

#### **Parish Staff**

Parish: 502-458-2500

Rev. Fr. Shayne R. Duvall, Pastor

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#### **School Staff**

School: 502-456-1541

Jill Tabor, Principal Kathryn Ford, Assistant Principal Stephanie Schrader, Dean of Student Services Kathy Ralston, Pre-K Director Mary Conner, Office Manager



## St. Raphael The Archangel Catholic Church



Monday 9/20	Noon	+ Tim Brown

Tuesday 9/21 Noon + Bud Steier

Wednesday 9/22 Noon + Dorothy Thomas

Thursday 9/23 Noon For all people who are sick

Friday 9/24 Noon + Deceased Members of the

Metts/Bellmont Family

Saturday 9/25 4:00pm + Carrie & Kacey McCaw

Sunday 9/26 8:30am St. Raphael Community

10:30am + Claudia Jean Gauss 5:00pm + Susan Meyer Moore

+ designates deceased

To request a Mass, contact the Parish Office at 502-458-2500.

## Stewardship of Treasure (20-21 Fiscal Year)

Weekly collections <b>budgeted</b> for 21-22	\$23,212
Sunday, September 12, 2021	\$10,108
Vanco Contributions - 9/8 - 9/13	<u>\$7,886</u>
' '	(\$5.218)

#### **Total Collections for FY 21-22**

Estimated YTD collections budgeted for 21-22 \$255,327 Actual YTD collections as of September 13, 2021 \$264,023 Fiscal Year July 1, 2021 - June 30, 2022 \$8,696

Collections budgeted = \$1,207,000 divided by 52 weeks = \$23,212 needed weekly In the spirit of transparency, details of parish financials may be viewed by appointment in the Parish Office.

### **Anointing of The Sick**

Contact Diane Justice at djustice@sraparish.org or 458-2500, ext. 1138
After hours? Please call 458-2500 and listen for specific instructions provided on the phone message.

#### **Baptism**

Contact Diane Justice at djustice@ sraparish.org or 458-2500, ext. 1138

## Children's Religious Education

Contact Brandan Holbrook at bholbrook@sraparish.org or 458-2500, ext. 1134

#### Confession

Saturdays 2:30 – 3:30pm in the church.

#### **Funerals**

Funeral planning packets are available to pre-plan funerals. Contact Elizabeth Jackson at ejackson@sraparish.org or 458-2500, ext. 1136

## Interested in Becoming Catholic?

Contact Diane Justice at at djustice@sraparish.org or 458-2500, ext. 1138

#### **Parish Council**

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## Readings for Next Sunday September 26, 2021

The Twenty-sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Numbers 11:25-29 James 5:1-6 Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48

Daily Mass readings can also be found at bible.usccb.org

#### Marriage

Contact Diane Justice at least six months prior to marriage. Marriage preparation is required. djustice@ sraparish.org or 458-2500, ext. 1138

#### **New Members**

We'd love to have you! Registration packets are by the doors and paperwork is also online.





January - Joseph, Most Valiant Protector of the Church February - Joseph, Most Chaste March – Joseph, Most Just April – Joseph, Lover of Poverty

> May – Joseph, Model of Workers June - Joseph, Head of The Holy Family July - Joseph, Most Faithful August – Joseph, Mirror of Patience

## September - Joseph, Most Prudent

In this month of September, we focus on Joseph as being an example of prudence.

Prudence is the mother of all virtues and the key virtue in the Christian moral tradition. It is the ability to make right judgements. Prudence helps us to determine our true good in every circumstance. Wisdom and prudence go together. Wisdom is knowledge combined with the practical experience necessary to use it effectively at the right time or in the right situation. Prudence is the ability to act in accordance with knowledge and wisdom.

In every situation in life, St. Joseph was a model of prudence. He prayed and waited on the Lord to reveal the mysteries of his wife's pregnancy to him. He educated Jesus, and, in every situation, allowed prudence to govern his actions. Each time Joseph knew the will of God, he acted decisively, swiftly, and accurately. He acted neither rashly nor timidly, but prudently.

St. Joseph, help me to increase in the virtue of prudence. Guide me to do what is right no matter how much I must suffer for it.



In the past, the Bishops' Committee on the Liturgy has discouraged pastors from placing the American flag within the sanctuary in order to reserve that space for the altar, the ambo, the presidential chair, and the tabernacle. Exceptions can always be made at the discretion of the pastor or the local bishop, especially regarding special celebrations and liturgies. For example, you may have noticed last weekend at the Mass on the 20th anniversary of 9/11 that we moved the American flag to the sanctuary.

Surprisingly to many, the origin of the display of the American flag in many parishes in the United States appears to have its origins in the offering of prayers for those who served during WWII. At that time, many bishops and pastors provided a book of remembrance near the American flag in the vestibule requesting prayers for loved ones, especially those serving their country in the armed forces, as a way of keeping the needs of military families at the attention of the faithful.



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#### St. Vincent DePaul News

SVDP is coordinating with PACTS on a "Food drive" thru September. We are helping support the ministries of HCM, EACM, St. Ignatius, Jewish Family Services and SVDP campus.

The following specific items have been requested: Pasta, Pasta Sauce, Crackers, Toilet paper, Toothbrushes, Toothpaste and Cleaning wipes.

We are also collecting New or Gently used "Childrens Books" in support of St. Julies parish in Owingsville, Ky. This small catholic parish hands out books (intead of candy) throughout the community at Halloween to promote good reading habits. Please help us support this great cause.

Thanks for your support! We appreciate your generosity and look forward to assisting those in need. Please reach out if we can help.

We are doing Great Work!



#### **Parents of Addicted Loved Ones**

Parents of Addicted Loved Ones is a support group of parents helping parents. They meet every week to offer addiction education and support, at no charge, for parents who are trying to save a son or daughter from addiction.

Sundays 3:00- 4:30 pm at St. John Paul II

3525 Goldsmith Lane In the school – Room 12 Questions: Michelle mmeeks13@bellsouth.net or

Mary 502-609-0926



## **Prayer List**

Pat Brand Marvin Chesser

Mary Cowell

Abbie Creed

Jerry Dillon, Sr.

Jerry Elder

Jim Gates

Ray Goodman

Mona Hedin

Teresa (Raap) Kamer

Fred Kidd

John King

Fred Krebs

Leanne McLaughlin

Diane McNeill

Steve McNeill

**Bob Moses** 

Joan Perry

Jerome Rash

Mickey Scheetz

Mary Ann Schrodt

**Don Spears** 

Georgia Thomas

Barbara Tichenor

John Tichernor

David Urton



## **New Parishioners**

We extend a warm welcome to all of our visitors!



For those wishing to register at St. Raphael Catholic Church, registration folders can be found in the entrances to the church or:

- · Call the Parish Office at 502-458-2500
- · Visit our website: www.sraparish.org

## **Prayer Requests Guidelines**

Please contact Diane Justice in the parish office at djustice@sraparish.org or 458-2500, ext. 1138 to add

individuals to our prayer list. Intentions will be prayed for a 4-week or 1-month period and then removed.

If the intention is still needed, it will remain on the prayer list upon communication to Diane.

Thank you for keeping our parishioners in prayer!





#### Timothy Weatherholt Attorney at Law

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## **SEPTEMBER** FEST

## SeptemberFest Is Back!

Friday, October 8th, 6:00 to 11:00pm

Food Trucks
Adult Beverages
Bouncy Houses
Kids movie on a Gigantic Inflatable Screen
Live Music

The return of this event is going to be EPIC and don't forget to be on the lookout for volunteer opportunities soon! Sponsorships available NOW for the band and more! For more information contact Mickey Matran at mickeym@hylandins.net

## Atrium Sundays During the 10:30 Mass



Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Atrium will meeting every Sunday during the 10:30am Mass for children ages Pre-K - 1st Grade. It will be open every Sunday this Fall during the 10:30 am Mass. Contact Brandan Holbrook, Children's Formation Coordinator at bholbrook@sraparish.org for more information.

## 40 Days For Life

The Fall 2021 40 Days for Life prayer campaign runs from Wed. September 22 through Sun. October 31. For 40 consecutive days volunteers take 1-hour shifts to stand in prayer outside the local abortion clinic from 7am to 7pm. St. Raphael Parish has partnered with two other parishes for EVERY Tuesday of the campaign (Sept. 28, Oct. 5, 12, 19, & 26). We are in need of at least TWO people per hour to stand as prayerful, public witnesses to the dignity of LIFE,

especially the innocent unborn child. This is a humble, sacrificial act of our faith -- your heart will be pierced and you will be blessed for and by your witness! For more information or to sign up for the hour(s) of your choice, use this link: tinyurl.com/2akk9lhe OR contact Julia Drummond (jys425@hotmail.com | 502.445.2953). YOU can change the world, one LIFE at a time!



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## Helping our New Neighbors from Afghanistan

Catholic Charities of Louisville soon expects to welcome up to 150 Afghan evacuees to Louisville. Many in our community are anxious to help, but the situation is still uncertain and constantly evolving. To best address this, we have created a webpage to keep you updated and allow you to sign up, noting your interests. We will reach out when we have specifics on donation needs, volunteer opportunities, etc. (We will also need to find residential rentals!)

Parishes interested in adopting families should also register. In a few weeks, we will explain via a Zoom call what this entails – including home set-up, transportation, ESL classes, interaction with families, and cultural activities to acclimate the families to their new homes. Each parish will need a leader or small committee to be the main contact with Catholic Charities. If you can help lead this effort at your parish, please note that in your individual registration.

Please take some time to watch the posted video to clarify how the refugee process works, how Catholic Charities of Louis-ville responds to arriving families, and how you can help. We couldn't be more grateful.

#### www.cclou.org/afghanistan

To Donate Financially to Recent Needs:

#### Afghanistan:

Catholic Charities of Louisville 2911 S. 4th Street Louisville, KY 40208

\*\*\*Checks should be made out to: "Catholic Charities of Louisville" and Memo Line: "CCL-Afghanistan" www.cclou.org/afghanistan > Choose "Afghanistan Support"

#### Haiti.

Catholic Relief Services 228 W. Lexington St. Baltimore Maryland 21201-3443 support.crs.org/donate/haiti-earthquake

#### Hurricane Ida:

Catholic Charities USA 2050 Ballenger Ave Suite 400 Alexandria, VA 22314 https://app.mobilecause.com/form/YR3ZYA?vid=lf5k7





We would like to welcome the newest member to the Church, Nora Marie Wimsatt, who was baptized on Sunday, September 12th by Fr. Shayne Duvall. Please pray for her parents and godparents that they fulfill the promise they made in raising Nora in the faith, and may she always live out the light of Christ.



# SECOND GRADE SACRAMENTS PARENT MEETING

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5 AT 6:30 PM IN THE CHURCH





PLEASE JOIN US FOR THIS REQUIRED PARENT MEETING (BOTH PARENTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND)

- HEAR FROM FR. SHAYNE AND HIS VISION FOR LIVING OUT OUR BAPTISMAL CALL
- LEARN HOW YOUR CHILD IS BEING PREPARED IN SCHOOL OR PREP AS WELL AS SPECIFICS ABOUT THEIR SACRAMENTS

Questions? Contact Brandan Holbrook, Children's Formation Coordinator at bholbrook@sraparish.org



## **Altar Server Training**





The final training for altar servers will take place in church on Sunday, September 26, at 6:00 p.m. Please join us for the 5:00 p.m. Mass before the training to observe and learn from other altar servers! This training is **mandatory** for any new or veteran server who has not attended one of the other trainings this fall.

The next training will take place in the spring, so don't miss out on this final opportunity of the year!

Please contact Elizabeth Jackson (ejackson@sraparish.org) or Eric Granger (eric\_granger@yahoo.com) for more information.

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