday ..... 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.  
 Saturday and Sunday .....Closed

## MASSES

Saturday Evening..... 5:00 p.m.  
 Sunday .....7:15 a.m., 8:45 a.m., 10:30 a.m.,  
 12:30 p.m. (SPANISH)  
 Weekdays.....Mon. thru Sat. 8:00 a.m.

We continue to offer daily Mass online and our 5pm Vigil Mass is livestreamed each Saturday. Be sure to subscribe to our YouTube channel and click the bell icon to be notified of the latest videos. You can also find the link on our website and Facebook page.

## CONFESSIONS

Confessions First Saturday of the Month 9:00 to 9:45 a.m. Must call parish offices to schedule a reservation.

## BAPTISMS

Parents must be registered parishioners. Please make arrangements by calling Bobbie Kallal at (708) 352-6209.

## WEDDINGS

Dates and times are reserved for registered parishioners. Initial arrangements must be completed five months in advance of the wedding date. Contact Bobbie Kallal (708) 352-6209.

## HOME/HOSPITAL VISITATION AND COMMUNION CALLS

Please contact the Ministry of Care Office ..... (708) 215-5407

## STAFF

### PARISH STAFF

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 Rev. Kenneth Baker, *Associate Pastor*  
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## PARISH MISSION AND VISION STATEMENTS

### Mission Statement

St. Cletus is a dynamic Catholic community dedicated to spreading the Good news of Jesus Christ through worship, education, and service.

### Vision Statement

We welcome all. We encourage all parishioners to live the Gospel message of Jesus Christ in their daily lives, by sharing their talents and faith with our parish and community.

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