

Project: Easter Eggs

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 livestreamed 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.

THE ROSARY is prayed before most Masses. Please join us.

PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTION

9AM Saturday

Father Mark Smith, Pastor

.....pastor@ssppparish.net

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Pastoral Council Chairpersonkelschuster@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.

Ss. Peter & Paul Catholic Parish

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First Reading: The community of believers was of one heart and mind, and no one claimed that any of his possessions was his own, but they had everything in common. (Acts 4:32)

Psalm: Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good, his love is everlasting. (Ps 118) Or: Alleluia.

Second Reading: For the love of God is this, that we keep his commandments. And his

commandments are not burdensome, for whoever is begotten by God conquers the world. (1 Jn 5:3-4)

Gospel: On the evening of that first day of the week, when the doors were locked, where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood in their midst and said to them, "Peace be with you." (Jn 20:19)

GOSPEL MEDITATION

A protestant pastor friend of mine was invited to meet Pope Francis with a group of other pastors. He noticed the Pope's chair was especially ornate and set at the head of the group. He somewhat playfully said, "Holy Father, why do you get that special chair?" The group chuckled nervously at my friend's audacious chide.

The following year, the group was invited to return. They entered the room to find only simple chairs placed in a circle. Pope Francis entered, sat down in one of the humble chairs and, looking directly at my friend, with a twinkle in his eye, asked, "What do you think of my chair now?" My friend was stunned that the Pope remembered his concerns — and took the time to answer them.

Thomas the apostle was certainly stunned by the Risen Jesus displaying his wounds in person. But he also must have been equally shocked that Jesus knew and answered his particular questions, worries, and even demands related to his faith. How humbled — and perhaps a bit terrified — he must have been to realize God remembers his concerns and cares enough to answer them.

What questions or demands about Jesus do you find in your heart? Like Thomas, will you be bold enough to voice them this week? How wonderful to know that if we do so, God will remember and respond even to our most audacious desires.

— Father John Muir

FATHER'S MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, April 6 6PM: Kenneth Bonin **DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY.** April 7: 10:30AM: Gary Oerly WEDNESDAY, April 10 8:15AM: No Mass

FRIDAY, April 12 8:15AM: No Mass SATURDAY, April 13 6PM: People of the Parish SUNDAY, April 14:

10:30AM: Bob Felten

PARISH COLLECTION & TITHING

Receipts for March 30 & 31: Information not available. Receipts for March 23 & 24: \$13,058.90

Weekly Budgeted Collection & Tithing: \$17,596.15 YTD Collection & Tithing Received: \$664,189.88 YTD Budgeted Collection &

Tithing: \$686,250.00 We are grateful to those who sacrificially tithe to financially support our parish. Thank you.

MARCH MASS COUNTS							
DATES	6РМ	10:30 AM					
March 2 & 3	205 282						
March 9 & 10	150 263						
Mar. 16 & 17	149 249						
Mar. 23 & 24							
March 28	Holy Thurs.: 130						
March 29	Good Friday: 128						
March 30	Holy Saturday: 130						
Easter Mar. 31	336	233					

SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES



Sunday: 2nd Sunday of Easter (Divine

Monday: The Annunciation of the Lord Thursday: St. Stanislaus, Bishop and

Martyr

Saturday: St. Martin I, Pope and Martyr Next Sunday: 3rd Sunday of Easter

Prayer for the Second Sunday of Easter

Dear Jesus, As you greeted your disciples after you rose, fill us too, with your peace. As you breathed your spirit on them, breathe on us, too. As your presence was known to Thomas, make it known to us, too. Help us to live in your peace, power, and presence. Amen.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

-4, 13-15, 22-24 (1)/1 Jn 5:1-6/

Jn 20:19-31

Monday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11/Heb 10:4 4, 13-14/Jn 6:1-15

-10/Lk 1:26-38

Tuesday: Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Jn 3:7b-15 Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9/Jn 3:16-

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Sunday: Acts 4:32-35/Ps 118:2 **Thursday:** Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2 and 9, 17-18, 19-20/Jn

3:31-36

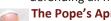
Friday: Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1,

Saturday: Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/Jn 6:16-21 Next Sunday: Acts 3:13-15, 17 -19/Ps 4:2, 4, 7-8, 9 (7a)/1 Jn

2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48



Bishop McKnight's April Prayer Intention for our Local **Church:** For a greater awareness of and respect for our common home in building an authentic human ecology: May we be good stewards of the gift of creation in defending all human life.



The Pope's April Prayer Intention for the role of women: We pray that the dignity and immense value of women be recognized in every culture, and for the end of discrimination that they experience in different

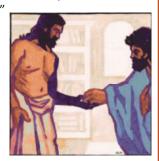
parts of the world.



First Reading: We hear how the early Christians lived in unity and holiness, bearing witness to Jesus, and living in community as friends. Which of these traits do you see at work in your faith community?

Second Reading: John teaches his community that our faith in

Jesus helps us "conquer the world." What struggles are you facing that you need to confront and defeat? **Gospel:** The risen Jesus meets Thomas in the midst of his doubt and encourages him to believe. Who could you encourage this week to have faith in the resurrection of Jesus?



April Altar Linens: Mary Klenklen

Mass Ministry Volunteers

Altar Angels Church Cleaning Team Families: Chris & Teresa Studley, Steve & Brea Teson, Scott & Charlene Thomas, Matt & Janet Thompson 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	Lectors	Offertory	Servers	Greeters/Ushers	Musicians	Money Counters
Holy Saturday, April 13 6 p.m.	Amy Imhoff	Jill Campbell	Garrett Lammers Jill Campbell	Jason & Logan Comegys Family	Volunteers	Jason Comegys Ryder Comegys David Joynt	Guitar Group	Team 4 Monica Pfeiffer
Sunday, April 14 10:30 a.m.	Bridgette Lutz	Amanda Lutz	Dianne Jackson JoAnn Berwanger	Seth Brengarth Family	Brennan & Brooklynn Alberts Colt Babbitt	Levi & Cinder Malott Kyle Martin Dana Rogge	ТВА	Whitney Caton Brea James

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!



Many thanks to all who had a part in making our Holy Week liturgies beautiful and prayerful experiences, leading us closer to Christ. From our servers and lectors to our musicians, song leaders, and & everyone in between — especially Father Mark, Father Iggy, and Father

Kevin — we extend our gratitude to everyone!

Our thanks also to Annamarie Smith and Melanie Wassmann for coordinating this year's Easter Egg hunt that was held on the church lawn following the 11 a.m. Mass, and to a pretty terrific group of young volunteers who hid about 700 eggs! Many hands make light work & we truly appreciate everyone's help!

PARISH CALENDAR

- Saturday, April 6, 8 a.m.: Cursillo, parish office
- Saturday, April 6, 9 a.m.: Perpetual Help Devotion, church
- Saturday, April 6, 5 p.m.:
 Divine Mercy Chaplet
 Novena, church
- Sunday, April 7, 10:30 a.m.:
 Our second grade students
 will make their First Holy
 Communion. A reception
 will follow in the church hall.
- Sunday, April 7, 5:30 p.m.:
 Divine Mercy Chaplet
 Novena, church
- Monday-Friday, April 8-12: Father Mark on vacation. Weekday Masses are canceled.
- Monday, April 8, 9 a.m.:
 Legion of Mary, parish office
 basement
- Monday, April 8, 6:30 p.m.: Rosary followed by Divine Mercy Chaplet, church
- Tuesday, April 9, 10 a.m.:
 Bible Study, Secret of Divine
 Mercy
- Tuesday, April 9, 5-6:30
 p.m.: Food distribution at NHN, 509 E. Water St.
- Tuesday, April 9, 6 p.m.:
 Christian Ed meeting, parish office
- Wednesday, April 10,

5 p.m.: Cursillo, cry room

- Thursday, April 11, 7 p.m.:
 Daughters of Isabella meeting, church hall
- Friday, April 12: Bingo, KofC Hall, 1515 Radio Hill Rd.
- Saturday, April 13, 7 a.m.: Men's Group, parish office basement
- Sunday, April 7, 10:30 a.m.: Saturday, April 13, 8 a.m.:
 Our second grade students Cursillo, parish office
 - Saturday, April 13, 9 a.m.: Perpetual Help Devotion, church
 - Saturday & Sunday, April 13
 & 14: Volunteers will be on hand to help make appointments for the new pictorial directory. See bulletin announcement.
 - Sunday, April 14, 8:30 a.m.:
 Confirmation class, church hall
 - Sunday, April 14, 11:30

 a.m.: Taco Bar & Fellowship after Mass, church hall.
 - Monday, April 15, 9 a.m.:
 Legion of Mary, parish office
 basement
 - Monday, April 15, 10:30

 a.m.: ProLife meeting,
 church hall
 - Monday, April 15, 6:30
 p.m.: Rosary followed by
 Divine Mercy Chaplet,
 church

Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Esther Weber**, mother of Jean Hampton, who passed away March 15; and **Tom McKinney**, son of Suzi Miller and Deacon Dave Miller, who passed away March 26.

"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."

Please return your Rice Bowls! Look for the baskets at each of the church entrances. Thank you for your Lenten sacrifices made to benefit the poor!



"Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me." Matthew 25:40



appointments on Friday, April 26 from 2-8:30 p.m.,
Saturday, April 27 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Tuesday, May 21 from 2-8:30 p.m., and Wednesday, May 22 from 2-8:30 p.m.
Volunteers will be available after the weekend Masses
Saturday, April 13 (in the cry room) and Sunday, April 14 (in the church hall) to assist with making appointments for the new pictorial directory.

For assistance or more information, call our coordinators: Cheri Jones, 660-621-2113; Roz Gordon, 660-537-0265; or Annamarie Smith, 660-621-2073.



WHY DO WE DO THAT? CATHOLIC LIFE EXPLAINED Should a Catholic Pursue an Annulment

Question: After a civil divorce, is a Catholic obligated to pursue an annulment?

Answer: Many Catholics are not exactly sure what an annulment does.

An annulment does not deny that a marriage took place, nor does it deny that there once was love. It does not mean that people say anything untrue, such as they never loved each other or that everything in their marriage was wrong. An annulment does not negate children, nor make them illegitimate.

An annulment addresses the spiritual aspect of marriage. In effect, an annulment says that at the time of the wedding, there was either something present or something absent

that prevented the sacrament from taking place. It is a spiritual determination that, if granted in the affirmative, allows a person to marry in the Church.

Annulments have no legal standing and are unable to be used in a civil court. Therefore, a Catholic has no moral obligation to pursue an annulment. However, when the tragedy of divorce occurs, and there is no hope for reconciliation, annulments may help bring some spiritual closure to a person's life. Some people have found the process to be healing and others have found it to be difficult. Speak to your priest or a member of the Diocesan Tribunal staff to decide what is best for you.

NEW SCHOOL ELEVATOR

An elevator was recently installed in our school that will be instrumental in assisting anyone with mobility issues as well as with moving supplies and equipment. We thank Father Mark for his approval and support and Principal Martin for her coordination

efforts.

The project could not have been completed without the outstanding work of two parishioners. Don Campbell spearheaded efforts with the elevator company and was the liaison with primary contractor, Philip Imhoff.

Don's expertise and diligence were critical for completing the job with needed safety features at a reasonable cost. We thank Don for his wonderful volunteer work.

Philip was able to overcome major design challenges with the elevator shaft to ensure compatibility with the elevator. He spent numerous hours without pay to prepare the elevator shaft prior to the elevator delivery date. The project could not have been completed without Philip's commercial construction background and countless volunteer working hours.

Please be sure to thank these two parishioners for their outstanding work on this needed project.

God's Blessings to These Couples, Married 25-plus Years!

Gary & Ginger Hook, 29 years, April 8
Dean & Mary Skelton, 44 years, April 11
Bill & Stephanie Young, 55 years, April 12
Pete & Heidi Selenke, 30 years, April 16
Chris & Vicki Zeller, 42 years, April 17
Larry & Linda Grissum, 28 years, April 19
Frank & Theresa Young, 39 years, April 19
Bruce & Brenda Quinlan, 34 years, April 21
Russell & Cheryl Imhoff, 48 years, April 23
Eddie & Patty Smith, 43 years, April 25
Greg & Alicia Haslag, 26 years, April 25
Tony & Cindy Wesselman, 44 years, April 26





Week of April 08, 2024



The Rosary: A Special Way to Pray

Join Brother Francis in this entertaining and guidance-filled presentation that will inspire children to deepen their faith by praying the Rosary!



Why Catholics believe in "life everlasting"

The Catholic Church cares about every BODY. Think of relics and funerals—reverence for our bodies and the body's of holy people is part of being Catholic. But why? We find the answer at the end of the Creed. 'I believe in the resurrection of the body and life everlasting.' That's a pretty strong statement and its founded on Jesus. Because Jesus rose from the dead, we can look forward to our own body's being raised at the end of time. Pretty cool, right?



Not Just a Legal Transaction | Lectio: Salvation | Episode 5

After the Fall, each person is born not only with the stain of sin on their soul but also with a fallen human nature. Thanks be to God that his gift of salvation not only frees us from Original Sin but also transforms us from the inside out, healing the root of our brokenness:our hearts. As we will see in this session, salvation is not simply a legal transaction by which we are declared righteous, but by the gift of God's Spirit we are actually made righteous.

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Election Results: Pastoral Council/Commissions, Stewardship Council, School Advisory Board, and Education Foundation Congratulations to all and many thanks to all who were willing to run for these leadership roles in our parish.

Pastoral Council Commissions:



Christian Education: Debbie (Wassmann) Schuster



Worship & Spiritual Development: Heidi Selenke



Social Concerns: Mandy Eichelberger





Stewardship Council: Nancy Poulsen Fangman & Amanda Lutz





School Advisory Council: Deron Widmer & Richard Woodson



SSPP Education Foundation: Sam Smith

THIS MEN'S CONFERENCE IS HOSTED BY THE MEN OF SIGNUM CRUCIS MEN'S CONFERENCE CANA ROOM, CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOSEPH JEFFERSON CITY, MISSOURI APRIL 19 APRIL 20 5:30 PM - 8:30 PM 8:30 AM - 3:30 PM INCLUDES MIDDA IASS, AND ADORATION AND CONFESSIONS DURING THE LUNCH \$30 FOR EITHER DAY \$40 FOR BOTH DAYS BREAK S20 FOR STUDENTS NO CHARGE FOR PRIESTS AND SEMINARIANS DRMATION AND TO **HEAR FROM OUR** FOR GOD DID NOT GIVE US A SPIRIT OF COWARDICE BUT RATHER OF POWER AND LOVE AND SELF-CONTROL"

Congratulations to the family of Arthur Henry "AJ" Schnuck IV who was baptized Palm Sunday, March 24. He is the son of Art & Deanna Schnuck.

"God, our Creator, cherish these faithful. Jesus, our Savior; protect them. Holy Spirit, our comforter, strengthen them."



"As the Father has sent Me, so I send you."

Let us affirm our priests and help carry out Christ's mission of spreading love and compassion in the world. Maybe God is calling you to share in His saving mission as a priest. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at (573) 635-9127 x210 or via email: vocations@diojeffcity.org.

Q: "Does Confession give people the idea that its all right to sin as long as you're sorry later? — Emily F., 15 A: There's no reason it should. People who think that way are mistaken, either due to ignorance or choice. Confession means God's forgiveness is available if we repent, not that it's okay to sin so long as you repent. Would you intentionally break your arm because you knew a doctor or repentant? could fix it later? We should never sin thinking we needn't worry because God will forgive us later. That itself is the sin of presumption, presuming God's mercy regardless of His Commandments. Sin involves turning our backs on God in some way. We should never try to "use" God by turning away from Him now assuming later we shall turn back to Him. Why? First, because that casts doubt about the sincerity of our later repentance. True repentance

having sinned and the willingness never to do it again. How likely is it that we shall truly be repentant — sorry for having sinned to begin with if all along we thought to ourselves that we would enjoy sin now and repent later? Second, how do we know that "later" will ever come? Death could come at any time. What if it comes before you are sorry It is very dangerous to live a life of serious and frequent sin. Sin is very "attractive" (although superficial) and can be quite addictive. One may get caught up in a certain way of living without even knowing the magnitude of the problem. One could get hooked on a particular sin and not know how enslaved he or she really is to that sin. We should be constantly on guard against sin.

involves genuine sorrow for

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

The Julia Schwartz Memorial Scholarship Foundation will be awarding scholarships for the 2024/2024 school year.

Applicants must be active, practicing members of St. Joseph Catholic Church, Pilot Grove, St.

Joseph Catholic Church,
Fayette, or Ss. Peter & Paul
Catholic Church, Boonville, and
committed to enrolling as a full
-time student in an institution
of higher education or advanced training for the term
commencing the fall of 2024.
Applicants shall have the
equivalent of a 2.5 (C) grade

average or higher for high school or 3.0 (B) GPA or higher for post-secondary students. Extracurricular activities will be considered.

> Applications may be obtained by emailing the foundation at

schwartzscholar-ship@gmail.com, calling/texting 660-888-0592, or mail a request to Julia Schwartz Memorial Scholarship, 18610 Hunters Ridge, Boonville, MO 65233. Applications are also available in the parish office. The application deadline is April 10, 2024.



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 Airman 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.



As always, cards are available by contacting Darlene Smith at 660-537-8638 for pickup at her house, or email us at stsppscrip@gmail.com. We can have

them ready for you to pick up after mass if needed. As a reminder, cards are available to order or receive e-cards via the RaiseRight app. For a complete list of cards available, see the app or visit raiseright.com.

Available inventory for immediate purchase:

Academy Sports \$25; Amazon \$10, \$25 & \$100; Arby's \$10; Bass Pro Shops \$25; Bath & Body Works \$25; Breadeaux \$10; 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 Barrell, 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; Lowe's \$25; Maggie's \$25; Menard's \$25; McDonalds \$10 and \$25; Never The Same any denomination; Olive Garden/Cheddar's/Longhorn \$25; Panera Bread \$10 and \$25; Pizza Hut \$10; Red Robin \$25; Sonic \$10 or \$25; Starbuck's \$10 & \$25; Subway \$10; Taco Bell \$10 or \$25; Target \$10 & \$25; Texas Roadhouse \$25; The Brew Brothers \$25; The Cove \$25; Walmart \$10, \$25, \$50, \$100, or \$250; Wendy's \$25; WJ's \$25

Congratulations to Bridget Hancock, who received sacraments and was

welcomed into
the Catholic
faith at the
Easter Vigil,
March 31.

"God, our Creator, cherish these faithful. Jesus, our Savior; protect them. Holy Spirit, our comforter, strengthen them."



Unborn Baby at Eight Months

Thank you for praying for me daily. I am now eight months old. I weigh over 4 pounds. I sleep and wake in a pattern. I can sense night and day through my mom's stomach. I smile, yawn, swallow, and such my thumb. My fingernails reach the end of my fingers.

Our next Prolife meeting will be Monday, April 15 at 10:30 a.m. in the church hall. Keep your calendar free for the Midwest March for Life to be held May 1 at the state capitol from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Flyers will be in the bulletin soon.

The Missouri Pro Life Eastern Region Banquet is Tuesday, August 27th, 2024 at the St. Charles Convention Center, St. Charles, Missouri. It begins at 6 p.m. with social hour with a dinner and program at 7 p.m. Register at eastern region mrl.org/dinner-comingsoon.

The Keep Missouri Pro Life banquet and program sponsored by Missouri Right to Life is June, 1, 2024 in Springfield. Register at missourilife.com/banquet starting March 1st.

For more information on prolife activities in our parish, call Connie Gerling at 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.

BIBLE STUDY: Groups meet Monday evenings and Tuesday mornings. Call the parish office for details, 660-882-6468.

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 660-888-6827 or 660-537-0437.

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 ssppboonvillemo@gmail.com. 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. The office number is 660-882-6468.

THE BULLETIN DEADLINE IS MONDAYS AT

4 P.M. Email bulletin items to: bulletin@ssppparish.net.

ADMINISTRATION COMMISSION

Joe Herzog, Chris Schuster, Marvin Eichelberger

CEMETERY BOARD: Steve Kraus, Sec./Treas.; (Vacant), Sexton; Marvin Eichelberger, Amy Imhoff, Gerald Kronk, Alex Smith, Tim Smith, Monica Pfeiffer @ 660-621-1219

CHURCH LIBRARY: Connie Gerling,

(660) 621-2787

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION COMMISSION

Jill Birch, KaLyn Fuemmeler, Paula Wiemholt

EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

Mike Conway, 660-882-6622

FINANCE COUNCIL; Mary Beth Conway, Kate Fjell, Bob Horne, Cindy Larm, Levi Mallott, Bill Kuenv

FIRST & THIRD FRIDAY ADORATION

Deacon Dave Miller, 660-888-6827

FUNERAL DINNERS

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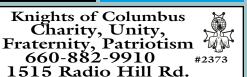
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