



# ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON CHURCH

2200 W. Republic Rd., Springfield, MO 65807

## SUNDAY MASSES

**Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:15AM & Saturday 4:30PM**

Nursery in School during 9:00 & 11:15AM Masses

## WEEKDAY MASSES

**Monday—Friday: 6:30AM**

**Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 8:30AM**

**Wednesday: 6:00PM**

***21st Sunday in Ordinary Time***  
***August 25, 2024***

**St. Elizabeth Ann Seton**  
**2200 W. Republic Rd.**  
**Springfield, MO 65807**

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### PRAYER CHAIN

Call the Parish Office at 417.887.6472

### SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Call the Parish Office at 417.887.6472 ext. 630  
*For the Anointing of the Sick or if you have experienced a death of a family member or friend outside of Office Hours enter 630 as soon as you connect. You will be connected to Fr. Tom's cell.*

### SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Call the Parish Office at least six months prior to possible date. Do not schedule a venue before securing the wedding date.

### INFANT BAPTISM PREPARATION

Second Tuesday of the Month ..... 6:30 PM

Contact Greg Bolda, 417.343.0502 or [gbolda@gmail.com](mailto:gbolda@gmail.com) to register by the Friday before the class.

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday ..... 3:00-4:00PM or by appointment

### PARISH STAFF

Rev. Tom Kiefer ..... Pastor  
Denise Dumas ..... Religious Education  
Karen Tippie ..... Religious Education Asst.  
Ellen Chindlund ..... Youth Minister  
Melinda Arnold ..... Music Minister  
Sr. Bernadette Goessling ..... Pastoral Minister  
Pat Brewer ..... R.C.I.A.  
Shelby Williams ..... Dir. of Parish Development  
Tami Bowen ..... Finance Manager  
Kelly Hayes ..... Facility Manager  
Tamara Sjoberg ..... Parish Custodian  
Hayley Hayes ..... School Custodian

### SCHOOL STAFF

School ..... 417.887.6056

JoAnne Bailes ..... Principal

Lauren Cayer ..... Administrative Assistant

### SPRINGFIELD CATHOLIC CEMETERIES

Russ Koeneman ..... 417.866.6720



What could possibly be loving about that?

Well, we notice the context is Jesus' teaching about eating and drinking his body and blood. His followers hear this and say, "This teaching is difficult; who can accept it?" (John 6:60). We shouldn't imagine we'd do anything different, because not even the ones who stay, like Peter, seem to understand what Jesus is saying. Then we hear this devastating line, "Because of this many of his disciples turned back and no longer went about with him" (John 6:66). Besides the night of the Last Supper, only now do Jesus' disciples abandon him. And, painfully, Jesus just lets them go.

The best way to make sense out of this is love. Jesus is God's love in action. He wants to become one with those whom He loves. He wants to love them as His own body. Yes, the oneness manifested in the Eucharist sounds harsh and dreadful because it is rooted in love which is willing to risk abandonment and separation to attain its goal: to be one body with the beloved. It is both terrifying and wonderful that Jesus will risk losing us in order to be one with us. Our response? Lord, we cannot grasp a love so great, but please help us never to abandon it, either.

~ Father John Muir

## **SEAS 2024 HARVEST HOME FESTIVAL IS ALMOST HERE!**

**Friday, September 6th & Saturday, September 7th**

We are counting down the days now till our 40th annual Harvest Home Festival. We know it's going to be another great year, and there are many ways for you to get involved, both as a volunteer and as a participant, and be a part of this wonderful SEAS tradition. **Please check out the details on Page 4.** It's going to be amazing! (Pray for good weather.)



## **COMMISSIONING MASS TO SEND OUT THE ACOSTA FAMILY**

**Wednesday, August 28th, 6:00 PM Mass**

Please join our SEAS family at 6:00 PM on Wednesday, August 28th, for a Commissioning Mass for the Acosta Family (SEAS parishioners for 19 years), as they prepare to leave as lay Catholic missionaries with Family Missions Company for the next 2½ years. Following Mass, the Acostas will be hosting a Q&A session, refreshments, and praise and worship in the parish hall. Monsignor Thomas Reidy and Rev. Thomas Kiefer will be presiding.

Lisa, Carson, Cameron, and Gianna are grateful to be able to serve as a family together as full-time foreign missionaries. They are excited to be a bridge for those back in the U.S. (especially their parish family at SEAS) to be able to join them in making disciples, serving the poor, sharing the love of Jesus, and taking the gospel to the ends of the earth!

Check out the Acosta kids' missionary blog at [actsoftheacostas.blogspot.com](http://actsoftheacostas.blogspot.com), or email the Acostas at [actsoftheacostas@gmail.com](mailto:actsoftheacostas@gmail.com) to be added to their newsletter list, or for more information.



## SAVE THE DATE—ROC & CREED

**Resume Wednesday, September 11th**

ROC (grades 6-8) and CREED (grades 9-12) youth groups will resume their regular weekly schedule on Wednesday, September 11th. ROC meets from 5:00-6:30 PM, and CREED meets from 7:00-8:30 PM in the Youth Room and O'Reilly Gym.

### HEADING OFF TO COLLEGE?

#### Check out Life Teen Campus Bound

If you're attending college in the fall, connect with Catholic Campus Ministry on a campus near you! Go to <https://lifeteen.com/campus-bound/> or use this QR Code and fill out the information. Life Teen will help connect you with campus ministry at your college or university.



### HARVEST GRILL HELP NEEDED

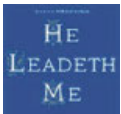
SEAS Youth Ministry will provide youth and adult volunteers for the Harvest Grill again this year. The funds raised from this will go toward attending events, conferences and camps. Please review the Sign-Up Genius sent via email and choose a time you can volunteer. If you have questions, or did not receive this email, contact:

**Ellen Chindlund, Youth Minister**

**[youth@seaschurch.org](mailto:youth@seaschurch.org) 417.887.6472, ext. 608**

### ADULT FAITH STUDY coming soon . . .

Come join us for a guided study followed by discussion of the book *He Leadeth Me* by Fr. Walter J. Ciszek, S.J. This book tells the story of Fr. Ciszek's unwavering faith in God amidst his sufferings in a Russian gulag. His story challenges us to place a deeper trust in God during our darkest hours. This study will begin on Sunday, September 15th, and meet for nine-weeks (ends November 10th), from 10:10-11:10 AM each Sunday. Participants have the option to purchase the book for \$11 through the parish or purchase a copy on their own. **The deadline to order a book through the parish is TODAY, August 25th.** There is a sign-up sheet in the Gathering Area, or you may call Denise in the PSR Office to register, 417.887.6472, ext. 646.



### RCIA SESSIONS

**Tuesdays, 6:30PM**

Last week we began a new journey in faith to share the richness of the Catholic Church and our parish family with all those who are interested in becoming Catholic. But, it's not too late to join with others to learn what the Church teaches. These sessions are also opportunities for you to ask those perplexing and difficult questions you may have about the Church. The gatherings are for inquirers and are open to people who are unbaptized, as well as those who are baptized Christians from Protestant or Evangelical backgrounds.

**For additional info, or questions, contact  
Pat Brewer, 417.988.5119**

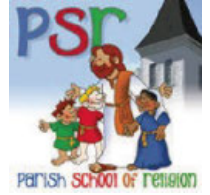
### Bishop Rice's August Prayer Intention

As we celebrate the Assumption of Mary during the month of August, we ask for her intercession for all students and teachers as they begin a new year of faith and education.



**It's never too late to register for PSR classes, but please register your children soon!**

The forms (they have a new look!) are available on our SEAS website, and in the Gathering Area. You may also stop by the PSR Office to get a copy of the form or use the QR



code at left. Leave the forms and fees in the box in the Gathering Area or slide them under the PSR Office door. We are excited to begin a new year with your children!

### PSR CLASSES WILL BEGIN ON

**Sunday, September 15th & Wednesday, September 18th**

**There will be parent meetings during that first class in the Adult Education Room.**

### CONFIRMATION TWO CANDIDATES AND



**PARENTS:** All candidates for Confirmation in February, 2025, (PSR, Catholic School, or home-school) are asked to attend, with a parent, one of these two meetings:

**Wednesday, September 4th, 6:30-7:30 PM OR**

**Sunday, September 8th, 10:10-11:10 AM**

**in the Adult Education Room.**

For questions or more information on any of the above items, **contact Denise Dumars 417.887.6472, ext. 610 or [ddumars@seaschurch.org](mailto:ddumars@seaschurch.org)**

### COMFORTS FROM THE HEART QUILTERS

**1st & 3rd Tuesday of each month, 10:00AM-2:00PM  
American Legion Post, 149 Memorial Plaza**

Did you know that we have a quilters ministry here at SEAS? This amazing group of volunteers meet at the American Legion Post in downtown Springfield on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the each month, from 10:00 AM-2:00 PM, and make beautiful quilts for the homeless and other groups in our community. New members are always welcome. For more info, contact: Carmen, 417.350.8282 or [qlt4u@yahoo.com](mailto:qlt4u@yahoo.com).



### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

**Coats (for adults) Collection**

**Let's all pitch in and help our less fortunate neighbors stay warm this winter!**

The Knights of Columbus Council 698 is once again sponsoring a coats for adults drive. From now until September 16th, please drop off new or slightly used coats in the bin provided for them in the Gathering Area. Last year the Knights gave away hundreds of coats to adults who otherwise would have had none. This goes along with their annual Coats for Kids drive, where the K of C has also given away thousands of coats to children. Thank you for your support!



**Catholic Radio KQOH 91.9FM**

CATHOLIC RADIO NETWORK



## THE PARISH SCHEDULE

Sunday	August
25	7:00/9:00/11:15 AM Sunday Masses 4:00 PM Catholic Mom's Group—2nd/4th Sundays 6:00 PM Harvest Home Planning Meeting 8:00 PM AA & Al-Anon
Monday	
26	6:00 AM Rosary in the Day Chapel 11:30 AM Lost and Found 2:00 PM Marian Movement of Priests Cenacle 4:00 PM — 8:00 PM Eucharistic Adoration 5:30 PM American Heritage Girls 6:00 PM Stephen Ministry Training 7:00 PM Gamblers' Anonymous
Tuesday	
27	6:00 AM Rosary in the Day Chapel 9:30 AM Catholic Mom's Group 9:45 AM Parish Staff Meeting 10:00 AM Rosary Makers 5:45 PM Choristers Rehearsal 6:30 PM Scouts BSA 6:30 PM RCIA Class 7:00 PM Youth Choir Rehearsal
Wednesday	
28	6:00 AM Rosary in the Day Chapel 9:15 AM SVdP Food Pantry 11:30 AM Lost and Found 5:30 PM Rosary in the Day Chapel 6:00 PM Acosta Family Commissioning at Mass 6:50 PM St. Cecilia Choir 6:30 PM RCIA Leadership Training
Thursday	
29	6:00 AM Rosary in the Day Chapel 11:30 AM Lost and Found 6:00 PM Praise & Worship 6:00 PM Beginning Experience
Friday	
30	6:00 AM Rosary in the Day Chapel 10:00 AM Wedding Rehearsal—Salkil/Holbrook
Saturday	
31	10:00 AM Salkil/Holbrook Wedding 3:00 PM Reconciliation 4:30 PM Sunday Mass
Sunday	September
1	7:00/9:00/11:15 AM Sunday Masses Hard Hat Tour of SEAS Pavilion after 11:15 AM Mass 8:00 PM AA & Al-Anon

### QUESTION OF THE WEEK

**John 6:60-69**

**Key Passage:** "Simon Peter answered Him, 'Master, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life. We have come to believe and are convinced that you are the Holy One of God.'"

**Question:** What words of Jesus are most lifegiving at this time of your life?

**Children:** Why do you want to be a friend of Jesus?

### Commitment: A Solitary Ember

A church member who had been devoutly active for many years suddenly was absent. One cold winter evening the pastor knocked at his door. Actually, the pastor and the church member had been long-time good friends.



As they watched the wood burn in the fireplace, the minister mentioned the parishioner's absence from church. The man candidly confessed that he had decided he was just as well off without the church as with it. The minister didn't say a word. He took the tongs from the rack, reached into the fire, pulled out a flaming ember, and laid it down by itself on the hearth. He still said nothing.

Both men sat in silence and watched the glowing ember lose its glow and turn slowly into a crusty, black lump. After some moments of thoughtful silence, the man turned to his pastor and said, "I get the message, my friend, I see what you mean; I'll be back next Sunday." And he was.

Commitment begins with decision, but commitment is never a once-in-a-lifetime decision.

*Charles R. Leary, Mission Ready! CSS Publishing Company*

### Cheap Crosses

A missionary in Brazil visited a market town on a religious holiday, and saw a sale sign in a store's window advertising "Cheap crosses for sell." We may look for cheap crosses — no sacrifice, no commitment, no cost, no pain — but there is no such thing. Jesus' disciples have to follow the way of the cross.

*Katherine Fagerburg, Difficult Decisions*

### Humor: I Quit

A guy joins a monastery and takes a vow of silence. He's allowed to say two words every three years. After the first three years, the elders bring him in and ask for his two words. "Cold floors," he says. They nod and send him away. Three more years pass. They bring him back in and ask for his two words. He clears his throat and says, "Bad food." They nod and send him away.

Three more years pass. They bring him in for his two words. "I quit," he says. "That's not surprising," the elders say. "You've done nothing but complain since you got here."

This gentleman at the monastery had something in common with the followers of Jesus: it was just too hard.

*Traditional*

*Father Tom*



### WEEKDAY MASSSES

**6:30AM: Monday—Friday**

**8:30AM: Monday (6th, 7th, & 8th Grades);  
Tuesday (4th & 5th Grades); Thursday (2nd & 3rd  
Grades); & Friday (All School Mass)**

**6:00PM: Wednesday**



### SEAS PAVILION

#### Hard Hat Tour

**Sunday, September 1st, after  
the 11:15AM Mass**



Join us for an exclusive Hard Hat Tour of the SEAS Pavilion next Sunday, September 1st, after the 11:15 AM Mass! Get a behind-the-scenes look at the progress and see firsthand how this exciting project is coming together. Don't miss out on this opportunity to witness the transformation.



## SIGN-UP TO VOLUNTEER HARVEST HOME FESTIVAL

**September 6th & 7th, 2024**

**SEAS Harvest Home Festival  
Needs Volunteers!**

We're gearing up for the SEAS Harvest Home Festival, and we need your help to make it a huge success! With 500 volunteer shifts to fill, your support is crucial. As a special thank you, if you volunteer for two or more hours (either at the festival or previous events like the Parish Garage Sale or SEAS Golf Tournament), you'll get FREE entry to our Bands, BBQ & Beer Night on Friday, September 6th (adults 21+ only).

To signup, please use this link: <https://www.seaschurch.org/harvest-home> or the QR Code at right.



**THANK YOU FOR CONSIDERING THIS  
OPPORTUNITY TO HELP US CREATE A  
FANTASTIC EVENT!  
TICKETS ON SALE NOW!**

**GET TICKETS  
HERE**

**Friday, September 6th, 5:00-11:00PM**

**Bands, BBQ and Beer Night**

**Adults 21+only—\$25 cover or \$40 for 2**

**Saturday, September 7th, 11:00AM-7:00PM**

**Family Day—Fun for everyone!**



Don't miss out on the fun, food and festivities—plus great discount packages and our 50/50 raffle. For tickets and event schedules and details, visit

[one.bidpal.net/harvesthome2024](https://one.bidpal.net/harvesthome2024)

**NEXT HARVEST HOME PLANNING MEETING**

**Today, Sunday, August 25th, 6:00 PM, School Cafeteria**

## SEAS HARVEST HOME FESTIVAL PRESENTS:

### **Family Field Competitions!**

**Saturday, September 7th, 3:00-5:00PM**

**Family Field Competitions Wristband: \$10**

Purchase online or at the Ticket Booth. Included with Kids Unlimited Games & Inflatables Wristband Get ready for an afternoon of fun, friendly competition and awesome prizes! Compete in classic games like the Sack Race, Egg & Spoon Race, 3-Legged Race, Ball Hop, Noodle Relay, and even Karaoke!

**Prizes include Season Family Passes to:**

**Silver Dollar City**

**Springfield Cardinals games**

**Wonders of Wildlife**

**Alamo Drafthouse**

**Dickerson Park Zoo**

**Minimum of 1 adult per team required**

**For Tickets, 50/50 Raffle, event details,  
and schedule, visit:**

<https://one.bidpal.net/harvesthome2024/welcome>

Or use the QR Code above

**Don't miss out on the fun—join us for a day of  
family-friendly excitement!**



## Mass Intentions

**Sunday, August 25th - 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:00 AM ..... †Ryne Shea Millsap

9:00 AM ..... †Dorothy Phillips

11:15 AM ..... People of the Parish

**Monday, August 26th**

6:30 AM ..... †Amanda Sanders

8:30 AM ..... †Mary Weseman

**Tuesday, August 27th- St. Monica**

6:30 AM ..... †Sue Whorton

8:30 AM ..... Monica Renkoski (Int.)

**Wednesday, August 28th ~**

**St. Augustine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church**

6:30 AM ..... Darlene Rodreick (Int.)

6:30 PM ..... Monica Renkoski (Int.)

**Thursday, August 29th -**

**The Passion of St. John the Baptist**

6:30 AM ..... Anita Zummo (Int.)

8:30 AM ..... †Ronald Netsell

**Friday, August 30th**

6:30 AM ..... †Theo Kyle Evans

8:30 AM ..... †Amanda Sanders

**Saturday, August 31st**

4:30 PM ..... †Fred Davidson

**Sunday, September 1st ~ 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

7:00 AM ..... †Albert & Marylou Caenepeel

9:00 AM ..... People of the Parish

11:15 AM ..... †Linda Sue Hearrell

## BOOK FOR PRAYER REQUESTS

If you or someone you know is in need of prayers, please enter your/their name(s) in the Book of Intercessions—which is located on a stand just outside the Day Chapel. Father Kiefer will always include those requests as part of the petitions we pray for at the weekend Masses.

## BULLETIN PRAYER LIST

If you, or your loved one, is listed on the SEAS Prayer List, please keep us updated as to your/his/her progress.

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 25, 2024

#### **Sunday:**

Jos 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b/Ps 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23 (9a)/Eph 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32/Jn 6:60-69

#### **Monday:**

2 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12/Ps 96:1-2a, 2b-3, 4-5/Mt 23:13-22

#### **Tuesday:**

2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17/Ps 96:10, 11-12, 13/Mt 23:23-26

#### **Wednesday:**

2 Thes 3:6-10, 16-18/Ps 128:1-2, 4-5/Mt 23:27-32

#### **Thursday:**

1 Cor 1:1-9/Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Mk 6:17-29

#### **Friday:**

1 Cor 1:17-25/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 10-11/Mt 25:1-13

#### **Saturday:**

1 Cor 1:26-31/Ps 33:12-13, 18-19, 20-21/Mt 25:14-30

#### **Next Sunday:**

Dt 4:1-2, 6-8/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5 1a/Jas 2:1-5/  
Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27/Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

## INSPIRE OUR YOUNG CHILDREN TO LOVE THE MASS!



Please consider volunteering for: **CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD** during the 4:30 PM, 9:00 AM and 11:15 AM Masses. This wonderful ministry helps share the love of Jesus with little ones (**Kindergarten through 1st grade**) by helping them learn more about the Mass on their level during part of the Mass. If you can volunteer one time a month/every six weeks, the children would so appreciate your time. Please contact Denise Dumars in the PSR Office (417.887.6472) if you are interested. Training will be provided.

### STEPHEN MINISTRY

**Different.** You remember looking a people with disabilities in the past. Now you're one of them. Anger, denial, sadness—and the need to get your life back together again. A Stephen Minister can help you find the resources that you need to rebuild your life. Please call:

**Mary Shaw, 417.830.7739 or  
Marla Underwood, 417.425.8920**



**ST. VINCENT de PAUL SOCIETY**  
Thank you for your continued support of our  
SVdP Food Pantry

*"Charity is the cement which binds communities to God and persons to one another . . ." ~ St. Vincent de Paul*

**Requested Items for AUGUST are:**

**LAUNDRY DETERGENT; CEREAL (BOXES-NOT BAGS);  
BARS OF BATH SOAP**

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

**Mondays: 4:00—8:00 PM Day Chapel**



**CURSILLO WOMEN'S & MEN'S RETREATS**  
**Vietnamese Martyrs Retreat Center, Carthage, MO**  
**Women—Thursday, September 5th-  
Sunday, September 8th**

**Men—Thursday, October 24th-Sunday, October 27th**

It's not too early to start planning for the Women's and Men's Cursillo Retreats coming up in September and October. During these three-day retreats you will work together as you listen to talks given by priests and laity. There will be daily Mass, time for meditation, The Way of the Cross, rosary and reconciliation. For more information, please contact:

**Joy Steffes at [joy\\_steffes@yahoo.com](mailto:joy_steffes@yahoo.com)  
Mary Williams at [maryw8059@gmail.com](mailto:maryw8059@gmail.com)**



### **For the Week of August 11th-17th**

Operating Income

Weekly Envelopes.....\$17,191.00  
Plate.....\$1,514.01  
TOTAL FOR WEEK.....\$18,705.01  
Annual Budgeted Collection.....\$1,273,454.00  
Fiscal Year-to-Date Budget.....\$164,317.00  
Fiscal Year-to-Date Collection.....\$125,559.00  
( 23.5873% below budgeted income)

In today's first reading, Joshua challenges the people to decide whom they will serve. Recalling God's faithfulness to them and to their ancestors, the people declare, "We also will serve the Lord, for He is our God." May we, too, be mindful of God's gifts to us and renew our commitment to serve Him with grateful hearts.



## IMPORTANT FEAST DAY

**This Week  
The Passion of  
St. John the Baptist**

**Thursday, August 29th  
Masses at 6:30 & 8:30AM**

St. John the Baptist was sent by God to prepare for the coming of Jesus, and as a result suffered the fate of many Old Testament prophets before him: rejection and martyrdom.

Jesus says in Matthew 11:11 "Verily I say unto you, among them that are born of women there hath not risen a greater than John the Baptist: notwithstanding he that is least in the Kingdom of heaven is greater than he." We will commemorate St. John the Baptist's death and celebrate his importance in our Lord's life on earth at the 6:30 & 8:30 AM Masses this Thursday, August 29th.

### TWO GREAT WAYS TO VOLUNTEER AT CATHOLIC CHARITIES

Help feed the mothers and babies of **LifeHouse** Crisis Maternity Home. If you are available on Monday and/or Thursday mornings at 8:00 AM to help harvest the fruits and veggies for LifeHouse, or on the gardening days of September 24th and October 22nd, please contact **Jill Guise at 417.720.4213 or [volunteers@ccsomo.org](mailto:volunteers@ccsomo.org)**.

**LifeHouse** also needs volunteers to babysit in the evenings on Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays. Please reach out to Jill Guise at the above phone number or email address to get on the schedule.

### SCOUT TROOP 239 FALL MUM SALE!

*High-quality 8" pot mums with a 14-16" spread  
Colors available: White, Red, Bronze, Lavender,  
and Yellow—Just \$13 each!*

**Pre-orders due by Sept 3rd** – Order from your favorite Troop 239 Scout, after all Masses this weekend, August 24th/25th, or via their Facebook page:

Troop 239 Springfield MO.

*Proceeds go toward scout campouts and activities.*

*Pick-up on September 17th, 7-8 PM at SEAS.*

Support our scouts and add some fall color to your garden!

### Other Income

Maintenance Fund.....	\$995.00
Welcome Envelopes .....	\$1,218.00
Tuition Assistance.....	\$425.00
Mass Stipends.....	\$95.00
Holy Days (other) .....	\$110.00
Flowers.....	\$60.00

### We Believe Capital Campaign

Income for the Week.....	\$3,309.00
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### Special Collections

St. Vincent de Paul.....	\$440.00
The Kitchen .....	\$106.00
Retirement for Religious .....	\$60.00



# Church & Community News...

## Prayer for SEAS Parishioners & Our Loved Ones

Denise Youngberg Baldwin	Sharon Giboney	Jerry Nehl
Tina Bowen	Peggy Gilbert	Frank Pelliccio
Greg Brantman	Karissa Gingell	Mark Pike
Linda Bryant	Mary Ann Gross	John Pinney
Susie Brantman	Grace Guy	Jackson Rheuark
Rayna (Nehl) Brown	Irene Hahn	Dan Rooney
Bill & Carolyn Buron	Mary Ann Hale	Annie Roy
Bruce Cobb	Ashley Harris	Margarethe Sanchez
Cindy Connelly	Susan Henderson	Steve San Paolo
Frank Connelly	Janice Horton	Beth Schulte
Joyce Cunningham	Jeannie Huckstep	Maggie Solomon
Jim Davidson	Barbara Kerr	Tena Springfield
Patty Denyer	Mary Alice Krueger	Debbie Stuck
Joel Detten	Sally Hull	Sky Carver Stupperich
Thao Dinh	J.J. Lahr	Nicholas Taylor
Mary Ann Fleder	Mackenzie (Neville) Lariviere	Kinsey Grace Teeple
Gabriel Flores	Earlene Lawson	Ever Tremain
Rose Freitag	Wanda Lohkamp	Charles West
Sherri Fullerton	Glenn Matlock	Kirk Wulff
Glen Giboney	Shirley Mullens	Stacy Powers Yerby

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY at CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY

Catholic Campus Ministry in Springfield is seeking a Cleaning Person 7-8 hours per week—2 days per week/3-4 hours per day. Competitive wage at \$17 per hour if experienced. Please contact Bev Franklin with questions, or for more info at 417.865.0802, M-F, 8:00 AM-Noon or email [bfranklin@ccm847.org](mailto:bfranklin@ccm847.org).

## "Walk for Life" 1342 E Primrose St

**Saturday, September 14, 9:00AM-12:00noon**

**PCC PREGNANCY CARE CENTER** Pregnancy Care Center asks that you join them for a family-friendly fundraiser with a two-mile walk, live music, free coffee and donuts, and activities for the kids on Saturday, September 14, from 9:00 AM—Noon. Visit [417pcc.org/24walk](http://417pcc.org/24walk) to register by August 26th for a **FREE T-Shirt**. For sponsorship opportunities, contact [info@417pcc.org](mailto:info@417pcc.org).

## PLEASE SAVE THE DATE—"LifeHouse Gala"

(previously called Dinner for Life),

**Saturday, September 21st, 6:30PM,**

**Double Tree Convention Center**



You'll want to save the date for this exciting evening of dinner, famous dessert auction and other fun auctions, dueling pianos and more to support LifeHouse Crisis Maternity Home in Springfield. Be sure to mark your calendar now for Saturday, September 21st, so you won't miss this important event.



**DAILY READINGS AVAILABLE ONLINE BY USING THE QR CODE USCCB webpage**

## Pray for Those Serving in the Military



Taylor Adams  
Joe Carey  
Mason Hatch  
Kegan Higerson  
Sam Holbrook  
Patrick McClernon

Joseph Melvin  
Joe Mulheron  
Eric Schmittling  
Maddyson Taylor  
Joshua Tran  
Braedon Warren



## THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Please remember in your prayers the faithful departed: especially Paul Sutton, brother to Donna Cody. We also pray for all friends and family who mourn their passing.

*May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God rest in peace!*



The Flowers in the Sanctuary this week have been provided by Janet Kuhn, in loving memory of her husband, Joseph Kuhn



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