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OF CALCUTTA

SEPTEMBER 4, 2016

To all our visitors...

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

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

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

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

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

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

Cathedral Organizations and Ministries

Altar Servers	Deacon Dan Joyce	634-7959	Home & School	Mrs. Jamie Morris	636-5478
American Heritage Girls	Mrs. Jennifer Gerber	314-497-0257	Helias Representative	Mrs. Leslie Verslues	645-2008
Athletic Committee	Mr. Craig Husting	634-8731	Knights of Columbus	Mr. Doug Smentkowski	636-0419
Baptism Preparation	Deacon Christopher Baker	636-8935	Ladies Auxiliary	Mrs. Arlene Taylor	893-6281
Bereavement Committee	Mrs. Donna Kuebler	893-6313	Lectors	Deacon Dan Joyce	634-7959
Boy Scouts	Mr. Denis Gladbach	634-2864	Marriage Preparation	Please call the parish office	635-7991
Catholic Cancer Support	Mr. Thom Day	636-8939	Nursing Home Visitation	Ms. Lois Fairchild	636-2558
Cemetery Board	Deacon Jim Kliethermes	893-7872	Parish Association	Vacant	
	Mr. Fred Kummer	636-7939	Parish Pastoral Council	Ms. Edie Vogel	636-4650
	Mr. Bill Luebbert	635-8060	Parish School of Religion	Mrs. Cara Sue Cockerham	291-4889
Charities	Deacon Christopher Baker	636-8935	Prayer Line	Please call the parish office	635-7991
Christ Renews His Parish	M/M Tony & Charlotte Wening	761-5193	Pro-life	Mr. Ed Bode	635-7874
Collection Counters	Mr. Duane Buersmeyer	636-3097	Samaritan Center Board	Mr. Bernie Fechtel	893-6400
Confirmation Preparation	Mr. David Lankford	635-9454		Mr. Roger Dudenhoefter	893-8483
Cub Scouts	Mr. Larry Schulte	690-9449		Mr. Don Schnieders	893-5990
Cursillo	Mr. Brian Johnson	636-5319		(Member at Large)	
Director of Music	Mr. Thomas Halpin	635-7991	School Board President	Mrs. Lori Buchanan	
Divine Worship & Spiritual			School Principal	Mr. Spencer L. Allen	635-5024
Development Committee	Monsignor Kurwicki	635-7991	Secular Franciscan Order	Ms. Maureen Gray, OFS	(660) 537-0421
Divorce Assistance Group	Mr. Lucas Knipp	353-4046	Special Event Dinners	Mrs. Janice Houser	636-9842
Edge Youth Program	Mrs. Julie Gramlich	644-4965	St. Brigid Quilters	Mrs. Rosana Weidinger	893-3493
Episcopal Servers	Fr. Joshua Duncan	635-7991	Steering Committee	Monsignor Kurwicki	635-7991
Eucharistic Adoration	Mr. John Poepsel	893-8173	Stewardship Committee	Mr. Joseph Boland	761-4890
Extraordinary Ministers			Ushers	Mr. Bob Asahl	584-8010
of Holy Communion	Fr. Joshua Duncan	635-7991	Vocation Committee	Mrs. Ginny Bockwinkel	893-7979
Finance Council	Vacant		Welcoming Committee	Mrs. Amanda Geiger	635-7991
Funeral Luncheon	Mrs. Pat Dowd	635-4507	Youth Ministry	Mrs. Julie Gramlich	644-4965
Girl Scouts	Vacant				
Gospel of Life Committee	Mrs. Gina Newlon	230-6718			
Greeters	Deacon Dan Joyce	634-7959			

Cathedral Parish Information

Registering in the Parish

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

Registering in the Cathedral School

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

Sacrament of Baptism

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

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

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

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

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

Vocations to the Christian Married Life

Couples planning to marry at the Cathedral must contact the Parish Office 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

Sunday, September 4 (Twenty Third Sunday)
 7:00 a.m. Bob Browy
 9:00 a.m. Jack Wegman
 11:00 a.m. Parishioners

Monday, September 5 (Labor Day)
 9:00 a.m. For Godparents Nick & Michelle Varcho

Tuesday, September 6
 6:30 a.m. John & Helen Bottenfield
 8:00 a.m. Vernon & Angela Hughes

Wednesday, September 7
 6:30 a.m. Helen Aubuchon
 8:00 a.m. Hank Neuner

Thursday, September 8 (Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary)
 6:30 a.m. Leonard Tellman
 8:00 a.m. Wayne Seaton

Friday, September 9 (St. Peter Claver)
 6:30 a.m. Msgr. Maurice F. Driscoll
 8:00 a.m. Mathilda Wall

Saturday, September 10 (Twenty Fourth Sunday)
 5:30 p.m. Parishioners, Sam B. Cook

Sunday, September 11
 7:00 a.m. Herman Heimericks
 9:00 a.m. Dorothy & Helen Herbrandt
 11:00 a.m. Lynn Hebenheimer

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
Collection		
August 7	\$	91,980.09
August 14	\$	32,799.27
August 21	\$	45,065.41
August 28	\$	22,939.55
To date for August	\$	192,784.32
Budget Goal 07/01/16 - 08/28/2016	\$	433,987.56
Sunday Collection 07/01/16 - 08/28/2016	\$	410,274.00
Difference	\$	-23,713.56

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

PRAYING TOWARD NEXT WEEK: TWENTY FOURTH SUNDAY

First Reading: Exodus 32: 7-11, 13-14
Second Reading: Timothy 1: 12-17
Gospel: Luke 15:1-32

THIS COMING WEEK

9/4 Private Event, 9:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m., Undercroft

9/5 **LABOR DAY**
Parish Office and Cathedral School Closed
 Mass, 9:00 a.m. Only, Cathedral

9/6 **EDGE Representative Lunch**, 12:00 p.m. Mary Room
Youth Board, 7:00 p.m., Mary Room
Divorce Support Group, 7:00 p.m., Bride's Room
Schola, 7:00 p.m., Bishop Marling Room

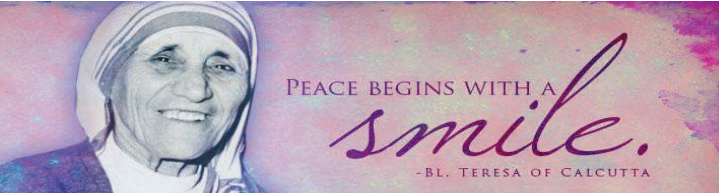
9/7 **Priests/Music Director Mtg.**, 9:00 a.m., Parish Office
Helias High School Class Retreat, 9 a.m.—3:00 p.m., Undercroft
Stewardship Meeting, 6:00 p.m., Parish Office
PSR, 7:00 p.m., School
Adult Choir, 7:00 p.m., Bishop Marling Room & Cathedral
Women's Bible Study Group, 7:00 p.m., Mary Room

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

9/9 **GRANDPARENT'S DAY**, School & Undercroft
Staff Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Parish Office
Prayers for Peace with the Cathedral School, 2:30 p.m., School Playground

9/10 **Men's Prayer Group**, 7:00a.m., Bishop Marling Room
Confessions, 4:00 p.m., Cathedral
Blessed Art Weekend, After All Masses
Samaritan Center Second Collection Weekend
Scouts Recycle Weekend

9/11 **K of C Biscuit & Gravy Breakfast**, 8:00—11:00 a.m., Undercroft
Confirmation Class, 9:00 a.m., School Commons
Timothy 4, 12:00 p.m., Mary Room
XLT, 8:00 p.m., Cathedral



LABOR DAY WEEKEND 2016

“Work is fundamental to the dignity of a person. Work, to use an image, ‘anoints’ us with dignity, fills us with dignity, makes us similar to God, who has worked and still works, who always acts...” “I address a strong appeal from my heart that the dignity and safety of the worker always be protected.” - Pope Francis, Regina Caeli, 04/28/2013. The Jefferson City Central Labor Council would like to invite you to the Annual Labor Day Parade on **Saturday, September 10** in Jefferson City starting at 11:00 a.m. The parade will begin by the Truman Building.

CATHEDRAL SCHEDULE

LABOR DAY

Monday, September 5
 Mass at 9:00 a.m. **ONLY**
 Cathedral Proper

Parish Office and Cathedral School will be closed



September 4, 2016

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME to all who gather in our Cathedral Church for the **Twenty Third Sunday & Grandparents' Day!**

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 **Nativity of Mary, Glasgow.**

CATHEDRAL PARISH TROOP 104: Since 1985 our Boy Scouts collect recyclable metals the 2nd Sunday of every month, which is coming up **September 11** They accept aluminum cans, scrap aluminum, copper and brass. Scouts are available to unload your metals from 7:30-11:00 a.m. in the southwest corner of the parking lot, near the entrance to the Diocesan Center. Proceeds go into the Troops 'High Adventure' fund for one of a kind, out of state camping trips. Please support Scouting by donating your recyclable metal to them.

FROM DEATH TO NEW LIFE-The Cathedral Parish Family extends its sympathy and prayers to the family of **John C. Veit**, father of Fr. David Veit of St. Patrich Church in Rolla. 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 to **Edmund Nicholas Geiger** who was baptized in the Cathedral last weekend!

OPORTUNITIES IN MUSIC MINISTRY

This is the first in a series of announcements for volunteer participation in our Cathedral Music Ministry.

The **SCHOLA** or small choir is a group that sings at the 9:00 a.m. Mass once per month. Rehearsals are weekly. They also sing at some special events like the Mass for Deceased Priests on November 3rd. The music they sing is Chant (English and Latin) and some traditional polyphonic (many voices with counterpoint) You do not need to read music in order to participate. Their first rehearsal is Tuesday, August 30 at 7:00 p.m. in the Marling Room.

The **ADULT CHOIR** is composed of 30 to 35 hardworking, committed people of various ages. They sing twice a month, usually the 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month at the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Rehearsals are weekly. They sing at many important occasions such as Holy Week, Priesthood Ordination, Confirmation and First Communion. We strive to sing a variety of styles in the choral literature. While reading music is a big help It is not necessary to be part of this ensemble. Their first rehearsal is **Wednesday, September 7th in the Cathedral.**

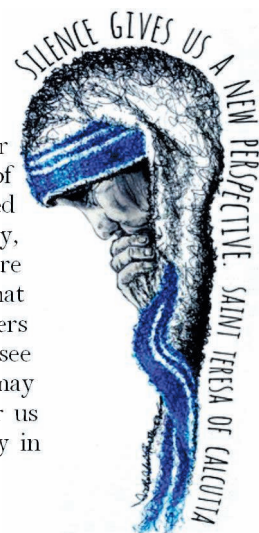
Anyone with interest in any of these two groups please contact Tom Halpin at 573-635-7991 or tom.h@cathedraljc.org.

COME AND SEE WEEKEND

The Benedictine Sisters of Perpetual Adoration in Clyde, Missouri, will host a "Come and See Weekend," **October 14-16, 2016** for women between the ages of 18 and 40 who are discerning a religious calling. More information is available by contacting (660) 944-2221 or vocation@benedictinesisters.org, or online at www.benedictinesisters.org.

Saint Teresa of Calcutta
(1910-1997)
Canonized September 4, 2016

Bread of Life, Your servant, Mother Teresa, tirelessly served the poorest of the poor in Your Name. She showed the world how to serve with humility, sharing Your love with those who were dying, abandoned and alone. Grant that her example will help us to treat others with respect and dignity. May we see You, dear Jesus, in everyone. And may all of the Saints continue to pray for us and inspire us in our call to be Holy in our everyday lives. **Amen.**



WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY GROUP

Women's Bible study group will meet weekly on **Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. in the Mary Room beginning September 7.** We will be using the book from Word Among Us titled, *The Holy Year of Mercy, a faith sharing guide with reflections by Pope Francis.* The cost of the book is \$10. All are welcome! Contact Charlotte Wening at, 761-5193 or charlottewening@hotmail.com.

DUMB OX SERIES IS BACK!

Speaker; Deacon Tyler McClay

When: **September 15 (6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.)**

Talk: Mercy in the Public Square

Where: **Prison Brews, 305 Ash St.**

All are encouraged to attend!

PROJECT HOMELESS CONNECT

The second annual PROJECT HOMELESS CONNECT to serve about 200 persons will be held here in Jefferson City on **October 3.** This event will provide a single access point for homeless individuals and families to receive assistance, resources and services, including access to shelter/housing, food and clothing donations, ID cards, medical checkups, mental health and substance abuse screening, job placement etc. One way you can help is by donating clothes. The following items are needed: new or gently used Adult clothing, coats and jackets, shoes, and new adult white socks. **ON SEPTEMBER 24 SIMPLY DROP OFF YOUR DONATION ITEMS AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH GYM BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 10:00 A.M. TO 1:00 P.M.** There will be signs posted. If you wish to work as a volunteer the day of October 3 simply contact Sarah Nichols, sarahnichols@showmeaction.org.

PARKING LOT SPEED

Please be mindful of pedestrian traffic, as well as vehicles exiting from the Chancery lot especially during peak traffic times, keeping your speed down and being vigilant and aware of those around you.



Jefferson City, Missouri

SPIRITUAL OPPORTUNITIES

CENTERING PRAYER will meet next on **September 12** 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.

SUPPORT GROUP for individuals experiencing separation and/or divorce issues, meets the first Tuesday of each month in the Cathedral Cry Room. The next meeting will be **September 6, 7:00 p.m.** Please contact Lucas Knipp at (573) 353-4046, or Paul Rockers at (573) 301-9865, if you are interested in attending or would like more information.

UPCOMING IN THE CATHEDRAL

Support the Holy Land as Blessed Arts will be here the weekend of **September 10th**. Beautiful olive wood carvings and gifts from the Holy Land will be offered. Please consider assisting our Catholic brothers and sisters in their efforts.

Msgr. Ted Bertagni will be visiting our parish the weekend of **September 24/25** to speak at all the Masses on behalf of Cross Catholic Outreach which was founded to create a meaningful link between parishes in American and the priests and nuns working in the Church overseas in the Caribbean, Africa, Asia, Central and South America.

ATTENTION MOMS!

Another school year is upon us, and that means we are ready to begin another great year of fun, faith and fellowship with St. Monica's Moms! Please plan to join us for our first meeting on **September 12 from 9:00—11:00 a.m.** in the basement of the parish office. Nancy Hoey, a fellow Cathedral parishioner and owner of Grace Counseling, will be joining us. Nancy is a licensed professional counselor and is coming to give us tips on how to talk to our children about difficult topics, such as the death of a loved one and worldly events that may cause fear.

St. Monica's is a parish moms group focusing on moms with young children. Some topics may be beneficial to those with older children as well, and all are welcome. **We meet during the school year on the second Monday of the month from 9-11.** **CHILDCARE IS PROVIDED!** Please email Abby Struempf at astruempf@hotmail.com to with any questions or to RSVP with the ages of your children needing childcare to insure we have adequate care available.

CATHEDRAL BOOK CLUB

The Cathedral Book club will meet Saturday mornings once a month. We will be reading a book by Teresa Tomeo, *"Girlfriends and other Saints" Companions on my journey of Faith*, which may be found, Through the Word Among Us, call, 1-800-775-9673.

Our first meeting is **Saturday, September 24th 9:30 am in the Mary Room**. We will discuss the first 5 Chapters and follow up with the last 5 chapters **October 22nd**.

Questions contact Julie at 573-635-7991 or 573-644-4965

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. Mark A. Porterfield, Mexico, Sr. Julie Brandt, SSND, Jefferson City, Deacon Edward D. Stroesser, Holts Summit, Seminarian Mr. Bradley J. Distler Kenrick-Glennon Seminary. The Diocese has 7 Seminarians.**

COME EARLY TO PRAY THE ROSARY: The Most Holy Rosary will be prayed before each Mass for the intention of Vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life. Our next Rosary will be on the weekend of **October 1/2**. Join us!

GOT QUESTIONS? RCIA HAS ANSWERS!



What is RCIA and Who is it for?

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is a process of inquiry, study, prayer, and sacraments by which adults are baptized or received into the Catholic Church, or receive the sacrament of Con-

firmation. Catholics interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith are invited to also attend.

Why should I begin RCIA?

To learn more about the Catholic faith, receive the Sacraments, draw closer to Christ in community and find greater peace, joy and strength for the journey.

When and Where RCIA?

The first class is **Monday, September 12** in the Cathedral School Room 136.

How do I get started or find out more information?

If you are interested or have questions, please call Dan Kempker at (573) 496-5499 or email him at dkempker@gmail.com.

CONFIRMATION

Confirmation Orientation for candidates and parents will be in the **School Cafeteria on Sunday, September 11th from 10:15 a.m. till 10:45 a.m.** Confirmation Sessions will be held in the School Commons (Old Cafeteria) on Sunday mornings from 9:00 a.m. till 10:45 a.m. The program this year will be the Decision Point program developed by Dynamic Catholic. Registration forms are available in the back of the Cathedral, in the parish office and at the Orientation Session. Please bring a recent photograph with your son's/daughter's name on it for the registration form. **The first Session will be Sunday, September 18th.** If you would like a copy of the entire Schedule, or more information, contact Dave Lankford at 573 694-8362 or davidlankford2@gmail.com.

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



September 4, 2016

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

LECTORS

Saturday, September 10
 5:30 p.m. Marilyn Seaton,
 Debbie Stokes
Sunday, September 11
 7:00 a.m. Tammy Ogden
 9:00 a.m. Dan Kempker,
 John Reed
 11:00 a. Denise Barnes,
 Chris Schappe.

SERVERS

Saturday, September 10
 5:30 p.m. Paige Allen, Jo-
 nah Lanigan, Jacob Lanigan,
 Eliza Pierce
Sunday, September 11
 7:00 a.m. Jim Donovan
 9:00 a.m. Chapel Dobbs,
 Sydney Dunmire, Jacob Hoke,
 Joseph Kuster
 11:00 a.m. Kayden Kum-
 mer, Natalie Schlup, Madison
 Stoll, Morgan Stoll

USHERS

Saturday, September 10
 5:30 p.m. Ryan Lock, Lucas
 Mueller, Mark Ruether, John
 Young
Sunday, September 11
 7:00 a.m. Raymond Cas-
 pari, Jack Dowd, Rick
 McCarty, Mike Voyles
 9:00 a.m. Roger Duden-
 hoeffler, Peter Schnieders,
 Mark Schulte, Larry Schulte
 11:00 a.m. Kevin Irving,
 Thomas Kummer, Dominic
 Varcho, Tom Verry

GIFT FAMILY

Saturday, September 10
 5:30 p.m. Dana Frese
Sunday, September 11
 7:00 a.m. Ken Twehus
 9:00 a.m. Kimberly Hoke,
 John Hoke
 11:00 a.m. James Bohan-
 nan, Jacqueline Bohannan

**EXTRAORDINARY
 MINISTERS OF HOLY
 COMMUNION**

Saturday, September 10
 5:30 p.m. Janet Chinn, Bob
 Heald, Terry Jarrett, Judy
 Magee, Alan Mudd, Michael
 Suresh, Mary Ann Young
Sunday, September 11
 7:00 a.m. Bob Asahl, Jef-
 frey Cowley, Diane Hatcher,
 Judy Lewis, Larry Lewis,
 Alan Mengwasser, Patrick
 Woods
 9:00 a.m. Julie Brandt, Paul
 Oligschlaeger, Al Rush, Deb-
 bie Sackman, Joe Scherr,
 Charlotte Wening, John
 Wenzlick
 11:00 a.m. Denise Barnes,
 Kimie Bax, Joan Branson,
 Christina Dudenhoeffler, Keith
 Dudenhoeffler, Kenneth Gart-
 ner, Anne Rapp

GREETERS

Saturday, September 10
 5:30 p.m. Randy Boulch,
 Margaret Boulch, Morgan
 Ditch, Susan Ditch
Sunday, September 11
 7:00 a.m. Verna Luebbert,
 William Luebbert
 9:00 a.m. Lori Antweiler,
 Kathel Cooper, Joseph
 Denkler, Steve Houser
 11:00 a.m. Kevin Irving,
 Vicki Kummer, Linda Sallin,
 Lori Stoll

MUSIC MINISTERS

Saturday, September 10
 5:30 p.m. Adult Contempo-
 rary Ensemble, Missy New-
 berry
Sunday, September 11
 7:00 a.m. Tina Sellner,
 Scott Sellner
 9:00 a.m. Adult Choir,
 Brenda Haugen, Annette
 Kehner
 11:00 a.m.

**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.

September 11, Biscuit & Gravy, Eggs & Sausage Breakfast, to benefit the NCYC youth group. The costs are \$7 adults, \$4 children, and \$22 for the NEW family of four or more (for children high school or less).
September 14, 1st degree induction of new members at 6:30 p.m. in the Bishop's Catholic Center building, followed by our regular business meeting at 7:00 p.m. and a light dinner served at 8:00 p.m..
September 21, Officers meeting in the Bride's Room at 7:00 p.m. (note the early date).
September 23/24 is the Samaritan Food Drive at Gerbes, HyVee, and Cash Savers, (the old Mosers).
October 7/8, Tootsie Roll Drive for Persons with Developmental Disabilities at Walmart and K-Mart.
 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 September 18 is the Bake Sale. Bring baked good to the Undercroft Saturday 3:00—5:00 p.m. or early on Sunday. The next meeting is on **October 6**. Bring scissors for making ornaments for the Christmas Bazaar. Contact Arlene Taylor, (573) 893-6281 with any questions.

**DAY OF PRAYER FOR PEACE IN OUR
 COMMUNITIES, SEPTEMBER 9**

In light of recent incidents of violence and racial tension in communities across the United States, the president of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) has invited all dioceses across the country to unite in a Day of Prayer for Peace in Our Communities on **September 9, the Feast of St. Peter Claver**. Archbishop Wilton Gregory, of Atlanta, will chair a new special task force on building peace in communities and healing racial tensions. We encourage Catholics around the country to gather on or around September 9 to pray, reflect, and discern action steps. To inspire your own efforts, we are also highlighting stories about how real Catholic communities are working for peace and racial justice, including: Improving police-community relations, working for racial and economic justice in Dallas, Witnessing to faith and love in Ferguson, Faith transforms violence and racism in West Baltimore, Parish facilitates discussions that encounter (Minneapolis, MN), Reflecting on racism, affirming the dignity of all God's children (Savannah, GA), Living the Eucharist through encounter, racial and economic justice (New Orleans, LA), Parish celebrates diversity, forms leaders of many ethnicities (Springfield, IL), Praying and acting to fight racism and division (Washington, DC).

The Cathedral School will gather together outside on the school playground **September 9 at 2:30 p.m.** to pray the rosary in promotion of peace in our communities. All are welcome to join in prayer.

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!**

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Jefferson City, Missouri

YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

The reservations for the **September 16-17th** Mental Health First Aid program are made to Julie Gramlich at Julie.g@cathedraljc.org please rsvp and leave a cell number and email.

The first EDGE program is Tuesday September 13th 2-4pm in the undercroft. Parents the EDGE forms need to be turned in to Julie Gramlich by that date. The blue form and the white permission slip that will be kept on file for the year's worth of programs. If you would like to volunteer please write that on the blue form.

The Timothy 4 retreat registrations have been sent home and are also online. Please speak with your 8th grade student about this awesome weekend. If you would like to be a host home please contact Julie at 635-7991.

Timothy 4 retreat team meets this **Sunday, September 4th 12:00 p.m.** in the Mary room.

Sunday September 11th-XLT- Adoration 7-8pm in the Cathedral. All are welcome!

CALLING ALL HIGH SCHOOLERS!

This year's H.S. Youth Rally theme is "Thunderous Mercy." As we reflect on this simple, yet powerful message, Joe Melendrez will lead us in ways to overcome our fears and doubts that keep us from being the BOLD and HEROIC disciple we are called to be! Joe is an inspirational speaker and a Catholic hip hop artist from Southern California who says, "I rap what is real to me and God is very real to me. My spiritual poetry is my prayer. It is my way of connecting with God and expressing an energetic message of faith, hope, and love for God's children."

So come join us as we celebrate with Joe and teens from all over the Diocese what it means to have "Thunderous Mercy"! There will be Mass, Reconciliation, a keynote and concert by Joe, and interactive Corporal Works of Mercy.

Where: Cathedral of St. Joseph, Jefferson City

When: Sunday, September 25th – 12:00 p.m. registration

Who: All high school aged youth are invited to join

Cost: \$10

For more information, please contact your parish Youth Minister or Jose Lopez at (573) 635-9127 x 221 or jlopez@diojeffcity.org.

MULTICULTURAL FALL FESTIVAL

The Jefferson City Multicultural Fall Festival promises a great day of entertainment, food, vendors, and a special children's activity area embracing the diverse cultures found in mid-Missouri. Experience the community's diversity in downtown Jefferson City.

Time: 10:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m.

Location: The corner of Madison and High Streets, Downtown Jefferson City

Cost: Free

Contact: Call (573) 556-0400 for more information or email melinda@ilrcjcmo.org

FAMILIES IN NEED PROGRAM

Items requested for **September 13** delivery: **Toilet Paper, Baby Wipes, Cereal, Canned Pasta, Pudding Cups.** Please place in provided containers at all exits of the Cathedral. Thank you for your continued support!

PRO-LIFE NEWS

Many moral issues face our nation today. The US Supreme Court Judges appointed in the future by the candidates elected **November 8, 2016** will determine how these issues are settled. These Judges will decide on Freedom of Religion issues, abortion and other right to Life issues, and many more moral issues which will determine the future of America for our children and grandchildren. Judges appointed to the Supreme Court generally remain on the court for two or three decades, therefore, their decisions will have a long lasting effect on our country. It is entirely possible that the President elected on November 8, 2016 may appoint two to five new Supreme Court Justices while president, especially if re-elected in 2020. **Vote in November 2016 for Pro-Life Candidates!**

A Prayer for Grandparents

God, our heavenly Father, we ask Your blessings on our grandparents. They are valued links between the past and the present. They are treasured gifts and strong models. May they be anchors that provide stability and a sense of identity for us. May their wisdom guide us. May their lived example challenge us. May their witness to their faith strengthen us. May they always be surrounded by the love, respect and support of their families. Lord, bless and empower our grandparents. Keep them in Your love. Give them Your joy and peace each day, so that they may forever follow your son Jesus. Amen. Alleluia

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 11

Shrine of Our Lady of Sorrows in Starkenburg Annual Fall Pilgrimage starting at 10:00 a.m. followed by a traditional German dinner, 11:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m. Benediction starts at 1:00 p.m. with outdoor Mass at 2:00 p.m. **Presided by Fr. Joshua Duncan.**

September 18

St. Louis of France Parish Fall Festival in Bonnots Mill. Serving German pot roast and bone-in ham, buffet style. 11:00 a.m.—6:30 p.m. Adults \$11, Children \$5, raffle, live music, and more!

October 1

Knights of Columbus Pumpkin Festival in Westphalia from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. There will be pumpkins, hayrides, games, and crafts. Vendors should contact Darla Veltrop, (573) 291-0047, or darlaveltrop3@gmail.com.

October 28

St. Louis of France Parish Hall Raise the Roof Five Turn Knot Dance starting at 8:00 p.m., cost is \$25 at the gate. Must be 21, BYOB For tickets contact; Kimberly Hentges 619-2985, Leah Ann Boss 619-6131.

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