And he gave some as apostles, others as prophets,

others as evangelists, others as pastors and teachers,

to equip the holy ones for the WOrk of ministry,

for building up the body of Christ. EPHESIANS 4:11-12

World Day of Prayer for Vocations

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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.

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Cathedral Parish Information

Youth Ministry

636-8597

230-6718

Registering in the Parish

Mrs. Teresa Fritz

Mrs. Gina Newlon

Girl Scouts

Gospel of Life Committee

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

Mrs. Julie Gramlich

695-7991

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



Jefferson City, Missouri

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday, April 17 (World Day of Prayer for Vocations)

7:00 a.m. Wilfred Schulte

9:00 a.m. Betty Elsberry

11:00 a.m. Darlene Bonnot

4:00 p.m. Parishioners, Bobby Burks, Michael Conway

Monday, April 18

6:30 a.m. L&D Members of the Lankford Family

8:00 a.m. Frank & Tillie Oligschlaeger

Tuesday, April 19

6:30 a.m. John & Helen Bottenfield

8:00 a.m. Haley Admire

Wednesday, April 20

6:30 a.m. L&D Members of the Bradshaw Family

8:00 a.m. Pauline Neuner

Thursday, April 21 (St. Anselm)

6:30 a.m. Virginia Annen

8:00 a.m. Melba Wilibrand

7:00 p.m. Andy & Andrea Jones, Ruth Harrell, Rose Mary Jones Friday, April 22

6:30 a.m. L&D Members of the Gebhardt & Herbert Families

8:00 a.m. John & Fronie Evers

Saturday, April 23 (Fifth Sunday of Easter)

5:30 p.m. Parishioners

Sunday, April 24

7:00 a.m. Buford & LaVenia Bondurant

9:00 a.m. Frank Thielemier & Family

11:00 a.m. Mark Naeger

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	
April 3	\$ 69,113.55
April 10	\$ 76,972.45
April 17	\$
April 24	\$
To date for March	\$ 146,056.00
Budget Goal 07/01/15 - 04/10/2016	\$ 1,919,470.35
Sunday Collection 07/01/15 - 04/10/2016	\$ 1,936,189.17
Difference	\$ +16,718.82
Samaritan Center Second Collection	\$ 3,784.25
Monastery Renovation Capital Campaign	
Goal	\$ 914,264.00
Pledged	\$ 788,201.92
Paid	\$ 598,677.92
Donors	253

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

THIS COMING WEEK

Msgr. Lammers 50th Priestly Anniversary Mass & Celebration, 4:00 p.m., Cathedral & Undercroft Vitae Dinner, 7:00 p.m., Capitol Plaza

4/18 No School

Centering Prayers, 12:10 p.m., Chapel

4/19 Missouri House, 10:00 a.m. Finance Council, 6:00 p.m., Parish Office Parish Council, 7:00 p.m., St. Joseph Room Schola Rehearsal, 7:00 p.m., Cathedral & Bishop Marling Room

Priests/Music Director Meeting, 9:00 a.m., 4/20

Parish Office

Missouri House, 10:00 a.m.

Helias Advisory Council, 6:00 p.m., Helias

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

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

PSR, 7:00 p.m., School

4/21 Quilters, 8:45 a.m., Bishop Marling Room Pastor/Principal Meeting, 9:00 a.m., Parish Office Missouri House, 10:00 a.m. Confirmation, 7:00 p.m., Cathedral & Undercroft Rosary, 7:00 p.m., Chapel

4/22 **Chancery Closed**

K of C State Convention, Capitol Plaza

Loose Creek Cathedral Tour, 9:20 a.m. Cathedral

Staff Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Parish Office

Westphalia Cathedral Tour, 10:30 a.m., Cathedral

K of C Steak Dinner, 5:00 p.m., Undercroft

4/23 Franciscan Secular Order, 10:00a.m., St. Joseph Room Confessions, 4:00 p.m., Cathedral K of C State Convention Mass, 4:30p.m, Capital Plaza Catholic Home & Missions Second Collection Weekend

4/24 Welcome Reception, After the 9:00 a.m. Mass, Bride's Room

Blue and Gold Banquet, 12:00—3:00 p.m., Undercroft

PRAYING TOWARD NEXT WEEK: FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

First Reading: Apostles 13: 14, 43-52 **Second Reading:** Revelation 7: 9, 14b-17 Gospel: John 10: 27-30

For I do not seek to understand in order to believe, but I believe in order to understand. For I believe this: unless I believe, I will not understand. -St. Anselm of Canterbury



April 17, 2016

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME to all who gather in our Cathedral Church for the Fourth Sunday of Easter, Msgr. Lammers and Guests.

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. Stanislaus, Wardsville.

CONGRATULATIONS to Cassidy Berendzen and Garrett Grellner who were married in the Cathedral last weekend!

FROM DEATH TO NEW LIFE-The Cathedral Parish Family extends its sympathy and prayers to the families of John Johnson and Jerry Heislen, father of Jennifer Wright. 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.

A LETTER FROM OUR BISHOP

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ.

Many dioceses, including our own, face challenges due to priest shortages, lack of funds, remote geography, or poor parishes. The Catholic Home Missions Appeal answers these needs with grants for projects to strengthen the faith of the people. The Catholic Home Mission Appeal affects the lives of over 9 million U.S. Catholics.

The Marshall Islands cover an area of 500,000 square miles. Travel is often difficult and communication is unreliable. The Islands do not have any native priests and have only one local permanent deacon and sister; and so, the Missionaries of the Sacred Heart provide for the pastoral and sacramental needs of the people. The Marshall Islands welcomed with great joy a seminarian in 2014! Thanks to a grant from the Catholic Home Missions Appeal, they are able to send him to seminary for his studies. He is already a witness and example to other young men on the Islands.

Not all the islands have a resident priest and the Church relies on prayer leaders to lead the Sunday liturgy of Scripture reading and reflection as well as distribution of Communion. Thanks to a grant from Catholic Home Missions, these catechists attend a yearly training and retreat, and new leaders are guided by experienced prayer leaders.

In our own Diocese, a Catholic Home Missions grant helps provide ministry to our growing Hispanic population. The critical work that we do with families, with faith formation, and with lay leadership development is made possible by the Catholic Home Missions.

With your support, next weekend's Catholic Home Missions Appeal will continue to provide catechesis, lay leadership training, seminarian education, and other essential pastoral care. Please be generous and help strengthen the Church at home. Thank you, and God bless you.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Bishop John R. Gaydos

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STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

Today's readings contrast the discouraging experience of Sts. Paul and Barnabas in the First Reading from the Acts of the Apostles to the Glory of Heaven reflected in the Second Reading from the Book of Revelations to the brief but definitive assurance we receive from Jesus Himself in the Gospel Reading from John.

At the beginning of the First Reading Paul and Barnabas find themselves in Antioch in Pisidia after departing from Perga. Perga is a city on coast and Antioch is some 135 miles distance from there located in the mountains in the area called Galatia (you may recall Paul's Letter to the Galatians). There is some scholarly thought that Paul headed to the mountains for health reasons.

Regardless, he and Barnabas initially received acceptance and enthusiasm in relation to their message of Jesus Christ, but then were rejected and banished from the region of Antiochn. If we learn nothing else about Paul and his faith, we learn how devoted and determined he was, how strong and unfailing his faith tended to be. The message for us, of course, is that we need to achieve that same level of determination and commitment felt by Paul. St. Paul found a joy and happiness in his faith — something that we need to strive for, as well. That happiness is within reach for us but we must make an effort to attain it.

St. John's remarkable vision, as reported in the Second Reading from Revelations is filled with insights into Heaven for us. For those in Heaven there is an immediate presence of God. Those in Heaven can approach God and be with Him. There are no obstructions or obstacles. God dwells there "among His people." It is impossible for us to conceive of this, which is why this particular Scriptural passage may seem so unworldly to us. In the Psalms David sang, "May I dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life." That is our desire as well and that is fulfilled in Heaven, not on earth.

Our focus needs to always be on Heaven, certainly during this glorious Easter season. As is also reported in this Second Reading, "The one who sits on the throne will shelter them. They will not hunger or thirst anymore, nor will the sun or any heat strike them." This is truly paradise and that is our ultimate goal. "God will wipe away every tear from their eyes." It almost produces a vision of a loving mother wiping away the tears from the eyes of a child and providing that everlasting comfort. That happens in Heaven nevertheless. If we ask Him and trust in Him, God can provide comfort to us now, but in Heaven he will wipe away our sorrows and pains forever.

The Gospel Reading from St. John is in keeping with the clichéd phrase "short and sweet." Even though the Gospel Reading is not lengthy, the Lord makes some things very clear to us. He reaffirms what we have heard in the Second Reading when He says of His sheep, His flock, His followers, "I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish." This is Heaven as referenced in Revelations. This eternal life is greater than and far beyond what we can imagine having only experienced physical life. Eternal life is never-ending.

"No one can take them out of my hand." As followers of the Lord, as disciples, we know that He will take care of us, that we are safe in His Hands. It is this safety and security that can hold us up when we face the challenges outlined in the First Reading. It is comforting to know that the Hands that created the world created us also, and it is those Hands that keep us safe and hold on to us always.—www.catholicsteward.com



Jefferson City, Missouri

SPIRITUAL OPPORTUNITIES

CENTERING PRAYER will meet next on **April 18** 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.

BAPTISM PREPARATION: Parents requesting the Sacrament of Baptism for their children should be registered members of the parish and contact the Parish Office (573) 635-7991. Parents should try to see that their children are baptized within the first few weeks after birth. A baptism preparation session is required for new parents. Contact Deacon Baker at (573) 636-8935, or: cathmo@diojefficty.org to schedule an appointment



CONGRATULATIONS! Deacon Al Brand

ON YOUR ORDINATION **6 YEARS**

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: Fr. Stephen W. Jones, Jefferson City, Sr. Mary of the Angels Kleman, OCD, Clyde, Deacon Turf D. Martin, Sedalia, Seminarian Mr. Bradley J. Distler, Conception Seminary College. 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 **May 7/8**. Join us!



CONGRATULATIONS! Deacon Christopher Baker

ON YOUR ORDINATION
3 YEARS

CRY ROOM PEWS- SECOND CALL

The four pews in our Cry Room or Bride's Room are in very poor condition. Monsignor Kurwicki is thinking of removing them to open up that room and replace them with chairs. This would enlarge the space and make it more flexible for small receptions. If you have any ideas or comments on this matter, please call him at (573) 635-7991.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Our Cathedral Parishioner Mr. Tyler McClay will be ordained a permanent Deacon on **Saturday, April 30 at 11:00 a.m.** here at the Cathedral by Bishop Gaydos. All fellow parishioners are invited to the Mass and to remember him in prayer during these days before his ordination.

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!

CONFIRMATION CLASS

Bishop John R. Gaydos April 21, 2016

Confirmation Rehearsal is April 20, 7:00 p.m. in the Cathedral. For more information contact Dave Lankford at 635-9454. Confirmation Mass is April 21 at 7:00 p.m.

Confirmation Prayer

God of the Living and the dead, God of our work and play, God of our hope and our love, Grant us peace today. Help us to see your hand in all things, and help us trust your wisdom. Help us see the gifts we have received and use them according to the needs around us to benefit all. Give us a generous heart and a willing spirit to accept the role you have given us. Send us your Holy Spirit to counsel us, to strengthen us, and to guide our ministry. Amen.

Brendan Bena **Kelsey Bradshaw** Kaitlyn Burkemper Addison Caspari-Linhardt Lea Cornelius Louie Delk, Jr. Devin Dirnberger Emma Drummond Molly Farnam Maria Galbraith Sarah Ginther Elizabeth Gordon Jordan Gramlich **Destiny Haslag** Samuel Heckart Blake Heckman **Charles Kusick Clayton Lewis** Cecilia Mehan Michael Mendez

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Christopher Wilbers Jordan Wright

CONGRATULATIONS

The Cathedral Parish wishes to extend its sincere congratulations to our Confirmation Class their sponsors as well as their families. May the outpouring of the Holy Spirit enlighten everyone and grant a special blessing to all who where in charge of their formation. Please make and effort to attend this Mass on Thursday, April 21 at 7:00 p.m. There will be a reception following the Mass in the Undercroft and people are invited to have religious articles blessed by the Bishop and have photographs taken with him. We are proud of our youth and all our families on Confirmation Day.



April 17, 2016

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

LECTORS

Saturday, April 23 5:30 p.m. Julie Gramlich, Ceil Callahan Sunday, April 24 7:00 a.m. Richard Hronick

9:00 a.m. Sue Goedde, Tyler McClay

11:00 a.m. Denise Barnes, Julie Brandt

SERVERS

Saturday, April 23 5:30 p.m. Jake Hoelscher, Sarah Case, Andrew Case Sunday, April 24

7:00 a.m. Josie Starr, Kaitlyn Buker

9:00 a.m. Truman Bonnot, Claire Bonnot

11:00 a.m. Brady Wright, Peyton Wright, Danielle Buker, Adelyn Antoninka

USHERS

Saturday, April 23

5:30 p.m. Mark Mecurio, Jonathan Luebbert, Darin Hackmann, Stuart Howser

Sunday, April 24

7:00 a.m. Jack Dowd, Jim Mullen, Melvin Schebaum, Harold Lepper

9:00 a.m. Steve Houser, Brad Dobbs, Jon Browning, R.M. Techau

11:00 a.m. Tom Eggen, Walter Malmstrom III, Mike Barnes, Philip Rockers

GIFT FAMILY

5:30 p.m. Alan Mudd Sunday, April 24 7:00 a.m. Martha Duemmel 9:00 a.m. Douglas Roy 11:00 a.m. Michael Suresh

Saturday, April 23

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Saturday, April 23

5:30 p.m. Marsha Hayes, John Poepsel, Sherry Poepsel, Linda Samson, Roger Samson, Debbie Stokes, Don Stokes

Sunday, April 24

7:00 a.m. Bob Asahl, Diane Hatcher, Alan Mengwasser, Jim Mullen, Don Schnieders, Dan Schuette, Patrick Woods 9:00 a.m. Brian Johnson, Paul Oligschlaeger, Al Rush, Jerry Schwartze, Kevin Vollet, Maxine Walker

11:00 a.m. Jamison Case, Joy Corwin, Christina Dudenhoeffer, Keith Dudenhoeffer, Kenneth Gartner, Nichole Means, Mike Wilson

GREETERS

Saturday, April 23

5:30 p.m. Thomas Odneal, James Smith, Melissa Smith, William Case

Sunday, April 24

7:00 a.m. Gary Dey, Rose Dey

9:00 a.m. Christina Goedde, Joe Goedde, Lisa Larkin, Michael Larkin

11:00 a.m. Jennifer Wright, Steve Wright, Linda Sallin, Vicki Kummer

MUSIC MINISTERS

Saturday, April 23 5:30 p.m. Gene Vogel, Barbara Odneal Sunday, April 24 7:00 a.m. Tina Sellner,

Scott Sellner

9:00 a.m. Cathedral Cho

9:00 a.m. Cathedral Choir, Annette Kehner

11:00 a.m. Helias Youth, Missy Newberry

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.

The K of C Steak Dinner is April 22 at 5:00 p.m. (only \$15 person) for all Knights and their spouses. A number of Knights from all around the State will be present.

The Knights of Columbus Annual State Convention is April 23 and 24 at the Capitol Hotel in Jefferson City.

April 27 is the next Officers Meeting at 7:00 p.m. in the Bride's Room.

May 1 is the K of C breakfast, with proceeds going to St. Joseph Cathedral School for classroom upgrades to prepare for a third session of kindergarten next year.

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 **May 5 at 6:30 p.m.** in the Undercroft. We will elect next year's officers and have a surprise program. Contact Tina Sellner at (573) 635-6980, with any questions.

RESURRECTION CEMETERY

Monday, April 25 will be the SPRING CEMETERY CLEAN-UP at Resurrection and St. Peter Cemeteries. All floral arrangements and decorations must be removed before this date. This should be done by a person designated by the family. Unauthorized persons found removing flowers and decorations from graves will be prosecuted. NOTE: Saddles and flowers in permanent vases that are a part of the monument will not be removed.

HEADED TO COLLEGE?

If you are leaving to attend Columbia College, Stephens College, Missouri S&T (Rolla), Truman State University, or the University of Missouri, Columbia, it is our hope that you will continue to grow in your faith while you are at college. We would like to help you continue this growth. Please call the parish office at (573) 635-7991, so that we can collect your contact information to send to your respective schools Campus ministries. This will help them communicate with you the programs they have available. Thank you.

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

www.cathedraljc.org



Jefferson City, Missouri

YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

Totus Tuus is a fun and energetic parish based summer program that is beneficial to our young children in that they get to experience the joy that comes from being sons and daughters of Christ. It is a week of learning about prayer and how The Our Father is our first learned prayer that Jesus taught the apostles. They will play games, watch skits, learn prayers, go to Mass, confession, learn songs, all with some amazing young college students.

7th thru 12th grades will be attending in the evening 7:00-9:00 p.m. to experience more about the Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary and have some fun just being with the college students playing games, music, and praying. Please consider signing your children in grades 1-6 up for the week of June 19 thru 24 and grades7-12 the week of June 19 thru 23. Forms can be found in the Parish Office or on the Cathedral youth website, https://jccathedralyouth.wordpress.com/.

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL NEWS

www.sjcsmo.org

Please join us for a McTeacher's night on April 26 4:00—8:00 p.m. at the South Ten Mile Drive McDonald's by Orschelns. Proceeds will go to the St. Joseph Cathedral Technology Committee to help fund replacement of teacher computers and another cart of Chrome books.

Attention Business Owners and Generous Parishioners!

Greg Proske, a representative with LPI, our bulletin printer, will be working on setting up the advertising sponsorships for our bulletin the week of April 25th. Please consider advertising in our bulletin. Advertisements can be purchased for a business, family, or a sponsor ad can be purchased supporting community service organizations, like emergency pregnancy counseling or the battered women's shelter, etc. We need and appreciate your help. If you are interested or would like more information, please call Greg directly at (816) 876-5280. Thank you in advance for your generous support, and please patronize our advertisers!

SEVENTH ANNUAL CATHEDRAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

Date: August 5, 2016

Location: Redfield Golf Course

Lunch: 11:00 a.m. Provided by the K of C

Shotgun Start: 12:30 p.m.

Cost: \$500 per team/\$125 per person



This is a fun way to get to know your fellow parishioners and a great way to promote your business and show your family support. Past proceeds have gone to supplement teachers' salaries, commons and bathroom renovations, athletic uniforms, score boards, archery equipment, field bleachers, new concrete drive behind undercroft. Registration forms are available at the School and Parish offices. Please send all entry forms along with sponsorship fees and team entry fees to the Parish Office.

2016 Major Sponsor, JCMG Laser & Vein Center! Thank You!

FAMILIES IN NEED PROGRAM

Items requested for May 11 delivery: Canned Beef Stew, Instant Mashed Potatoes, Velveeta, Canned Peaches or Pears, Dish Soap. Please place in provided containers at all exits of the Cathedral. Thank you for your continued support!

PRO-LIFE NEWS

New Prayer Hours: Columbia Planned Parenthood, 711 N Providence Monday 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., Tuesday 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., Wednesday 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., Thursday 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., Friday 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. More hours to be added in May.

Closing Rally Dinner for 40 Days for Life: Saturday, May 7 6:00 p.m. Fried chicken dinner donated by St Andrew Council 8400. St Andrew, 400 St Andrew Dr., Holts Summit. Guest Speaker from Silent No More. Please RSVP to, (573) 340 8444 (Midwest March for Life). All are welcome to attend.

UPCOMING EVENTS

An Evening of Jazz with Hermon Mehari at First Christian Church, Jefferson City, April 17 at 6:30 p.m., Free Event!

Fraternal Order of Eagles Auziliary #2693 Past Presidents Chicken Lunch & Dinner serving Eagles famous fried chicken, mashed potatoes and more. Friday, April 29 from 11:00 a.m.—1:30 p.m. and 4:30 p.m.—7:30 p.m. Contact Lavaunne Moore (573) 422-3701 or Anna Mae Schaefer (573) 893-3310 for information or tickets.

Red Cross Blood Drive at Immaculate Conception, Jefferson City, <u>Sunday, April 27</u> starting at 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in Kertz Hall. Biscuits and gravy will be served.

Pregnancy Help Center 5K Walk/Run for Life in Memorial Park April 30 starting at 8:30 a.m. Pre-register at www.friendsofphc.org

Home Sweet Home, Jefferson City Cantorum in Concert at the Miller Performing Arts Center <u>April 30</u> at 7:00 p.m. Tickets: Adults \$10, Youth \$5, Seniors \$8, Family \$25. For more information call (573) 230-2715 or visit www.jeffersoncitycantorum.com.

Spring Dinner at Visitation Catholic Church, K of C Parish Hall in Vienna. <u>Sunday, May 1</u> from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Adults \$10, Children \$5, buffet style with carry outs available.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

God our Father, we thank you for calling men and women to serve in your Son's Kingdom as priests, deacons, religious and consecrated persons.

Send your Holy Spirit to help us respond generously and courageously to your call.

May our community of faith support vocations of sacrificial love in our youth.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever.







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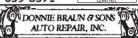
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