

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

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To all our visitors...

Bishop John R. Gaydos, the clergy and the faithful of the Diocese of Jefferson City welcome you and hope that your time in our Mother Church may be an opportunity to share our faith and joy in Our Lord Jesus Christ.

Our parish was formed in 1959 and was elevated to the title of Cathedral in 1968 and dedicated in 1974. Please enjoy the beauty of this spacious building dedicated to the Glory of God and the memory of Saint Joseph, the Husband of Mary. It was built for the inspiration of all who enter. Free tour booklets are available.

All visitors who are not of the Roman Catholic faith are most

welcome to join us in prayer and worship, but not to receive Holy Communion. Reception of Holy Communion is a sign of full unity and membership in the Catholic community. Together let us all pray for the unity of all believers.

If you desire to become a member of the Roman Catholic Church or to become a member of the Cathedral Parish, please call the parish office at 573-635-7991.

All contributions to the Cathedral ministries and maintenance are sincerely appreciated. Please remember this Cathedral parish in your Will, gifts and estate plans to support our parish's ongoing mission.

Cathedral Organizations and Ministries

Altar Servers	Deacon Dan Joyce	634-7959	Home & School	Mr. Brian Busby	230-5302
Athletic Committee	Mr. Craig Husting	634-8731	Helias Representative	Mrs. Leslie Verslues	645-2008
Baptism Preparation	Deacon Christopher Baker	636-8935	Knights of Columbus	Mr. Doug Smentkowski	636-0419
Bereavement Committee	Mrs. Donna Kuebler	893-6313	Ladies Auxiliary	Mrs. Tina Sellner	635-6980
Boy Scouts	Mr. Denis Gladbach	634-2864	Lectors	Deacon Dan Joyce	634-7959
Catholic Cancer Support	Mr. Thom Day	636-8939	Marriage Preparation	Please call the parish office	635-7991
Cemetery Board	Deacon Jim Kliethermes	893-7872	Nursing Home Visitation	Ms. Lois Fairchild	636-2558
	Mr. Fred Kummer	636-7939	Parish Association	Vacant	
	Mr. Bill Luebbert	635-8060	Parish Nurse	Mrs. Lou Anne Rowan, RN	I 635-4022
Charities	Deacon Christopher Baker	636-8935	Parish Pastoral Council	Mr. Joe Boland	761-4890
Christ Renews His Parish	M/M Tony & Charlotte Wening	761-5193	Parish School of Religion	Mrs. Cara Sue Cockerham	291-4889
Collection Counters	Mr. Duane Buersmeyer	636-3097	Prayer Line	Please call the parish office	635-7991
Confirmation Preparation	Mr. David Lankford	635-9454	Pro-life Pro-life	Mr. Ed Bode	635-7874
Cub Scouts	Mr. Larry Schulte	690-9449	Samaritan Center Board	Mr. Bernie Fechtel	893-6400
Cursillo	Mr. Brian Johnson	636-5319		Mr. Roger Dudenhoeffer	893-8483
Director of Music	Mr. Thomas Halpin	635-7991		Mr. Don Schnieders	893-5990
Divine Worship & Spiritual				(Member at Large)	
Development Committee	Monsignor Kurwicki	635-7991	School Board President	Mr. Patrick Bonnot	645-1840
Divorce Assistance Group	Mr. Lucas Knipp	353-4046	School Principal	Mr. Spencer L. Allen	635-5024
Edge Youth Program	Mrs. Julie Gramlich	634-4165	Secular Franciscan Order	Ms. Maureen Gray, OFS	(660) 537-0421
Episcopal Servers	Fr. Christopher Aubuchon	635-7991	Special Event Dinners	Mrs. Janice Houser	636-9842
Eucharistic Adoration	Mrs. Rose Mengwasser	636-8549	St. Brigid Quilters	Mrs. Rosana Weidinger	893-3493
Extraordinary Ministers			Steering Committee	Monsignor Kurwicki	635-7991
of Holy Communion	Fr. Christopher Aubuchon	635-7991	Stewardship Committee	Mr. Lew Hancock	893-6870
Finance Council	Vacant		Ushers	Mr. Bob Asahl	584-8010
Funeral Luncheon	Mrs. Pat Dowd	635-4507	Vocation Committee	Mr. Stephen Meystrik	761-9241
Girl Scouts	Mrs. Teresa Fritz	636-8597	Welcoming Committee	Mrs. Lisa Larkin 434-4275	
Gospel of Life Committee	Mrs. Gina Newlon	230-6718	Youth Ministry	Mrs. Julie Gramlich	634-4165
Greeters	Deacon Dan Joyce	634-7959			

Cathedral Parish Information

Registering in the Parish

To join our parish, please contact the Parish Office at 635-7991 Monday-Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Registering in the Cathedral School

Parents wishing to know more about our grade school, are encouraged to call the Cathedral school principal, Mr. Spencer L. Allen at 635-5024.

Sacrament of Baptism

Parents requesting the Sacrament of Baptism for their children should be registered members of the parish and they should contact the Parish Office.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

Persons interested in becoming Roman Catholic should contact Mr. Dan Kempker, 496-5499

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Parishioners facing surgery or struggling with serious illness may request this Sacrament of healing by calling a priest at the Parish Office.

Vocations to the Christian Married Life

Couples planning to marry at the Cathedral must contact the Parish Office <u>at least six months</u> in advance. Ordinarily, no marriages are celebrated during Lent.

Vocations to the Priesthood and Consecrated Life

If you are interested in becoming a priest, deacon, sister or brother, please contact Fr. Gregory Oligschlaeger at 635-9127.



Jefferson City, Missouri

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday, January 31

7:00 a.m. Parishioners

9:00 a.m. Joe Twehous

11:00 a.m. Martha Mihaly Colbert

Monday, February 1

6:30 a.m. Bobbie Taylor

8:00 a.m. Mildred Ovaitt

Tuesday, February 2 (Presentation of the Lord)

6:30 a.m. Charles Mudd

8:00 a.m. Helen Bottenfield

Wednesday, February 3 (St. Blaise)

6:30 a.m. Della Kimbrel

8:00 a.m. Ralph "Inky" James

Thursday, February 4

6:30 a.m. Stacey Schmidt

8:00 a.m. Ben & Lavina Porter

First Friday, February 5 (St. Agatha)

6:30 a.m. Pat Schell

8:00 a.m. Anna Bentlage

Saturday, February 6 (Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time)

5:30 p.m. Herman Simmons

Sunday, February 7

7:00 a.m. Gertrude Kressig

9:00 a.m. Parishioners

11:00 a.m. Ermine Dusheke

STEWARDSHIP NEWS

Our Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Scriptures reminded us multiple times of our need to share our goods with the poor of this world. The Cathedral of Saint Joseph relies on the support of parishioners who generously give their time, talent, and treasures to make Jesus Christ known. Our Fiscal Year to Date Offerings are as follows:

Offertory Budget 07/1/15-6/30/16	\$ 2,434,450.00
Budget Goal per Month	\$ 202,870.83
Weekly Goal	\$ 46,816.35
Collection	
January 3	\$ 89,366.81
January 10	\$ 51,547.80
January 17	\$ 89,054.44
January 24	\$ 20,349.85
January 31	\$
To date for January	\$ 250,288.70
Budget Goal 07/01/15 - 01/24/2016	\$ 1,404,490.50
Sunday Collection 07/01/15 - 01/24/2016	\$ 1,406.246.33
Difference	\$ 1,755.83
Monastery Renovation Capital Campaign	
Goal	\$ 914,264.00
Pledged	\$ 720,082.38
Paid	\$ 553,651.38
Donors	242

YOUR DONATIONS ARE MORE ACCURATELY RECORDED WHEN YOUR ENVELOPE OR CHECK IS CLEARLY MARKED. THANK YOU!

THIS COMING WEEK

1/31 Catholic Schools Week

Col. Lloyd Cain Birthday Party, All are welcome

10:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m., Undercroft

Luke 18 Meeting, 11:00 a.m., Mary Room

Outstanding Graduate Reception, 10:00 pm.,

New School Cafeteria

2/1 Centering Prayers, 12:10 p.m., Chapel

RCIA, 6:15, Chancery

2/2 Blessing of Candles, 8:00 a.m. Mass, Cathedral

Missouri House, 10:00 a.m.

K of C Teacher Appreciation Dinner, 6:00 p.m.,

K of C Hall

Support Group, 7:00 p.m., Brides Room

Youth Board, 7:00 p.m., Mary Room

Schola Rehearsal, 7:00 p.m., Cathedral &

Bishop Marling Room

2/3 St. Blaise Blessing of Throats, 6:30 & 8:00 a.m.

Masses, Cathedral

Priests/Music Director Meeting, 9:00 a.m.,

Parish Office

Missouri House, 10:00 a.m.

Lenten Mary Program, 1:00—2:30 p.m., Mary Room

Stewardship Meeting, 6:00 p.m. Parish Office

K of C Meeting, 6:15 p.m., Undercroft

Book Club, 7:00 p.m., Mary Room

Choir Rehearsal, 7:00 p.m., Cathedral &

Bishop Marling Room

PSR, 7:00 p.m., School

Quilters, 8:45 a.m., Bishop Marling Room

NET Retreat, 9:00 a.m.—2:30 p.m., Cathedral

Pastor/Principal Meeting, 9:00 a.m., Parish Office

Missouri House, 10:00 a.m.

Ladies Auxiliary, 6:30 p.m., Undercroft

Lent Mary Program, 7,00 p.m., Mary Room

Rosary, 7:00 p.m., Chapel

2/5 Staff Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Parish Office

Home and School Chili Supper, 5:30 p.m.—7:00 p.m.,

Undercroft

2/6 Called By Name Weekend

Confessions, 4:00 p.m., Cathedral

2/7 Scouts Pancake Breakfast, 7:30—11:30 a.m.,

Undercroft

Luke 18 Meeting, 12:00 p.m., Mary Room

NFP, 2:00 p.m., Mary Room

PRAYING TOWARD NEXT WEEK: FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Isaiah 6: 1-2a, 2-8
Second Reading: Corinthians 15: 1-11
Gospel: Luke 5: 1-11

THANK YOU

A big thank you to Jackie James, whom is retiring her volunteer post after many years of service as a money counter! Your contribution and dedication to the Cathedral is greatly appreciated!



January 31, 2016

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME to all who gather in our Cathedral Church for the Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time and Catholic Schools Week.

WEEK OF PRAYER: We ask each member of our Cathedral parish to pray for the members of one of the parishes or missions in our diocese this week. As a Cathedral Church, all our parishes are linked to us and we wish to deepen the spiritual bond with them. Therefore, we will pray this week for St. Pius, Moberly.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CONSECRATED LIFE: Pope Francis has asked us to remember in prayer, all members of communities of Male and Female Religious. This week we pray for the Living and Deceased members, plus for an increase in vocations for the Dominican Sisters of Springfield, Illinois, OP.

CONGRATULATIONS to **Camille Anita Hughes**, daughter of William and Wendy Sullivan who was baptized in the Cathedral last weekend!

FROM DEATH TO NEW LIFE-The Cathedral Parish Family extends its sympathy and prayers to the families of Daniel Smentkowski, uncle of Doug Smentkowski, Mildred Ovaitt, and Sr. Gertrude Gallagher, R.S.M. Sister was assigned to the Cathedral School in 1972, Sister Gallagher passed away 01/21/2016 in Ireland at the age of 99.May they have eternal rest in their heavenly home and may the Lord give comfort and peace to their loved ones who mourn their loss.

OPERATION RICE BOWL 2016

CRS Rice Bowl is the Lenten program of Catholic Relief Services, the official international development and humanitarian relief agency of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops. CRS Rice Bowl helps Catholics in the United States live out the Lenten pillars of prayer, fasting and almsgiving in solidarity with our poorest brothers and sisters.

75% of CRS Rice Bowl donations help the poor overseas, and 25% support local hunger and poverty alleviation projects in our diocese

As we look ahead to our Lenten journey, may our fasting be a hunger for justice, our alms a making of peace, and our prayers the change of humble and grateful hearts. We ask for God's help to put our faith into action, to work in love and to persevere in hope through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with the Father and the Holy Sprit, one God forever and ever.

Amen.

You can find more prayer, educational and family resources online at, crsricebowl.org and on the CRS Rice Bowl app.

Ash Wednesday is February 10!

BOY SCOUT PANCAKE BREAKFAST

The Boy Scout Troop 104 Annual Pancake Breakfast will be **Sunday, February 7** from 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Please come out and support the Boy Scouts most important fundraiser of the year!

PALMS

The ashes used on Ash Wednesday come from the Blessed Palms of the year before. Please bring your Palms to Mass now and put them in the marked baskets at the exits of the Cathedral. Ash Wednesday is February 10. Thank you!

FREE BOOKS

Free Inspiritual Books for Adults and Children: The Christ Renews His Parish (CRHP) program encourages parishioners to support each other in spiritual growth. Therefore, to help you prepare for Easter during Lent, CHRP members wish to share inspirational and religious books they have found valuable in their spiritual journeys. Please take and enjoy any of the books on the table located at the mosaic icon of Our Lady of Perpetual Help. All parishioners are encouraged to share any of their books also

SAINT BRIGID QUILTERS

In 2015 our Saint Brigid quilters completed 5 beautiful quilts and ended the year with a bank balance of \$3,434.96. Help us recognize and thank these hard working ladies:

Alice Graham, Delphine Schanzmeyer, Jo Clara Meyer, Laramie Thompson, Mae Oehring, Mary Meystrik, Mary Jo Brandt, Nawasa Hersinger, Shirley Denkler, Rosana Weidinger.

24 HOURS OF MERCY

Pope Francis has asked that on March 4—5 each diocese have special locations that will offer confessions for 24 hours. The Cathedral will be the site for our area with confessions starting March 4 at 9:00 a.m. going through March 5 at 9:00 a.m. Mark your calendar with plans to attend!

DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA

The Daughters of Isabella, Glennon Circle 322, will be meeting on Monday, February 1, at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Tanner Bridge Road. A soup and sandwich dinner starts at 5:30 p.m. followed by the business meeting at 6:00 p.m. Please plan to attend.

Prayer at Close of the Year of Consecrated Life February 7, 2016

O God, Throughout the ages You have called women and men to pursue lives of perfect charity through the evangelical counsels of poverty, chastity, and obedience. As we close this Year of Consecrated Life, we give You thanks for these courageous witnesses of Faith and models of inspiration. Their pursuit of holy lives teaches us to make a more perfect offering of ourselves to You. Continue to enrich Your Church by calling forth sons and daughters who, having found the pearl of great price, treasure the Kingdom of God above all things. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, Your Son, who lives and reigns with You in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever. Amen

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Jefferson City, Missouri

SPIRITUAL OPPORTUNITIES

CENTERING PRAYER will meet next on **February 1** at **12:10 p.m**. in the Chapel. Please join us. Contemplative Prayer is a powerful way of moving into a deepening experience of divine union. For questions, contact Barbara Poetker at (573) 893-2064.

HOLY ROSARY-Come and join us on Thursday nights at 7:00 p.m. to pray the Most Holy Rosary in the daily Mass Chapel.

ADORATION OF OUR LORD



"Come to Me, all you that labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest, says the Lord." (Mt 11:28)

We all get tired. Many of us have situations in our lives that cause us concern. The One Who consoles and has the answers to all our problems is waiting in our Chapel. Listen to Him! Trust in Him!

The Adoration Chapel is in need of some parishioners to substitute for regular adorers on occasions and pray for one hour. Please visit the Adoration Chapel. Look at the Request for Substitute Slips posted on the bulletin board and see if you can cover an hour for a regular adorer.

BLESSING OF THROATS

Wednesday, February 3, is the Feast of St. Blaise. The traditional blessing of throats will be after both the 6:30 a.m. and 8:00 a.m. Masses. The 8:00 a.m. Mass will be an All School Mass. This blessing can be received by Catholics and non-Catholics. It is a prayer that people be delivered from all illnesses of the throat.

SPIRITUAL DIRECTION

Are you longing for more in your life...

Desiring to go deeper...

Wanting to grow as a person...

Rooted in God.

Spiritual Direction can assist you in discovering your true self and help you to grow in your relationship with God and one another.

Sister Eleanor Ewertz, SSND, has returned to the Jefferson City Diocese after spending 25 years in Africa. She is trained in spiritual direction and retreat work and has many years of experience in accompanying people in all walks of life on their spiritual journey. If you are interested and need more information, please contact her. Sister Eleanor Ewertz, SSND

573-635-9127 Ext. 231 eewertz@ssndcp.org

PRAYER OPPORTUNITY

Join us for a morning of guided prayer on: Saturday, February 20, 9:00 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

A.J. Schwartze Catholic Center, next door.

Sponsored by the Centering Prayer Group from Cathedral of St. Joseph and Contemplative Outreach of Central Missouri. Coffee, Tea and Bottled Water provided. Free Will Offering To register or for more information contact Kathy or Jim Penfold at: 573-635-8374 or jkpenfold@embarqmail.com

VOCATION NEWS

PRAY FOR VOCATIONS—The Cathedral Vocations' Committee invites you each week to pray for a Priest, Religious, Deacon and Seminarian serving in our Diocese. This week, please keep in your prayers: Msgr. Michael T. Flanagan, Columbia, Sr. Donna Eggering, OSF, Brookfield, Deacon Dana K. Joyce, Jefferson City, Seminarian Grant A. Monnig, St. Meinrad Seminary. The Diocese has 7 Seminarians.

COME EARLY TO PRAY THE ROSARY: The Most Holy Rosary will be prayed before each Mass for the intention of Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life. Our next Rosary will be on the weekend of **February 6/7**. Join us!

CALLED BY NAME

The Parish Vocations Committee is sponsoring "Called by Name" - a program of vocation awareness that begins January 30. This program offers us an opportunity to pray for vocations; to recognize gifts and potential for leadership and service in members of our parish; and, finally, to call forth and encourage these members to share their gifts in priesthood and religious life. Perhaps you know a single man or woman who would, in your opinion, have qualities to become a priest, sister or brother. There will be an insert in the bulletin; please place the completed form in a specially marked box the weekend of February 6/7, or return it to the Parish Office.

DYNAMIC CATHOLIC LENT PROGRAM

Don't give up chocolate this Lent

Are you searching for a deeper sense of purpose? A clearer understanding of God's plan for your life? What matters most and what matters least? Then it's time to rediscover Jesus.

Based on Matthew Kelly's new bestseller "Rediscover Jesus," Dynamic Catholic's free Best Lent Ever email program will take you on a 40-day spiritual journey to encounter Jesus—and yourself—in a deeply personal way, and begin (or nourish) a habit of daily prayer. Best Lent Ever will be led by Matthew Kelly and will offer daily spiritual coaching via email to all parishioners who sign up by Ash Wednesday (February 10). The Best Lent Ever program is free. Sign up online at BestLentEver.com. Be Bold. Be Catholic. DynamicCatholic.com

RITE OF WELCOME CLASS OF 2016

The Cathedral warmly welcomes the following individuals who will be received into the order of catechumens and candidates. In the months to come they will prepare for their initiation into the Catholic faith by Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist.

Welcome: Jacob Patrick, Ryan Hurr, Steven Wilson, Stephen Sides, Samuel Liebler, Rebecca Stephenson, Brandon Faughn, Hannah Hurr, Christopher Minnix, Michaela Oakes, Sidney Armistead II, Patricia Kersten, Allison Patrick.

K. OF C. LENTEN FISH FRIES

Our Knights of Columbus Fish Fries are held in the Undercroft from 4:30—7:00 p.m. on the following dates during Lent:

February 12 February 19 March 4 March 11



January 31, 2016

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

LECTORS

Saturday, February 6
5:30 p.m. Benita Dallmeyer, Rose Mengwasser
Sunday, February 7
7:00 a.m. Scott Sellner
9:00 a.m. Boy Scouts
11:00 a.m. Julie Brandt,
Sandra Hentges

SERVERS

Saturday, February 6
5:30 p.m. Paige Allen,
Stephanie Dallmeyer, Evan
Highfill, Ava Morrisey
Sunday, February 7
7:00 a.m. Kaitlyn Buker,
Jim Donovan
9:00 a.m. Boy Scouts
11:00 a.m. Jamison Fooks,
Cristian Prasad, Peyton
Wright, Brady Wright

USHERS

Saturday, February 6
5:30 p.m. Ryan Lock, Lucas
Mueller, Curtis Rackers,
Mark Ruether
Sunday, February 7
7:00 a.m. Bob Asahl, Al
Meyer, James Hatcher, Denis
V. Gladbach
9:00 a.m. Tom Eggen,
Mark Schulte, Joe Loethen,
Sean Lovelace
11:00 a.m. Janel Luck, William Van Loo, Joe Page, Walter Malmstrom III

GIFT FAMILY

Saturday, February 6
5:30 p.m. Travis Brune
Sunday, February 7
7:00 a.m. Ken Twehus
9:00 a.m. Leah Hynes, Steven Hynes
11:00 a.m. Jason Bauer,
Jennifer Bauer

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Saturday, February 6 5:30 p.m. Joan Branson, Lois Fairchild, David Gramlich, Brandi Highfill, Amy Ann Hyleck, Richard Hyleck, Ken Kuebler

Sunday, February 7

7:00 a.m. Lucinda Donovan, Pete Donovan, Lana Herbert, Al Meyer, Bernadette Meyer, Barbara Poetker, Larry Poetker

9:00 a.m. Lori Antweiler, Barb Falotico, Gail Kusick, Carol Meyer, DeAnne Rickabaugh, Tim Rickabaugh, Kathleen Wegman

11:00 a.m. Charles F. Kummer, Vicki Kummer, David Lankford, Jill Peters, Chandra Prasad, Ron Schnieders, Jane Verry

GREETERS

Saturday, February 6 5:30 p.m. Melanie Foley, James Foley, Sabrina Hackmann, Darin Hackmann Sunday, February 7

7:00 a.m. Diane hatcher, James Hatcher

9:00 a.m. Jill Smith, Kendal Smith, Melissa Van Dyne, Jay Van Dyne

11:00 a.m. Nichole Means, Michael Means, Steve Wright, Jennifer Wright

MUSIC MINISTERS

Saturday, February 6 5:30 p.m. Dewayne Carver, Tom Halpin Sunday, February 7

7:00 a.m. John Poepsel, Tom Halpin

9:00 a.m. Cathedral Schola, Rose Mengwasser, Tom Halpin

11:00 a.m. Joyful Noise, Matt Tolksdorf

Anyone who cannot serve at their appointed time will kindly arrange for a replacement!

When you are assigned as an offertory family, please let one of the ushers know that you are there for that Mass. THANK YOU!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS & LADIES AUXILIARY NEWS www.kofc12992.com



THE DOOR IS OPEN - Knights are Catholic men, 18 years of age and older, who are committed to making their community a better place while supporting their Church and protecting and enhancing their family life. **Wednesday, February 3**, with dinner at 6:15 p.m.

and our business meeting at 7:00 p.m. The meeting date has moved up a week due to Ash Wednesday.

Wednesday, February 10, remember to receive your Ashes on Ash Wednesday, the first day of Lent.

February 12 and 19 will be our first and second Lenten fish fries in the Undercroft at St Joseph Cathedral. March 4 and 11 will be third and fourth fish fries. These dinners are our largest fund raisers for the Knights, and your attendance is very welcomed.

All of the good works done by the Knights of Columbus are guided by four core principles: Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism. God Bless the Catholic Church, the United States of America and Israel, where Jesus was born

LADIES AUXILIARY will meet on **February 4**. Contact Tina Sellner at (573) 635-6980, with any questions.

DID YOU KNOW?

Our Knights of Columbus Bishop McAuliffee Council has 371 members! In 2015 alone this council raised and contributed \$11,090.00 in funds for local charity. Help us thank and support our Knights! Join our Knights!

WILLIAM H. SIMON SCHOLARSHIP

The William H. (Bill) Simon Scholarship Fund awards scholarships to Catholic students who are in financial need for the purpose of attending an accredited college or university of the student's choice. The scholarship is \$ 1,000 per semester to assist the student in meeting educational needs. It is the intent to award three new scholarships each year; however, the actual number of new awards will be contingent upon the current number of previous recipients that are eligible for renewal.

Applications may be picked up at the Parish Office, School Office or the Chancery.

The deadline for submission of the application, SAR, and letters of recommendation is March 31, 2016.

CATHEDRAL BOOK CLUB

Come join our group for great discussion and meditation on Wednesday, February 3 at 7:00 p.m. in the Mary Room. We are discussing the book, "Praying the Gospels" by Fr. Mitcha Pacwa, SJ.

CATHEDRAL PRO-LIFE COMMITTEE

Welcome, best wishes, and thanks to the new Cathedral Pro-Life Committee members: Cecillia Callahan, Janet Evers, Lynn Marty, Holly Partin-Hicks, James & Teresa Vignola. Thank you to all of the members who assisted with distribution of the petition letters against Planned Parenthood court case this past weekend.



Jefferson City, Missouri

YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

Luke 18 Retreat Team will meet on Sunday's in the Mary room. All high school students helping with this retreat need to be at these meetings starting this Sunday, January 10 at 12:00 p.m.

Luke 18 Retreat for the 7th grade class will be **February 26-28**. The registration forms were mailed to the parents over the Christmas break. Please return as them soon as possible so we can plan accordingly.

NEEDED: Host Homes for the Luke 18 retreat. **February 26-28**. PLEASE consider hosting 4-5 students in your home. All meals are at St. Joseph Cathedral. All they need is a place to sleep! Its a great way to get to know some amazing 7th graders and Helias Students!

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL NEWS www.sjcsmo.org

Red Cross Blood Drive Friday, February 19, 2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. at the Cathedral Undercroft Sponsored by Student Council.

Registration for our parish school is now taking place for kindergarten and preschool students. If you have a child that is not currently enrolled, you can get more information or registration resources by calling (573) 635-5024, e-mailing gbailey@sjcsmo.org or simply stopping by the school office. Thank You!

COME & SEE MONASTIC WEEKEND

The Benedictine Sisters of Perpetual Adoration in Clyde, Missouri, will host a Come and See monastic weekend for women discerning a religious vocation. The event is scheduled for the evening of Friday, March 11, through noon on Sunday, March 13, 2016.

Participants will enter into the rhythm of contemplative life, experience the time and place for listening to God, share with others who might also be discerning a religious vocation and ask vowed religious about monastic life. Those who would like to participate should be single Catholic women between the ages of 18 and 45. The event is free for those participating.

For more information, please contact Vocation Director Sister Ruth Elaine Starman, OSB at (660) 944-2221 or vocation@benedictinesisters.org. Information is also available online at www.BenedictineSisters.org and click on Vocations/Come and See

Prayer for Catholic Schools Week
Lord Jesus, Son of God,
Thank you for the gift of Catholic education.
Day after day, week after week, You give
us many opportunities to grow and learn.
Help us respond to the gift of faith so that we
may be recognized as Your disciples.
Amen.

YOU CAN FIND THE BULLETIN AND CURRENT MONTH CALENDAR ONLINE AT:

www.cathedraljc.org

FAMILIES IN NEED PROGRAM

Items requested for February 9 delivery: Canned Chicken, Taco Shells and Seasoning, Refried beans, Snack Cakes, Paper Towels. Please place in provided containers at all exits of the Cathedral. Thank you for your continued support!

PRO-LIFE NEWS

40 DAYS FOR LIFE OPENING RALLY & PRAYER VIGIL Opening Rally for the 14th 40 Days for Life will be held at Our Lady of Lourdes, Flanagan Hall on Monday February 8 at 6:30 p.m. Kickoff for the 40 Days For Life Prayer Vigil begins Wednesday, February 10 and ends on March 20. The hours to pray with trained core team members are 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. You may register through the vigil calendar at, http://www.40daysforlife.com/columbia-mo or just show up! For more information call Kathy Forck, (573) 340-8444. All are encouraged and strongly urged to be a part of this activism that is saving lives. #MOSaysNo Please continue to pray that Columbia Planned Parenthood has its abortion license revoked soon--very soon! May God bless your sacrifices for the unborn.

UPCOMING EVENTS

February 5

K of C Council 2027 Fish Fry, Loose Creek, serving boneless fish, hush puppies, parsley potatoes, cole slaw, baked bean, and dessert. All you can eat from 5:30—8:00 p.m. in the school basement. Adults \$8 and children \$4.

Eagles Club Heart Fund Lunch and Dinner Fundraiser serving fried chicken with the trimmings, homemade pies, coffee and tea. Proceeds will go to Capital Region Medical Jack Sanders Cardiac Care Unit. Tickets are adults \$10 and children \$5. Lunch serves from 11:00 a.m.—1:30 p.m. and dinner serves 4:30—7:00 p.m. Deliveries of 5 or more please call Eagles Aerie at (573) 636-2440 before 10:30 a.m. and ask for the kitchen.

February 6

Pregnancy Help Center Chili Cook-off and Polar Bear Ride fundraiser at Memorial Baptist Church from 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The cost for chili and hot dogs and dessert is \$10 for adults. The entrance fee for the chili competition is \$25. There are three categories, each having a cash prize judged by celebrity judge. There is also a people's choice prize. If you purchase tickets online by January 31 you will be entered into a drawing for a flat -screen TV. For more details and to pay online and enter the cook-off online go to, friendsofphc.org. Come support the Lord's little ones and have some fun. There will be clowns and face-painting for the kids.

PARISH MISSION AT ST. ANDREW

You are invited to St. Andrew Church, Holts Summit, Parish Mission featuring famed evangelist John Michael Talbot. The theme of this mission will be "Nothing is Impossible with god." The dates of the Mission are March 8, 9, and 10 at 7:00 p.m. John Michael's mission is to renew our faith by transforming lives with his musical and spiritual talents. He is a Grammy Award winning artist/songwriter/preacher. He has been called a "Troubadour of the Lord."

The evening will be without cost, but a free will offering will be taken each evening.



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