



24th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Peter approached Jesus and asked him, “Lord, if my brother sins against me, how often must I forgive? As many as seven times?” Jesus answered, “I say to you, not seven times but seventy-seven times.” - Mt 18:21-22

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	Greeters	Deacon Dan Joyce	634-7959
American Heritage Girls	Mrs. Jennifer Gerber	314-497-0257	Home & School	Mr. Jamie Morris	636-5478
Athletic Committee	Mr. Craig Husting	634-8731	Helias Representative	Heidi Vollet	636-3910
Baptism Preparation	Deacon Christopher Baker	636-8935	Knights of Columbus	Mr. Mark Ruether	659-7869
Bereavement Committee	Mrs. Donna Kuebler	893-6313	Ladies Auxiliary	Mrs. Arlene Taylor	893-6281
Boy Scouts	Mr. Steve Wright	893-9149	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 John Schwartze	616-2138	Nursing Home Visitation	Ms. Lois Fairchild	636-2558
	Mrs. Michelle Varcho	821-1191	Parish Association	Vacant	
	Mr. Bill Luebbert	635-8060	Parish Pastoral Council	Ms. Edie Vogel	636-4650
Charities	Deacon Christopher Baker	636-8935	Parish School of Religion	Mrs. Cara Sue Cockerham	291-4889
Christ Renews His Parish	M/M Tony & Charlotte Wening	761-5193	Prayer Line	Please call the parish office	635-7991
Collection Counters	Mr. Duane Buersmeyer	636-3097	Pro-life	Mr. Ed Bode	635-7874
Confirmation Preparation	Mr. David Lankford	635-9454	Rite of Christian Initiation	Dan Kempker	496-5499
Cub Scouts	Mr. Larry Schulte	690-9449	Samaritan Center Board	Mr. Bernie Fechtel	893-6400
Cursillo	Mr. Brian Johnson	636-5319		Mr. Roger Dudenhoefter	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	Mrs. Lori Buchanan	636-9357
Divorce Assistance Group	Parish Office	635-7991	School Principal	Mr. Spencer L. Allen	635-5024
Edge Youth Program	Mrs. Julie Gramlich	644-4965	Secular Franciscan Order	Mr. Patrick Smith, OFS	592-1972
Episcopal Servers	Fr. Joshua Duncan	635-7991	Special Event Dinners	Mrs. Janice Houser	636-9842
Eucharistic Adoration	Mr. John Poepsel	893-8173	St. Brigid Quilters	Mrs. Rosana Weidinger	893-3493
Extraordinary Ministers			Steering Committee	Monsignor Kurwicki	635-7991
of Holy Communion	Fr. Joshua Duncan	635-7991	Stewardship Committee	Mr. Joseph Boland	761-4890
Faith Connection Committee	Mrs. Denise Barnes	636-9754	Ushers	Mr. Bob Asahl	584-8010
Finance Council	Vacant		Vocation Committee	Mrs. Denise Barnes	636-9754
Funeral Luncheon	Mrs. Pat Dowd	635-4507	Welcoming Committee	Mrs. Amanda Geiger	635-7991
Girl Scouts	Maria Stokes	314-724-8531	Youth Ministry	Mrs. Julie Gramlich	644-4965
Gospel of Life Committee	Mrs. Gina Newlon	230-6718			

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.

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.

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 at least six months in advance. Ordinarily, no marriages are celebrated during Lent.



Jefferson City, Missouri

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE **THIS COMING WEEK**

Sunday, September 24 (Twenty-Fifth Sunday)
 7:00 a.m. Martha Duemmel
 9:00 a.m. Kevin Kempker
 11:00 a.m. Ned Penfold

Monday, September 25 (Cathedral Parish Birthday)
 6:30 a.m. Pat Leary
 8:00 a.m. Parishioners

Tuesday, September 26 (SS. Cosmas & Damian)
 6:30 a.m. Henry Vetter
 8:00 a.m. Charlie Kusick

Wednesday, September 27 (St. Vincent de Paul)
 6:30 a.m. L&D Members of Herbert & Gebhardt Families
 8:00 a.m. Denny Hayes

Thursday, September 28
 6:30 a.m. Susie Barrett
 8:00 a.m. Clete Duebbert

Friday, September 29 (SS. Michael, Gabriel, & Raphael)
 6:30 a.m. Rose & August Schwarzer
 8:00 a.m. Mrs. Henry Vetter

Saturday, September 30 (Twenty-Sixth Sunday)
 5:30 p.m. Joseph Mickes

Sunday, October 1
 7:00 a.m. Parishioners
 9:00 a.m. Fr. Kenneth M. McDonnell
 11:00 a.m. John Malley

9/24 **Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Confirmation Class, 9:00 a.m., School Commons

9/25 **Centering Prayers**, 12:10 p.m., Chapel
RCIA, 6:30 p.m., School
Understanding the Bible, 7:00 p.m., Mary Room

9/26 **Cub Scouts**, 6:00 p.m., Undercroft
Welcome Committee, 6:00 p.m., St. Joseph Room
Faith Connection Committee, 6:30 p.m., Mary Room
Schola Rehearsal, 6:30 p.m., Cathedral

9/27 **40 Days for Life, September 27-October 5**
Adult Choir, 7:00 p.m., Cathedral & BMR
K of C Officers, 7:00 p.m., Bride's Room
Women's Bible Study, 7:00 p.m., Mary Room

9/28 **Quilters**, 8:45 a.m., Bishop Marling Room
Hand Bells, 7:00 p.m., Bishop Marling Room
Rosary, 7:00 p.m., Chapel

9/29 **Staff Meeting** 9:30 a.m., Parish Office
Helias Homecoming Weekend

9/30 **Men's Prayer Group**, 7:00 a.m., Bishop Marling Room
Morning with Mary Marion Movement of Priest,
 9:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m. Cathedral
Confessions, 4:00 p.m., Cathedral
El Puente Second Collection Weekend

10/1 **Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**
Respect Life Sunday
Confirmation Class, 9:00 a.m., School Commons
Joyful Noise, 9:15 a.m., Undercroft
TEC 40th Anniversary, 10:00 a.m.—8:00 p.m.,
 Undercroft

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 07/1/17-6/30/18	\$	2,582,708.00
Budget Goal per Month	\$	215,225.67
Weekly Goal	\$	49,667.46
<u>Collection</u>		
September 3	\$	53,440.87
September 10	\$	97,021.00
September 17	\$	26,241.52
September 24	\$	
To date for September	\$	150,461.87
Budget Goal Year to Date	\$	596,009.57
Sunday Collection Year to Date	\$	603,936.05
Difference	\$	7,926.48
Hurricane Harvey Special Collection	\$	11,900.16

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

PRAYING TOWARD NEXT WEEK: TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN OT

First Reading: Ezekiel 18:25-28
Second Reading: Philippians 2:1-11
Gospel: Matthew 21:28-32

2017 CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

SAVE THE DATE

Our only parish fundraiser will be held **Sunday, November 12** from **Noon until 6:00 p.m.** in the undercroft. This annual turkey dinner gives everyone a chance to eat like a champion! Our goal this year with the Bazaar and Grand Raffle is to fund one project:

Handicap accessibility to the front entrance of the Parish Office.

GRAND RAFFLE: keep selling your tickets for the Grand Raffle to be held at the Christmas Bazaar. **First prize is \$5,000.00 second prize \$500.00.** If you need more tickets, they are available at the parish office. As a parish, we have sold **231** tickets!

FR. SHORTT UPDATE

Father Pat's recovery is making progress. It was determined that the infection that was causing all the problems has now been eliminated. However, Father Pat had to undergo various surgeries in his right leg to find and treat the infection, which created a wound that needs to heal. Also, to overcome the infection they needed to remove his hip replacement. It will take more time for healing before they decide how or when to proceed with another hip replacement.. He still will be undergoing difficult physical therapy to improve his physical condition and thanks everyone for all your prayers and appreciates all visits at Landmark Hospital in Columbia, MO.



SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME to all who gather in our Cathedral Church for the **Twenty-Fifth Sunday!**

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. Michael, Kahoka.**

SCRIP may be purchased at the school during regular hours. Please support our school!

FROM DEATH TO NEW LIFE-The Cathedral Parish Family extends its sympathy and prayers to the family of **Jerry Hoelscher**, father of Tim Hoelscher. May he have eternal rest in his heavenly home and may the Lord give comfort and peace to his loved ones who mourn their loss.

CONGRATULATIONS Adeline Fiecke who was baptized in the Cathedral last weekend!

EL PUENTE SECOND COLLECTION

On **September 30/October 1** the Cathedral will take up a second collection for El Puente. El Puente has been serving the Spanish speaking in Mid-Missouri since 1999. Please help this ministry of the Sisters of Charity of the Incarnate Word and the Diocese to continue to assist those in need in our community. Your support is needed. Contact, 573 635-2540 or www.el-puente-mo.org.

OPEN HOUSE

The Cathedral Rectory Gardens will be open to the public on **Sunday, October 1**, after the 7:00 a.m. Mass until dusk. It is the Feast of the Little Flower so please keep our Carmelites in your prayers that day in a special way.

CARMELITE HERITAGE ROOM

On **Sunday, October 1**, the Feast of the Little Flower, the room adjacent to the Cathedral Adoration Chapel, the Carmelite Heritage Room, will be open. After your prayers, please enter and enjoy the rich heritage of this prayerful community. Our gratitude to the many donors who made this gift possible as well as those who contributed articles/artifacts for the preservation of their heritage and memory in Jefferson City.

OCTOBER COUNT

Volunteers are needed to stand at every entrance of the Cathedral at each Mass every weekend in October to count attendees. We have clickers to assist you with the counting. Some like to make this a family volunteer project. Those assisting should arrive 30 minutes prior to the Mass. The counters (clickers) are in the Ushers' Room. Count everyone, priests, musicians, servers, and infants. Count until the first reading. There will be forms in the Ushers' Room to record your count total.

Please consider volunteering for this at the Mass you attend on the following Weekends at 5:30 p.m., 7:00 a.m., 9:00 a.m., or 11:00 a.m. October 1, October 7-8, October 14-15, October 21-22, and October 28-29 Please call the Parish Office at (573) 635-7991, if you are able to dedicate your time.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

In our First Reading from the Book of Isaiah, God reminds us that He does not think in the same way that we do. "For my thoughts are not your thoughts." That is quite clear in our Gospel today from Matthew, which relates the Parable of the Workers in the Vineyard. In the Gospel parable, God (who is represented by the landowner) does something which from our human perspective may seem unfair and unjust. What we must keep in mind is that the landowner did not treat anyone unfairly. He may have seemed more generous to some than to others, but again that is from our perspective. We can be absolutely certain that God will never be unfair to us. The Lord may bestow greater blessings on others, some of whom again from our perspective may seem less deserving. God is a righteous God. Through stewardship we acknowledge that everything comes to us from God. All our blessings may seem to be more or less than we deserve, but if we are grateful for what we have and what we are, we will then recognize God's generosity and His grace. The important thing to us should not be and cannot be whether we are first or last. What is central is that we are part of the Kingdom of God. That should be sufficient for us. We get into trouble when we conclude that God should think the way we do.." catholicsteward.com

CATHEDRAL SECURITY CAMERAS

In light of the recent Church vandalism at Westphalia and Bowling Green, the Cathedral Church will be installing security cameras at the doors during this week. Our school, parish office, and rectory have cameras and this will complete our security plan. Our gratitude to the donors.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO US!

The oldest parish in the USA is St. Augustine in Florida founded in 1565. The oldest parish in the Diocese of Jefferson City is St. Stephen of Indian Creek founded in 1833. Our parish is 58 years old today. We recall the anniversary of the First Mass celebrated on **Sunday, September 25, 1959**, by Fr. Francis O'Duignan. **A parish begins with the Eucharist, and ends without it!**

A Parish Prayer

My parish is composed of people like me. I help make it what it is. It will be friendly, if I am. It will be holy, if I am. Its pews will be filled, if I help fill them. It will do great work, if I work. It will be prayerful, if I pray. It will make generous gifts to many causes if I am a generous giver. It will bring others into its worship, if I invite and bring them. It will be a parish of loyalty and love, of fearlessness and faith, Of compassion, charity and mercy, if I, who make it what it is, am filled with theses same things. Therefore, with the help of God, I now dedicate myself to the task of being all the things that I want my parish to be. Amen.

BLESSED POPE PAUL VI

September 26 is the feast of Blessed Pope Paul VI, the Pope who made our Church a Cathedral in 1968. Pray that from heaven he will ask Jesus to bless our parish.



Jefferson City, Missouri

SPIRITUAL OPPORTUNITIES

CENTERING PRAYER will meet next on **September 25** 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. Contact Barbara Poetker at (573) 893-2064.

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

SUPPORT GROUP for individuals experiencing separation and/or divorce issues, meets the **first Tuesday** of each month in the Cathedral Bride's Room. Please contact Parish Office at (573) 635-7991, if you are interested in attending or would like more information.

COUPLE-TO-COUPLE LEAGUE is hosting classes on Natural Family Planning (NFP). The next meeting is **October 8, 2:00 p.m.**, in the Mary Room. Call Mark or Chelle Smith Vandergriff, (573) 893-3319 to register.

CURSILLO ULTREYA: The Jefferson City Area Cursillo Ultraya will meet at St. Peter, Jefferson City on **October 10** at **7:00 p.m.**

CATHOLIC STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

The diocesan Catholic Stewardship Appeal begins in our parish next weekend. Bishop Gaydos' appeal letter should arrive in your mailbox sometime during the first week of October. The CSA theme this year is **"One Faith. One Family."** which reminds us that there is no such thing as a solitary Christian. In Christ, we are all brothers and sisters who work together and follow our Savior's call to love and serve others. Please reflect on the information about CSA that you'll see in coming weeks, and how you might help support the diocesan ministries that serve this and other parishes in our diocese.

VIRTUS TRAINING

Studies show that one in four females, and one in six males, will be a victim of sexual abuse by the time they reach the age of 18. You can help prevent this from happening. The Diocese of Jefferson City will hold a VIRTUS® Protecting God's Children class on **Sunday, September 24, 2017** at **1:00 p.m.** at the Alphonse J. Schwartze Catholic Center, Jefferson City. The Catholic Center is located behind the Cathedral of St. Joseph. Class will be held in Room 306. Participants are encouraged to register in advance at www.virtus.org. Please arrive early so that the class may begin on time.

WOMEN'S BIBLE/BOOK STUDY

The Women's Bible/Book Study will meet **Wednesday, September 27** at **7:00 p.m.** in the Mary Room. The title of the new book from Word Among Us is "My Soul Magnifies the Lord: A Scriptural Journey with Mary" by Jeanne Kun. The cost of the book is \$12.00. For more information or to order a book email charlottewening@hotmail.com or call Andi Olsen 635-5508.

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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. David A. Means, Chamois/Morrison, Sr. Mary Elizabeth Rune, SSND, Cuba/Bourbon/Steelville, Deacon Bruce Mobley, Macon, & Seminarian Mr. Taylor Leffers, Conception Seminary College. The Diocese has 8 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 **October 7/8**. Join us!

FEAST OF ST. FRANCIS, BLESSING OF PETS

In honor of the Feast Day of Saint Francis, Msgr. Kurwicky will have a blessing of the pets on **October 4** at 2:30 in the Undercroft parking lot located in the back of the Cathedral.

CURSILLO SCHOOL OF LEADERS

Cursillo USA is 60 Years Old!

A global movement started in Spain in 1944, the Cursillo movement is now recognized by the Roman Catholic Church and has been a presence in the United States for sixty years. The US Cursillo movement holds an annual gathering that all Cursillistas are invited to attend called National Cursillo Encounter. This year's encounter was held in late July in San Antonio, Texas, attended by 740 Cursillistas and represented 7 language groups. Jefferson City Diocese Cursillo Lay Director, Beth Schroeder, attended this year's National Cursillo Encounter and will be sharing what she discovered about the national Cursillo movement and what it means for us going forward at this September's School of Leaders, **Saturday, September 23, 10:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m. at the Alphonse J. Schwartze Memorial Catholic Center, Jefferson City.** Come join your fellow Cursillistas for a morning of reflection and fellowship. Light refreshments will be served. Contact Monica Galarza for more information, 573-465-3628, mLL20047@hotmail.com.

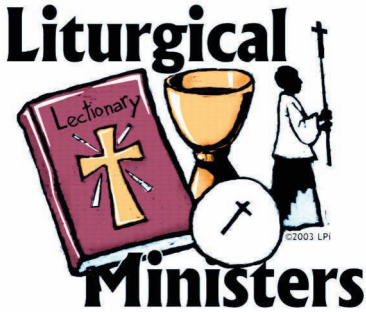
OUR LADY OF FATIMA CELEBRATION

In honor of the 100th Anniversary of the final Apparition of Our Lady at Fatima, Portugal, the Cathedral will host Fr. Charles Becker on **Sunday, October 15** at the **11:00 a.m. Mass.** Following Mass, Fr. Becker will talk about the Apparitions at Fatima and forming Prayer Cenacles in the manner of the Marian Movement of Priests. Fr. Charles Becker is priest of the Archdiocese of Chicago and will be the celebrant of Mass and our speaker. Father Becker is the National Responsible for the Marian Movement of Priest in the United States of America. Following the formal presentation, Fr Becker will answer questions for those interested in forming Cenacles or having personal questions for Fr. Becker. Everyone is invited and there is no cost. For more information contact David Lankford, 573-694-8362 or davidlankford2@gmail.com



September 24, 2017

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES



LITURGICAL Ministers
GIFT FAMILY
 Saturday, September 30
 5:30 p.m. David Hicks
 Sunday, October 1
 7:00 a.m. Leslie Woods
 9:00 a.m. Lauren Shipley
 11:00 a.m. Alice Messenger

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION
 Saturday, September 30
 5:30 p.m. Carolyn Case, Jennifer Luebbert, Tammy Meyer, Christopher Pierce, Linda Samson, Roger Samson, Norman Weavers
 Sunday, October 1
 7:00 a.m. Lois Bonnot, John Dowd, Judith Lewis, Richard McCarty, Elizabeth Page
 9:00 a.m. Christina Baker, Anna Crider, Thomas Imhoff, Monica Kusick, Andrea Olsen, Colette Tellman, Leigh Ann Torres
 11:00 a.m. Kimie Bax, Tesa Harrison, Charles Kummer, Vicki Kummer, Deborah Sackman, Steve Wright

MUSIC MINISTERS
 Saturday, September 30
 5:30 p.m. Dewayne Carver, Tom Halpin
 Sunday, October 1
 7:00 a.m. Dennis Kroll/Janet Theby, Tom Halpin
 9:00 a.m. Schola, John Poepsel, Tom Halpin
 11:00 a.m. Nick Gladbach, Tom Halpin

GREETERS
 Saturday, September 30
 5:30 p.m. Kathy Archer, Larry Archer, Mildred Burks, Nicole Hackmann
 Sunday, October 1
 7:00 a.m. Anne Maher, Don Schnieders
 9:00 a.m. John Backues, Shelba Backues, Tina Bradshaw, Evelyn Loethen
 11:00 a.m. John Jurgovan, Richard Jurgovan, Marcella Kempker, Ashley Sennott

LECTORS
 Saturday, September 30
 5:30 p.m. John Renner, Margaret Boulch
 Sunday, October 1
 7:00 a.m. Jeffrey Ogden
 9:00 a.m. Ken Hussey, Scott Sellner
 11:00 a.m. Help Needed, Jennifer Wright

SERVERS
 Saturday, September 30
 5:30 p.m. Ava Morrissey, Unfilled Positions Help Needed
 Sunday, October 1
 7:00 a.m. Unfilled Positions Help Needed
 9:00 a.m. Burke Bauer, Truman Bonnot, David Cepeda, Enzo Lenart
 11:00 a.m. Brock Buschjost, Unfilled Positions Help Needed

USHERS
 Saturday, September 30
 5:30 p.m. Jonathan Browning, William Case, Darin Hackmann, Mark Mercurio
 Sunday, October 1
 7:00 a.m. Rich Anderson, James Mullen, Joseph Page, Melvin Schebaum
 9:00 a.m. Roger Dudenhoefter, Todd Scherr, Larry Schulte, Jeffrey Willson
 11:00 a.m. Janel Luck, Timothy Owen, Tom Verry, Samuel Verslues

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



The Knights of Columbus 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. If you would like to join us, please contact Grand Knight Mark Ruether at 659-7869.

2017 Youth Soccer Challenge, Saturday September 30, 2017, De La Salle Soccer Field, Crusader Sports Complex, 1305 Swifts Highway. 12:00 pm Registration, 1:30 pm Challenge begins (immediately after the Helias Catholic Boys Soccer vs. Hannibal match) and will be completed by 2:30pm. Contestants will receive free admission to the Helias Catholic vs. Hannibal match. Knights of Columbus Council-Level Soccer Challenge is a competition, open to all boys and girls between the ages of 9 and 14, to demonstrate their soccer skills on penalty kicks. Each player takes 15 shots on goal from the penalty line (12 yards from the goal); there is no goalie. Points for each kick are determined by the placement of the kick within the goal.

Drive for Persons with Developmental Disabilities, formerly known as the Tootsie Roll Drive, October 6-7. Our council will pass out Tootsie Rolls and collect donations at Walmart on Stadium Blvd. and Sams Club. Help is needed, please contact Steve Daniels at 893-4753 to volunteer.

All of the good works done by the Knights of Columbus are guided by four core principles: Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism.

LADIES AUXILIARY Next Meeting **October 5**. Please join us for Deacon Tyler McClays presentation on the 50th Anniversary of the Missouri Catholic Conference. All are welcome to come! A brief meeting will follow the presentation with refreshments. Members, please remember to ring an item for the Christmas Bazaar Basket relating to family game night. Contact Arlene Taylor 573-893-6281 for more.

CRAFT GET TOGETHER

Thursday, September 28 interested folks will be getting together to make items for the craft booth at the Christmas Bazaar from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. in the Mary Room. The first project will be Christmas cards and notes. Contact Linda Wenzlick at 573-659-0986 by Tuesday, September 26 to RSVP.

MID AMERICA TEC TURNS 40!

To celebrate the 40th anniversary, TEC seeks long lost family and friends! The theme this year is Isaiah 60:4, "Your people are gathering to come home." and takes place Sunday, October 1 at the Cathedral of St. Joseph Undercroft. Mass begins at 2:00 p.m. Followed by games, silent auction, dinner, and closing prayer.

UNDERSTAND SUNDAY SCRIPTURES

Study the Mass readings in advance for the 26th Sunday, Ordinary Time. Come to the Mary Room, **Monday, September 25** at 7:00 p.m. to learn the whole context of Ezekiel 18, Psalm 25, Philippians 2, and Matthew 21. Bring your bible and contact Ed Bode in the evenings with questions, 573-635-7874.

YOU CAN FIND THE BULLETIN AND CURRENT MONTH CALENDAR ONLINE AT:
www.cathedraljc.org



Jefferson City, Missouri

FAMILIES IN NEED PROGRAM

FAMILIES IN NEED: Items requested for **October 10** delivery: **Chicken Noddle Soup, Snack Cakes, Canned Green Beans, Shampoo, Paper Towels.** Please place in provided containers at all exits of the Cathedral. Thank you for your continued support!

YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

Thank you to all who contributed to the NCYC Rummage Sale Fundraiser. We had a great turn out and are very grateful. Our total raised was **\$3480.57**

The next NCYC Fundraiser is a BUNCO night scheduled for Thursday November 2, 7:00-10:00 p.m. in the undercroft. Look for a flier coming soon!

Parents next time you are in school take notice of the new banners and pictures throughout that are a part of our Youth Ministry, school, and during the EDGE programs, Masses, retreats and religion classes. Virtue and Saint of the Month. This month we are focusing on Respect and the Virtue of Justice while learning about Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati.

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL NEWS sjcsmo.org

St. Joseph Cathedral School is now excited to invite you to be a part of a parish effort to transform our gymnasium into a facility that will match the impressive school addition, which furthers our mission of strong academics and discipleship. In the next few weeks, upon approval to run our capital campaign, our committee will share architectural renderings and other information to help your family in consideration of support. Following this, families will have the opportunity to pledge using electronic or paper pledge forms. Opportunities for recognitions and sponsorships also available, so please share with interested family/friends. In addition to an attractive exterior, our new addition will benefit our students and parish community in so many ways: **Heating and air-conditioning, A deeper, wider stage with dressing rooms, Expanded athletic court, with a drop-down divider to reduce late-night practices, Private "locker rooms" for athletics and physical education, ADA bathrooms with exterior access for recess use, Expanded storage, Automated equipment.** As you consider your gift, remember that a matching donation automatically doubles the impact of your generosity. A \$3,000 pledge to the school becomes a \$6,000 step toward our overall goal of \$1.75 million. Increasing that pledge just \$500 turns that \$6,000 to \$7000. With the enthusiasm we are already seeing from early pledges, we are hopeful of breaking ground early in 2018! But we need your support. Families can make up-front donations or contribute over a suggested three-year period, but as soon as we have half of our pledges in-hand and a contractor is selected, construction can begin. Our student athletes and actors could be in a new facility by early next school year. Please discuss and pray about your support for this Expanding Opportunity, which will benefit our current students, as well as generations who choose St. Joseph Cathedral School. You will have opportunities to pledge within the next couple weeks!

PRAYER TO SAINT MICHAEL, GABRIEL & RAPHAEL, ARCHANGELS, SEPTEMBER 29

Heavenly King, You have given us archangels to assist us during our pilgrimage on earth. Saint Michael is our protector; I ask him to come to my aid, fight for all my loved ones, and protect us from danger. Saint Gabriel is a messenger of the Good News; I ask him to help me clearly hear Your voice and to teach me the truth. Saint Raphael is the healing angel; I ask him to take my need for healing and that of everyone I know, lift it up to Your throne of grace and deliver back to us the gift of recovery. Help us, O Lord, to realize more fully the reality of the archangels and their desire to serve us. Holy angels, pray for us. Amen.

MISSOURI CATHOLIC CONFERENCE 50TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Celebrate 50 years of the Missouri Catholic Conference (MCC) at their 50th Anniversary on **Saturday, October 7, 2017 at the Cathedral.** Everyone is invited to this free event. The event includes an address by Apostolic Nuncio to the United States, Archbishop Christophe Pierre. Workshops with a focus on Catholic education, pro-life, and social justice will be offered. A hot, free lunch is provided, and the day will end with a Mass at 2:15 p.m. . Please pre-register for the event by going to MOCatholic.org or call 1-800-456-1679. **This Mass counts for your weekend observance. No Confessions here that Saturday!**

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 24

St. Peter Parish, Fulton Fall Festival serving fried chicken and baked ham dinners from 11:00 a.m.—6:00 p.m. Also featuring games, country store, car show, bingo, beer garden and much more! Adults \$11 and children \$5.

Our Lady, Help of Christians, Frankenstein Fall Festival serving whole baked turkey & country sausage dinners from 11:00 a.m.—6:00 p.m. Adults \$11, children \$4 with a country & craft store!

Visitation Parish, Vienna Fall Festival in the K of C, Koerber Hall. Serving whole hog sausage & fried chicken dinners buffet style from 11:00 a.m.—6:00 p.m. Adults \$11, children \$5 with a country store, seasonal crafts, raffle and more!

St. Martin Church Fall Festival serving fried chicken and sausage dinners from 11:00 a.m.—6:00 p.m. Adults \$11, children \$5 with live entertainment, country store and more!

October 1

St. Andrew Parish Fall Festival, Holts Summit, serving turkey and sausage dinners buffet style from 11:00 a.m.—5:30 p.m. Adults \$10, children \$5.

October 7

St. Anthony's Craft Fair and Salad Luncheon in Camdenton from 9:00 a.m. –3:00 p.m. \$10 per person. For vendor information contact Pud Webb at 573-286-0815 or stanthonyyouth@sbcglobal.net

2nd Annual Missouri Capitol Rosary Rally at the Capitol Rotunda 10:00 a.m. to celebrate the Feast of Our Lady of the Rosary. Contact Mark Kiser, 417-986-9507.

October 8

St. George Parish, Hermann Smorgasbord, serving three meats and all the fixings from 11:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m. Adults \$12, children \$5 with a country store and a Polka Mass at 10:30 a.m.

St. Stanislaus, Wardsville Fall Festival serving fried chicken and whole hog dinners family style from 11:00 a.m.—6:00 p.m. Adults \$11, children \$6 with a raffle, country store, kids games and more!

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