

St John's Catholic Church of Galva & Woodhull

Catholic Diocese of Peoria

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THIRTIETH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME

October 23, 2022

St John, The Apostle

Roman Catholic Church

Mass: Saturday 5:30 PM

Sunday 5:30 PM

Tuesday 8:00 AM

Reconciliation: Sundays -5:00-5:20 PM

St John, The Evangelist

Roman Catholic Church

Mass: Saturday 4:00 PM

Sunday 10:00 AM

Wednesday 8:00 AM

Saturdays -3:30-3:50 PM

St John Vianney

Roman Catholic Church

Mass: Sunday 8:00 AM

Sundays—7:30-7:50 AM

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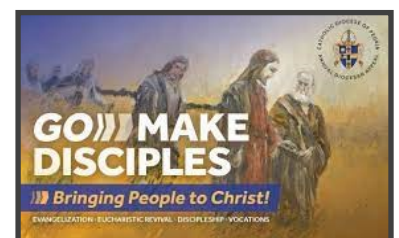
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Woodhull—ZOOM Rosary

10:15 AM—M-W-F

Call office if interested in joining

www.threestjohns.com



Mass Schedule & Intentions for October 22—October 30, 2022

Saturday 10/22	4:00 PM 5:30 PM	Galva —For Fr John Burns by <i>Greg & Julie Standberg</i> Woodhull —For Tom Holt by <i>Maurice & Darlene DeSutter</i>
Sunday 10/23 Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:00 AM 10:00 AM 5:30 PM	Cambridge —For Orville Ossian by <i>Carolyn Ossian</i> For Robert Johnson by <i>George & Mary Bowman</i> Galva —For Don Mack by <i>Kate Cromien</i> Woodhull —For Jeane VanGetson by <i>Donna (Wayne) Johnson</i>
Monday 10/24		NO MASS
Tuesday 10/25	8:00 AM	Woodhull —For Jackie Welsham by <i>Dean & Joy Morland</i>
Wednesday 10/26	8:00 AM	Galva — For Sherm Raley by <i>Wendell & Stella Gillbreth</i> For Catherine Tracy McHale by <i>Denny & Justine Nelson</i>
Thursday 10/27		NO MASS
Friday 10/28		NO MASS
Saturday 10/29	4:00 PM 5:30 PM	Galva —For Dick & Tommy Cooper by <i>Kathy Tingleaf</i> Woodhull —For Tom Norberg by <i>Deacon Joe & Jolene O'Tool</i>
Sunday 10/30 Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:00 AM 10:00 AM 5:30 PM	Cambridge —For Special Intention by <i>George & Mary Bowman</i> For Poor Souls in Purgatory by <i>Bill & Rita Taylor</i> Galva —For Lavern R Duran by <i>Leandra Duran-Parish</i> Woodhull —For Fr John Burns by <i>Sue Paul</i>

LAY MINISTRY SCHEDULE—	WOODHULL	GALVA
<u>Saturday Oct 29, 2022</u>		
LECTOR	Betty Minteer	Greg Rashid
<u>Sunday Oct 30, 2022</u>		
LECTOR	Kim DeSutter	Jackie Clucas
\$ COUNTERS	Chuck-Deb McLaughlin/Diane Nesbitt	Pat Raley/Stella Gillbreth

ANNOINTING OF THE SICK—Please call Fr John before going into the hospital at 309-852-4549 ext # 106. If you are admitted to the hospital or nursing home prior to Fr John anointing you, please tell admittance that you are Catholic & they will arrange for that hospital's assigned Chaplain to anoint you & notify Fr John.

Please pray for the sick, their loved ones and caregivers. May they never lose sight of the love of our God.

From Woodhull Parish: Mary Robbins, Frances Cooper, Donna Hanson, Mike Driscoll-brother of Joy Morland, David Bugos, Alphonse Meirhaeghe, Donna Johnson, Amy Petrovich, Dan Carlson, Heather Poppy, Mary Jo Murphy, Doak Davis-brother of Suzie DeSutter, Mark Johnson, Joy Morland

From Galva Parish: Joe & Joan Nosal, Melanie Rupp, Bea & Dick Clark, Don England, Terry Raley, Jim Bennison, Jim H., Paul Craig, Ruth Weber Cromien, Victor Interrial, Alma Loncka, Cynthia Kennedy, Shelley Collis, Jim Robinson, Chuck Entas, Maggie Green, Carolyn Ossian

DATES TO REMEMBER:

SUN Oct 23—Begin 9-Day Novena of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary—

SUN Nov 6—**DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS**—Turn Clocks **BACK** one hour before bed Sat Night

TUE Dec 20—*A&R Christmas Party at PL Johnson's in Bishop Hill—more details coming soon!*



In Woodhull— Please join us as our parish prays the **9-Day Novena of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary** beginning Sun Oct 23 thru Mon Oct 31. You can join us in one of 2 ways: ~~ Every day the Novena will be published on the Church Facebook page ~~ A copy of the Novena will be in the back of the church and can be prayed as a parish a half hour before weekend Masses, along with the Rosary, AND at 9 AM throughout the week also.

“God did not tell us to follow Him because He needed our help, but because He knew that loving Him would make us whole.”

—St Irenaeus

All Saints Day Masses
Holy Day of Obligation



Monday, Oct 31st:

5:30 PM Galva & 5:30 PM Woodhull

Tuesday Nov 1st:

8:00 AM Woodhull & 5:30 PM Cambridge

Vocation Raffle

Sponsored by Illinois Knights of Columbus—
\$20,000 in Cash Awards ~ 20 Prizes in all !!

It is well known that there is a serious shortage of priests in our diocese. Please help those men discerning a vocation to the priesthood by supporting this KC effort. Vocation Raffle Tickets will be for sale after Mass Sunday October 23 ~ \$15 per book of 15 chances. Please support our priests of tomorrow !!

SUNDAY COLLECTION — 10/16/2022

GALVA		WOODHULL
\$ 1549.00	Collection	\$1726.00
\$ 10.00	Building Fund	
\$ 100.00	Visitation	
\$ 180.00	Visitation f/Month	

2022 Annual Diocesan Appeal

	Galva	Woodhull
Goal	\$18,492	\$17,355
Pledged	\$14,135	\$ 8,800
Received	\$10,490	\$ 8,650
Families	33	19

Today, World Mission Sunday, Pope Francis reminds us that in Baptism we are all called by the Lord to be His missionaries: "You shall be my witnesses" (Acts 1:8). Joining Catholics worldwide this Sunday, we offer our prayers and generous financial support, through the Society for the Propagation of the Faith, to the Pope's missions. When you contribute to the World Mission Sunday collection, you make it possible for the Pope to provide mission support to: • 844,000 catechists teaching the faith • 258,540 Religious Sisters caring for children and families • 38,140 seminarians preparing for the priesthood • 26 million children in primary schools • 12,000 clinics caring for the sick and dying • 8,750 homes for orphaned children and the elderly Your prayers are most treasured, and they, along with financial help offered today, WORLD MISSION SUNDAY, answer Christ's call to be His witnesses. Thank you!

REMEMBER:

Please make checks payable to ST John's, as we send in the donations in one check from the parish. Even with cash donations, please write your name OR envelope number on the donation envelope to ensure proper credit. THANK YOU for your generosity! :)

Longtime Woodhull resident Jackie Nelson will be honored on her 90th Birthday on Sunday, November 6th from 2-4 PM at Woodhull Community Center... 150 N Division ST in Woodhull. Please come help her celebrate !!

AlWood Food Pantry is in need of the following from St John's by NOV 10 for their Thanksgiving Food Baskets:

40 Large Boxes Orange Jello

40 Large Cans Mandarin Oranges

Be Humble in Prayer



In last week's readings we were encouraged to remain persistent and constant in our prayer life. Today we focus on the proper attitude of a steward at prayer.

In the Gospel passage from Luke, Jesus illustrates the humble attitude we must have as we approach God in prayer through a parable of two praying men. One is a Pharisee, a man with respected status, theological training and all the right credentials. He marches right up to the front of the temple to speak a prayer "to himself," thanking God for making him just a little bit superior to everyone else!

The other man is a tax collector, known by those of his day to be a cheater and a sell-out to his fellow Jews. In contrast to the Pharisee, he stands near the back and cries out to God in a simple and honest way: "Be merciful to me a sinner." Jesus tells us that it is the tax collector and not the Pharisee who leaves the temple justified. Why?

The Pharisee was full of self as he approached God. He felt no real need for God as he rattled off his resume of good works and spiritual practices. He was simply going through the motions of prayer. His lack of humility prevented him from entering into a real dialogue with the Father. He was not transformed by his time of prayer because he was so full of himself that He left God no space to enter in.

The tax collector, by contrast, emptied himself as he approached God. He recognized who he truly was (a sinner) and asked simply for mercy, leaving all the rest up to God. This is the kind of attitude that God can work with! This is how a good steward prays — with trust, with complete openness to God's will, with a listening mind and heart, ready to serve as God leads.

www.TheCatholicSteward.com