

November 2, 2025 The Commemoration of all the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day)

HH – Hitch Hall MH – Maher Hall SB – School Basement R – Rectory CH – Church WH – Waldeisen Hall

Date	Observance	Mass Intention	Readings	Event
Mon Nov 3	Martin de Porres, Religious		Rom 11:29-36; Lk 14:12-14	
Tues Nov 4	Charles Borromeo, Bishop		Rom 12:5-16b; Lk 14:15-24	Free Store: 4 pm-7 pm SB
Wed Nov 5			Rom 13:8-10; Lk 14:25-33	Bingo: Open 9:30 am WH
Thurs Nov6			Rom 14:7-12; Lk 15:1-10	
Fri Nov 7			Rom 15:14-21; Lk 16:1-8	Exposition & Adoration 1-2 pm CH
Sat Nov 8		5:00 pm Ida Rea by Dr. Kolaczewski	Rom 16:3-9, 16, 22-27; Lk 16:9-15	Free Store 9 am-12 pm SB
Sun 9	Dedication of the Lateran Basilica	10:00 am Bob Doerr by Kathy Doerr	Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12; 1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17; Jn 2:13-22	

Sanctuary Lamp - Special Intention

COLLECTION REPORT

Week Ending	October 19	October 26
Sunday Offering -	\$ 2,096.00	\$ 1,824.00
Daily Offering -	\$ 275.00	\$ 195.00
Holy Day -	\$ 10.00	
Total	\$ 2,381.00	\$ 2,019.00
Weekly offertory budget	\$ 3,200.00	\$ 3,200.00
(Shortfall) Overage	\$(819.00)	\$(1,181.00)
**YTD Over (short) -	\$(9,776.62)	\$(10,957.62)
St. Vincent de Paul -	\$ 160.00	\$ 25.00
Capital Improvement		
Assessments -	\$ 70.00	
Other Gifts -	\$ 3,000.00	
Propagation of the Faith	\$ 240.00	

**YTD has been adjusted to reflect the new fiscal year which began on 7/1/25.

Envelopes used of 240 sent 31 35

Available Mass Dates

Saturdays: 5:00 pm: <u>Jan</u> 10, <u>Feb</u> 7, 14, 21, 28, <u>Mar</u> 7, 14, 28 **Sundays:** 10:00 am: <u>Feb</u> 1, 8, 15, 22, <u>Mar</u> 8, 22, 29, <u>Apr</u> 5, 12

Daily Mass & Confessions: Because we have no priest, we no longer offer daily Masses nor Confessions. Please use this guide: *St. Augustine*: Confessions – Saturdays, 3 pm & Mondays, 6 pm. Daily Mass: M, W, Th, F, 12:05 pm & Tuesdays, 5:15 pm. *St. Francis:* Confessions – Saturdays, 9-9:45 am & Thursdays from 5:30-6:15 pm. Daily Mass: M-F,8:15 am & Thursdays at 6:30 pm.

Holy Family Candle - Special Intention

Exposition and Adoration: THIS Friday, November 7th between 1 and 2 pm to spend some quiet time with Jesus; pray, read, reflect. All are welcome.

Kenmore Community Meal: There will be NO meals in November & December. You are invited to the KMA Community Thanksgiving Dinner in November (see below); the team takes December off.

Operation Christmas Child: Brochures with suggestions are at the doors of the church. All boxes, along with the donation to cover shipping costs, need to be turned in at the main doors of the church by Sunday, November 16th or at the rectory by Monday, November 17th. Please make note of the items that are not to be included. On behalf of the poorest of the poor in our country and around the world, thank you.

KMA Community Thanksgiving Dinner: Tuesday, Nov. 25th from 5-7 pm. Take-out meals: go up 11th St., S.W. next to the Community Center and into the large parking lot or you may come into Goss Church to enjoy a sit-down meal. After dinner, enjoy music, cocoa & cookies, crafts, face painting as well as a visit with Santa in the Community Center! 700 meals will be prepared by Guy's Party Center which will include turkey, stuffing, gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans & a roll; there will be pie for dessert, too. Each KMA church is taking up a collection to offset the cost of the meals so our Wishing Wells are out to collect your donations. Help will be needed before, during and after the event so please consider lending a hand and call the rectory to sign up.

Journey with Pope Leo XIV: "Dear brothers and sisters, the Church and the world do not need people who fulfill their religious duties as if the faith were merely an external label. We need laborers who are willing to work in the mission field, loving disciples who bear witness to the Kingdom of God in all places."

STEWARDSHIP THOUGHTS

This weekend we celebrate life for those who have gone before us in faith. It's also a reminder that life eternal is our hope and destination at the end of our lives. We who were baptized, we who believe must strive each day to live according to Gospel values and learn to sacrifice for others as Jesus did. This is also a time to remember, with gratitude, those who taught us and witnessed to us about our beautiful Catholic faith. For you was it parents, grandparents, godparents, another relative, friends, a catechist or priest? Think about their positive influence in your faith life and then emulate it for your children, grandchildren, neighbors, friends and even strangers. As the baptized, it's our responsibility to hand down the faith from generation to generation. Take time this week, to bring to mind these amazing, important people and give thanks for them and their humble witness.

STEWARDSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

A parish family is like a personal family. There are jobs & chores that need doing & if they don't get done, things don't run smoothly. Here are "chores/jobs" that need doing.

Bingo: We're in DIRE need of someone who's organized & even tempered to learn from our wonderful Bingo manager, Lorie, about how to run the Bingo office on Wednesdays. If she's unavailable, we have to cancel Bingo and that hurts the parish financially. Please call the rectory with any questions. We can also use help with other Bingo and kitchen jobs so step up and help out!

In His Name: Trial size toiletry items (things that will easily fit into a backpack) for the Peter Maurin Center may be placed in the basket at the main doors of the church.

St. Vincent de Paul Society is in need of volunteers Thursdays noon – 2:00 pm in our food pantry to distribute food & hygiene items to those in need. If interested and available, please call Lorie Papp at 330-322-7414. Thanks.

Funeral Dinner Ministry: Be a part of the serving team or sign up to be called when food is needed. Please call the rectory to help with this ministry.

Free Store Help: Have a heart for those in need, like to work with friendly, faith-filled people? Stop by Tuesdays, 4 pm-7 pm or Saturdays, 9 am-noon, to check it out and join the team!

Free Store Sack Lunch needs: What's needed:

Individually wrapped snack & cookie packages, small individual bags of chips, snack-size plastic bags and lunch-size brown paper bags (size 6 or larger). Cash donations will be used to buy cheese sticks, water & other supplies. Put cash donations in an envelope, mark it "Free Store Lunches," and drop it in the collection basket or write a check to The Kenmore Free Store. Please place donated items in the basket behind the last pew. On behalf of those in need, thank you.

The **Acme Cashback program** runs thru February 15, 2026 so save those Acme receipts. Please see the flyers at the main door and main side door for brand name information.

Offsite Events

Healing Mass & Healing Prayer: St. Hilary Parish on Friday, November 7th, 6:30 pm in the church led by Fr. Pete Colletti and Fr. Brian Peters. We will start with live praise and worship music at 6:30 p.m., followed by Healing Mass and Individual Healing Prayer at 7 p.m. This event is sponsored by St. Hilary's Healing Waters Ministry and is open to all! We hope to see you there.

Refugee Presentation: All are invited to St. Hilary Parish on Saturday, November 8th from 7-9 pm for a presentation entitled: "Awakening to a Dream Lost: Current Crisis of Legal Refugees and Friends." Hear from those directly affected and those who are experts in the field. Please RSVP by Nov. 5th to tsoetz@aol.com Light refreshments will be served and a free will offering will be taken to help assist refugees.

Happy Holly Days Christmas Bazaar: St. Matthew's School Activity Center, Saturday, Nov. 8th, 9 am – 4 pm & Sunday, Nov. 9th, 10 am – 3 pm. There will be over 100 crafters, homemade baked goods, raffles, luncheon meals, free admission and free parking.

Eucharistic Mission: St. Augustine, Barberton will welcome Fr. Declan, a native of Ireland and Director of the Most Holy Eucharist Foundation on November 17th and 18th at 7 pm. The mission includes presentations, Exposition, reflection, Benediction and Confession.

Candy Cane Junction Craft Show: November 22nd from 9 am – 3 pm in Dowed Hall at Visitation of Mary Parish, 55 Broad St., Akron.

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