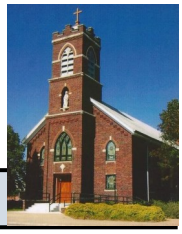


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Catholic Communities

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time — October 25, 2026

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Tuesday, Oct. 27	
8:15am *St. Gregory*	~ F.A. Dwerlkotte family
Wednesday, Oct. 28	***Sts. Simon and Jude***
12:05pm *St. Gregory*	† John Nietfeld
Thursday, Oct. 29	
6:30am *St. Gregory*	† Elroy Ideus
8:30am *St. Malachy*	† Lynn Holthaus
Friday, Oct. 30	
8:15am *St. Gregory*	† Mike Diederich
Saturday, Oct. 31	
5:30pm *St. Gregory*	† William Schwindamann
Sunday, Nov. 1	***All Saints Day***
7:00am *St. Gregory*	~ People of the Parishes of St. Gregory and St. Malachy
8:45am *St. Malachy*	† Tim Olmsted
10:30am *St. Gregory*	~ Mara Friedrichs Baptismal Anniversary

Confessions

Saturday 4:30pm - 5:15pm	*St. Gregory*
Sunday 8:30am - 8:40am	*St. Malachy*

Adoration

Wednesday 11am - 12pm	*St. Gregory*
Thursday 9am - 11am	*St. Malachy*
Friday 6am - 3:30pm	*St. Gregory*

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St. Michael Prayer

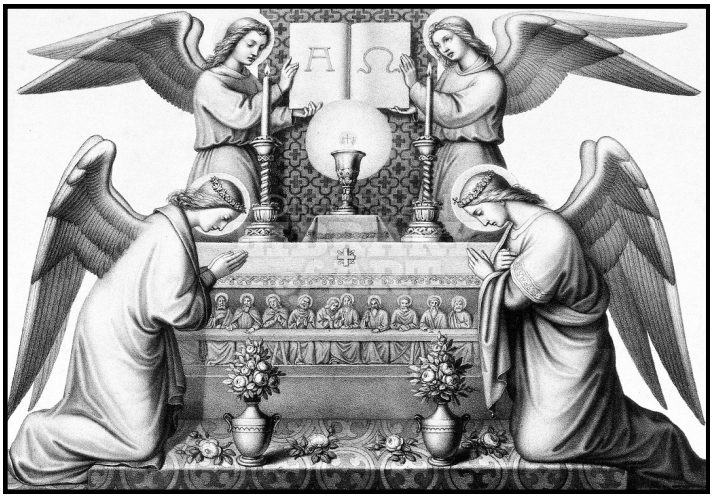
Recently all of us priests had the opportunity to be with Archbishop McKnight at our annual priest convocation. We had time to pray and study together. The convocation gave Archbishop McKnight the opportunity to address the priests of our Archdiocese. One of the roles of the Archbishop is to bring unity to our local church. Archbishop talked to us about some ways for us to be unified in our worship. One of the things he talked to us about was adjusting the use of devotional prayers during Mass.

Currently we have been part of the group of parishes that have been in the practice of saying the St. Michael the Archangel prayer before the recessional song. Not all of our parishes pray the prayer or pray the prayer at that time. Archbishop McKnight would like us to adjust the use of devotional prayers. He does not want to add devotional prayers during the celebration of Mass.

He has offered an alternative moment for devotional prayers. Many of our parishes offer devotional prayers as people are gathering for Mass. An example of this is praying the rosary before Mass. He suggested to pray the St. Michael the Archangel prayer before the Mass begins like these other devotional prayers.

Recently I have been reading a small book on the Angels. The book reflected on the importance of being aware of the presence of angels. I think praying the St. Michael the Archangel prayer before the Mass is a great moment to reflect on the presence of the angels as we enter the prayer of the Mass. The catechism of the Catholic Church teaches us about the truth of their presence. "In her liturgy, the Church joins with the angels to adore the thrice holy God." May we always recognize the presence of the angels and the support they offer us.

We will now begin praying the St. Michael the Archangel prayer before Mass begins.



ST. MALACHY

Ladies Guild Meeting

The next Ladies Guild meeting will be held Sunday, November 1st following Mass.

St. Malachy Feast Day Mass

Father Quentin will celebrate St. Malachy's Feast Day with Mass on Tuesday, November 3rd at 6:30pm. There will be a meal afterwards in the hall. Sloppy joes and hotdogs will be provided. Please bring a potluck side dish or dessert to share with everyone.

FINANCES

Envelope and Plate for October 18th	$ 1,141.00

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR NOVEMBER 1ST

Sacristan:	Sue FitzGerald
Eucharistic Minister:	David and Deb Dwerlkotte, Kelly FitzGerald
Servers:	Harper and Hayes Sandmann, Zellie Schmitz
Lector:	Lindsey Hornung
Song Leader:	Dianna Younger
Gifts:	Kelly and Sue FitzGerald
Money Counters:	Katy Smith, Leslie Holthaus
Ushers:	J.I. Hornung, Jonathan Keating
Clean Linens:	Sue FitzGerald
Nov. Guild Leaders:	Judy Studer, Kristi Roesch, Vicki Smith, Debbie Dwerlkotte

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR NOVEMBER 2ND ALL SOULS DAY

Sacristan:	Brenda Schneider
Eucharistic Minister:	Tim Hill
Servers:	Tighe and Vivian Olmsted, Kali Smith
Lector:	Jim Taphorn
Song Leader:	Veronica Olmsted
Gifts:	Ushers

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR NOVEMBER 3RD ST. MALACHY FEAST DAY

Sacristan:	Linda Bergmann
Eucharistic Minister:	Lynette Sandmann
Servers:	Ensley, Ella and Easton Bergmann
Lector:	Julie O'Neil
Song Leader:	Jessi Rilinger, Elaina Bergmann
Gifts:	Ushers

ST. GREGORY

St. Gregory Soup Day

We will once again have a craft and bake sale table at Soup Day. Please begin making your crafts and planning your baked goods.

Book of the Dead

Please sign the names of your departed loved ones in the book of the dead located on the buffet table in the gathering space of the church.

FINANCES

Envelope and Plate for October 18th	$ 7,971.50

PARISH COMMUNITY NEWS

All Souls Day Masses

Father Quentin will celebrate All Souls Day on Monday, November 2nd at the following Mass times:

12:05pm — St. Gregory (Candle Procession)
6:30pm — St. Malachy







ST. GREGORY THE GREAT CATHOLIC SCHOOL

October Virtue of the Month – Trustworthiness

This month, we have been practicing trustworthiness. When we are trustworthy, people know that they can rely on us, and that if we say we will do something, we will really do it. If we tell our friend that we will do them a favor or that we will meet them at a certain time, do we follow through on our commitment? Do we practice being reliable in obligations like schoolwork?

Dear Jesus, trustworthiness is such a beautiful virtue, because when someone is trustworthy we are at peace knowing that we can count on them. Help us to develop this virtue. You always keep Your promises to us! Help us to keep our promises to others. Amen.

PTO Simply Sheets Fundraiser

The St. Gregory School PTO will again be hosting the Simply Sheets fundraiser. This company offers 12 different colors of bed sheets in sizes Twin to California King. Also available are towel sets, satin pillowcases, cooling pillows, and laundry detergent. Sales have begun and will run until Oct. 26th. Connect with a St. Gregory Family or call the school office before Oct. 26th to order. NOTE: Unfortunately we have learned that the bath sheets and all colors except Taupe in the bath towels are sold out. We apologize for this inconvenience.

Pizza Hut Fundraiser

Save the Date for the Pizza Hut fundraiser to support St. Gregory Catholic School on Monday, November 23rd.

PRAYER LIST

SHORT TERM PRAYER INTENTIONS

Marilyn Schwarz-Hodgen
Mike Taphorn
Daniel Childress
Phyllis Schmitz
Jackson Shimmel
Jay Dwerlkotte
Gary Pillard
Becky Joyce Thomas
Barb Baker
Michelle Reinhart
Reya Mae Knepp
Barb Martin-Thomas
Tish Outhet
Veronica Olmsted
Dave Whitesell

LONG TERM PRAYER INTENTIONS

Cloe (Cudney) Thornburg
Beverly Brown
Grace Koelzer
Anthony Ray
Rachel Frese
Byron Armstrong
Adam Musil
Will Musil
Dan "Matt" Musil
Dan Haug
Peter Jeff Sekul
Marcella Andrews
Lacey (Jones) Stevens
Sandy Schmitz
Christopher McCloud
Hudson Gartner
Janel Weigel
Phil Studer
Rick Thompson
Pat Clark
Steve Sawin
Torey Butler
Mary Landoll
Debra Nietfeld Lambert
Joan Wacek

Please let us know when your loved one is better!
If you would like to add someone to the prayer list, call Margaret Huffman at 713-9653 or the Parish Office.

St. Gregory Diaper Drive

October is Respect Life Month. This October, St. Gregory Catholic School will be conducting a "Diaper Drive" to support mothers and babies in need. From Oct. 5 – 30, we will be collecting diapers (all sizes) and wipes to support local families in need. All items collected will be donated to Babies Best Start at the Nemaha Valley Community Hospital. Babies Best Start cares for families in both Nemaha and Marshall County. Donations can be dropped off at the school office.

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AREA NEWS

Sunday, November 1st - ***Annunciation Church Annual Turkey Dinner, Cigna Center, Frankfort.*** Serving turkey dinner with all the trimmings from 11am-1:30pm. Adults $15, Kids 5-10 $6. Quilt raffle, country store with food items, crafts and handiwork items. Take out available.

Sunday, November 1st - ***German Heritage Dinner, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Bremen.*** Serving bratwurst, German potato salad, sauerkraut ham, green beans, homemade bread and desserts from 4-7pm. Free will donation.

Saturday, November 7th - ***Communion of Saints Parish Retreat, Sabetha.*** At noon, Paul Camarata will share about the Communion of Saints at Sacred Heart Church. Ending at 3pm, all attendees are invited to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation and attend Mass. Questions: email Annie Deters at annie@nekansascatholics.org

CELEBRATIONS

BIRTHDAYS

Oct. 26	Ron O'Neil, Paula Winkler, Colleen Voet, Rhett Michels
Oct. 27	Marcy Deters, Trigg Argo, Everlee Byers
Oct. 28	Gary Pillard
Oct. 29	Rhonda Wassenberg, Greg Vering
Oct. 30	Raymond Pacha, Helen Schwindamann, Kelsey Heinen, Natalie Rombeck
Oct. 31	Mason Behrens, Ethan Behens
Nov. 1	Judy Studer, Jaxon Lord, Jhene Mortero

ANNIVERSARIES

Oct. 26	Mark and Renee Hoffman
Oct. 27	Leo and Joyce Cudney David and Alaycia Luebcke
Nov. 1	Sheldon and Colleen Voet

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