

Good afternoon, all.

GOOD NEWS! There is no longer any need for you to memorize my cell phone number. I have transferred the rectory's phone to my cell, so I don't miss your calls when running around our church/school campus. Please be patient with me, however, as I am not used to answering unknown numbers. If I don't answer, please DO leave a message. I will get back to you as soon as I can. Also, don't be confused if I just answer "hello". I will have to get used to changing my salutation as well. :) Thank you.

Below is the link to this Sunday's readings and attached is next week's bulletin and a corrected version of the November calendar.

<http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings/110418.cfm>

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS THIS WEEKEND. DON'T FORGET TO SET YOUR CLOCKS BACK AN HOUR WHEN GOING TO BED SATURDAY NIGHT!

Father will be hearing confession after the 5pm Mass tomorrow. You may still receive communion at Mass as long as you have the intention of going to confession afterwards.

There is a Memory Keeping Night in the Parish Center tonight from 7-11pm. All are invited to come. Bring a snack to share.

The Annual Annunciation Christmas Boutique is less than 2 weeks away! Oh my, how it snuck up on us this year. Hopefully you have been crafting at home and have plans to make some fantastic baked goods. I will not post definite times; as I fear I will be wrong. A LOT OF HELP IS NEEDED the week of Nov. 11-16. We would like to bring up the trees from the basement on Sunday, Nov. 11 after Mass. All strong legs, backs, arms, etc. needed! Setting up and decorating will be going on through out the week. PLEASE BRING YOUR ITEMS ALREADY PRICED! Trying to decide what your items are worth is very time consuming. This would be a GREAT help. There will be a fried chicken dinner on Thursday, Nov. 15, from 5-7pm. I believe the Boutique is open from 5-8 or 9pm. We will open back up on Friday, Nov. 16, at 10am-3pm. A soup and sandwich lunch will be served from 11am-1pm. The raffle will be drawn at 3pm on Friday.

So on to the subject of RAFFLE TICKETS. . .

There are sheet of raffle tickets inserted in the bulletins this weekend. There are also extras in the back and in the side door bin if you need them (PLEASE DO). We have some lovely items again for you this year, but not printed pictures. . .

1. Jesus picture
2. Holy family
3. Gift Card Tree
4. \$50 Perico's gift card
5. Marbeck (sp?) Angel cross stitched by Sharon Clapp

## 6. Six Hand-Turned Christmas Ornaments in ornamental box

WE ARE IN NEED OF GIFT CARDS FOR THE GIFT CARD TREE. DONATIONS CAN BE PUT IN THE OFFERTORY OR CALL KATHERINE LANGFELS 987-5675. THANK YOU.

Watch the bulletin and your emails for more information in the week to come.

Annunciation is participating in #iGiveCatholic this year. There is a link on the church website - [annunciationparis.org](http://annunciationparis.org). The giving day is Tuesday, Nov. 27. This is just another way for you to give DIRECTLY to the church. Funds will be used for upkeep of the church and grounds; most especially a new roof that is needed for the church this spring. Thank you for your consideration.

The Paris Rotary Club is hosting the **1st Annual VETERAN'S Appreciation Dinner** to be held on Thursday, November 8th, 2018 from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Church of the Annunciation Parish Hall, 1010 High Street, Paris.

**All VETERANS** get a **FREE** meal and everyone else pays only \$5.00. The meal will consist of chicken tenders, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, rolls, along with dessert (large cookie or brownie) and drink (lemonade, tea or water). Carry out will be available.

The men's group of Church of the Annunciation will be the chefs for the dinner.

Planning is underway for the music for the Christmas Eve Mass at 4:30 pm! If you or your child would like to contribute to the music in any way (prelude instrumental music or singing, singing with the chorus for the pageant, etc.), please contact Julie Ervin at [cropporjunity@windstream.net](mailto:cropporjunity@windstream.net) or 859-576-7980 so that you/your child can be included in the plans and practices.

You are invited to join Father Danny Fister on a Catholic Pilgrimage to the Marian Shrines of Portugal, Spain and France. The dates are May6-17, 2019. The cost is \$3,795 - all-inclusive from Cincinnati, OH. There are brochures in the back of church for those interested.

**LECTOR AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTER TRAINING:** Training for new Lectors will take place in the Rectory as follows: Friday, Nov. 9, at 9:00am; Friday Nov. 9 at 5:30pm and Saturday, Nov. 17 at 10:00am. New Lectors only need to attend one of the training sessions and the sessions will last approximately 1-1.5 hours. Training for new Eucharistic Ministers will take place in the Rectory as follows: Friday Nov. 9, at 10:30am; Monday, Nov. 12, at 5:30pm and Saturday, Nov. 17 at 1:30pm. New Eucharistic Ministers only need to attend one of the training sessions and the sessions will last approximately 1.5-2 hours. New Lectors and Eucharistic Ministers, **please text Deacon Phil (859-338-5700)** in advance to let him know which training session you will be attending. You can attend the training and then decide if you want to be a Lector or Eucharist Minister. Refresher training for **existing** Lectors will take place on Saturday, Nov. 17 at 4:15pm in the Rectory, Sunday, Nov. 18 at 7:30am in St. John's Hall in Carlisle; or Sunday, Nov. 18 at 9:45am in the Rectory. Existing

Lectors only need to attend one of the training sessions. Refresher training will be approximately 30 minutes and is mandatory for all existing Lectors. Refresher training for **existing** Eucharistic Ministers will take place on Saturday, Nov. 17 at 3:45pm in the Rectory, Sunday, Nov. 18 at 7am in Saint John's Hall in Carlisle, or Sunday, Nov. 18 at 9:15am in the Rectory. Refresher training will be approximately 30 minutes and is mandatory for all existing Eucharistic Ministers.

God bless you,

Katherine Leer

Parish Secretary

[See the Parish Calendar here!](#)