

57-th Amnual Christmas Bazaar

November I2, 2017 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Cathedral Undercroft

Dinner Tickets: Adult \$10, Children 6-12 \$5 Children 5 and under are FREE

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	1-497-0257	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	230-3637			
	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 Dudenhoeffer	893-8483			
Director of Music	Mr. Thomas Halpin	635-7991		Mr. Don Schnieders	893-5990			
Divine Worship & Spiritual				(Member at Large)				
Development Committee	Monsignor Kurwicki	635-7991	School Board President	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 Commit	= =	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		1-724-8531	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 Kembker, 496-5499

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

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

Vocations to the Christian Married Life

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

Vocations to the Priesthood and Consecrated Life

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



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HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday, November 12 (Thirty-Second Sunday)

7:00 a.m. Eugene & Mary Herbrandt

9:00 a.m. Henry & Pauline Neuner

11:00 a.m. Parishioners

Monday, November 13 (St. Frances Xavier Cabrini)

6:30 a.m. Julie Weber

8:00 a.m. Bernard Wilbers

Tuesday, November 14

6:30 a.m. Melba & Dick Willibrand

8:00 a.m. Ed & Bertha Holzem

Wednesday, November 15 (St. Albert the Great)

6:30 a.m. Chuck & June Kusick

8:00 a.m. Jack Glavan

Thursday, November 16 (St. Margaret of Scotland)

6:30 a.m. Poor Souls

8:00 a.m. Milton Steinbeck

First Friday, November 17 (St. Elizabeth of Hungary)

6:30 a.m. Bill Kremer

8:00 a.m. Pat Leary, Anniversary

Saturday, November 18 (Thirty-Third Sunday)

5:30 p.m. Julie Weber

Sunday, November 19

7:00 a.m. Marie Nothhouse

9:00 a.m. Edwin Tellman

11:00 a.m. Dr. Sally Boedenhammer and Allen Swicord

2:00 p.m. Parishioners

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 Budget Goal per Month	\$ \$	2,582,708.00 215,225.67
Weekly Goal	\$	49,667.46
Collection		
November 5	\$	70,547.14
November 12	\$	
November 19	\$	
November 26	\$	
To date for November	\$	70,547.14
Budget Goal Year to Date	\$	943,681.82
Sunday Collection Year to Date	\$	942,286.79
Difference	\$	-1,395.03
All Saints Collection	\$	1,066.00
All Souls Collection	\$	778.00

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

PRAYING TOWARD NEXT WEEK: THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY

First Reading: Second Reading: Gospel Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31 Thessalonians 5:1-6

Matthew 25:14-30

THIS COMING WEEK

11/12 Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Confirmation Class, 9:00 a.m., School Commons Christmas Bazaar, 12:00—6:00 p.m., Undercroft

11/13 St. Monica MOMS, 9:00am, Mary & St. Joseph Rooms Bazaar Pick-Up, 10:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m., Undercroft Centering Prayers, 12:10 p.m., Chapel RCIA, 6:30 p.m., School

Understanding the Bible, 7:00 p.m., Mary Room

11/14 EDGE, 8:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m., Undercroft
Early Dismissal, 2:00 p.m., School
Advisory School Board, 6:00 p.m., St. Joseph Room
Schola Rehearsal, 6:30 p.m., Cathedral/BMR
Home & School, 7:00 p.m., Mary Room
Youth Board, 7:00 p.m. Mary Room

11/15 Priests/Music Director Mtg, 9:00 p.m., Parish Office Deacons' Lunch, 12:00 p.m., Parish Office Adult Choir, 7:00pm, Cathedral/Bishop Marling Room K of C Officers Mtg, 7:00 p.m., Undercroft PSR & Confessions, 7:00 p.m., School/Cathedral Women's Bible Study, 7:00 p.m., Mary Room

11/16 NCYC Departure, 5:30 a.m. Indianapolis
Quilters, 8:45 a.m., Bishop Marling Room
Pastor/Principal Mtg, 9:00 a.m., Parish Office
Challenge Club, 3:30 p.m., School
Tap In To Faith, 7:00 p.m., Prison Brews
Hand Bells, 7:00 p.m., Bishop Marling Room
Rosary, 7:00 p.m., Chapel

11/17 NCYC, Indianapolis
Staff Meeting, 9:30 a.m., Parish Office
Blood Drive, 10:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m., Undercroft
One Faith, One Family Setup, 4:00 p.m. Undercroft
Wedding Rehearsal, 5:30 p.m., Cathedral

11/18 NCYC, Indianapolis
Unbound at All of the Masses
One Faith, One Family Setup, All Day, Undercroft
Men's Prayer Group, 7:00 a.m., Bishop Marling Room
Franciscan Secular Order, 9:45 a.m., St. Joseph Room
Wedding, 1:30 p.m. Cathedral
Confessions, 4:00 p.m., Cathedral
Catholic Campaign for Human Development
Second Collection Weekend

11/19 Thirty-Third Sunday
Unbound Priest, all Masses
Confirmation Class, 9:00 a.m., School Commons
Joyful Noise, 9:15 a.m., Undercroft
One Faith, One Family Mass, 2:00p.m., Cathedral/UC
NCYC Returns, 3:00 p.m., Cathedral

NCYC FROM THE CATHEDRAL

The following parishioners are attending the National Catholic Youth Conference (NCYC) in Indianapolis this week. Please pray for their safe travels and enjoyable experience.

Brian, Lisa, and Shae Johnson; Lori and Claire Bonnot; Maggie Eggen; Allison Baffa; Amy Bell; Marcy Wicks; Margaret, Richie, and Emmie Jurgovan; Missy, Noah, and Katie Newberry; Zane Henderson; Elise Shoemaker; Jennifer and Peyton Wright; Julie Gramlich; and Father Duncan.



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SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME to all who gather in our Cathedral Church for the Thirty-Second Sunday & Christmas Bazaar.

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. Mary of the Angels, Wien.

IF YOU OR A FAMILY MEMBER should enter the hospital, please relay to them your religious denomination and the name of your parish. Please have a family member contact the parish office at (573) 635-7991 so a priest can be notified.

IF YOU HAVE MOVED or are planning to move, changed your name, celebrated the birth of a child into your family, please remember to contact the parish office at, 635-9771 to update your records.

FROM DEATH TO NEW LIFE-The Cathedral Parish Family extends its sympathy and prayers to the family of **Margie Schnieders.** May she have eternal rest in her heavenly home and may the Lord give comfort and peace to her loved ones who mourn their loss.

CONGRATULATIONS Cassidy Handke and **Taylor Bax** who were married in the Cathedral last weekend!

CONGRATULATIONS Grayson Twyman who was baptized in the Cathedral last weekend!

FOOD FOR THANKSGIVING

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23, Mass 9:00 a.m. in the Cathedral Proper

The Parish asks that you bring non-perishable food items to the Mass and place them in the container in the vestibule. We will use this food in the Christmas Baskets that we distribute to Samaritan Center families! The collection on Thanksgiving will also go toward the Christmas Baskets.

TAP INTO FAITH (FORMERLY DUMB OX)

Speaker: Fr. Schrader

Topic: Angels

When: Thursday, November 22 (6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.)

Where: Prison Brews, 305 Ash St.

CSA 2018 UPDATE



"One Faith, One Family."
Our Cathedral goal is \$215,000! So far the Cathedral has raised \$184,457 from 247 parishioners or 85.79%.

The Diocese goal is \$2,040,000 and

\$1,319,194.68 or 64.67% has been received. Thank you!

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& THANK THEM FOR SUPPORTING OUR BULLETIN!

A LETTER FROM OUR BISHOP

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

In the United States, more than 46 million people are living in poverty. The Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) is our Church's anti-poverty program to help them find hope and a way to a more secure life. Support offered to this collection reaches those living on the margins and gives them a hand up, not a hand out.

In areas all over the country, children live in poverty, creating undue stress and uncertainty in their lives. With your support of the CCHD Collection, CCHD national grants have enabled local organizations to provide community engagement to help reduce youth arrests and violence. This is but one example of how the CCHD carries out its mission around the United States. Twenty-five percent of all donations to this annual collection remain in the Diocese. With funding your donations provided last year, nonprofit organizations in Fulton, Milan, Hannibal, Moberly and Jefferson City received grants for programs that will aid children and adults in their efforts to achieve self-sufficiency.

Your support of this collection makes a difference for people living in poverty across the United States and our local Diocese. Please prayerfully consider how you are able to help the CCHD this year. If you would like more information about the collection and those it supports, visit www.usccb.org/cchd/collection. Thank you for joining us to work on the margins.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Bishop John R. Gaydos

Next week, our second collection will be for the Catholic Campaign for Human Development. Over 46 million people in the United States live in poverty. This collection supports programs to empower people to identify and address the obstacles they face as they work to lift themselves out of poverty. By supporing this collection you give people a hand up, not a hand out. Learn more about the Catholic Campaign for Human Development at, www.usccb.org/cchd/collection.

COOKIE BAKE THANK YOU

Thank you to everyone that made the Bazaar Cookie Bake successful! We appreciate everyone sharing their talents from donating dough, rolling dough, baking, taking hot cookies off the cookie sheets, painting and decorating cookies, through the packaging process. Thank you! We would also like to thank the American Heritage Girls for your help! See our beautiful and tasty cookies at the Bazaar! Arlene Taylor, Chair

FINE ARTS & GYM EXPANSION

The Expanding Opportunities Gymnasium/Fine Arts capital campaign is full speed ahead. We have pledges of \$748,000, which will be doubled to \$1.5 million from our generous matching donor. This allows us to move forward with the planning process, though more pledges are needed! Our November goal is another \$100,000 in pledges to allow us to build the type of facility that meets all our athletic, fine arts and community needs. Our architect and contractor will be officially announced in the near future.



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SPIRITUAL OPPORTUNITIES

CENTERING PRAYER will meet next on **November 6** 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

SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER will meet **November 18 & 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.



All-powerful and ever-living God,
when Abraham left his native land
and departed from his people,
you kept him safe through all his journeys.
Protect these soldiers.
Be their constant companion
and their strength in battle,
their refuge in every adversity.
Guide them, O Lord,
that they may return home
in safety.
We ask this through
Christ our Lord, Amen.

UNBOUND HERE

NEXT WEEKEND: Father. Bob Bonnot of Youngstown Ohio will be with us at all Masses. He will share the story of UNBOUND, a Catholic missionary ministry that will give you an opportunity to participate in its work of unbinding deserving children and elderly persons tied down by poverty conditions in 19 different countries. Fr. Bob will invite you to be part of this mutually enriching one-to-one ministry of global friendship and love. We hope all of you will participate in some way either through sponsorship or a donation. There is no special collection

Father. Bob Bonnot writes: "Working with Unbound will make real my desire to do work with the poor in a global dimension." Ordained in the Diocese of Youngstown, Ohio, Fr. Bonnot served as pastor, associate pastor, high school teacher, director of communication services for Diocese of Youngstown and of satellite communication efforts of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops" Interfaith effort. Visiting a Youngstown priest in El Salvador and the Maryknoll Missions in Panama, Peru, Chile, Bolivia and Brazil, as well as working with the Bishop of Ngong, Kenya Strengthened his faith journey. Although retired, he remains involved with the Leadership Team of AUSCP, Association of US Catholic Priests. He enjoys reading, writing, golfing, and travelling. Please help us welcome Fr. Bonnot at all of the Masses next weekend.

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 M. Nelen, St. Martins, Sr. Kathleen Wegman, SSND, Jefferson City, Deacon David D. Ream, OFS, Kirksville, & Seminarian Mr. Ryan Cortez, Conception Seminary College.

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 **December 2/3.** Join us!

ADVENT ACTIVITIES 2017

With the Season of Advent we begin a new liturgical year. We enter into a new cycle of grace as we experience God's love for us and offer Him our love in return. Advent is called "a time of joyful expectation," as we long for God's promise to be fulfilled through His presence in the lives and activities of people of faith. Hopefully, we will not lose focus on this point with all the other activities of the season.

ADVENT PENANCE SERVICES:

December 5	Helias Catholic	School Hours
December 10	St. Stanislaus at Wardsville	6:30 p.m.
December 11	St. Francis Xavier at Taos	7:00 p.m.
December 12	St. Andrew at Holt Summit	7:00 p.m.
December 13	St. Michael at Russellville	7:00 p.m.
December 13	St. Margaret at Osage Bend	7:00 p.m.
December 17	Cathedral of Saint Joseph	2:00 p.m.
December 18	St. Peter	7:00 p.m.
December 19	Immaculate Conception	7:00 p.m.
December 20	St. Martin at St Martin	7:00 p.m.
December 21	Annunciation at California	7:00 p.m.

CATHEDRAL SCHOOL PENANCE SERVICE:

Grades 3-4-5, December 12 8:30—11:00 a.m.
Grades 6-7-8, December 13 8:30—11:00 a.m.
PSR Penance, November 15 7:00 p.m.
First Penance, November 21 7:00 p.m.

All are welcome.

ADVENT VESPERS:

December 3, December 10, and December 17 at 6:00 p.m.



In the life of the body a man is sometimes sick, and unless he takes medicine, he will die. Even so in the spiritual life a man is sick on account of sin. For that reason he needs medicine so that he may be restored to health; and this grace is bestowed in the Sacrament of Penance.

NOVEMBER 19: YOU ARE INVITED!

Please join Bishop Gaydos as we celebrate our Catholic Identity and Unity! The day will begin with Mass at 2:00 p.m. followed by a potluck dinner filled with ethnic delights and performances representing the music and dance of various cultures and backgrounds found in our Diocese. Bring your favorite dish and your friends to the Cathedral at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, November 19. To RSVP or for more information, please contact Jose Lopez the Diocesan Event Coordinator at (573) 635-9127 x 221.



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LITURGICAL MINISTRIES



GIFT FAMILY

Saturday, November 18 5:30 p.m. Craig Linhardt Sunday, November 19 7:00 a.m. William Luebbert 9:00 a.m. Stephen Hughes 11:00 a.m. Greg Schroeder

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Saturday, November 18 5:30 p.m. Julie Gramlich, Richard Hyleck, James Morris, Kristan Morris, John Peopsel, Kenneth Rowan, Carol Schwartze

Sunday, November 19 7:00 a.m. Rich Anderson, Pat Dowd, Terry Jarrett, James Mullen, Elizabeth Page, Charles Prather, Dorlene Prather

9:00 a.m. Keri Austin, Brian Johnson, Jane Ledbetter, Nichole Means, Joseph Scherr, Jerome Schwartze 11:00 a.m. Joan Branson, Tesa

Harrison, Vicki Kummer, Jacob Luecke, Michael Newberry, Rom Schnieders, Michael Wilson

MUSIC MINISTERS

Saturday, November 18
5:30 p.m. Adult Contemporary
Ensemble, Michelle Newberry
Sunday, November 19
7:00 a.m. Dennis Kroll, Janet
Theby, Tom Halpin
9:00 a.m. Gladbach Family
Singers, Handbells, Scott Sellner
11:00 a.m. Joyful Noise, Matt
Tolksdorf

GREETERS

Saturday, November 18
5:30 p.m. Kimberly Baumgartner, Jacqueline Jenkins, Jerry Jenkins, mary Zumwalt
Sunday, November 19
7:00 a.m. Verna Luebbert,
Anne Maher
9:00 a.m. Lesley Schulte, Jill
Smith, Lori Stoll
11:00 a.m. Carey Brooks, Joshua Campbell, Judith Healy-Mendez, Fernando Mendez

LECTORS

Saturday, November 18 5:30 p.m. Unfilled Position, Margaret Boulch Sunday, November 19 7:00 a.m. Eugene Vogel 9:00 a.m. Stanley Neuner, Heidi Vollet 11:00 a.m. Sandra Hentges,

SERVERS

John Sennott

Saturday, November 18 5:30 p.m. Payton Kirchhoff, Catherine Meystrik, Hannah Meystrik Sunday, November 19

Sunday, November 19 7:00 a.m. Elliot Vollet, Miles Vollet

9:00 a.m. Landon Hoelscher, Callie Walsh, Cora Walsh 11:00 a.m. Brock Buschjost, Luke Labenz, Drake Perkins, Brett Schnieders

USHERS

Saturday, November 18
5:30 p.m. David Gramlich,
Rich Lukacs, John Nichols,
Mark Ruether
Sunday, November 19
7:00 a.m. Bob Asahl, John
Dowd, Richard McCarty, Tyler
Schubert
9:00 a.m. Tim Burmeister,
Joseph Loethen, Paul
Mengwasser, Todd Scherr
11:00 a.m. Gerard Callahan,

Tom Eggen, Steven Houser,

Thomas Kummer

Anyone who cannot serve at their appointed time will kindly arrange for a replacement! When you are assigned as an offertory family, please let one of the ushers know that you are there for that Mass. THANK YOU!

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



The 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.

5th Sunday Liturgical Ministries — A big "thank you" to all who participated in the ministries for our 5th Sunday 9:00 Mass on October 29: Rich Anderson, Jay Armistead, Tim Burmeister, Steve Daniels, Louie Delk, Ken Gartner, Denis Gladbach Jr., David Gramlich, Tom Halpin, Brian Johnson, Rich Lukacs, Steve Meystrik, Jamie Morris, Jeremy Morris, Alan Mudd, John Poepsel, John Richardson, Chris Schappe, Scott Sellner, Doug Smentkowski, Jason Torres, Bill Van Loo, Gene Vogel, Norman Weavers, and John Wenzlick.

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

LADIES AUXILIARY Our next meeting will be on December. 7 at 6:30 pm in the St. Joseph Room. We will be discussing activities for our next 6 months. After our brief meeting, we will be sharing our holiday treats and exchanging gifts. Please bring a Holiday themed exchange gift from \$7-\$10 wrapped, and a few holiday treats to share. Anyone interested isn't joining, may join in on the fun! Annual dues are due in January \$10. Hope to see you there!

4TH ANNUAL WINTER COAT DRIVE

All Parishioners are invited to contribute gently used coats to the Knight's Fall &Winter Coat Collection after all Masses beginning the weekend of October 21/22; which will continue through the weekend of November 18/19. A table for this cause will be located in the Cathedral's "Bride's Room". Men's, women's, and children's gently used fall and winter coats are needed! Men's belts are also appreciated. This effort will directly benefit those in need at the Samaritan Center, St. Mary's Hospital, Capital Region and newly released prisoners traveling by train through our downtown depot to parts unknown with only the shirts on their back. So please start digging through your closets and see what you can find to support this worthy cause. This is a heartwarming opportunity with our holiday season just around the corner. Contact Rich Anderson (659-3523) or Deacon John Schwartze (616-2138) if you have any questions or wish to make a donation at a later date.

ADOPT-A-FAMILY PROGRAM

The Cathedral's 'Adopt-A-Family' Christmas program for needy families is drawing near. There will be gift tags and cash donation envelopes on the Christmas tree in the front entrance of the Cathedral the weekend of **November 18/19**. Make Christmas merrier by taking a tag (s) to purchase gifts, or contribute cash to help purchase food and gifts. All gifts should be returned to the Cathedral by **December 10**. If you have any questions, contact Ann Bax at 690-1886 or annfbax@gmail.com; or Claudia Kehoe at 634-4151 or claudiakehoe@mikekehoe.com. Thank you for your generosity!



Jefferson City, Missouri

FAMILIES IN NEED PROGRAM

FAMILIES IN NEED: Items requested for November 14 delivery: Instant Mashed Potatoes, Canned Corn, Bisquick, Cake Mix, Syrup. Please place in provided containers at all exits of the Cathedral. Thank you for your continued support!

YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

November EDGE month is for the 6th grade. If you are a parent of a 6th grade student and would like to volunteer for the November 14 program please contact Julie at julie.g@cathedraljc.org

The junior high students will have a speaker from MoDot Nicole Hood to speak with them about the importance of seatbelts and NO phone use while driving in the car.

The month of November we are focusing on **Grace** and **Politeness**. We will learn more about Fulton Sheen as a person who exemplified Grace in his life.

"Be known for your kindness and grace always".

HELIAS CATHOLIC SHOW CHOIR

Helias Catholic High School Show Choir invites you to our "Just Desserts" show and dessert auction. Helias choirs and student acts will be featured and elegant and delicious desserts for your Thanksgiving table will be auctioned throughout the event. Please join us **Tuesday, November 21** in the Helias old gym beginning at 6:00 p.m. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for students. You may reserve a table for 8 for \$100. Tickets are available at the door, from any Helias choir student, or by calling Peggy at 573-659-1151.

HELIAS CATHOLIC SPRING MUSICAL

Helias Catholic High School announces auditions on **Sunday, December 3** for the musical BEAUTY AND THE BEAST for young talent in grades 5-8 and Helias Catholic students. Go to the SPRING MUSICAL link on the Helias website, www.heliascatholic.com, for details. This classic musical will be presented March 9-11, 2017 at the Miller Performing Arts Center.

VOLUNTEER BOOKKEEPER NEEDED

Koinonia House, a new Christian residential program for men seeking recovery and restoration, is in need of a bookkeeper. The position requires basic bookkeeping skills and a familiarity with QuickBooks. It will demand 4-6 hours per week. For more information, please contact Mark Saucier at 573-619-2279 or at mdsaucier@gmail.com.

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STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

"Therefore, stay awake, for you know neither the day nor the hour." Christ cautions us often concerning our sense of conversion and timing. It has a lot to do with procrastination — that is, putting something off or delaying something which needs to be accomplished. Most of us understand the importance of living up to Christ's expectations and living life in a way to which He has called us. In other words, we comprehend that we need to be His disciples, but we seem to find excuses and reasons not to totally commit to that. That is exactly the issue Jesus is addressing in today's Gospel from St. Matthew, which is essentially the Parable of the Ten Virgins. Are we truly prepared for the return of Christ, the Second Coming? In a sense it has everything to do with death. We may not wish to think about it but we do know that death is inevitable, and have we done everything we need to do to be prepared? It was St. Augustine of Hippo who said, "God has promised forgiveness to your repentance, but He has not promised tomorrow to your procrastination." Like the Virgins in the parable, we cannot wait. Now, this very moment, is the time for us to do what God has called us to do, and that is live lives of stewardship in service and love to others. There are indeed no promises about tomorrow, but Christ has offered us hope for eternal life. Have we done everything we need to do to be ready? -catholicsteward.com

SPECIAL PROMOTION

Colton's Steak House & Grill is promoting a special for the Samaritan Center. For the Month of November, bring in any three Thanksgiving related food items and receive a <u>FREE</u> appetizer. All food items collected will be donated to the Samaritan Center. Examples: canned fruit, stuffing mix, canned yams, broth, pumpkin pie filling, etc.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE

The Christian Ministerial Fellowship is hosting a Community Thanksgiving Service on **Sunday, November 19** at **3:30 p.m.** The service will be held at the Christian Fellowship located at 600 Beck Street in Jefferson City. All faiths are invited to worship together.

"YEAR'S END" CONCERT

Liberte' Women's Ensemble will present "Year's End", a concert of music celebrating the holidays of this time of year. The concert is **Sunday, November 19** at **4:00 p.m.** at the First Christian Church, 327 E. Capitol Avenue, Jefferson City. The concert if free, but donations will be accepted.

HOLIDAY CONCERTS

The Spirit of Christmas at Starkenburg Holiday concerts **December 7-9 at 2:30 p.m. daily.** Featuring Mezzo-Soprano Carrie Kirchhofer-Tilly and Jonie Loehnig playing the 1860 Pfeffer Pipe Organ. Enjoy sing-a-longs during the concert, refreshments, and country store in Valentine Hall from 1:00—4:30 p.m. Tickets are \$7 for adults and \$3 for children 18 and under. All are welcome!

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