

SAVE THE DATE!

Our annual Turkey Dinner will be held Sunday, Nov. 3, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Mass that day will be at 9:30 a.m.

Letters with details have been mailed!



Ss. Peter & Paul Catholic Parish

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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.

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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Prison Ministry; Marriage Prep

.....(660) 888-6827

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FLOCKNOTE Text SSPPBV to 84576

to receive occasional text

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.



First Reading: I prayed, and prudence was given me; I pleaded, and the spirit of wisdom came to me. I preferred her to scepter and throne, and deemed riches nothing in comparison with her. (Wis 7:7-8)
Psalm: Fill us with your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy! (Ps 90)

Second Reading: Indeed the word of God is living and effective, sharper than any two-edged sword. (Heb 4:12)
Gospel: "Go, sell what you have, and give to the poor and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me." (Mk 10:21)

GOSPEL MEDITATION

This week we hear of the man who inquires of Jesus how to obtain eternal life. He rejects Jesus' invitation to sell his goods, give to the poor, and follow Jesus. Mark tells us this devastatingly sad line, "At this saying, his countenance fell and he went away sorrowful; for he had great possessions" (Mark 10:22). The man's heart wasn't centered on Jesus, but on his possessions. Perhaps Jesus intuited this. Now, we don't know if Jesus intended to actually make him go through with it, like God's call to test Abraham's willingness to sacrifice Isaac. But sadly, in this case the willingness was not there to entrust everything to Jesus. And this made the man deeply sad.

For most of us, the literal dispossessing of our goods is not our call. But as Christians, a consistent renouncing of them is. This week, especially if you're noticing a persisting sadness, I invite you to hear Jesus calling you to acknowledge that none of your possessions are finally yours. They are God's and on loan to you. We get so addicted to that stuffy and sad word, "mine." At Mass, we rehearse this attitude of joyful detachment by giving bread, wine, and money to the Lord, as if to say, "Lord, all I have is yours." And what we get back is a sadness-defeating joy beyond all description: knowing that He is ours, and we are His.

What possessions are pre-occupying you at the moment? Write them down. Intentionally offer them to the Lord at the next Mass you attend. — Father John Muir

FATHER'S MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, October 12

6PM: People of the Parish

SUNDAY, October 13

10:30AM: Dorothy Kempf

WEDNESDAY, October 16

8:15AM: James & Dorothy McGuire

FRIDAY, October 18

8:15AM: Greg Larm

SATURDAY, October 19

6PM: Brad Davis

SUNDAY, October 20

10:30AM: Larry Smith

PARISH COLLECTION & TITHING

Recorded as of September 28: \$xxx
Weekly Budgeted Collection & Tithing: \$17,846.15

YTD Collection & Tithing Received: \$xxx

YTD Budgeted Collection & Tithing: \$xxxx

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

SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: St. Callistus I, Pope and Martyr; Columbus Day

Tuesday: St. Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church

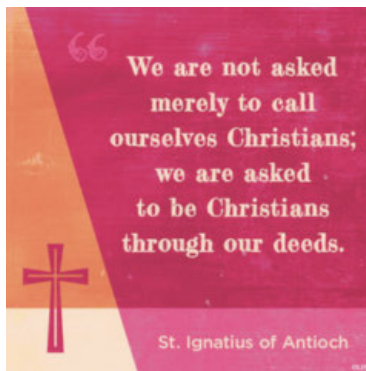
Wednesday: St. Hedwig, Religious; St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin

Thursday: St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr

Friday: St. Luke, Evangelist

Saturday: Ss. John de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests, and Companions, Martyrs; St. Peter of Alcantara

Next Sunday: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time; World Mission Sunday



Prayer of Reliance on God

Oh Lord,

I entrust today's challenges, fears, and uncertainties to You.

I don't know how I will do them. I don't know that I can.

But I know that You fill the gaps in my ability at every turn.

And so, today, I turn to You again. Amen.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Wis 7:7-11/Ps 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17 (14)/Heb 4:12-13/Mk 10:17-30 or 10:17-27

Monday: Gal 4:22-24, 26-27, 31—5:1/Ps 113:1b-2, 3-4, 5a and 6-7/Lk 11:29-32

Tuesday: Gal 5:1-6/Ps 119:41, 43, 44, 45, 47, 48/Lk 11:37-41

Wednesday: Gal 5:18-25/Ps 1:1-2, 3 and 6/Lk 11:42-46

Thursday: Eph 1:1-10/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6/Lk 11:47-54

Friday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b/Ps 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18/Lk 10:1-9

Saturday: Eph 1:15-23/Ps 8:2-3ab, 4-5, 6-7/Lk 12:8-12

Next Sunday: Is 53:10-11/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22, (22)/Heb 4:14-16/Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45



Bishop McKnight's October Prayer Intention for our Local Church: For a greater conversion of hearts to God who loves us so much; that in living the stewardship way of life, we may avoid any sense of entitlement in our relationships with God and one another.



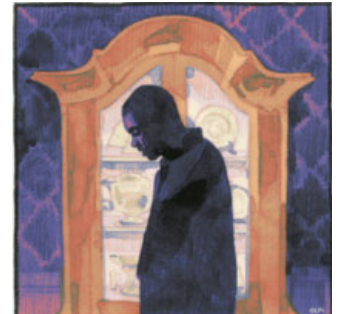
The Pope's October Prayer Intention for a shared mission: We pray that the Church continue to sustain in all ways a Synodal lifestyle, as a sign of co-responsibility, promoting the participation, the communion and the mission shared among priests, religious and lay people.

SPIRITUAL HOMEWORK: QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading: We hear how Solomon prayed for and received the virtues of prudence and wisdom. What are you praying to the Lord for these days?

Second Reading: Hebrews teaches us that "the word of God" knows and understands what is in our hearts and minds. Do you find this comforting or unsettling?

Gospel: Jesus taught his followers that excessive wealth and possessions can impact one's priorities in life. What are some practical ways to keep Jesus as a top priority in your life?



Mass Ministry Volunteers

October Altar Linens: Jody Bonin

Altar Angels Church Cleaning Team Families: Dillon & Kelsey Slaughter, Pat & Denise Solomon, Brad & Jennifer Spears, Katie Bellott
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	Greeters/Ushers	Servers	Musicians	Money Counters
Saturday, Oct. 19 6 p.m.	Scott Thompson	Garrett Lammers	Mike Ivy	Ashley Wassmann Family	Jill, Marilyn, Teel & Olivia Kenney (2 doors) Sharon Ivy	Corbin Linneman Emma Nave Volunteer	Guitar Group	Team 7 Jack McCush Jennifer Rice
Sunday, Oct. 20 10:30 a.m.	Kylie Imhoff	Linda Runnebaum	Tyler Young, Abby Martin	Matt & Stacey Kueny Family	Rich & Dawn Kuster Larry Jones	Charlie Litwiller Jack Murphy Addisyn Oswald	Elly Nave	Greg & Jessica Johnson

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 liturgies reverent!

PARISH CALENDAR

- **Friday, Oct. 11:** Bingo, KofC Hall, 1515 Radio Hill Rd. Doors open at 5 p.m. Early Birds start at 6:30 p.m.
- Regular Bingo starts at 7 p.m.
- **Saturday, Oct. 12, 8 a.m.:** Cursillo, parish office
- **Saturday, Oct. 12, 9 a.m.:** Perpetual Help Devotion, church
- **Saturday, Oct. 12, 12 noon:** Public Square Rosary, Hannah Cole Park, corner of Main & Morgan
- **Sunday, Oct. 13, 9 a.m.:** OCIA meeting, church hall
- **Sunday, Oct. 13, 7 p.m.:** Juvies Youth Group, parish office basement
- **Monday, Oct. 14, 9 a.m.:** Legion of Mary, parish office basement
- **Monday, Oct. 14, 6:30 p.m.:** Rosary followed by Divine Mercy Chaplet, church
- **Tuesday, Oct. 15, 10 a.m.:** Bible study, church hall
- **Tuesday, Oct. 15, 5-6:30 p.m.:** Distribution at Neighbors Helping Neighbors Food Pantry, 509 E. Water St.
- **Wednesday, Oct. 16, 5 p.m.:** Cursillo, cry room
- **Wednesday, Oct. 16, 6 p.m.:** Women’s Group, church hall. They will also livestream the rosary.
- **Thursday, Oct. 17, 5 p.m.:** Finance Council, parish office
- **Thursday, Oct. 17, 5-7 p.m.:** Baby Grace Open House, Nelson Memorial United Methodist Church, 407 E. Spring St.
- **Third Friday, Oct. 18, 9 a.m.-9 p.m.:** Adoration at church
- **Friday, Oct. 18, 1 p.m.:** Early dismissal for SSPP School
- **Saturday, Oct. 19, 7 a.m.:** Men’s Group, parish office basement
- **Saturday, Oct. 19, 8 a.m.:** Cursillo, parish office
- **Saturday, Oct. 19, 9 a.m.:** Perpetual Help Devotion, church
- **Saturday, Oct. 19, 12 noon—4 p.m.:** Dofl officers meeting, parish office basemen
- **Saturday & Sunday, Oct. 19 & 20:** The Religious Articles case will be open for purchases after the weekend Masses.
- **Sunday, Oct. 20, 9 a.m.:** OCIA meeting, church hall
- **Monday, Oct. 21, 9 a.m.:** Legion of Mary, parish office basement
- **Monday, Oct. 21, 6:30 p.m.:** Rosary followed by Divine Mercy Chaplet, church

Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Ernest Tebbe** of Kansas City, who died August 17; **Rose Klein**, mother of Mary Beth Conway, who died September 19; and **Eloyce Richey**, mother of Monica Pfeiffer, who died September 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.”*

“What must I do to inherit eternal life?”
 Pray for those men who serve us as deacons. By answering a call to the diaconate, a man seeks to follow Jesus’ path by serving and enriching the lives of others. If you are called to serve as a deacon, speak to your pastor or reach out to the Vocation Office at (573) 635-9127 x210 or via email: vocations@diojeffcity.org.



We recently added three new members to the Faith! Top: Harvey Reichert and Montana Ficken were baptized Sunday, September 29. Harvey is pictured with his parents Jason & Kimberly Reichert and big brother Ray. Montana is the daughter of Kole & Camryn Ficken. Above, Carter Peeks was baptized Sunday, October 6. He is the son of Chandler and Amanda Peeks and has two older brothers, Jackson and Arlo. He is pictured with his godparents and extended family.

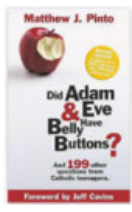
“God, our Creator, cherish these faithful. Jesus, our Savior; protect them. Holy Spirit, our comforter, strengthen them.”

Q: “If you sin, can you still get into heaven??”
 — Juleane S., 15

A: I hope so, otherwise you and I almost certainly wouldn’t make it here. The only way sin can keep us out of heaven is if we die unrepentant of mortal sin. We have already considered why this is so in a previous question, but keep in mind the fact that to sin mortally is to reject God or to choose something incompatible with God’s love. If we reject God in this way and

die unrepentant, how can we expect to be with Him forever in heaven?

The Bible reminds us if we do sin, God is eager to forgive us. But this requires repentance — being sorry for our sin and intending not to do it again — and turning back to God. The Sacrament of Confession is the normal way for Catholics to repent and receive forgiveness of sins after Baptism.



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

THE FOUR MARIAN DOGMAS



Her Divine Motherhood

Early Church; Upheld by the Council of Ephesus In 431 A.D. Mary is properly called the Mother of God (Theotokos) because her son, Jesus Christ, is both true God and true Man. Never did Christ give up any of His two natures since His Incarnation.



Her Perpetual Virginity

Early Church; Upheld by the Church Fathers The Incarnation of Jesus did not spoil the virginity of Mary. God preserved her virginity before (*ante partum*), during (*in partum*), and after (*post partum*) the birth of Christ. She remained a virgin for life.



Her Immaculate Conception

Early Church; Formally defined by Pope Plus IX in 1854 In Mary, God prepared a dwelling place for the Incarnation of Jesus. At the first moment of her conception in the womb of her mother, St. Anne, Mary was preserved free from all stain of original sin.



Her Assumption, Body & Soul

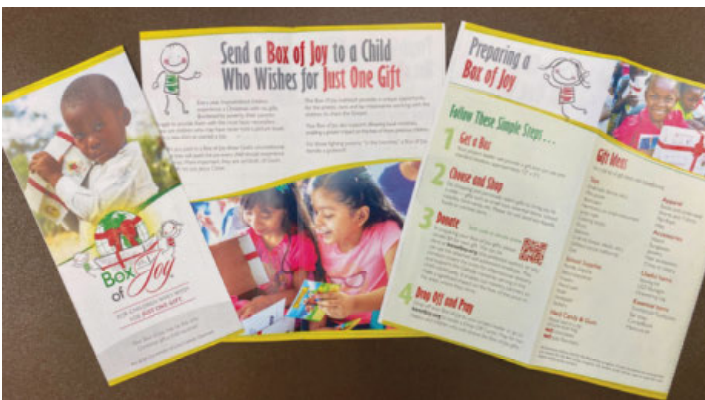
Early Church; Formally defined by Pope Plus XII In 1950 Mary, being the immaculate, ever-virgin Mother of God, after finishing the course of her life on earth, was taken up body and soul to heaven. Free from the stain of original sin, her body was not subject to decay.



Join us Wednesday, October 16 for our next Women's Group meeting. Our topic this month is Marian Doctrines.

Bring your knowledge, questions and your appetite as dinner will be served. We will begin at 6 p.m. in the church basement. At 7 p.m. we will head to the church and pray the rosary as a group.

If you have any questions, please call Jill Birch at 660-537-1273 or email her at jb081973@gmail.com.



The boxes for Box of Joy are now available! Pick Boxes are located at each of the church entrances! Instructions of "do's and don'ts" are included with each box. Boxes are due back to church at the end of October.

Box of Joy gifts are Christmas gifts sent to children in developing countries like Haiti, Malawi and the Dominican Republic. Filled with toys, clothing, school supplies, a rosary and The Story of Jesus, these gifts represent Christ's love. Your donation will demonstrate Christ's compassion to a child who may have never before received a Christmas gift.

What would Amendment 3 actually do?

Eliminate parental notification or consent

Amendment 3 would invalidate the current law that requires parental notification and consent for a minor to have an abortion.

VOTE **NO** ON **3** AMENDMENT



Safeguard them both

Learn more at diojeffcity.org/amendment3



PRAYERS FOR OUR TROOPS

Please pray for: **Technical Sgt. Matthew A. Babbitt**, USAF Charleston, SC, son of Tony & Jeanette Babbitt; **Lt. Col. Gregory Baker**, USAF physician, Kuwait, grandson of Pat & the late John Davis; **Spc. Justin Coleman**, US Army, Fort Huachuca, AZ, son of Jim & Laura Coleman; **2nd Lt. Aaron Goedrich**, USMC, Guantanamo Bay, grandson of Pat & the late John Davis; **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; **Staff Sgt. Dutch Muder**, US Army, Ft. Liberty, NC, 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; **Timothy Shelby**, USN pilot, seaside, grandson of Pat & the late John Davis; **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.

THIS WEEK ON FORMED

Week of October 13, 2024



Luke and the Eucharist

Join Dr. Tim Gray and Dr. John Sehorn as they dive into the joy of the Eucharist as found in the Gospel of St. Luke the Evangelist.



Persecution and Defense | The Early Christians | Episode 3

Christians are attacked by the imperial authorities, by the public opinion through slander, and by pagan intellectuals. How did they react? Not with violence, but by conquering minds and hearts. This was achieved mainly by the shining figures of the Apostolic Fathers, building stones of the Christian tradition. Special focus on the danger of Gnosticism, and the Apocryphal writings. Who were the Apologist Fathers? How was their dialogue with the pagan culture?



Saint Teresa of Ávila: A Study in Perseverance

Both St. John of the Cross and his dear friend St. Teresa of Avila lived heroic lives of prayer. In honor of these spiritual masters, enjoy this film depicting the Carmelite way of life and the virtue of perseverance.

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

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MARRIAGE RETREAT

Living in the Trinity with Mary

MARCH 14-15, 2025

CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOSEPH
JEFFERSON CITY, MO

Inspiring talks,
prayer experiences,
and quality reflection time

Registration
opens on
November 1



WE ARE FAMILY

I'VE GOT ALL MY SISTERS WITH ME



featuring Fr. Leo Patalinghug of Plating Grace
& special musical guest, The Vigil Project

Ladies' Night Out

November 1
6:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Doors open at 6 p.m.
\$25

Fall Retreat

November 2
10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Doors open at 9 a.m.
\$15

Cathedral of St. Joseph — Jefferson City, MO



RSVP at diojeffcity.org/wm-fall-events-2024

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WITHOUT COST
YOU HAVE RECEIVED;
WITHOUT COST
YOU ARE TO GIVE.

Matthew 10:8b



CATHOLIC STEWARDSHIP
RENEWAL WEEKEND

OCTOBER 19-20



DIocese OF
Jefferson City



WITNESS

fall
youth
rally

November 3
1 - 6 p.m.

Cathedral of St. Joseph
Jefferson City, MO

feat. Fr. Leo
Patalinghug
of Plating Grace



special
musical guest,
The Vigil Project

12:30 p.m. — Lunch and Check-in
5 p.m. — Closing Mass
with Bishop McKnight

Cost: \$10 per youth
(no charge for adults)

"Therefore, since we are
surrounded by so great a cloud
of witnesses, let us rid ourselves
of every burden and sin that
clings to us...

...while keeping our eyes
fixed on Jesus..."

Hebrews 12:1-2

RSVP at diojeffcity.org/youth-rally-2024



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Jefferson City

**Why do we do that? Catholic Life Explained:
LORD'S PRAYER**

Question: Why don't Catholics add the "For yours is the Kingdom ..." prayer at the end of the Our Father like Protestants do? Where did it come from?

Answer: The conclusion of the Lord's Prayer that you refer to is called a doxology, which is a prayer of glory and praise. This particular doxology we do use in the Mass.

After the Our Father, the priest prays the prayer that begins, "Deliver us, Lord, we pray, from every evil..." and the people respond with the doxology.

The doxology is not found in the Bible, but it is very ancient. It was first found in The Didache, also called "The Teaching of the Twelve Apostles," which dates probably from about the year



AD 90. It was a letter of instruction to early converts to Christianity.

Protestantism dates only to the sixteenth century, so the doxology is actually a Catholic prayer. Some scholars and the catechism (#2760) indicate that the doxology was connected to the celebration of the Eucharist and was not used apart from it.

Remember, both the Lord's Prayer and the Eucharist were part of the "mysteries of faith," things taught only to believers. Ironically, a remnant of a prayer used during the celebration of the Eucharist has come to be used widely by many Christian churches that do not celebrate the Eucharist! Truth is indeed stranger than fiction!



Be sure to download the RaiseRight app to purchase e-cards for immediate use or to place an order. You can also order or purchase physical cards from our inventory by contacting Darlene Smith at 660-537-8638 for pickup at

her house, or email us at stspsscrip@gmail.com.

For a complete list of cards available on the app or to order, visit the app or raiserright.com.

Available Inventory:

Academy Sports \$25; Amazon \$10, \$25 & \$100; Arby's \$10; Bass Pro Shops \$25; Bredeaux \$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 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; Lowe's \$25 & \$100; 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; Red Robin \$25; Sonic \$10 or \$25; Starbuck's \$10 & \$25; Subway \$10; TJ Maxx/Marshalls/Home Goods/Sierra Trading \$25; Taco Bell \$10 or \$25; Target \$10 & \$25; Texas Roadhouse \$25; The Brew Brothers \$25; The Cove \$25; VISA (No activation fee!) \$25, \$50, or \$100; Walmart \$10, \$25, \$50, \$100, \$250, or \$500; Wendy's \$25; WJ's \$25



14th ANNUAL
*Pregnancy Help Center
Banquet*

Keynote Speaker

Mike Williams, Comedian

Emcee:

Rod Smith, KRCG Sports Director

October 24, 2024 • 6:30–8:30 pm
Capitol Plaza Hotel

Register online by **October 17** at
www.Friendsofphc.org or call 573.644.6635

Pregnancy Help Center



September 25 - November 3
40 DAYS FOR LIFE

HELP SAVE LIVES IN Columbia

You can protect mothers and children by joining this worldwide mobilization! Through prayer and fasting, peaceful vigils and community outreach, 40 Days for Life has inspired 1,000,000+ volunteers!

Here's how to take part:

- **Vigil location:** Outside Planned Parenthood Abortion Referral Center, 711 N Providence Rd, Columbia
- **Vigil hours:** 8 am to 5pm daily
- **Local contact:** Kathy, St Andrew ProLife, 573 821 5130 or kathy@midwestmarchforlife.com
- **Learn more** and get involved by visiting our campaign:

40daysforlife.com/Columbiamo

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: Check the parish calendar for meeting dates. 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.

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