

BULLETIN – THE WEEK OF Oct 18 – Oct 24 , 2021

THOUGHTS FROM MO. JUDITH'S CARING BRIDGE

From: Taryn

Mom is continuing to be very tired. Please pray that the fatigue passes and the chemo is working on the cancer. Emma and I travel home to see Mom and Dad in about a week and we can't wait to see them.

MISSING PEOPLE?

There was a saying here years ago..."if you haven't seen someone 3 Sundays in a row, we're giving them an excuse to stay away." So~~if you haven't seen someone in a while, call them, tell them they are missed, see if they are having difficulties. Now that the church is fully open....where are they?

JUDITH WITH US!

Judith is planning on being with us to preach and celebrate on the first Sunday in Advent, Nov. 28th!

"ADVENT AT ALBAN'S WITH ALAN"

Bishop Scarfe will be joining us as celebrant on his last Sunday, December 12 for one service at 10:00 AM. This would be an opportunity to say goodbye and act as hosts for the other churches. Details to follow....

HOST FAMILY NEEDED

Elise Irelan is a French teacher at Alleman High and has accepted a position of International Student Coordinator for Alleman. She is looking for a host family for an incoming student this fall.

Alleman Catholic High School has enthusiastically embraced the opportunity to bring the world to our door steps by welcoming international, diploma-seeking students, this fall. We are looking for host families who will join us in the mission to support advancement of global diversity in our school while simultaneously sharing faith. Host families play a vital role in the life of an international student by providing a safe and loving home to these brave students. Hosting also provides you the opportunity to open your heart, share your family and faith, and expand your worldview as you experience first hand about another culture. Host families receive \$500 monthly to help defray the cost of hosting. The students are financially responsible for tuition and all extra-curricular activities; they also carry health and liability insurance. This is a wonderful opportunity for families, singles and empty nesters. Students will arrive around the around August 14th and return home the end of May. Please prayerfully consider if this is an opportunity for you and your family. For more information, please contact Elise Irelan 319-499-7139, or by email at eirelan@allemanhighschool.org

UNDERWEAR

We have a box to collect children and adult underwear, all sizes. No socks are needed. The box is located in the Narthex under the coat rack.

OFFSET COST OF COMMUNION VESSELS

The practice of individual vessels of wine and wafers are a great invention for the Covid era, however, it is costly compared to "normal" sacraments. The cost (depending on order numbers) is from .40 - .50 per unit. If you would like to help offset the cost, please state in the memo line your intention. Thank you!

REMEMBRANCES NEXT WEEK

Birthdays: 10-23 Mitchel Dierickx
Memorial: 10-20 James (Shovar) / 10-23 Christel (Dierickx)

SERVICE PARTICIPANTS - OCTOBER

~~10/3 – Closed~~

~~10/10 Leader: Julie W / Homilist: Sue McCoy / Lector/Ps: Laura Z / Lector: Sherry R / PoP: Rob Dvorak
Ushers: Michelle D, Scott S / Flowers: McCoy~~

10/17 Celebrant: Rev. Rick Burris / Lector/Ps: Charlie R / Lector: Karrie D / PoP: Sue M
Ushers: Scott S, Jon I / Flowers: Sade

10/24 Leader: Jane S / Homilist: Robin S / Lector/Ps: Nicole / Lector: Laura Z / PoP: Arlen B
Ushers: Kent, Julie Williams / Flowers: NEED

10/31 Leader: TBA / Homilist: TBA Lector/Ps: Sherry R / Lector: Rob D / PoP: Charlie R
Ushers: Scott S, Jon I / Flowers: NEED

There will be no live streaming on Oct. 17 or Oct 24.