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Our Organizations

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Calling all Catholic men to deepen their faith through service to our community. For more info go to greenvilleknights.com

St. Vincent de Paul Society of

Know of someone in need? Get help at svdpgreenvilleil@gmail.com or 618-704-3760

CHWC CATHOLIC HEART WORKCAMP

Bringing young Catholics closer to God through service to others for more info call 618-2167-0097



Contact our Parish Office for more information at: 618-664-9149 or bookkeeper@stlawgreenville.org

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Mass Times

Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday at Church 8am
Friday 8am HSHS Chapel
Saturday 5:30pm & Sunday 8 & 10am
Sacrament of Reconciliation: 4:45-5:15pm Saturday or by appointment
Holy Rosary: Weekends prior to Mass
Weekdays after Mass
Adoration: Tuesdays at 7pm as announced

November 1, 2026

Dear Parishioners,

This Sunday we celebrate the Feast of All Saints. This Feast recognizes the great multitude of witnesses to the faith that have been redeemed and saved through the life death and resurrection of Christ and through his body the Church. The saints in heaven include the early Patriarchs, the Apostles and Martyrs, the Holy Family, all the canonized saints and all the saints that lived throughout history who have been selected to reign with God in heaven. In the book of Revelation it mentions, :"a great multitude, which no one could count, from every nation, race, people, and tongue.(Rev. 7:9)" The great multitude of saints in heaven are there and we celebrate them. Our celebration adds nothing to the glory that they share with God in heaven. However, our celebration adds to our longing to share with them the union with God that they experience. Our foretaste of heaven in the sacraments and especially in the Most Holy Sacrament of the Altar helps us to grow in faith, hope and love and to yearn for the kingdom of heaven.
In the Beatitudes, Christ reminds the faithful how they are blessed. May God tune our hearts to long for those things that are eternal and that God bestows upon those who love him!

Peace,
Fr. Jeff

Knights of Columbus Mass

The Knights of Columbus will have a special Mass for deceased members on Thursday, 11/5 at 6pm. Light refreshments to follow. All are welcome!

PLEASE REMEMBER OUR BROTHERS & SISTERS IN YOUR PRAYERS

Mark Marchello	Taylor Marti	Virginia Pollman
Carmen Koonce	Sarah Wells	Cyndi Weiss
Mary Siebert	Leo Rakers	Paul Tully
Fran Heimann	Bill Hart	Dean Coleman
Joanne Carter	Ginny Hay	Kaleb Durbin
Mike Willeford	Lily Wells	Isabel McLaughlin
Evelyn Thies	Richard Morgan	Cory Elam
Melissa Marti	Harold Thull	John Jackson
Doreen Whalen	Mary Margaret Roberts	Sherri Beckham

Bulletin items please send the information to bookkeeper@stlawgreenville.org or call the church office. **Please note: All items must be received by 10am on Wednesday to be included in the bulletin that same week.** To view online go to flock-note.com/stlgreenville.com

Budget Goals as of October 26, 2026

Total Regular*	$2,999
Regular Support Goal weekly plus fundraising	$3,923
Surplus/ Deficit	-$924
Annual Support Needed (Budget) 7/26-6/27	$204,000
Cumulative Support Actual 7/26-6/27	$78,997

Parish Support October 24 & 25, 2026

*Envelopes/ Online Giving	$2837.00
*Loose Cash	$147.00
*Vigil Candles	$15.00
Black & Indian Mission	$29.00
World Mission	$250.00
Cemetery Fund	$20.00
Season of Stewardship	$115.00
Religious Ed	$20.00
	TOTAL $3,433.00

St. Lawrence Adult Choir

Join us for choir practice on Wednesdays at 6:30pm

Simple Room Thanksgiving Meal Help

The Simple Room is once again asking St. Lawrence pie bakers to help provide pies and desserts for its Annual Thanksgiving Dinner on Thursday, November 19. Desserts may be dropped off at The Simple Room that morning or at the First United Methodist Church that afternoon. If you are willing to bake for this community event, please call or text Karen Smith at 618-267-1890. Thank you for your support.

Readings for the week of November 2

- **Monday-Feast of All Souls**

First Reading: Wisdom 3: 1-9
Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 23: 1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6
Second Reading: Romans 5: 5-11 or Romans 6: 3-9
Gospel: John 6: 37-40

- **Tuesday**

First Reading: Philippians 2: 5-11
Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 22: 26b-27, 28, 29-30, 31-32
Gospel: Luke 14: 15-24

- **Wednesday**

First Reading: Philippians 2: 5-11
Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 22: 26b-27, 28, 29-30, 31-32
Gospel: Luke 14: 15-24

- **Thursday**

First Reading: Philippians 3: 3-8a
Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 105: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7
Gospel: Luke 15: 1-10

- **Friday**

First Reading: Philippians 3: 17 – 4: 1
Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 122: 1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5
Gospel: Luke 16: 1-8

- **Saturday**

First Reading: Philippians 4: 10-19
Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 112: 1b-2, 5-6, 8a and 9
Gospel: Luke 16: 9-15

- **Sunday**

First Reading: Wisdom 6: 12-16
Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 63: 2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8
Second Reading: First Thessalonians 4: 13-18
Gospel: Matthew 25: 1-13

Tuesday November 3	Wednesday November 4	Thursday November 5	Friday 11/6 at HSHS Chapel	Saturday November 7	Sunday November 8
Mary Ann Steiner	The Sullivan Family	8am Ken Disch From Eric & Karen Reelitz	Jan Young	5:30pm John Leidel	8am Wayne Beckham From Sherri Beckham
From Dan Steiner	From Kathy Sullivan	6pm Mass for departed Knights	From Pat Young	From Leidel Family	10am People of St. Lawrence

Bible Study with Father Jeff
Wednesday 11/4 at 6:30pm in the Posch Center
Please read Psalms 1-20

Date	Mass	Lector	Servers	Eucharist	Gift Bearers
11/7/2026	5:30PM	Diane Bingham	Kevin Budde	Mike Wilhite Nita Durbin	Cory Elam
11/8/2026	8:00AM	Sharon O'Boyle	Kaleb Johnson Katelyn Johnson	Sherri Beckham Elayne Cripe	Vonder Haar Family
11/8/2026	10:00AM	Amy Alderman	Mykie Sanchez Jayden Sanchez	Doneva Klein Gena Moore	Diege & Alicia Gamino

Ministry Survey

A survey to recruit new people to ministry in our parish was sent out via Flock Note last week. We are starting a vocation ministry program & hospitality program and are looking for parishioners who want to get involved. We also need altar servers, rosary leaders, readers and eucharistic ministers! Please complete the survey as soon as possible. There are printed surveys in the back of church that can be returned in the collection basket too.

Book Club

Our November book is The Correspondent by Virginia Evans. As a celebration of this being our 100th book club book we will meet on Monday, 11/30 at Noon at Grouchy's for lunch!

Koinonia of Springfield 50th anniversary

All who have participated in a Koinonia or TEC retreats are invited to celebrate the 50th anniversary of Koinonia of Springfield with Mass at 2 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 15, at St. Joseph the Worker Parish, 700 E. Spruce St., Chatham. Following Mass, join fellow retreat participants in the parish hall for refreshments, fellowship and a look back at the retreat movement's history through photos and newsletters. A freewill donation will be accepted to help cover the cost of the celebration.

Bond County Veteran's Day Collection

St. Lawrence will be collecting for the 13th Annual Operation Care Package; we will have a drop off at the back of church starting this weekend 10/31. Please join us in supporting our Bond County military members.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Give your marriage the gift of time together! Strengthen your communication, deepen your relationship, and renew your Sacrament by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience. The final 2026 weekend is December 4-6 in St. Peters, Missouri. For more information or to apply, visit wwme.org or call Terry and Eric Engholm at 314-649-7317

PSR News/Updates

DRE/CRE Mary Beth Kuenstler
Email: mkuenstler@stlawgreenville.org
Phone 618-664-9149
Class November 4 & 18

Wednesday Eve Meal, November 4
Menu: Potato Bar

CHWC 2027 Mission Trip

Catholic Heart Workcamp 2027 registration has opened, anyone interested in going please let Paula Caylor know as soon as possible. Our date options are June 27-July 3, July 11-17 or July 25-31 text Paula with your preferred dates.

Seminarian Raffle

For the month of November the Knights of Columbus will be selling vocational raffle tickets to support the diocese seminarians after each Mass. Tickets are $2 each.

St. Paul New Year's Retreat for Youth

All students in grades 6-12 are invited to attend St. Paul Catholic Church's New Year's Retreat. Kick off the new year with music, inspiring speakers, fun activities, and opportunities for prayer and faith growth. For retreat dates, registration information, and costs, visit St. Paul Highland's youth retreat page or contact Carrie Albaugh at chenrichsalbaugh@stpaulhighland.org.

Celebrating this week November 1-7

Birthdays	Anniversaries
Janice Betscher	Bernie & Alexandra Johnson
Erik Fohne	Jason & Angie Willman
Hunter Gray	
Kenrick Henkel	
Leslie Mewes	
Marilyn Schaefer	
Nick Schluckebier	

