

GIVING TREE TAGS for residents of our area nursing homes are available at each of the church entrances. See bulletin announcement for details.



Ss. Peter & Paul Catholic Parish

322 7TH STREET • BOONVILLE, MO 65233

Parish Office & Rectory: (660) 882-6468; School Office: (660) 882-2589

Website: ssppboonville.diojeffcity.org

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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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.....(660) 888-6827

.....dmiller@diojeffcity.org

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Pastoral Council Chairperson

janethufnagelthompson@gmail.com

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.



33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Amen, I say to you, this generation will not pass away until all these things have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

"But of that day or hour, no one knows, neither the angels in heaven, nor the Son, but only the Father."
- Mk 13:30-32

November 17, 2024

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

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First Reading: "It shall be a time unsurpassed in distress since nations began until that time. At that time your people shall escape." (Dn 12:1)

Psalm: You are my inheritance, O Lord! (Ps 16)

Second Reading: For by one offering he has made perfect forever those who are being consecrated. (Heb 10:14)

Gospel: "And then he will send out the angels and gather his elect from the four winds, from the end of the earth to the end of the sky." (Mk 13:27)

GOSPEL MEDITATION

I recently moved into a new neighborhood. On my first evening I went grocery shopping and could not find my usual favorite Greek yogurt. Strangely, my heart started to race. All the losses of my previous life hit me. So many of my old friends, habits, comforts, and predictable experiences had fallen away. There I stood, a grown man, crying like a little boy whose world was falling apart in the dairy aisle.

This week, Jesus describes what to do when one world ends, and another begins. Does it apply to the end of time? Yes. Does it apply to the end of our individual lives? Yes. It also applies to every "world" we inhabit throughout our lives, in school, family, friendships, work, play and so on.

First, the sun, moon, and stars fall. The old, familiar ways of running things suddenly stop working. Light fades. Things fall apart. It's awful. But, second, Christ comes "in the clouds." Jesus, the Son of Man, replaces those old powers with himself as the prime governing principle. Third, he sends out his angels to "gather his elect from the four winds." He re-integrates the fragments into a new integrated whole. "Summer is near," he concludes. A new world begins.

Is your world crumbling? Are your sun, moon, and stars falling from the sky? Learn to discern the pattern of the Cross and Resurrection at work in it. This is the power we touch in the Mass. Jesus is coming precisely in this transition from the old to the new world. It doesn't make our losses easy. But it does make it possible to glimpse the dawning of a summer, a new beginning, the life of the world to come.

— Father John Muir

FATHER'S MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, November 16 6PM: James & Dorothy McGuire
SUNDAY, November 17 10:30AM: DoI Deceased Members
WEDNESDAY, November 20 8:15AM: Wilma Bonen
FRIDAY, November 22 8:15AM: Ted Smith
SATURDAY, November 23 6PM: Francis & Dorothy Klein
SUNDAY, November 24 10:30AM: People of the Parish

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Dn 12:1-3/Ps 16:5, 8, 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Lk 9-10, 11 (1)/Heb 10:11-14, 18/ Mk 13:24-32
Monday: Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Lk 18:35-43
Tuesday: Rv 3:1-6, 14-22/Ps 15:2-3a, 3bc-4ab, 5/Lk 19:1-10
Wednesday: Rv 4:1-11/Ps 150:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 19:11-28
Thursday: Rv 5:1-10/Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b/Lk 19:41-44
Friday: Rv 10:8-11/Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131/Lk 19:45-48
Saturday: Rv 11:4-12/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Lk 20:27-40
Next Sunday: Dn 7:13-14/Ps 91:1, 1-2, 5 (1a)/Rv 1:5-8/Jn 18:33b-37

PARISH COLLECTION & TITHING

Weekly Collection & Tithing as of November 11: \$14,477.00
Weekly Budgeted Collection & Tithing: \$17,846.15
YTD Collection & Tithing Received: \$358,539.28
YTD Budgeted Collection & Tithing: \$356,923.08
We are grateful to those who sacrificially tithe to financially support our parish. Thank you.

SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday: The Dedication of the Basilicas of Ss. Peter and Paul, Apostles; St. Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin
Thursday: The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Friday: St. Cecilia, Virgin and Martyr
Saturday: St. Clement I, Pope and Martyr; St. Columban, Abbot; Bl. Miguel Agustin Pro, Priest and Martyr
Next Sunday: Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe



Bishop McKnight's November Prayer Intention for our Local Church: For a spirit of unity and Thanksgiving to be cultivated in our lives and in our nation. That we may see God's light reflected in the blessings of our family, friends, and community.



The Pope's November Prayer Intention for anyone who has lost a child: We pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and receive peace and consolation from the Holy Spirit.

SPIRITUAL HOMEWORK: QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading: The prophet Daniel foresaw a time of great distress and ultimate judgment for the living and the dead. Who supports you when you are feeling anxious or are deeply worried?

Second Reading: The author of Hebrews emphasizes Jesus's death as the final offering for the forgiveness of sins, making us "perfect forever" in eternal life. What do you find most curious about the idea of being perfect in eternal life?

Gospel: Jesus speaks to his disciples about the signs that will accompany his Second Coming, even though only God the Father knows the exact time. How should one best prepare for this unknown future?



Prayer of Seasons

As the seasons change, be with me. As my life shifts and shapes, be with me. As I face what the future holds, be with me. As I seek the beauty to be found today, help me to find you there. Amen.

Mass Ministry Volunteers

November Altar Linens: Roz Gordon

Altar Angels Church Cleaning Team Families: Tyson & Katie Amos, Brad & Elizabeth Atkinson, Jared & Christa Babbitt, Seth Brengarth
 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, Nov. 23 6 p.m.	Scott Thomas	Diane Brimer	Monica Pfeiffer	Linneman Family	Dan & Shelly Schuster Family (3 doors)	Bearrow Fjell Kendrick Griffy Volunteer	Guitar Group	Team 4 Monica Pfeiffer Whitney Caton Brea James
Sunday, Nov. 24 10:30 a.m.	Kylie Imhoff	Kathryn Schuster	Nancy Windsor Brenda Quinlan	Richard & Danielle Woodson	Dillon & Kelsey Slaughter (2doors) Pat & Chandler Twenter	Ethan & Gabe Woodson Danielle Brengarth	Roz Gordon Karen Hsu	

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

- **Third Friday, Nov. 15, 9 a.m.-9 p.m.:** Adoration at church
- **Saturday, Nov. 16, 7 a.m.:** Men's Group, parish office basement; AND Women's Group, church hall
- **Saturday, Nov. 16, 8 a.m.:** Cursillo, parish office
- **Saturday, Nov. 16, 9 a.m.:** Perpetual Help Devotion, church
- **Saturday & Sunday, Nov. 16 & 17:** Religious Articles case will be open for sales after Mass.
- **Sunday, Nov. 17, 9 a.m.:** OCIA meeting, church hall
- **Monday, Nov. 18, 9 a.m.:** Legion of Mary, parish office basement
- **Monday, Nov. 18, 10:30 a.m.:** ProLife meeting, parish office basement
- **Monday, Nov. 18, 4 p.m.:** 2nd Grade PSR, parish office basement
- **Monday, Nov. 18, 6:30 p.m.:** Rosary followed by Divine Mercy Chaplet, church
- **Tuesday, Nov. 19, 10 a.m.:** Bible study, church hall
- **Tuesday, Nov. 19, 5-6:30 p.m.:** Food distribution, Neighbors Helping Neighbors Food Pantry, 509 E. Water St.
- **Wednesday, Nov. 20:** Deadline for items for the December 1 bulletin.
- **Wednesday, Nov. 20, 5 p.m.:** Cursillo, cry room
- **Wednesday, Nov. 20, 6 p.m.:** Ruth & Russell's small group, church hall
- **Wednesday, Nov. 20, 6 p.m.:** Women's Group, church hall
- **Thursday, Nov. 21, 5 p.m.:** Finance Council, parish office
- **Thursday, Nov. 21, 6:30 p.m.:** Pastoral Council, Weimholt's Loft, 426 Morgan St.
- **Friday, Nov. 22:** Bingo, KofC Hall, 1515 Radio Hill Rd. Doors open at 5 p.m. Early Birds start at 6:30 p.m.
- **Saturday, Nov. 23, 8 a.m.:** Cursillo, parish office
- **Saturday, Nov. 23, 9 a.m.:** Perpetual Help Devotion, church
- **Monday, Nov. 25, 9 a.m.:** Legion of Mary, parish office basement

WORLD DAY OF CLOISTERED LIFE = NOVEMBER 21

**"Heaven & earth will pass away,
but my words will not pass away."**

Let the reassuring words of Christ lead you. Cherish the precious words of the Lord. He may be calling you to a life of contemplation as a cloistered monk or nun, whose lives are devoted to prayer and reflection. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at (573) 635-9127 x210 or via email: vocations@diojeffcity.org.

2024-25 Stewardship Information

Please pray and discern how you can share your time, talent, and treasure in the coming year.

Paper Stewardship packets are available at each of the church entrances.

The forms may also be completed online by using this QR code.



Thanksgiving Day Masses Thursday, November 28 9 a.m.

**SS. Peter & Paul Catholic Church
322 7th St., Boonville**

SS. Peter & Paul Catholic Church, (660) 882-6468
ssppboonville.diojeffcity.org



Volunteer ministers are needed for our Thanksgiving Day Mass. The sign-up sheet on the counter in the dressing sacristy.



Wouldn't it be nice if passing on our faith was like passing a lit torch from mother to son or father to daughter? Something so tangible you knew it happened? Something so obvious you knew that fire stayed lit or if the flame blew out, you knew how to get it going again?

Like most things in life, nothing is that obvious and we have to

do our best and pray that we are doing it right. Thankfully, though, we don't have to do it alone!

Come join us this month as we tackle the topic on how to raise Catholic children. Passing on our faith is one of the most commonly discussed concerns within women's groups especially within the realm of our older children falling away from the faith. What if anything can we do to get them back home?

We invite you this month to bring your experiences (what has worked or is working) and your concerns as we share some ways

All are invited to attend Boonslick Ministerial Alliance's Ecumenical Community Thanksgiving Service

**Tuesday, November 26, 6:30 p.m.
Christ Church Episcopal
524 Fourth St., Boonville, Mo.**

The Mennonite Children's Choir will be featured.

we can keep our faith real within our children's lives.

We invite young and not so young, women with newborns to women with children having newborns. You will leave with a list of resources and ideas you can start to implement immediately.

Meetings this month are Saturday, Nov. 16, 7 a.m. (breakfast served) and Wednesday, Nov. 20, 6 p.m. (dinner served).

Both meetings are in the church basement.

Our master gardeners have been hard at work on our landscaping! In the process, they have thinned our iris beds. If you'd like iris bulbs to add to your garden, please help yourself to the "grab bags" of bulbs that are in the backyard of the rectory, next to the house. They are not identified by color — "you get what you get." Enjoy!

Saturday, November 9, we welcomed Carley Helen Schanzmeyer to the Faith as she was baptized during Mass. She is the daughter of Aaron & Paige Schanzmeyer and has a big sister, Charlotte.

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



The Ladies Auxiliary is again organizing the Giving Tree.

We are asking for parish support in purchasing Christmas gifts for every resident of each of the area care facilities. Gift tags will be available at each of the church entrances the weekends of Nov. 16 & 17 and 23 & 24. Please take only what you are able to purchase and return.

We ask that you wrap the gift, taping the tag to the outside so it can be easily read. All gifts must be returned no later than Dec. 8 so we can deliver them to the facilities for their Christmas parties.

If you would like to participate, but would like for us to do the shopping for you, please feel free to make a donation. Checks can be written to Ladies Auxiliary.

If you have any questions, feel free to call Dawn Kuster at 660-441-1891. Thank you!

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.

CARE Baskets 2024

THIS HOLIDAY SEASON, PROVIDE THE GIFT OF HOUSEHOLD SUPPLIES THAT CANNOT BE PURCHASED WITH SNAP BENEFITS.

WHAT WE NEED?

- LAUNDRY DETERGENT PODS/SHEETS
- TOILET PAPER
- PAPER TOWELS & NAPKINS
- DEODERANT
- DISH SOAP
- TOOTHBRUSH & TOOTHPASTE
- SHAMPOO & CONDITIONER
- BAR SOAP

DONATIONS CAN BE DROPPED OFF:
NOW THRU NOVEMBER 22, 2024:
 BOONVILLE - BTEC ADMIN OR CMCA 660-882-5601
 PILOT GROVE - SCHOOL SUPT'S OFFICE 660-834-4415
 FAYETTE - HOMETOWN HOMECARE 660-248-2100
NOVEMBER 25, 2024 9AM-1PM
 COOPER COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS 660-537-0520

MONETARY DONATIONS MADE TO:

**PILOT GROVE C-4
 107 SCHOOL ST.
 PILOT GROVE MO
 65276**



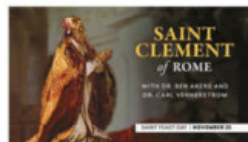
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*PLEASE WRITE "CARE BASKETS" IN THE MEMO LINE.



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Week of November 17, 2024



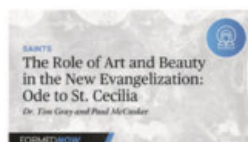
St. Clement of Rome | Catholic Saints

Sit down with Dr. Ben Akers and Dr. Carl Vennerstrom as they discuss Pope St. Clement of Rome, who was an early Church Father and the third successor to St. Peter.



Confirmation | Brother Francis

Join Brother Francis as he shows us what the Sacrament of Confirmation is, what it does, and why Jesus promised it to us!



The Role of Art and Beauty in the New Evangelization

Join Dr. Tim Gray and Paul McCusker as they discuss St. Cecilia and the role of Art and Beauty in the New Evangelization.

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

SAVE THE DATES

DECEMBER 4 ASSEMBLY



REFERRAL FORMS COMING SOON
REFERRALS & DONATIONS

DUE BY NOVEMBER 22, 2024

CARE BASKETS 2024

DISTRIBUTION
 December 4, 2024

The Annual Knights of Columbus Christmas Party will be held Sunday, December 8 at the KC Hall. All parish families are invited to attend.



Social begins at 12 noon with dinner to follow at 2 p.m. There will be a brief awards ceremony after dinner, followed by entertainment, and a visit from Santa.

The meal is potluck/carry-in. Please bring a dish to share of your choice. Possible suggestions are based on first letter of your last name. Last names beginning with: A-H: appetizers/snacks; I-Q: side dish/vegetable dish/salads; R-Z: desserts.

The council will provide the meat, place settings, and drinks. Please contact Gregory Hampton at greg@hamptonshop.com for more information.

The parish's 51st Annual Turkey Dinner was one for the record books! So far, receipts total \$116,720.46! This includes: donation challenge, \$89,885.00; meal tickets, \$26,045.96 (of the meal ticket revenue, carry-out & delivery meals totaled \$12,498.00); Country Store sales, \$732.50; 30# Turkey Raffle, \$57.00. Expenses are still being submitted so we don't know our net profit yet. Updates will be published when available.

Q: "Does heaven really exist?" — Colin S., 14

A: Absolutely. Heaven is the ultimate and final reality for those who die in God's friendship.

Because we get distracted with the good attractions of this world (entertainment, dating, fancy cars, delicious food, etc.), we often forget or even doubt the ultimate good — heaven. As Catholic apologist Scott Hahn has said, "If we fill up on the hors d'oeuvres (snack foods) of life, we will not desire the heavenly banquet. There are approximately 800 verses that mention heaven in the Bible. The testimony of the Word of God bears witness to its existence.

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



Jacob Hartmann, a seminarian from our diocese, posed with a "big fork" at the Steubenville Conference, asking students who stopped at the Vocations Office booth, what they thought it represented.

The answer: Our preparation for the heavenly banquet!

Why do we do that? Catholic Life Explained: MARY AND THE SAINTS

Question: Why do Catholic pray to Mary and the saints?

Answer: One of the statements of faith we make when we pray the Nicene Creed and the Apostles Creed is that we believe in "the communion of saints."



When we think of Mary and the saints in heaven, we have to remember that we can turn to them for intercession and assistance because they were faulted, limited human beings, just like us. This means that they

are able to understand our struggles, doubts, fears, joys, and hopes.

But as we learn their stories, we can also begin to recognize that they stand out in the history of the Church because they persevered in their commitment to follow Christ. Whether they were ordained, vowed religious, martyrs, husbands, wives, or even children, they show us that holiness is possible. We can not only follow their example but also benefit from their prayerful support.

The Catechism of the Catholic Church reminds us that this communion (another word for community) includes all the faithful on earth, the souls in Purgatory, and the blessed women, men, and children who are in heaven. This teaching is grounded in our belief that, through Baptism, we are united with Christ and to one another with bonds that are stronger even than death.

And so from the time of the early Church, Christians have turned to other believers for prayers and assistance, including those who have gone before us, confident that God hears the prayers of all of His children. While we ask the saints (and one another) for prayers and support, we remember that the saints join us in prayer. But it is God who blesses and sanctifies us.

Our devotion to the saints and gratitude for their witness, prayers, and protection should also be an inspiration for us, especially when we become aware of the needs of others or when others ask us to pray for them. We are called to share the blessings we receive. This is also part of our own journey of growing in holiness.



DIVORCED CATHOLIC

The Divorced Catholic Recovering From Divorce Program

Specifically designed to help divorced/separated Catholics. This 13-week program offers support and addresses the most pressing challenges of divorce. The program is designed to help divorced/separated Catholics recover by more fully learning and living their faith.

- Begins November 19th at 6:30 PM
- Meetings last 1-1.5 hours, every other week

All meetings are held in The Emmaus Room - in the lower level of the Immaculate Conception Church Rectory. Please come around back and look for the blue awning. All are welcome! This support group is being presented and held at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, but it is offered for all Christians in the Jefferson City area.



SUPPORT GROUP FORMING NOW

"Going through the *Recovering From Divorce Program* literally transformed me from despair to hope by the blessings of our Catholic faith."
-Stefanie

Call or text if you would like to know more:
Mary Nichols- IC Parishioner
573-338-4028
Rhonda Muenks- Cathedral of St Joseph Parishioner
573-645-8066

PROLIFE UPDATES

The next prolife meeting will be held Monday, November 18 at 10:30 a.m. in church office basement. All are welcome to come. For more information, call 660-621-2787.

In November, the Spiritual Adoption Program continues into the fourth month of pregnancy. Our new prayer cards are at the entrances of church, and we encourage you to pray daily.

Fourth month unborn baby development: At fourth months in the womb, babies are about six inches long and active enough for the mother to feel the child's movement. The baby can make fine finger movements and wiggle toes. Many nerves are produced.

Birthright of Sedalia is changing to a more faith-based and God-centered pregnancy help center called Loving Hearts Pregnancy Help Center, Inc. As soon as they receive the required state permissions, they plan to transition. All donations will be tax-deductible. If you have questions, you may call Jeanette at 660-281-1405. They are currently at the same address, 1018th West 11th, Sedalia.



NEW CARD ALERT! Tractor Supply is now available to be ordered in \$25 or \$100 denominations! We also have cards available for your Thanksgiving dinner shopping (C&R, HyVee, and/or Walmart)!

As always, you can download the RaiseRight app to purchase e-cards for immediate use or to place an order. You can also purchase physical cards from our inventory or place an order 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 raiseright.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; Starbucks \$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

Tolton Catholic H.S. Application Deadline for the 2025-26 School Year is January 15, 2025. Please select the "2025-26 9th-12th Grade" application. Only students currently in the 8th grade or above are eligible to fill out the application. The deadline to apply is January 15, 2025, but the earlier, the better! Please use this link to get started: toltoncatholic.org/apply. If you have any questions, please contact Ashley Moore at amoore@toltoncatholic.org.

Magnificat - An Evening with David Kauffman will be held Sunday, December 8, 2024, 5:30 p.m., at the Marianist Retreat & Conference Center, Eureka. Reservations required; tickets are \$50. The evening will include a candlelight dinner in the dining room prepared by talented chefs, an intimate concert with David in our chapel, and desserts in our lobby. Tickets are available at: <https://marianistretreat.com/magnificat-an-evening-with-david-kauffman>

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

DIocese of Jefferson City | CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOSEPH | MARIANIST

Sounds of Starkenburg
Holiday Concerts

Saturday, November 30, 2024
2:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m.
St. Martin's Church Museum
197 Hwy P
Starkenburg, MO 65069

Featuring

1860's Pfeffer Pipe Organ
Barry Bierwirth, Organist

Vocal Performances
Instrumental Performances
Sing Alongs

Soup Supper & Vendor Market
1:00 pm to 5:00 pm at Valentine Hall

Extras
Take group pictures by the beautiful stone fireplace in Valentine Hall.
Shop the Vendor Market and Country Store for holiday goodies.
Shop the Religious Articles Stand and the Shrine Stand for holiday gifts of bibles, rosaries, story books, jewelry, candles & ornaments.
Take a chance on the beautiful Shrine Quilt
Visit the Shrine of Our Lady of Sorrows in Thanksgiving or to ask for special intentions to our Blessed Mother.

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.

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

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