



Masses for the Lord's Day

Saturday: 4:30 pm (Vigil)

Sunday: 7:30 & 9:30 am

Masses for Weekdays

Mon–Fri: 7:00am

Tuesdays: 8:00am (only during the school year)

No Saturday morning Mass

Perpetual Help Devotions

Tuesdays after the 7am & 8am (only during the school year) Mass.

Sacrament of Baptism

Parents of infants to be baptized should call the Parish Office for arrangements.

Sacrament of Marriage

Notify parish priest at least six months prior to anticipated date.

Sacrament of Penance

First Wednesday 5:30-6:30pm

First Friday 6:30-7:00am

Saturdays: 3:30 pm - 4:15 pm
and any time upon request.

Blessed Sacrament Adoration

Wednesdays: 7:30am – 7:00pm

Prayer Line Traci Ragsdale (314) 814-1313

Bulletin Deadline

Please submit articles before noon on Monday.

FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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PSALM 147



FEBRUARY 4, 2024

PARISH INFORMATION

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January 28, 2024

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Christmas	\$
End-of-Year	\$
Total	\$ 8,790



PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN & WOMEN

If you would like to add any person who is serving to the prayer list, please call the parish office at 966-3780: **Sgt. Kevin Rempert; David Budlong, US Army; LCDR Kevin L. St. Cin, USCG; Spc. Jonathan Lennon, US Army; Ahron Arendes, Chief Petty Officer US Navy; Sgt 1st Class Michael Adkins, U.S Army; Warrant Officer Alicia G. Mejia Adkins, U.S. Army; Sgt. Christopher J. Hoemann, U.S. Army; Sgt. Daniel D. Hoemann, U.S. Marines; Capt. Patrick M. Cronin, USMC; USMC; Maj. Dr. Larry Petz, U.S. Army; Master Sergeant, Carlo M. Altadonna, US Air Force; Lt. Katelyn McCormick Hutchison, Navy; Major. Blake Rothschild, U.S. Air Force; Capt. Jonathan M. Mathews, U.S. Air Force; LTC Luke Andres, US Marines; Colin Burnside, U.S. Army; Capt. John Valitutto, U.S. Army; Capt. Christopher Boldt, US Army, Capt. Winston Boldt, US Army, Cadet Wm. Boldt, US Army, Ensign Hadyn Boldt, US Navy.**

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New Parishioner or Change of Address

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, February 4

7:30 a.m. People of the Parish

9:30 a.m. Rick Davis (Int)

Monday, February 5

7:00 a.m. The Barrett Family (Int)

Tuesday, February 6

7:00 a.m. Stroble-O'Neill Family

8:00 a.m. Michael Pollock

Wednesday, February 7

7:00 a.m. The Morris Family (Int)

Thursday, February 8

7:00 a.m. Don Nonnenkamp

Friday, February 9

7:00 a.m. Francis, Sr. & Mary Paletta

Saturday, February 10

4:30 p.m. Dru Anne Lindo

Sunday, February 11

7:30 a.m. People of the Parish

9:30 a.m. Jeanette Hof

Readings for the week of February 4, 2024

Sunday: Jb 7:1-4, 6-7/Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 (see 3a)/1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23/Mk 1:29-39

Monday: 1 Kgs 8:1-7, 9-13/Ps 132:6-7, 8-10/Mk 6:53-56

Tuesday: 1 Kgs 8:22-23, 27-30/Ps 84:3, 4, 5 and 10, 11/Mk 7:1-13

Wednesday: 1 Kgs 10:1-10/Ps 37:5-6, 30-31, 39-40/Mk 7:14-23

Thursday: 1 Kgs 11:4-13/Ps 106:3-4, 35-36, 37 and 40/Mk 7:24-30

Friday: 1 Kgs 11:29-32; 12:19/Ps 81:10-11ab, 12-13, 14-15/Mk 7:31-37

Saturday: 1 Kgs 12:26-32; 13:33-34/Ps 106:6-7ab, 19-20, 21-22/Mk 8:1-10

Minister & Server Schedule Worship February 10 & 11, 2024

Sat, 4:30 PM

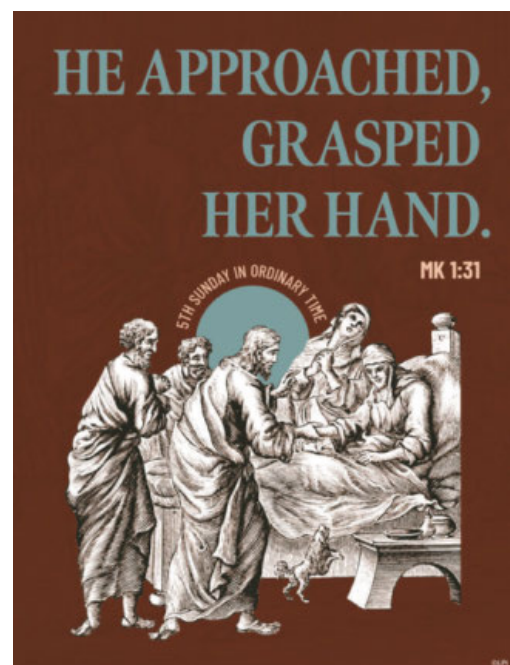
Bert Barry	Lector
Debbie Epstein	Eucharistic Minister
Natalie Otto	Eucharistic Minister
Ann Wilkerson	Eucharistic Minister
Sam Dwyer	Altar Server
John Forkan	Altar Server

Sun, 7:30 AM

Gerry Kistner	Lector
Rodney Bryan	Eucharistic Minister
Mary Ann Bryan	Eucharistic Minister
O'Shea Molly	Altar Server
Denny Pfyl	Altar Server

Sun, 9:30 AM-Donut Sunday

Jackie Moro	Lector
Peg Lord	Eucharistic Minister
Gary Moro	Eucharistic Minister
Deacon Matt Witte	Eucharistic Minister
James Newman	Altar Server
Frank Pfyl	Altar Server



 *In Remembrance*

Albert Schlueter	February 5, 2000
Felicia Biondo	February 5, 2021
John Henry Basler	February 5, 2023
Gilbert T. Callicott	February 6, 1987
David T. Flanagan	February 6, 1995
George R. Smith	February 7, 1973
Joseph E. Mullen	February 7, 1980
Stella Pencosky	February 8, 1989
Margaret Evans	February 8, 1993
Janet M. Fausek	February 8, 2016
Catherine T. Ebeling	February 9, 1998
Martha (Moppy) Skinker	February 11, 2019



Saint Blaise, Feast Day February 3
Blaise of Sebaste, born in Sivas, Turkey and died 316 AD, was a physician and bishop of Sebastea in historical Armenia. He is venerated as a Christian saint and martyr. Blaise is venerated as a saint in the Roman Catholic, Eastern Orthodox, and Oriental Orthodox churches and is the patron saint of wool combers and throat disease.

Next weekend all Sunday Masses will conclude with Anointing of the Sick.



Please pray for the repose of the soul of Robert Louis Franklin, husband of Robin Franklin.

Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May his soul and all the souls of the faithfully departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

Eucharistic Adoration



What does eucharistic adoration look like?

The word adoration comes from the Latin words “*ad orare*” which mean “to pray to.” The Church offers several ways to adore our Lord in the Eucharist.

Perpetual Adoration: This is a beautiful practice done in a designated chapel that can be started in any parish with space set aside for it. The Blessed Sacrament may be exposed in a monstrance at the altar or be reserved in the tabernacle.

Adorers sign up for each hour around the clock every day to pray, worship, atone or just sit in silence before God.

Holy Hour: You might hear adoration called a “holy hour.” A holy hour refers simply to the hour you spend in adoration, usually at the same time each week. It’s like an appointment you make with God to get to know Him better. It should be considered the most essential appointment of your entire week. **Visits to the Blessed Sacrament:** If your schedule doesn’t allow you to commit a dedicated time each week for adoration, just stopping into a church or chapel to pray for five or 10 or 30 minutes when time allows is a great way to refresh your week. *God Bless! Msgr John Shamleffer*

We offer Adoration every Wednesday from 7:30am--7:00pm. For questions call the parish office at 314-966-3780.

Altar Society February 2024
Jenny O’Neil, Mary Howe, Natalie Otto,
Marcia Kistner

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Dear Parishioners:

Pope Francis has designated **Sunday February 11**, (Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes) as World Day for the Sick (Anointing of the Sick will take place after Mass). It is a day to remember and pray for those who are ill or infirmed in our world. Jesus is often found in the Gospels healing the sick in body or mind, as a sign of his love and compassion for us his children.

Pope Benedict states:

Sickness inevitably brings with it a moment of crisis and sober confrontation with one's own personal situation. Advances in the health sciences often provide the means necessary to meet this challenge, at least with regard to its physical aspects. Human life, however, has intrinsic limitations, and sooner or later it ends in death. This is an experience to which each human being is called, and one for which he or she must be prepared. Despite the advances of science, a cure cannot be found for every illness, and thus, in hospitals, hospices and homes throughout the world we encounter the sufferings of our many brothers and sisters who are incurably and often terminally ill. In addition, many millions of people in our world still experience unsanitary living conditions and lack access to much-needed medical resources, often of the most basic kind, with the result that the number of human beings considered "incurable" is greatly increased.

Here I would like to encourage the efforts of those who work daily to ensure that the incurably and terminally ill, together with their families, receive adequate and loving care. The Church, following the example of the Good Samaritan, has always shown particular concern for the infirm. Through her individual members and institutions, she continues to stand alongside the suffering and to attend the dying, striving to preserve their dignity at these significant moments of human existence. Many such individuals – health care professionals, pastoral agents and volunteers – and institutions throughout the world are tirelessly serving the sick, in hospitals and in palliative care units, on city streets, in housing projects and parishes.

Our Church is blessed with two healing sacraments that of Reconciliation and of Anointing of the Sick. Both are grace encounters with our God and signs of his abundant love and compassion. We as members of this Catholic faith are called to imitate Christ in word and deed. Thus we are called to have a special care of the ill and infirmed both in body, mind or spirit. Visiting the sick is a work of mercy and closely aligns us with Christ. If you know of anyone who is sick or in poor health please let us know at the rectory and we will be glad to visit them. I also encourage all of you to also visit the sick whenever possible it is always a great source of comfort.

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick will also take place this coming Lenten Season and at all of our Masses on the Fourth Sunday of Lent March 9 & 10. This celebration of the sacrament is a reminder of our Church's and our God's care for all the sick.

Lastly I would ask all of us to pray in a special way today for all the sick of our world and especially for those in our parish. *Blessings! Msgr. John Shamleffer*





Knights of Columbus-
Ste Genevieve du Bois
Essay and Poster
Contest Winners



Front Row (left-right): Lauren Krebel(1st), Cece Keaney(1st), Franny Goldkamp(1st), Blake Christman(2nd), Barry Sheets(2nd), Lucy Gutting(2nd), Evie Vachon(3rd), Freddie Wiesehan(3rd), Gray Scott(4th), Ben Ankrom(4th), Quinn Scott(4th) Middle Row: Natalie Luby(7th), Lucy Lynch(7th), Abbey Pullin(7th), Alice Butler(6th), Molly O'Shea(6th), Denny Pfyl(6th), Maddy Guess(5th), William Deken(5th), Will Hollrah(5th) Back Row: Bea Butler(8th), Emily Simmons(8th), Luke Even(8th).
Not Pictured: Harrison Kelley(3rd)



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1ST RECONCILIATION

Congratulations to the 42 – yes, 42!! – young members of our parish who just completed their First Reconciliation. These students will continue sacrament preparation into the spring, as they get ready to make their first Communion on Saturday, April 6. Thank you for keeping these kiddos in your prayers, as they grow in the Catholic faith.



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COMMUNITY OUTREACH-CLAVER HOUSE



Claver House Pantry Drive

Thanks to everyone who supported the Ste. Gen School Community pantry drive for Claver House next month. Our next drive will begin March 1. More information will be forthcoming as we approach that date.

Casserole Program

Each Thursday Claver House delivers prepared meals to needy families. In support of this effort Meghan Hollrah of Ste. Gen is leading a monthly "Bake a Casserole" program for parish participation. To sign up, please contact Meghan at (314) 799-4807 or go to our SignUpGenius at <https://bit.ly/ste-gen-casserole>

Seedling Project

The Ville is a near food desert, and so Claver House operates several community gardens that grow food for the neighborhood. These gardens also serve as outdoor learning centers that teach health, nutrition, food justice, gardening, and sustainability. Additionally they serve as intentional spaces that build relationships among neighborhood residents and volunteers from across the area. This year Ste. Gen School is growing seedlings indoors and will plant them in these gardens in this spring. If you would like to join the effort, please contact Steve Hutchison at (314) 265-3257 or shutchison515@gmail.com.

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