



Ss. Peter & Paul Catholic Parish

322 7TH STREET • BOONVILLE, MO 65233

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Website: ssppboonville.diojeffcity.org

Facebook: @ssppchurchboonville Instagram: @ssppchurch

WELCOME to all who have come to worship and pray with us. We're glad you're here! Please fill out a visitor card. They are found at each of the church entrances.

WEEKEND MASSES

6PM Saturday

10:30AM Sunday

WEEKDAY MASSES

8:15AM Wednesday & Friday

LIVESTREAMED MASSES

Some of our Masses are live-streamed on the church's Facebook page, SS Peter & Paul Church — Boonville, Mo.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is generally offered 30 minutes prior to Mass unless otherwise announced and by appointment.

PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTION

9AM Saturday

Father Mark Smith, Pastor

.....pastor@ssppparish.net

Deacon Dave Miller

Prison Ministry; Marriage Prep

.....(660) 888-6827

.....dkndav0438@yahoo.com

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.....secretary@ssppparish.net

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.....bookkeeper@ssppparish.net

Theresa Krebs, DRE

.....dre@ssppparish.net

Kelly Rohrbach

Pastoral Council Chairperson

.....kelschuster@gmail.com

FLOCKNOTE Text SSPPBV to 84576

to receive occasional communications from the parish.

ST. JOSEPH, PILOT GROVE

Father Mark is also the pastor at St. Joseph, Pilot Grove. Mass times are Tuesdays & Thursdays at 8:05 a.m., Saturdays at 4 p.m. and Sundays at 8:30 a.m. Contact the St. Joseph office at 660-834-5600.

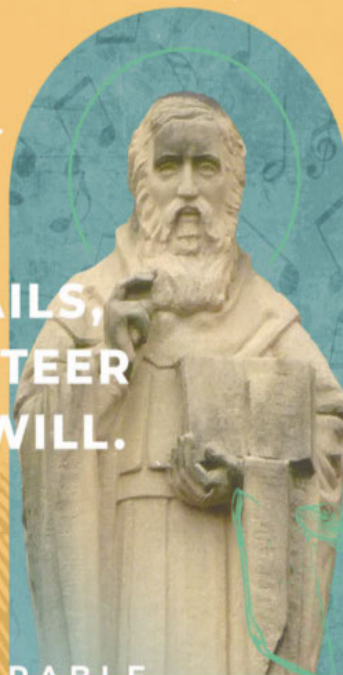
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UNFURL THE SAILS,
AND LET GOD STEER
US WHERE HE WILL.

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- ST. BEDE THE VENERABLE

PATRON OF
SCHOLARS



THE SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, JANUARY 14, 2024

First Reading: The LORD came and revealed his presence, calling out as before, "Samuel, Samuel!" Samuel answered, "Speak, for your servant is listening." (1 Sm 3:10)

Psalms: Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will. (Ps 40)

Second Reading: Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ? But whoever is joined to the Lord becomes one Spirit with him. (1 Cor 6:15, 17)

Gospel: So they went and saw where Jesus was staying, and they stayed with him that day. (Jn 1:39)

GOSPEL MEDITATION

As a priest, I'm amazed how happily married couples remember the tiniest details of their earliest encounters. They effortlessly report things like: "he wore a blue shirt," "we ordered brussels sprouts," "her hair was up in a bun," and "he spilled shrimp cocktail sauce at my family's open front door when it was ten degrees below zero," (that one's courtesy of my mom). We delight in remembering and speaking of when our new life of love began. The little details are glorious reminders that it's all *real*.

It's similar for John the Apostle. He tells us of the two disciples who followed Jesus into his house, "...they stayed with him that day. It was about four o'clock in the afternoon." Why does that tiny detail matter? *Because that's the time of day when they encountered the love of Jesus the Messiah in their lives.* Our religion is not primarily about abstract truths about God, no matter how true or sublime. It is about God meeting and saving us in our human nature. It's about a *human* relationship.

What was the time of day when you first recall encountering Christ and his Church? Who was there? What did you feel? How did things look and smell? What happened? Take some time to recall it in detail. For me, it was inside an old, rickety church on a hillside in Jerome, Arizona. It was about 9 p.m. on a Saturday evening. I was with my friends Jenny, Brad, and Laura. We were praying, singing, and laughing. When was it for you? Remembering the details isn't empty nostalgia. It reminds us now that God's love for us in our humanity is real

— Father John Muir

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, January 13
6PM: People of the Parish

SUNDAY, January 14
10:30AM: Charlotte Bonin

WEDNESDAY, January 17
8:15AM: Kristen Griffy

THIRD FRIDAY, January 19
8:15AM: Bob Felten

SATURDAY, January 20
6PM: James & Dorothy Gerke

SUNDAY, January 21
10:30AM: Rustemeyer & Smith Families

PARISH COLLECTION & TITHING

Receipts for Jan. 6 & 7:
\$45,979.10

Weekly Budget: \$17,596.15

YTD Collection & Tithing:
\$501,260.33

YTD Budget: \$492,692.31

We are grateful to those who sacrificially tithe to financially support our parish. Thank you.

JANUARY MASS COUNTS

DATES	6PM	10:30 AM
January 6 & 7	180	238
January 13 & 14		
January 20 & 21		
January 27 & 28		

SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: Martin Luther King Day

Wednesday: St. Anthony, Abbot

Thursday: January 18-25 is the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

Saturday: St. Fabian, Pope and Martyr; St. Sebastian, Martyr

Next Sunday: 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time



Prayer for Discernment

Dear Lord,

Here I am! Help me to know the path You would have me walk, to speak the words You would have me speak, to love and serve those You put in my path. Amen.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: 1 Sm 3:3b-10, 19/Ps 40:2, 4 7-8, 8-9, 10 (8a, 9a)/1 Cor 6:13c-15a, 17-20/Jn 1:35-42

Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28/Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/

Mk 3:1-6

Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13/Mk 3:7-12

Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11/Mk 3:13-19

Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/Mk 3:20-21

Next Sunday: Jon 3:1-5, 10/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 (4a)/1 Cor 7:29-31/Mk 1:14-20



Bishop McKnight's January Prayer Intention for our Local Church: "For the gift of patience; may we embrace poverty of spirit when suffering the shortcomings of others and ourselves."

The Pope's January Prayer Intention for the Gift of Diversity in the Church: "Pope Francis calls for prayers to the Holy Spirit "to help us recognize the gift of different charisms within Christian communities and to discover the richness of various ritual traditions within the Catholic Church." ."



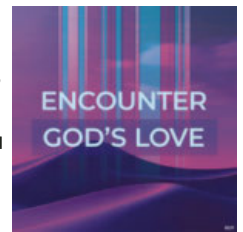
SPIRITUAL HOMEWORK: QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading: In the Lord's call to Samuel, Eli teaches Samuel the importance of "listening" to God's voice. Can you name something you have heard from the Lord?

Second Reading: Paul saw our physical bodies as a temple of the Holy Spirit, destined to be raised after death just as Jesus was raised from the dead. What are some ways to treat your body with reverence and respect?

Gospel: In John's account of the call of the first disciples, we hear the first words Jesus speaks in the Gospel of John:

"What are you looking for?" How can you convince family or friends that Jesus is what we all should be looking for?



Mass Ministry Volunteers

January Altar Linens: Jeanne Pascale

Altar Angels Church Cleaning Team: Philip & Lori Imhoff, Adam & Amy Imhoff, Melissa Imhoff, Mike & Brea James

Parish families with school-aged children are assigned each week to clean the church. The first family listed is the Team Coordinator.

You will receive a text prior to your assignment with instructions. Thank you for your stewardship to our parish family!

	Sacristan	Coordinator	Lector	Offertory	Servers	Greeters/Ushers	Musicians	Money Counters
Saturday, January 20 6 p.m.	Diane Brimer	Larry Grissum	Shannon Griffy	Dan & Shelly Schuster Family	Jaden & Brooklyn Ronnfeldt McKenzie Imhoff	Kate, Aesa & Bearow Fjell (2 doors) Dan Schuster	Guitar Group	Team 8 Amanda Lutz Lori Rowlett Kate Fjell
Sunday, January 21 10:30 a.m.	Bridgette Lutz	Diane Jackson	Heidi Selenke	Kyle & Abby Martin Family	Dawson & Blaine Samer Sawyer Teson	Levi & Cinder Malott (one door) Whitney & Mabry Caton	Jesse Rohrbach Nancy Windsor	

Please find someone to substitute for you if you are unable to fulfill your ministry. Sub lists can be found online at: tinyurl.com/5n78w677. Thank you for all you do to keep our liturgy reverent!

PARISH CALENDAR

- **Saturday, Jan. 13, 7 a.m.:** Men's Group, parish office basement
- **Saturday, Jan. 13, 9 a.m.:** Perpetual Help Devotion, church
- **Saturday, Jan. 13-Sunday, Jan. 21:** Diaper Drive. See bulletin announcement.
- **Sunday, Jan. 14, 12 noon:** OCIA, high school students, church hall
- **Monday, Jan. 15:** No school
- **Monday, Jan. 15, 9 a.m.:** Legion of Mary, parish office basement
- **Monday, Jan. 15, 6:30 p.m.:** Rosary followed by Divine Mercy Chaplet at church
- **Tuesday, Jan. 16, 10 a.m.:** Bible study, church hall
- **Tuesday, Jan. 16, 5:6:30 p.m.:** Food distribution at the food pantry, 509 Water St.
- **Wednesday, Jan. 17, 5 p.m.:** Cursillo, cry room
- **Wednesday, Jan. 17, 5:45 p.m.:** Worship & Spiritual Development Commission meeting, parish office
- **Wednesday, Jan. 17, 6:30 p.m.:** OCIA Adults, church hall
- **Wednesday, Jan. 17, 7 p.m.:** Women's Group, parish office basement
- **Thursday, Jan. 18, 5 p.m.:** Finance Council, parish office
- **Thursday, Jan. 18, 6-7:30 p.m.:** Food distribution at the food pantry, 509 Water St.
- **Third Friday, Jan. 19:** Adoration 9 a.m.—9 p.m.
- **Saturday, Jan. 20, 9 a.m.:** Perpetual Help Devotion, church
- **Sunday, Jan. 21, 12 noon:** OCIA, church hall
- **Sunday, Jan. 21, 7 p.m.:** High School youth group, parish office basement

Boonville Baby Grace wishes everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, with thankful appreciation to all who have donated to the program this past year. The next distribution will be Thursday, January 18 from 5– 7p.m. at the Nelson United Methodist Church, 407 E. Spring St., Boonville.



PLEASE NOTE: The Neighbors Helping Neighbors Food Pantry distribution dates and times have changed for 2024. Distributions will occur on the first three Tuesdays of each month. The first distribution will be held from 8-10:30 a.m. The second and third distributions will be held from 5-6:30 p.m. The food pantry is located at 509 Water St.

**3RD ANNUAL COMMUNITY-WIDE
DIAPER COLLECTION**

JAN 13-21

SSPP CHURCH IS PARTNERING WITH LOCAL CONGREGATIONS AND "NEIGHBORS HELPING NEIGHBORS" FOOD PANTRY, TO SUPPORT LOCAL FAMILIES.

→ DROP OFF DIAPERS AT SSPP CHURCH OR AT ANOTHER PARTICIPATING CHURCH.

→ OR SEND DIAPERS DIRECTLY TO:
SSPP CATHOLIC CHURCH
322 7TH ST., BOONVILLE, MO 65233
QUESTIONS? 660.882.2589

ALL DIAPERS WILL BE DISTRIBUTED TO LOCAL FAMILIES

On January 21, 2024, in observance of the Sunday of the Word of God, the

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, through a grant from the American Bible Society, will offer a "Sunday



Seminar Series" of four videos about Sacred Scripture in the life of the Church. These videos, available in English and Spanish, will feature bishops and biblical scholars and will be accompanied by discussion/reflection questions. The topics and presenters are:

- The Biblical Brilliance of the Eucharist by *Bishop François Beyrouti, Eparchy of Newton*
- Synodality in the Life and Mission of the Church: The Historical Biblical Perspective by *Bishop Juan Miguel Betancourt, Auxiliary Bishop of Hartford*
- Praying with the Psalms by *Dr. Andrew Davis, Boston College*
- The Gospel of John and the Johannine Literature by *Dr. Sherri Brown, Creighton University*

The videos will be made available on January 19, 2024 at: <https://catholic.bible/sunday-of-the-word-of-god/>

SS. PETER & PAUL, BOONVILLE

JOIN US FOR MEN'S GROUP

Strengthen all of your relationships
by becoming a stronger man of faith!

EVERY OTHER SATURDAY
BEGINNING 1.13.24 FOR 6-8 WEEKS
WE'LL START WITH BREAKFAST AT 7AM.
SSPP PARISH OFFICE BASEMENT
ENTER THROUGH THE SPRING ST. DOORS

The SSPP Men's Group invites all men of the parish to join us! Text or call Deron Widmer, 573-289-0360

Q: "How can I convince friends who go to church once or twice a month or just on holidays why they need to go regularly?"
— Clare H., 14

A: It sounds as if they don't realize what the heart of their professed Faith is — a relationship of love with Jesus Christ. Perhaps you should work on that. Evangelize them by pointing them to Christ. The best way to do that isn't simply by what you say, but also what you do. Your love for Christ should be evident by how you live. If you're a hypocrite, your friends may see this as proof that going to Mass makes no difference.

As to why they should go to Mass regularly, tell them they should do this as an expression of their love for Christ. This love of Christ means (1) we want to receive Him in the Eucharist and (2) we will obey Him. Jesus says if we love Him, we will keep His Commandments (John 14:15). Conversely, if we don't keep His Commandments, can we really say we love Him?

Jesus wants us to gather for corporate worship on Sunday. That is how Christians fulfill the Commandment, "Keep holy the Lord's Day."

Remind your friend that God gives us 24 hours each day. He gives us seven days each week. That's 168 hours a week. We spend about 56 hours sleeping and 56 hours working or in school. That leaves 56 hours for enjoyment, etc. If we can't give God one or two hours out of that 56, there's simply *no way* we can say we love Him. And, if you do not love or serve Him in this life, you seriously risk not being with Him in the next.

*Reprinted from "Did Adam & Eve Have Belly Buttons?"
by Matthew J. Pinto*

WHY DO WE DO THAT? CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED *Changes to the Mass*

Question: Why do we make changes in the Mass? Some seem small and unimportant. Are they really necessary?

Answer: The celebration of the Eucharist is at the heart of our identity as Catholics. Our purpose as a Church community revolves around the Eucharist.

Everything we are and everything we do is measured not only by how well we celebrate, but also by how well we live the sacrament. If that is so, then we as a community will always strive to celebrate the Mass as best we can. The reasons for some changes might seem more obvious than others, but there is a reason behind each one.

The General Instruction of the Roman Missal is the introduc-

tion to the Missal that contains all the prayers for the celebration of the Mass.

The Order of Mass we use now was issued in 1975 and, as often happens over the course of years, some questions have come up about the proper way of doing some things and whether or not other practices are acceptable. These changes clarify some things and make the celebration of the Mass more meaningful for everyone.

The opportunity is presented to us to better learn and understand each part of the Mass, which in turn should help us deepen our appreciation for its beauty and meaning. We will be a better Church if we have a clearer understanding and knowledge of Who and what we celebrate.

Scrip cards are available by contacting Darlene Smith at 660-537-8638 for pickup at her house, or email us at stpspscrip@gmail.com.

We can have them ready for your to pick up after Mass. As a reminder, you can also order physical cards or receive e-cards via the RaiseRight app. For a complete list of cards available, see the app or visit raiserright.com.

Available inventory for immediate purchase:



Academy Sports \$25; Amazon \$10, \$25 & \$100; Arby's \$10; Barnes and Noble \$25; Bass Pro Shops \$25; Bath & Body Works \$25; Bredeaux \$10; Breaktime \$50; Buffalo Wild Wings \$25; C&R Market \$50 & \$100; Casey's \$25, \$50 & \$100; Cenex \$25 & \$100; Dairy Queen \$10 & \$25; Dick's Sporting Goods \$25; El Rancho Viejo \$25; Food & Laughs (Valid at BJ's Brewhouse, Cracker Barrel, Red Lobster, Red Robin, Cheesecake Factory) \$25; Gap/Old Navy/Banana Republic/Athleta \$25; Gordon Jewelers — any denomination; Happy Moments (Valid at Bed Bath & Beyond, Buffalo Wild Wings, Cheesecake Factory, Macy's, Red Lobster, Regal, and Ulta Beauty) \$25; Hardee's \$10; Home Depot \$10 and \$25; Hy-Vee \$50 & \$100; Infinity Massage 30 (\$35) or 60 (\$60) minutes; Kohl's \$25; Lowe's \$25; Maggie's \$25; Menard's \$25; McDonalds \$10 and \$25; Never The Same — any denomination; Olive Garden/Cheeddar's/Longhorn \$25; Panda Express \$25; Panera Bread \$10 and \$25; Pizza Hut \$10; Sonic \$10 or \$25; Starbucks \$10 & \$25; Subway \$10; Taco Bell \$10 or \$25; Target \$10 & \$25; Texas Roadhouse \$25; The Brew Brothers \$25; The Cove \$25; TJMaxx/Marshalls/Hom4eGoods \$25; Walgreens \$25; Walmart \$10, \$25, \$50, \$100, or \$250; Wendy's \$25

THIS WEEK ON FORMED

Week of January 14, 2024



God's Doorkeeper: St. André of Montreal

This week, we celebrate the memorial of a humble doorkeeper, St. André of Montreal. Learn how this man became a great saint through his small acts of love!



The Bible Collection - Genesis

Experience the epic tale of creation in this Christian anthology that details the stories of Adam and Eve, Cain and Abel, and Noah and the Ark.



Padre Pio: Between Heaven and Earth

Based on the historical records and the personal testimony of his fellow friars, this is the amazing true story of the life of the famous stigmatic monk, St. Padre Pio, a contemporary saint who died in 1968. Blessed with incredible spiritual gifts, including healing, bi-location, reading of souls, and the stigmatic wounds, Padre Pio was a powerful witness for Christ, and a great spiritual guide to countless souls for over fifty years.

Our parish has a FORMED subscription.
Visit signup.formed.org and select our parish name.

An offering from the AQUINAS INSTITUTE and SPIRITUS PRESS

Looking for the perfect Valentine's gift for your spouse? Register now for the February 10-11 Marriage Encounter Weekend in Jefferson City!

Closeness, comfort, fun, trust, a friend, and a helper - these are some of the blessings of marriage. Marriage Encounter provides the opportunity and the atmosphere for you to celebrate and renew these blessings in YOUR marriage. Don't let the busyness of life steal them away.

While this event is not exclusive to the Catholic faith, it does focus on putting Christ at the center of your marriage. Celebrate this Valentine's Day by discovering a deeper level of satisfaction and joy in your marriage.

Register today before the event fills up! Visit www.jeffcityme.com for more information and to register, or contact Harry & Cecilia Hentges at 573-619-7416.



Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Roger Kueckelhan, brother of Keith Kueckelhan**, who passed away December 28, 2023. *"May the souls of your faithful departed, through Your mercy Oh God, rest in peace, and may their families and friends receive comfort from the Lord."*



Christmas flower donations
Thanks also to Jerry Ray Kempf and Bill & Peggy Weber.

Job opening at St. Thomas More Newman Center

St. Thomas More Newman Center Parish is seeking to fill the position of Director of Youth Ministry. To see a full job description, go to: <https://www.comonewman.org/job-openings/>

Be A heart **A YEAR OF PRAYER**

A note from Pope Francis:

I would greatly desire that we devote 2024, the year preceding the Jubilee event, to a great "symphony" of prayer. Prayer, above all else, to renew our desire to be in the presence of the Lord, to listen to him and to adore him. Prayer, moreover, to thank God for the many gifts of his love for us and to praise his work in creation, which summons everyone to respect it and to take concrete and responsible steps to protect it. Prayer as the expression of a single "heart and soul" (cf. Acts 4:32), which then translates into solidarity and the sharing of our daily bread. Prayer that makes it possible for every man and woman in this world to turn to the one God and to reveal to him what lies hidden in the depths of their heart. Prayer as the royal road to holiness, which enables us to be contemplative even in the midst of activity.

Calling all cursistas & those interested in Cursillo!

Ultreya 'Souper Supper'

SSPP's Wednesday night Cursillo group will be hosting the monthly Ultreya meeting for the Columbia-area groups. Bring your favorite soup to share!

Diane Brimer, a member of Cursillo #80, will share her story.



When: Thursday, February 1, 2024
Supper at 6:15 p.m. Ultreya to follow.
Where: St. Peter & Paul Church Hall,
322 Seventh St., Boonville

For more information,
call Ruth Wells at 660-888-5395

PROMISE TO PROTECT



PLEDGE TO HEAL

BELIEVE IN THE POSSIBILITY OF HELP AND HEALING. THERE IS HOPE.
Your local Victim Assistance Coordinator is available to help you or anyone who has been abused or victimized by someone representing the Catholic Church. We will listen to your needs and support you. We will help you make a formal complaint and arrange a personal meeting with the bishop, or his delegate, if desired. We encourage you to come forward and speak out.

To report abuse, call the Missouri Child Abuse and Neglect Hotline:

1-800-392-3738 or 1-844-CAN-TELL

Missouri Adult Abuse and Neglect Hotline: 1-800-392-0210

Any known or suspected abuse or neglect of children or adults should be immediately reported to the appropriate legal authorities.

To report concerns or suspected abuse by diocesan personnel, also contact:
Jacqueline Baldwin, Victim Assistance Coordinator
reportabuse@diojeffcity.org | 573-694-3199



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MEN'S CONFERENCE **BE NOT AFRAID**



DR. EDWARD SRI



FR. ANTHONY WIECK, S.J.



PETE BURAK

FEBRUARY 17, 2024
8:45 AM - 4:00 PM
SI COMMONS AT SLUH

Host - Adam Wright catholicmenforchrist.org Music - Sean Feltz



Job Opening at Fr. Tolton Catholic High School

Fr. Tolton Catholic High School currently has an opening for a Track and Field - Throwers Coach. Full job description and information on how to apply can be found at <https://toltoncatholic.org/job-openings>. Join our team - apply today!

COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

Applications due
March 28, 2024

The Diocese of Jefferson City is pleased to offer our parish families college scholarship opportunities through a generous donation from the families of William H. (Bill) Simon and John L. Warack



FOR ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS
AND TO COMPLETE AN APPLICATION, VISIT:

diojeffcity.org/scholarships



DIocese of
Jefferson City

PRAYERS FOR OUR TROOPS

Please pray for: **Technical Sgt. Matthew A. Babbitt**, USAF Charleston, SC, son of Tony & Jeanette Babbitt; **Spc. Justin Coleman**, US Army, Fort Huachuca, AZ, son of Jim & Laura Coleman; **Cadet Peyton Hahn**, USAF Academy, Colorado Springs, CO, son of Justin & Kristina Hahn; **Lt. Austin L. Hein**, US Navy, San Diego, son of Linda Hein and grandson of Gene & Emilie Herigon; **Sgt. Dutch Muder**, US Army, Ft. Carson, CO, grandson of Tom & Joyce Adair; **Senior Airmen Logan Q. Pfeiffer**, Air Force, Alaska, grandson of Logan & Betty Pfeiffer **Col. Matthew Pfeiffer**, USAF, Albuquerque, NM, son of Logan & Betty Pfeiffer; **Lt. Chad Twenter**, USMC, Camp Lejeune, NC, son of John & Lori Twenter; and all Veterans.

To have your military family member included in the bulletin, please email the information to bulletin@ssppparish.net.

Focus on Vocations

"Come, and you will see."

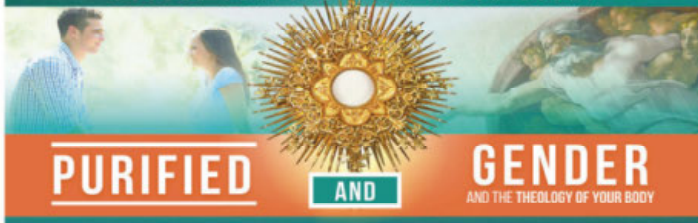
How are you being called to come and see how you can build up the kingdom of God as His co-worker?

Consider the generous service of priesthood or consecrated life.

Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocations Office at (573) 635-9127 x260 or via email:

vocations@diojeffcity.org.

DOUBLE FEATURE WITH JASON EVERT



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2315 WEST MAIN STREET
JEFFERSON CITY, MO 65109



CHASTITY
PROJECT

ONE DAY - TWO TALKS \$25

FREE RESOURCES FOR EVERY ATTENDEE!

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A LIFE-CHANGING EVENT FOR FAMILIES (AGES 13+)

SUNDAY
March 3, 2024

3:00 - 4:30 PM

The innocence of the family is under attack like never before. Come and discover how to protect and heal yours. This chastity presentation is for teens, parents and adults.

GENDER & THE THEOLOGY OF YOUR BODY (AGES 13+)

SUNDAY
March 3, 2024

5:30 - 6:30 PM

What's the meaning of sex, gender, and the human body? The truth of masculinity and femininity are being questioned like never before. Discover how your body as a man or woman reveals your identity and calling.

Dinner Break 4:30 - 5:30 PM

Sacrament of Reconciliation & Eucharistic Adoration 6:30 - 7:00 PM

Tickets: chastity.com/purified
Info: julie.g@cathedraljc.org
573.635.7991

Purchase Tickets
with QR Code:



PRO LIFE UPDATES

Save the Dates

- **Mid West March for Life is Wednesday, May 1, 2024 on the Missouri State Capitol Lawn, in Jefferson City.** Activities start at 8 a.m. and rally starts at 9:30 a.m. and continues till 3 p.m. Visit www.midwestmarchforlife.com.
- **The Keep Missouri ProLife banquet and program, sponsored by the Missouri Right to Life, is June 1, 2024 in Springfield.** Registration opens March 1, 2024. Register at: missourilife.com/banquet
- **The Missouri Pro-life Banquet, Tuesday, August 27 at the St. Charles Convention Center, St. Charles, Mo. It will begin at 6 p.m. with a social hour and**

dinner. The program will follow at 7 p.m. Register for the "eastern region" at mrl.org/dinner-comingsoon.

Unborn Baby at Five Months

"Thank you for praying for me each day. I am now five months old. I am 12-inches long and weigh one pound. Mom can feel me kick and move around. I am halfway there and can feel pain and suck my thumb. I hope your family prays for me each day!"

SSPP Spiritual Adoption Program Prayer for Life:

"Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I love you very much. I pray that you will take care of the life of the unborn baby that I have spiritually adopted. Amen."

Get prolife updates at:
missourilife.org

You can help a mother with unplanned pregnancy by sharing the resources that are posted in our church bathrooms. You may have noticed the pull-off tabs on the flyers posted on the walls. These resources can help mothers before and after birth. You can also call Connie Gerling, 660-621-2787.

Sacramental and Spiritual Life of the Parish

AUTOMATIC TRANSFERS If you would like your giving to be processed automatically, please download the authorization form at: ssppboonville.diojeffcity.org/wp-content/uploads/sites/17/2019/12/sspp-ach-authorization-form.pdf or pick-up a form in the front entrance of church. Completed forms may be delivered to the parish office.

BAPTISM Preparation is required for both parents, preferably during the early months of pregnancy. Contact Theresa Krebs, 882-6468 or dre@ssppparish.net.

CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS Adults interested in inquiring about becoming Catholic are invited to participate in this process. Contact Pete Seleke, 816-863-7103, for more information on the process. The **CURSILLO** movement is active in our parish. The Wednesday night group meets on the first and third Wednesdays of the month in the cry room at church at 5:30 p.m. Contact Ruth Wells, 660-888-5395. The Saturday morning group meets in the parish office. Contact Dave or Sue Miller at 888-6827 or 537-0437.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT is held on First and Third Fridays after the 8:15AM Mass until 9PM. Please come and pray with the Lord.

FORMED.ORG Join Formed for information on faith formation, sacramental preparation, Bible studies and youth resources. To register, go to signup.formed.org and select our parish. No code needed!

LEGION OF MARY meets Monday mornings at 9AM in the Parish Office basement. Their main ministry is to reach out to people to witness the Good News of Jesus. For more information, contact Nancy Poulsen Fangman, 660-466-0145 or email nancy56@iland.net.

MARRIAGE Contact the parish office at least six months prior to your proposed wedding date to begin marriage preparation.

MEN'S GROUP Contact Deron Widmer, 573-289-0360.

MINISTRY TO THE HOSPITALIZED AND HOMEBOUND Please contact the office when a parishioner is hospitalized or sick.

Father will schedule a visit and communion call, as appropriate. (Due to patient confidentiality, the parish is not automatically notified of hospital admissions.) Homebound parishioners can be added to our list as needed.

Any parishioner in need of transportation to/from Mass may contact the office and we will attempt to schedule a ride for you.

NEW PARISHIONERS Welcome! Please take advantage of belonging to our parish by getting involved in a ministry! To register, pick-up a form in the back of church, download the form from our website or visit the parish office.

PRAYER LINE To place someone on the Prayer Line, please call Phyllis Lauer at 882-6367. You need not give your name, just let us know who we can pray for. Prayer requests may also be sent to prayerline@ssppparish.net. If you want to be a part of our e-mail prayer chain, contact Russell Gerling at rgerling@iland.net. Prayer request cards can be found at each of the church entrances. You may put them in the collection basket.

PROLIFE GROUP Contact Connie Gerling, 660-621-2787, to get involved.

REDUCED GLUTEN HOSTS are available at each Mass. Please check-in at the sacristy so the priest will know to have it available. You will need to go to the center aisle to receive communion from Father.

RELIGIOUS ARTICLES CASE is generally open every third weekend of the month. Items are also available by contacting the parish office, 882-6468.

VOLUNTEERS Anyone who is volunteering with the youth in the parish (at church or the school) is required to be Virtus certified. Contact the parish office, 882-6468 or dre@ssppparish.net for more details, or visit www.virtus.org.

WOMEN'S GROUP meets monthly, on the third Wednesday in the parish office basement, unless otherwise announced, at 7 p.m. For more information, contact Jill Birch, jb081973@gmail.com.

OFFICE HOURS: The parish office is open 8:30 a.m.—4:30 p.m., Monday—Friday. We are closed to walk-in visitors, but you may call for assistance: 660-882-6468.

THE BULLETIN DEADLINE IS MONDAYS AT 4 P.M. Email bulletin items to: bulletin@ssppparish.net.

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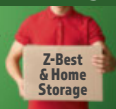
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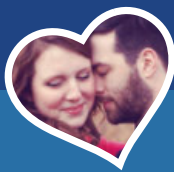


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