

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

“You have heard that it was said, *An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth.* But I say to you, offer no resistance to one who is evil. When someone strikes you on your right cheek, turn the other one as well.” – Mt 5:38-39



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. Doug Smentkowski	636-0419
Bereavement Committee	Mrs. Donna Kuebler	893-6313	Ladies Auxiliary	Mrs. Arlene Taylor	893-6281
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 John Schwartz	616-2138	Nursing Home Visitation	Ms. Lois Fairchild	636-2558
	Mr. Fred Kummer	636-7939	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	Samaritan Center Board	Mr. Bernie Fechtel	893-6400
Cub Scouts	Mr. Larry Schulte	690-9449		Mr. Roger Dudenhoeffer	893-8483
Cursillo	Mr. Brian Johnson	636-5319		Mr. Don Schnieders	893-5990
Director of Music	Mr. Thomas Halpin	635-7991		(Member at Large)	
Divine Worship & Spiritual			School Board President	Mrs. Lori Buchanon	
Development Committee	Monsignor Kurwicki	635-7991	School Principal	Mr. Spencer L. Allen	635-5024
Divorce Assistance Group	Parish Office	635-7991	Secular Franciscan Order	Mr. Patrick Smith, OFS	592-1972
Edge Youth Program	Mrs. Julie Gramlich	644-4965	Special Event Dinners	Mrs. Janice Houser	636-9842
Episcopal Servers	Fr. Joshua Duncan	635-7991	St. Brigid Quilters	Mrs. Rosana Weidinger	893-3493
Eucharistic Adoration	Mr. John Poepsel	893-8173	Steering Committee	Monsignor Kurwicki	635-7991
Extraordinary Ministers			Stewardship Committee	Mr. Joseph Boland	761-4890
of Holy Communion	Fr. Joshua Duncan	635-7991	Ushers	Mr. Bob Asahl	584-8010
Finance Council	Vacant		Vocation Committee	Mrs. Ginny Bockwinkel	893-7979
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.

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.

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 **THIS COMING WEEK**

Sunday, February 19
 7:00 a.m. Parishioners
 9:00 a.m. Dale Redel
 11:00 a.m. Herman Oligschlaeger

Monday, February 20
 6:30 a.m. Lew Hancock
 8:00 a.m. Wilfred Schulte

Tuesday, February 21 (St. Peter Damian)
 6:30 a.m. Cletus Meister
 8:00 a.m. Larry Nobbman

Wednesday, February 22 (Chair of St. Peter)
 6:30 a.m. Anton Jurgensmeyer
 8:00 a.m. Susie Barrett

Thursday, February 23 (St. Polycarp)
 6:30 a.m. L&D of the Perrault Family
 8:00 a.m. Thomas Buel

Friday, February 24
 6:30 a.m. Florence Weiler
 8:00 a.m. Mildred O'Donnell

Saturday, February 25 (Alleluia Sunday)
 5:30 p.m. Eddie Lawliss

Sunday, February 26
 7:00 a.m. Parishioners
 9:00 a.m. Sheri Buchanan
 11:00 a.m. L&D of the John Malley Family

2/19 Luke 18 Meeting, 12:00 p.m., Mary Room
Confirmation Retreat, All Day, Undercroft
Little Sisters of the Poor Appeal Weekend

2/20 **Centering Prayers**, 12:10 p.m., Chapel
 RCIA, 6:30 p.m., School
Understanding the Bible, 7:00 p.m., Mary Room

2/21 **Priests' Reception**, 5:00 p.m., Rectory
M.O.M. Group, 7:00 p.m., Mary Room
Schola, 6:30 p.m., Bishop Marling Room

2/22 **Priests/Music Director Mtg.**, 9:00 a.m., Parish Office
Deacons Lunch, 12:00 p.m., Parish Office
McTeacher Night, 4:00-8:00 p.m., McDonalds, 10 Mile Rd
Finance Council, 6:00 p.m., Parish Office
Adult Choir, 7:00 p.m., Bishop Marling Room & Cathedral
K of C Officers Meeting, 7:00 p.m., Bride's Room
Parish Council, 7:00 p.m., St. Joseph Room
PSR, 7:00 p.m., School Commons
Women's Bible Study, 7:00 p.m., Mary Room

2/23 **Quilters**, 8:45 a.m., Bishop Marling Room
Pastor/Principal Meeting, 9:00 a.m. Parish Office
Rosary, 7:00 p.m., Chapel

2/24 **Staff Meeting**, 9:30 a.m., Parish Office
Al Rush Retirement Lunch, 12:00 p.m., Parish Office
Luke 18 Retreat, Undercroft

2/25 **Men's Prayer Group**, 7:00 a.m., Bishop Marling Room
Scouting for Food, 8:00—11:00 a.m., Undercroft
Franciscan Secular Order, 9:45 a.m., St. Joseph Room
Marian Movement Prayer Group, 9:45 a.m., Bride's Room
Luke 18 Retreat, Undercroft
Confessions, 4:00 p.m., Cathedral

2/26 **Alleluia Sunday**
Luke 18 Meeting, 12:00 p.m., Mary Room

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 07/1/16-6/30/17	\$	2,507,483.50
Budget Goal per Month	\$	208,956.96
Weekly Goal	\$	48,220.84
<u>Collection</u>		
February 5	\$	45,978.52
February 12	\$	63,698.30
February 19	\$	
February 26	\$	
To date for February	\$	109,676.82
Budget Goal 07/01/16 - 02/05/2017	\$	1,591,287.72
Sunday Collection 07/01/16 - 02/05/2017	\$	1,661,131.30
Difference	\$	+69,846.58
Samaritan Center Second Collection	\$	3,974.75

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

COLLECTION COUNTERS NEEDED

We are looking for parishioners to step forward to assist with counting on the second Sunday of each month as well as the occasional fifth Sunday collections. Contact the Parish Office at 573-635-7991 to volunteer!

PRAYING TOWARD NEXT WEEK: ALLELUIA SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Isaiah 49: 14-15
Second Reading: Corinthians 4: 1-5
Gospel: Matthew 6: 24-34

TASH *Wednesday* **LENT BEGINS, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1**
A DAY OF FAST AND ABSTINENCE
Masses: 6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 12:10 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.

ALL MASSES WILL BE IN THE CATHEDRAL PROPER DURING LENT

STATIONS OF THE CROSS
 This devotion will be held each Friday of Lent at 2:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.

CATHEDRAL BOOK CLUB

The Cathedral Book Club will be reading the book "How to Listen When God is Speaking" by, Fr. Mitch Pacwa, SJ. We will meet to discuss the book **March 18: 9:30 a.m.** in the Mary Room. All are welcome. Books can be purchased at the parish office for \$12 or you can order from wau.org/books.org



February 19, 2017

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME to all who gather in our Cathedral Church for the **Seventh Sunday, Little Sisters of the Poor, & Confirmation Retreat.**

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. Peter, Marshall**

COLD AND FLU SEASON - As the time of the year for colds and flu is here, if you are ill, please be considerate of others at the sign of peace and receiving the Blood of Christ.

PRAYER LINE - If you are sick, or know of someone who is, and would like to be added to the parish prayer line, **please call the parish office (573) 635-7991.**

FROM DEATH TO NEW LIFE-The Cathedral Parish Family extends its sympathy and prayers to the families of **Jeremy Jones, Erma Heislen** grandmother of Jennifer and Steve Wright and **Bill Stratman** father of Sheila Stratman. 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.

CONGRATULATIONS to **Jameson Morrow** and **Tyler Schubert** who were baptized in the Cathedral last weekend!

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

The Book of Leviticus from which our First Reading comes is the third book in the Old Testament. Its name in part comes from the Levites, who were the tribe to which Aaron belonged. Historically Aaron is considered to be the one from whom priests are descended. However, the Bible offers instructions to all of us, not just to priests. In today's reading from Leviticus, God says to Moses that he should teach the people this: "Be holy, for I, the LORD, your God, am holy."

There is no way, of course, that we can be as holy as God is. God is divine, not human, and thus His Holiness is above and way beyond our capabilities. What God is saying to us though is that we do need to strive for holiness. We often speak of our call to holiness and how we can try to achieve that. One way is to embrace stewardship and all it entails as a way of life.

Will that make us holy like the Lord? No, but it does mean that we need to comprehend that it is God and God's wisdom we must embrace and follow. Holiness for us means we need to attempt to separate ourselves from those things and thoughts and ideas which can be viewed as not holy in the Eyes of God. Yes, it is impossible for us, but yet that is what we must try to do.

[-catholicsteward.com](http://catholicsteward.com)

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIP

The Missouri State Council of the Knights of Columbus awards a total of eleven (11) college or technical school scholarships of \$1,000 each to any Missouri high school student who is either a member or is the son, daughter, or wife of an active (or deceased) member. Applications must be postmarked by **February 20, 2017**. Please contact Rich Anderson, 659-3523 with any questions or go to www.mokofc.org for further information. Once there, select "Service Programs" then "Program Info" for the "Youth Activities Director".

A NOTE FROM BISHOP GAYDOS

Bishop Gaydos has granted a dispensation to all Roman Catholics who are members of the Diocese from the Lenten observance of abstaining from meat on the **Feast of St. Patrick, Lenten Friday, March 17, 2017**, for this year only. You will not need to write to him for this request. This dispensation is granted for those who need it. This dispensation does not remove the obligation to maintain their works of penance during the rest of the Lenten season. During the next few days following March 17th, people are reminded to do some extra work of penance or charity in place of abstaining from meat on St. Patrick's Day.

QUOTE BY DON BARSOTTI

The soul that leans on God alone, experiences a peace that transcends all suffering. "We have to remember that man lives in a triple dimension: physical, psychological and spiritual. The dimension of a purely physical life makes us slaves to nature and all its demands: cold, heat, illness, instincts and death. The psychological dimension makes us subset to the highs and lows of feelings and sensations. We are never entirely free. Nevertheless, if we live in the spiritual dimension, the soul transcends itself and reaches God. This is the life of pure faith, which leans on nothing other than God Himself. It is the life of infallible hope, which seeks no other support than in Him. It is a life of boundless charity, which doesn't capitulate when faced with evil. In this dimension, no trial can disturb the soul and take away its innermost peace. It may be a "black" peace as the mystics call it, given that on the physical and psychological levels the soul may experience abandonment and trials, but it doesn't capitulate. It experiences a peace that transcends all suffering".

PARISH CHILDREN'S CHOIR

The next time the Children's Choir will sing is Sunday, February 26 at 11:00 a.m. Mass. Mrs. Jean Livers will conduct the rehearsal in the undercroft at 10:00 a.m. Please enter by the organ side of the Cathedral.

PRAYER FOR MIGRANTS & REFUGEES

Lord Jesus, when you multiplied the loaves and fishes, you provided more than food for the body, you offered us the gift of yourself, the gift which satisfies every hunger and quenches every thirst! Your disciples were filled with fear and doubt, but you poured out your love and compassion on the migrant crowd, welcoming them as brothers and sisters. Lord Jesus, today you call us to welcome the members of God's family who come to our land to escape oppression, poverty, persecution, violence, and war. Like your disciples, we too are filled with fear and doubt and even suspicion. We build barriers in our hearts and in our minds. Lord Jesus, help us by your grace, To banish fear from our hearts, that we may embrace each of your children as our own brother and sister; To welcome migrants and refugees with joy and generosity, while responding to their many needs; To realize that you call all people to your holy mountain to learn the ways of peace and justice; To share of our abundance as you spread a banquet before us; To give witness to your love for all people, as we celebrate the many gifts they bring. We praise you and give you thanks for the family you have called together from so many people. We see in this human family a reflection of the divine unity of the one Most Holy Trinity in whom we make our prayer: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.



SPIRITUAL OPPORTUNITIES

CENTERING PRAYER will meet next on **February 20** 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 at 7:00 p.m. to pray the Most Holy Rosary in the daily Mass Chapel.

SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER will meet **February 25** at **9:45 a.m.** in the St. Joseph Room. All adult Catholic men and women interested in Franciscan Gospel life are welcome. Call Patrick Smith, OFS at (573) 592-1972.

CURSILLO ULTREYA: Men's #67 Closures meeting date **February 19, 4:00 p.m.** at St. Pius X, Moberly.

ULTREYA: The Jefferson City Area Ultreya will meet at Immaculate Conception on **February 21 at 7:00 p.m.**

PALMS

The ashes used on Ash Wednesday come from the blessed palms of the year before. Please bring your palms to Mass beginning next weekend and put them in the marked baskets at the back of the Cathedral. **Ash Wednesday is March 1.** Thank you!

PILGRIMAGE OPPORTUNITY

The National Shrine of Mary, Mother of the Church in Laurie is commemorating the 100th anniversary of Our Lady of Fatima the **first Saturdays starting April 1 through October 7.** Don't miss this opportunity to gain a Plenary Indulgence, which is a special grace granted by the Pope; an opportunity of cleansing worthy of immediate reception into heaven (removing any necessary purgatory time for past sins to this point). Registration starts at 9:00 a.m., reconciliation, Mass at 11:00 a.m. There will be lunch, speakers, rosary, adoration, a tour of the grounds and gift shop. RSVP is necessary. Call Rose, 573-374-6279.

CRS RICE BOWL

Join our faith community—and nearly 14,000 Catholic communities across the United States—in a life-changing Lenten journey of encounter with CRS Rice Bowl. Pick up your family's CRS Rice Bowl in the back of the Cathedral starting February 18/19 or sent home in the Friday Folder from the Cathedral School February 24. Don't forget to download the CRS Rice Bowl app! May these 40 days better prepare us to encounter ourselves, our neighbors and our God! **Lent begins March 1!**

REQUEST FOR PRAYERS

Father Ed Mundwiller, OFM, was the victim of a terrible beating on February 2, 2017 at 3:30pm near his Friary at St Anthony of Padua in South St. Louis. Father Ed has been the confessor for our priests during many Day of Recollections here at the Cathedral and had been asked to help again this year. Father Ed was walking along Michigan Avenue near his rectory when he was attacked and left on the street. He has been treated at SLU Hospital and is now being sent back to his residence at St Anthony of Padua Church Friary, 3140 Meramec Ave., St Louis, MO 63118. He will need surgery for his broken leg and more testing on his eyes. Please pray for Father Ed and all crime victims.

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. Louis E. Dorn, Louisiana/Clarksville, Sr. M. Suzanne Walker, OP, Deacon James P. Davies, Louisiana, Seminarian Mr. Brad T. Berhorst, Pontifical North American 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 **March 4/5.** Join us!

“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! Contact John Poepsel, (573) 893-8173 to sign up for a hour with our Lord in the Adoration Chapel.

PRAYER FOR LAPSED CATHOLICS

O Good Shepherd, you never cease to seek out the lost, to call home the stray, to comfort the frightened, and to bind up the wounded. I ask you to bring (mention names) back to the practice of the Faith, and to remove all obstacles that prevent them from receiving your abundant mercy, which flows sacramentally through the heart of your Holy Church. Through the intercession of Mary, the Mother of God, their Guardian Angel(s), their Patron Saint(s) and the ever-prayerful St. Monica, may You pardon their sins and unshackle them from whatever hinders their freedom to come Home. For You, O Good Shepherd, loved us to the end and offered Yourself to the Father for the salvation of all. Amen.

DAY OF PRAYER

Contemplative Outreach of Central Missouri (COCEMO) will host the diocesan observance of the **25th Annual United in Prayer Day, on Saturday, March 18, in Jefferson City.** It will be at held from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Alphonse J. Schwartze Memorial Catholic Center, 2207 West Main St. Welcome, registration and hospitality will begin at 9 a.m. The theme will be “Embracing Transformation in Christ.” The gathering will include a video presentation by Abbot Thomas Keating of the Order of Cistercians of the Strict Observance (OCSO); periods of silent prayer; lectio divina and small group discussion. Light snacks and refreshments will be served. Newcomers to Centering Prayer will be offered a mini-introduction to learn this simple yet profound method of prayer. All are welcome and encouraged to attend. Free-will offerings will be accepted to help cover the cost of the event, which is hosted by the Cathedral of St. Joseph Centering Prayer Group and is being facilitated by Fr. Matthew Flatley. For more information and to register contact Barbara Poetker at (573) 893-2064 or larryblp@mediacombb.net, or Susan Vogel at (573) 469-8938 or sbirdrn@gmail.com.

“Let us keep WALKING TOGETHER. What we have been promised is greater than we can imagine.” -Pope Francis



February 19, 2017

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

LECTORS

Saturday, February 25
 5:30 p.m. John Renner, Betty Mudd
Sunday, February 26
 7:00 a.m. Eugene Vogel
 9:00 a.m. Liz Kliethermes, Edith Vogel
 11:00 a.m. Dawn Perkins, Jennifer Wright

SERVERS

Saturday, February 25
 5:30 p.m. Cora Walsh, Josie Starr, Logan Wilson, Sophie Van Dyne
Sunday, February 26
 7:00 a.m. Sofie Ogden, Sara Ogden
 9:00 a.m. Jacob Hoke, Miles Vollet, Sydney Dunmire, Truman Bonnot
 11:00 a.m. Drake Perkins, Braden Wright, Peyton Wright, Burke Bauer

USHERS

Saturday, February 25
 5:30 p.m. John Nichols, Jonathan Browning, Mark Schulte, Michael Suresh
Sunday, February 26
 7:00 a.m. Max Pope, James Hatcher, Bob Asahl, James Mullen
 9:00 a.m. Larry Schulte, Patrick Coyne, Amy Kempker, Larry Schepeler
 11:00 a.m. Eric Knox, Tom Eggen, Michael Barnes, Janel Luck

GIFT FAMILY

Saturday, February 25
 5:30 p.m. Curtis Rackers
Sunday, February 26
 7:00 a.m. Bryan Pope
 9:00 a.m. Jeremy Jones
 11:00 a.m. Mark Knernschild

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Saturday, February 25
 5:30 p.m. Stephanie Thomeczek, Jeffrey Cowley, Kenneth Kuebler, Richard Hyleck, Judy Magee, Alan Mudd, Jennifer Luebbert
Sunday, February 26
 7:00 a.m. Al Meyer, Bobbie Meyer, Judith Lewis, Elizabeth Page, Terry Jerrett, Daniel Schuette, Patricia Dowd
 9:00 a.m. Mary Walsh, Nichole Means, Leigh Ann Torres, Andrea Olsen, Thomas Imhoff, Marilyn Seaton, Joseph Scherr
 11:00 a.m. Cynthia Henderson, Keith Dudenhoeffer, Ginger Hunter, Michael Newberry, Ron Schnieders, Kimie Bax, Kenneth Gartner

GREETERS

Saturday, February 25
 5:30 p.m. Susen Renner, Shari Lukacs, Christina Goedde, Sue Goedde
Sunday, February 26
 7:00 a.m. Gail Steinbruegge, John Mertens
 9:00 a.m. Michael Larkin, Jill Smith, Leslye Schulte, Patrick Woods
 11:00 a.m. Ashley Sennott, Mary Bias, Joe Adrian, Kelly Adrian

MUSIC MINISTERS

Saturday, February 25
 5:30 p.m. Tom Halpin, Barbara Odneal
Sunday, February 26
 7:00 a.m. Tina Sellner, Scott Sellner
 9:00 a.m. Cathedral Choir, Hand Bells, Tom Halpin
 11:00 a.m. Cathedral Children's Choir, Missy Newberry

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.

February 22, K of C Officers Meeting at 7:00 p.m. in the Bride's Room.

March 1, Ash Wednesday, the start of Lent.

March 3, 10, 24, & 31, Lenten Fish Fries in the Undercroft 4:30—7:00 p.m. Parishioners and guests are welcome!

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 The next meeting is on **March 2, 6:30 p.m.** in the undercroft, the Cathedral School Speech Team will preform. Contact Arlene Taylor, (573) 893-6281 with any questions. On **March 19** at the **11:00 a.m. mass**, the Ladies Auxiliary will be attending the service together for our deceased members. After the service, our group will be going to Oscar's Diner with our spouses/friends. If you didn't turn in your 2016 volunteer hours yet, please contact Carol Hartman at 573-893-3290.

K. OF C. LENTEN FISH FRIES

Please support the Knights of Columbus and Boy Scout Troop 104 by planning to attend their Lenten fish fries to be held in the Undercroft on **Friday, March 3, March 10, March 24 and March 31 from 4:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.** when they will be serving white fish filets, macaroni & cheese, french fries, corn bread, cole slaw, green beans, ice cream, and beverages. \$10 for adults; \$5 for children ages 6 thru 11; children under 6 eat free. This will be an opportune time to enjoy a good meal and camaraderie with fellow parishioners and other patrons.

HOLY SILENCE

As is our custom during Lent, all Masses will conclude without a hymn. We will depart in silence, recalling the suffering of Jesus on the cross, for us as sinners.

DYNAMIC CATHOLIC LENT PROGRAM

Don't give up chocolate this Lent! 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 (March 1)**. This program is free. Sign up online at BestLentEver.com. Be Bold. Be Catholic. DynamicCatholic.com

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!

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

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR ADVERTISERS
DONNIE BRAUN & SONS AUTO REPAIR, INC
 AND THANK THEM FOR SUPPORTING OUR BULLETIN!



Jefferson City, Missouri

FAMILIES IN NEED PROGRAM

FAMILIES IN NEED: Items requested for **March 14** delivery: **Canned Tuna, Boxed Pasta, Canned Green Beans, Brownie Mix, Napkins.** Please place in provided containers at all exits of the Cathedral. Thank you for your continued support!

YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

February 24-26th Is the 7th grade Luke 18 retreat. Please keep the 7th grade and Helias Catholic students in your prayers. All are welcome to join us for the XLT-Adoration **Friday, February 24, 9:00-10:00 p.m.** in the Cathedral and for the 11:00 a.m. Mass on **February 26**, which will conclude our retreat weekend. **Tuesday, February 28** Ping Pong Club meets 3:10-4:30 p.m. in the undercroft.

RETREATS AT CONCEPTION ABBEY

Lenten Day of Reflection – Wednesday, March 8 Come away for a day of reflection and quiet to help you focus your Lenten intentions as you prepare for the Easter Season. Fr Donald Gibbs, OSB will guide you through during the day, Day begins with coffee and rolls at 9:00 followed by a conference, Mass and lunch follow, with more quiet time and a concluding conference at 2:30 pm. Lunch and retreat fee: \$20 per person. For reservations contact the Abbey Guest Center: phone (660) 944-2809 or email; guests@conception.edu. **Lenten Retreat – The Great Cloud of Witnesses: Holy Men and Women – Friday-Sunday, March 10-12.** “Surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses” (*Hebrews 12:1*). In every age, there have been many witnesses of faith who serve as models and mentors along our faith journeys. The weekend focuses on some contemporary men and women whose lives left a lasting imprint on the society in which they lived. People such as: Dorothy Day, Henri Nouwen, Dietrich Bonhoeffer, Oscar Romero, Jean Donovan, Irene McCormack, and others. The retreat begins Friday evening and continues through Sunday morning. *Retreat fee for lodging, meals, conferences and reception: \$180 for a single room; \$300 per room (\$150 each) for a double room.* For reservations contact the Abbey Guest Center: phone (660) 944-2809 or email: guests@conception.edu. **Retreat: The Mass as the Perfect Sacrifice – Friday-Sunday, March 24-26** Fr. Albert Bruecken, O.S.B. will guide this retreat weekend in looking at the Jewish notion of sacrifice leading up to the time of Christ to understand how the sacrifice of Christ “completes and surpasses all other sacrifices” You should come away better able to participate in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. *Retreat fee for lodging, meals, conferences and reception: \$180 for a single room; \$300 per room (\$150 each) for a double room.* For reservations contact the Abbey Guest Center: phone (660) 944-2809 or email: guests@conception.edu. **Palm Sunday: RCIA and Adult Faith Renewal Retreat Saturday-Sunday, April 8-9** This overnight weekend is open to any Catholic hoping to enrich their faith understanding of the sacramental life of the Church. Scheduled on Palm Sunday weekend, this retreat provides for an unforgettable time of prayer, processions during the final days of the Lenten season leading up to Easter. *Cost includes lodging, meals, and conferences: \$110 per person.* For reservations contact the Abbey Guest Center: phone (660) 944-2809 or email guests@conception.edu.

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL NEWS sjcsmo.org

Registration is now open for St. Joseph Cathedral School preschool and kindergarten for the 2017-2018 school year. For registration forms, either come to the school office or email jverry@sjcsmo.org.

PRO-LIFE NEWS & EVENTS

Want to be a sidewalk advocate? Email, info@40daysforlife.com. Training day **Saturday, March 11**. You can train to be a pray-er for an advocate or you can be an advocate. We need both! Partners! 40 Days for Life begins **March 1**, get ready--God is going to great things
OPENING RALLY FOR 40 DAYS FOR LIFE (DFL) ON SUNDAY, FEBURARY 26! Please make plans to join us at the Opening Rally/Prayer Vigil at Planned Parenthood, 711 N Providence Rd, Columbia at 1:00 p.m. All are invited to attend and join in a Jericho March/Program. 40 DFL Prayer Vigil begins on **Ash Wednesday, March 1** with Core Team members present to welcome you from 8am to 6:00 p.m. each day through **Palm Sunday, April 2**. Sign up for prayer hours at www.40daysforlife.com location: Columbia. Contact Kathy Fork for your parish to sponsor hours, 573-821-5130 or MidWest March line 573-340-8444. All parishes are encouraged to participate in this life affirming movement which has seen over 70 abortion facilities CLOSE after having a 40 DFL prayer vigil in their city! What does God have in store? Come, pray and see!

LIGHTHOUSE CATHOLIC MEDIA

The CDs for Lent are in the rack. In the mean time I have more on order and they will be available shortly. Two of the titles were requested by the users of this program. I am ordering more copies of “The Last Four Things” by Fr. Schmitz. I am also ordering “Why a Protestant Pastor became Catholic” by Dr. Scott Hahn. I suspect there will be 5-6 additional new titles as well. Thanks again for supporting this ministry. -Deacon John Schwartze

UPCOMING EVENTS

FEBRUARY 25

Toys for Tots Charity Concert at the Miller Performing Arts Center. Four amazing concerts for a donation of \$30 per ticket. For tickets call, 573-616-1837 or email, hcf1175@yahoo.com, or visit HyVee in Jefferson City.

MARCH 3, 17, & 24

St. Michael Parish K of C Lenten Fish Fry in Russellville serving from 4:30—7:00 p.m. in the parish hall. Adults \$11, children \$5 with carry-outs available.

MARCH 10 & 31

Seafood Buffet at Most Pure Hear of Mary Church Hall in Chamois. Serving fish, frog legs, and shrimp from 3:30—7:30 p.m. Adults \$12 and children \$7.

MARCH 17

K of C 2027 All You Can Eat Fish Fry in Bonnots Mill parish hall serving from 5:30—8:00 p.m. Adults \$8, Children \$4 all proceeds go to the local Catholic Schools.

 <p>Action REALTY OF JEFFERSON CITY, MO. www.ActionRealEstate.com</p>	<p>Margaret Thoenen • CRS, GRI 573.690.0113 Ken Thoenen • Broker, CRB 573.893.6295</p>	 <p>COLE COUNTY INDUSTRIES 635-4101 www.colecountyconcrete.com</p>	<p>DISCOVER THE CATHOLIC DIFFERENCE Rely on the Knights of Columbus to protect your family's future. Contact me today: Larry Hoelscher 573-645-4646 Larry.hoelscher@kofc.org LIFE INSURANCE • DISABILITY INSURANCE • LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE • RETIREMENT ANNUITIES</p>	
<p>634-3115 TIM RIEKE, D.D.S. 1312 Southwest Boulevard Jefferson City, Missouri</p>	<p>Luebbering Oil Co. Hwy. 63 North 635-3238 Larry, Bryan and Brad Luebbering</p>	<p>Doug Distler Capital Installers, Inc. 3012 S. 10 Mile Drive Jefferson City, MO 65109 phone 573.893.4998 RAYNOR Authorized Dealer www.raynor.com</p>	<p>VOGEL Insurance Group Charles Prather Rick Prather Tom Kummer FRED VOGEL 573-635-6101</p>	 <p>A Tradition of Service</p>
 <p>www.diamondpetcompany.com</p>	 <p>www.diamondpetcompany.com</p>	<p>Capital Region MEDICAL CENTER University of Missouri Health Care Better. Every day. 573.632.5000</p>		 <p>MILLARD Family Chapels, Inc.</p>
<p>American Shoe Inc. 816 E. Broadway • Columbia, MO 65201 (573) 442-6811 221 E. High St. • Jefferson City, MO 65101 (573) 636-8313</p>	<p>MIDWEST BLOCK & BRICK Patrick C. Dubbert 573.635.7119 President / CEO www.midwestblock.com</p>	<p>DULLE TRIMBLE FUNERAL HOME</p>		<p>Jefferson City 573-636-3838 Holts Summit 573-896-5959 Westphalia 573-455-2424 Linn 573-897-4848 Chamois 573-763-5658 Eldon 573-392-3351 www.millardfamilychapels.com</p>
<p>Hawthorn BANK MEMBER FDIC 761-6100</p>	<p>Online Shopping for Catholic Gifts of Faith www.parishstore.com</p>	<p>Madison's Cafe 216 Madison St. 634.2988 www.madisoncafe.com Join our Loyalty Club!</p>	<p>Arts Pest Control Mike Bernskoetter, Owner 573-634-3299</p>	
<p>Fechtel Beverage & Sales, Inc. 425 West Elm Jefferson City, MO 65101 573-636-5161</p>		<p>WILSON ORTHODONTICS Dustin Wilson, DDS, MS 748 W Stadium Boulevard Jefferson City, MO 573-634-5122 • www.dwilsonbraces.com Specializing in Braces & Invisalign</p>	<p>ROOFING & SHEET METAL Commercial-Industrial P.O. Box 104205, Jefferson City, MO 65110-4205 573-636-7733</p>	<p>Enjoy Coca-Cola</p>
<p>Budweiser RESPONSIBILITY MATTERS™</p>	<p>NH Scheppers Distributing Co Jefferson City - Columbia, MO</p>	<p>M. i'm lovin' it Locally Owned & Operated by The Ruprecht Family for Over 45 Years</p>	<p>Freeman — MORTUARY — WWW.FREEMANMORTUARY.COM</p>	<p>Trusted Home Care, Inc. "In Home Care You Can Rely On" 573-632-1924 2hrs to 24/7 care available BETH PONDER MORRIS</p>
<p>FRANK SCHRIMPF PLUMBING & HEATING Beam Central Cleaning Systems 615A CLARK AVENUE TELEPHONE: JEFFERSON CITY, MO 65101 573/636-9661</p>		<p>THRIVENT FINANCIAL (573) 635-7343 Thomas M Ittner, FLMI, FIC Financial Associate tom.ittner@thrivent.com 520 Dix Rd Ste D, Jefferson City, MO 65109</p>		<p>ECOWATER SYSTEMS® Complete Water Treatment Joel & Pam Mietzner - Owners www.ecowater.com • 636-3800</p>
<p>dccc DICK OTKE CONSTRUCTION CO. Since 1974 Building a Better Experience for You! (573) 899-2299 804 D Missouri Blvd Ct Jefferson City, MO 65109 www.builddccc.com</p>	<p>BEE AT HOME, L.L.C. Free Evaluation "BEE" CAUSE WE CARE Mary Beffa • (573) 634-8280 beeahome@beeahomellc.com Homemaker Care • Personal Care • Respite Care • Sitter Care</p>	<p>DONNIE BRAUN & SONS AUTO REPAIR, INC. 573-635-5258 www.braunautorepair.com</p>	<p>Angelina's cafe 101 Booneville Rd. • 573-893-3200</p>	
<p>HyVee Open 24 hrs. 3721 W. Truman Jefferson City, MO 893-2505</p>		<p>Brian D Johnson Financial Advisor 573-635-1454 www.edwardjones.com Member SIPC</p>	<p>HAROLD G. BUTZER, INC. "Since 1926" HEATING ■ PLUMBING ■ AIR CONDITIONING ENERGY SAVING CONTROLS ■ 24 HOUR SERVICE 573-636-4115 - www.hgbutzer.com 721 Wicker Lane, Jefferson City, MO 65109</p>	
<p>Eric Davis, MBA Financial Advisor 573-636-3222 www.wallstreetins.com</p>	<p>Wallstreet GROUP Insurance • Financial 1530 Rax Court, Jefferson City MO 65109</p>	<p>Edward Jones</p>	<p>JEFFERSON BANK of Missouri</p>	<p>The Blue Diamond L.L.C. FINE JEWELRY CREATIONS 1803 Missouri Blvd., Ste. A. (573) 634-4241</p>
<p>Kate & Ally's PIZZERIA Order online at kateandallys.com DINE-IN • DELIVER • CARRY-OUT • CATERING 1418 Missouri Blvd. • 573-893-8855</p>	<p>HELP PROTECT YOUR FAMILY CALL NOW! 1-888-891-6806 ADT AUTHORIZED DEALER HOME SECURITY TEAM</p>		<p>FREE AD DESIGN WITH PURCHASE OF THIS SPACE. - 800-950-9952 -</p>	<p>catholicmatch Missouri CatholicMatch.com/MO</p>
<p>Kwik Kar WASH • DETAIL • LUBE KwikKarMo.com</p>				
<p>Andy Wilbers Plumbing "Your Full Service Plumbing Company in Mid-Missouri" (573) 619-5730 Licensed and Insured</p>	<p>Derrick Spicer Director of Sales 319 W Miller St Jefferson City, MO 573-418-5615 • derrick@pmihotels.com Operated under license agreement with Baymont Franchise Systems, Inc. All locations are independently owned and operated.</p>	<p>BAYMONT INN & SUITES Jefferson City</p>	<p>SSMHealth St. Mary's Hospital JEFFERSON CITY</p>	<p>2505 Mission Drive Jefferson City, MO 65109 (573) 681-3000</p>
<p>Select PHYSICAL THERAPY The Power of Physical Therapy™ 2701 West Edgewood, Suite 105 • Jefferson City, MO 65109</p>	<p>KEMNA COLLISION REPAIR, INC. 634-4100 • www.KemnaCollision.com</p>	<p>Let someone you trust do the job right! Greg & Kristi Kemna</p>	<p>AVAILABLE FOR A LIMITED TIME ADVERTISE YOUR BUSINESS HERE</p>	
<p>Associated Real Estate 573-632-8507 Alan Mudd www.AlanMudd.com</p>	<p>SCRUGGS LUMBER CARPET ONE 635-6881</p>	<p>FIRST FINANCIAL credit union Mortgage Loan, Car Loan, Checking Account, and many more FREE options 573-636-9198 or WWW.FFCU4U.COM</p>	<p>Contact Contact Greg Proske to place an ad today! gpsoske@4LPI.com or (800) 950-9952 x2551</p>	