SAINT PATRICK MANLEY

SAINT MARY ELMWOOD

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MASS & DEVOTION SCHEDULE: NOVEMBER 11TH THROUGH 17TH 2019

MON. 11 8:00AM (Manley) Special Intention of Ed Pauli
TUE. 12 8:00AM (Manley) Special Intention of Don & Brenda Zoz
WED. 13 8:00AM (Manley) Special Intention of Jim & Doris Hohman
THU. 14 8:00AM (Manley) +Bradley Wiedel requested by Sherry Kunz
6:00PM (Elmwood) EXPOSITION AND HOLY HOUR
7:00PM (Elmwood) Special Intention of Diann & Don Stille
FRI. 15 8:00AM (Manley) Mother's Day Novena
10:00AM (Louisville Care Center) +Joseph Estey requested by Mary Frances Reinke
SAT. 16 8:00AM (Manley) Special Intention of Betty Dufek

SAT. 16 5:00PM (Manley) Special Intention of Saint Patrick's Altar Society
SUN. 17 9:00AM (Elmwood) ***FOR THE PEOPLE OF OUR PARISHES.***
11:00AM (Manley) +Frank Drelicharz requested by Gregg & Peggy Drelicharz

From a homily dating back to the second century by an unknown author:

Our salvation depends on the integrity of our lives

"Let us be sure that when the day of judgment comes, our place will be among those who give thanks to God and have served Him, and not with the ungodly who face condemnation. As for myself, I am only a sinner, not yet beyond the reach of temptation. But even amidst all the devil's machinations, I still strive to make progress and hope to attain at least some virtue, for I fear the judgment that awaits me.

My brothers and sisters, you have heard the Word of God who is the very fountainhead of truth. Therefore, I now read you an appeal to heed what is written, and thereby save both yourselves and me, your reader. The reward I ask is that you repent with your whole heart, to save yourselves and find life. If we do this, we shall set an example for all young people, for whom the glory and goodness of God is a challenge to be generous in His service.

Let me say also that when we are given a warning and corrected for doing something wrong, we should not be so foolish as to take offense and be angry. There are times when we are unconscious of the sins we commit because our hearts are fickle, lacking in faith. Futile desires becloud our minds. We need to pull ourselves up, therefore, because our very salvation is at stake. Those who keep God's Commandments will have reason to rejoice. For a short time in this world they may have to suffer, but they will rise again and their reward will endure forever. No one who holds God in reverence should grieve over the hardships of this present time, for a time of blessedness awaits him. He will live again in heaven in the company of all those who have gone before him; for all eternity he will rejoice, never to know sorrow again.

So do not be disturbed at the sight of wicked men possessing great wealth while the servants of God suffer want. We, my brothers and sisters, must have faith. Competing as we are in the arena of the living God, we are receiving the training in this present life that will make us worthy to be crowned in the life to come. No honest man becomes rich overnight; he has to wait for the reward of his labors. If God gave virtue an immediate recompense, we should straightway find ourselves engaging in commerce, instead of perfecting ourselves in His service. Although to all outward appearance we might be irreproachable, we would not be seeking God, but our own advantage, and bringing down on our sinful souls the divine judgment that would soon make us feel the full weight of our chains.

To the One invisible God, the Father of Truth, who sent forth the Savior, the author of immortality, and through Him revealed to us the Truth and the heavenly life – to Him be glory forever and ever. Amen."

FOOD DRIVE FOR THOSE IN NEED: *Saint Mary's Parish is having its yearly Food Drive for the Elmwood Pantry and the Catholic Social Services Pantry in Lincoln during the month of November. A box is provided in the back of Church for your donations.* ***THANK YOU!***

EXPERIENCING LOSS: *For those experiencing infertility/miscarriage/infant loss, there will be a presentation on "Grief and the Holidays" on* ***Tuesday, November 12th at 7PM, in Lincoln, at Gianna's coffee shop in the Guadalupe Center****. This event is free, donations are accepted. Please register online at* https://lincolndiocese.regfox.com/grief

LOVE AND RESPONSIBILITY SERIES (LECTURE #2): *Tuesday November 19th at 7PM at the UNL Newman Center. Presenters will be Dr. Alex Marcotte and Dr. Jonathan Marcotte, discussing emotional intimacy. This series is a four part lecture series exploring the practical, unifying relationship implications of John Paul II's teaching "Love and Responsibility".*

This event is free and geared toward married/engaged couples. More information can be found on the Family Life Facebook page or search "Special Events" on the Diocesan website, lincolndiocese.org *or call the Natural Family Planning Office- 402-473-0630.*

SAINT PATRICK'S ALTAR SOCEITY ANNUAL APPRECIATION DINNER: For Altar Society members, on Wednesday, November 20th at 6:30PM. *A short meeting will be held to distribute funds to charities. Fun & games to follow! Please sign the sheets either at the front entrance or north door bulletin boards.*

MAGIFICAT WOMEN'S RETREAT: ***"Be renewed in the Spirit" At Our Lady of Good Counsel Retreat House, November 22nd - 24th!*** *The Retreat includes the role of the Holy Spirit in Scripture, Evangelization, and our lives. Go to* www.dljc.org *under Sisters Profiles for information on the Retreat Leaders. Register at* goodcounselretreat.com *Call or text Rhonda Litt at 402-525-6396 or Barb Bechtolt at 402-489-6905 for more information.*

LDCCW OCTOBER PRO-LIFE DIAPER DRIVE: THANK YOU! To all who donated to this wonderful appeal for Mothers and their Babies! *Donations will be shared with the Pregnancy Centers and Catholic Social Services across the Diocese and Saint Gianna Women's Homes.*
Saint Mary's Parishioners donated 1,102 diapers and several boxes of baby wipes.
Saint Patrick's Parishioners donated 1,200 diapers, wipes and other baby items.

FORMED.ORG: *The online platform for movies, books, audio recordings and educational programs.* ***To register go to Formed.org in your browser. Scroll down and enter the new parish code: KN4A9J*** *Then you will need to put in your email address and personal password.*

NOVEMBER 3RD OFFERING:	***ENVELOPES***	***PLATE***	***BUILD. & MAINT.***	***ENERGY***	***ALL SAINTS***
SAINT PATRICK'S:	*$667.00*	*$46.2*	*$59.00*	*$10.00*	*$102.00*
SAINT MARY'S:	*$557.00*	*$100.00*	*$45.00*	*$35.00*	*$101.00*