

Pastoral Council &
School Advisory
Council
Nomination Forms

are in the pews this weekend.
Completed forms may be placed
in the baskets at each of the
church entrances.

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.

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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.

Ss. Peter & Paul Catholic Parish

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February 23, 2025 7TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Give, and gifts will be given to
you; a good measure, packed
together, shaken down, and
overflowing, will be poured into
your lap. For the measure with
which you measure will in
return be measured out to
you." - Lk 6:38

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Jesus' message today is one of radical generosity and abundant mercy, and it scandalized the people of his time. It shook them to their core. It should do the same for us. Are we ready to live as Jesus lived? Are we ready to offer love in the face of hate?

First Reading: "Today, though the LORD
delivered you into my grasp, I would not
harm the LORD's anointed." (1 Sm 26:23)

Psalm: The Lord is kind and merciful. (Ps 103)

Second Reading: Just as we have borne the

image of the earthly one, we shall also bear
the image of the heavenly one. (1 Cor 15:49)

Gospel: "Be merciful, just as your Father is
merciful." (Jn Lk 6:36)

GOSPEL MEDITATION

One of my favorite new singers/songwriters is Noah Kahan. I'm a little biased because, like me, he is originally from Vermont. In a fine song entitled "Stick Season," he sings of his hope to "cancel out the darkness I inherited from dad." This lyric articulates his painful recognition of a dark spiritual "inheritance" from his father, and his hope to be free of it. We all inherit some degree of evil from our earthly forebears. It's easy to feel doomed to repeat their darknesses.

But we're not so doomed, thank God. This week's Gospel proclaims this. Whatever good or bad we received from our parents, we have a more definitive and perfect inheritance in God. Jesus commands us, "**Be merciful just as your Father is merciful**" (Luke 6:36). We have a perfect Father in heaven and are destined to inherit and reflect that perfect and merciful love. We have an inheritance of light, not darkness, and thus a whole new possibility of magnanimous love. Like any inheritance, this is a free gift to us.

What are we destined to repeat? Not the darkness of our earthly parents. We are destined to be a reflection of God's life. Jesus liberates us from the inevitability of repeating whatever evils and imperfections are in our familial or cultural upbringings. It's time to claim that perfect inheritance.

— Father John Muir

FATHER'S MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, February 22

6PM: People of the Parish

SUNDAY, February 23

10:30AM: Roland & Mary Goode

WEDNESDAY, February 26

8:15AM: Tom Adair

FRIDAY, February 28

8:15AM: Francis Youngblut

SATURDAY, March 1

6PM: Gary Oerly

SUNDAY, March 2

10:30AM: Donnie Miller

PARISH COLLECTION & TITHING

Weekly Collection & Tithing as of Feb. 11: \$16,701.80

Weekly Budgeted Collection & Tithing: \$17,846.15

YTD Collection & Tithing Received: \$594,431.91

YTD Budgeted Collection & Tithing: \$588,923.08

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

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: 1 Sm 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23/1 Cor 15:45-49/Lk 6:27-38

Monday: Sir 1:1-10/Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5/Mk 9:14-29

Tuesday: Sir 2:1-11/Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40/Mk 9:30-37

Wednesday: Sir 4:11-19/Ps 119:165, 168, 171, 172, 174, 175/Mk 9:38-40

Thursday: Sir 5:1-8/Ps 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6/Mk 9:41-50

Friday: Sir 6:5-17/Ps 119:12, 16, 18, 27, 34, 35/Mk 10:1-12

Saturday: Sir 17:1-15/Ps 103:13-14, 15-16, 17-18/Mk 10:13-16

Next Sunday: Sir 27:4-7/Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16 (see

2a)/1 Cor 15:54-58/Lk 6:39-45



Bishop McKnight's February Prayer Intention for our

Local Church: For our civic leaders, that they may be guided by wisdom and integrity in their decisions. May they seek the common good, foster unity in our communities, and lead with compassion and justice.



The Pope's February Prayer Intention for the right to

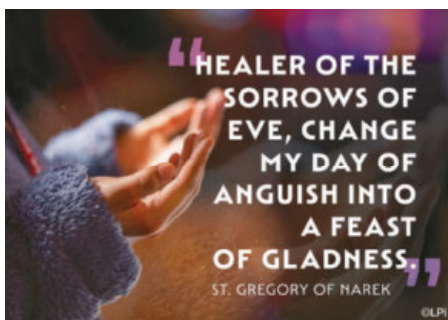
education: Let us pray that the ecclesial community might welcome the desires and doubts of those young people who feel a call to serve Christ's mission in the priesthood and religious life.

SPIRITUAL HOMEWORK: QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading: King David exercised great restraint in sparing the life of Saul. Can you think of a time when you had to take the high road with a friend or co-worker?

Second Reading: Paul speaks of present-day believers as one day bearing the image of Christ (the "heavenly one"). How often do you think about your future life in heaven?

Gospel: Jesus presents his followers with some very challenging morals: love your enemy, do not retaliate, and always be willing to forgive. Does this high moral standard seem possible for you personally?



Observances

This Week

Sunday: 7th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Thursday: St. Gregory of Narek, Abbot and Doctor of the Church

Next Sunday: 8th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time: February 16, 2025

*"Love your enemies and do good to those who hate you."
(Luke 6:27)*



Discuss with your children how priests, religious, and married couples are called to embody love and forgiveness. Support them in reflecting on how they might be called to witness to God's mercy and compassion.

Mass Ministry Volunteers

February Altar Linens: Mary Ellen Kosky

Altar Angels Church Cleaning Team Families: Evan & Kelsey Oswald, Philip & Danielle Rapp, Brooks & Hadley Rapp, Chris & Amy Rapp

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, March 1 6 p.m.	Amy Imhoff	Mike Ivy	Annamarie Smith	Mike & Kathy Lang	Chris, Cole & Caden Schuster	Teel & Olivia Kenney Jax Kopine	Kristina Hahn	Team 2 Keith & Patty Kueckelhan Jean Hampton
Sunday, March 2 10:30 a.m.	Ellise Kirchner	4th Grade Boys Basketball	4th Grade Boys Basketball	4th Grade Boys Basketball	4th Grade Boys Basketball	4th Grade Boys Basketball	Roz Gordon Susan Felten	

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, Feb. 21, 9 a.m.-9 p.m.:** Adoration at church
- **Friday, Feb. 21, 9 a.m.:** Cursillo, cry room
- **Saturday, Feb. 22, 7 a.m.:** Men's Group, parish office basement
- **Saturday, Feb. 22:** Home & School Auction, school gym. See bulletin announcement.
- **Saturday & Sunday, Feb. 22 & 23:** Pastoral Council nomination forms will be in the pews.
- **Sunday, Feb. 23, 9 a.m.:** OCIA CANCELED
- **Monday, Feb. 24, 9 a.m.:** Legion of Mary, parish office basement
- **Monday, Feb. 24, 6:30 p.m.:** Rosary followed by Divine Mercy Chaplet, church
- **Tuesday, Feb. 25, 10 a.m.:** Bible Study, church hall
- **Tuesday, Feb. 25, 6:30 p.m.:** Global Deanery meeting, Laurie
- **Wednesday, Feb. 26, 3 p.m.:** OCIA, p/o basement
- **Wednesday, Feb. 26, 4:45 p.m.:** Cursillo, cry room
- **Thursday, Feb. 27, 3 p.m.:** 5th grade OCIA, parish office
- **Friday, Feb. 28, 9 a.m.:** Cursillo, cry room
- **Friday, Feb. 28:** Bingo, KofC Hall, 1515 Radio Hill Rd. Doors open at 5 p.m. Early Birds start at 6:30 p.m.
- **Saturday & Sunday, March 1 & 2:** Holyland Art sales after Mass, church hall
- **Sunday, March 2, 9 a.m.:** OCIA, church hall
- **Sunday, March 2, 6:30-8 p.m.:** XLT at church
- **Sunday, March 2:** Youth Group CANCELED
- **Monday, March 3, 9 a.m.:** Legion of Mary, parish office basement
- **Monday, March 3, 1-5 p.m.:** Blood drive, church hall
- **Monday, March 3, 4 p.m.:** 2nd grade PSR, p/o basement
- **Monday, March 3, 6:30 p.m.:** Rosary followed by Divine Mercy Chaplet, church
- **Tuesday, March 4, 8-10 a.m.:** Food pantry distribution, 509 Water St.
- **Tuesday, March 4, 10 a.m.:** Bible Study, church hall
- **Tuesday, March 4, 3-4:30 p.m.:** OCIA kids, parish office basement
- **Tuesday, March 4, 6 p.m.:** Medjugorje Prayer Group, cry room



Join us Sunday, March 2, 6:30-8 p.m. for XLT "Exalt!" We'll spend this time at church focusing on prayer and spending time with the Lord.

The evening will include:

- Praise and worship music
- Witness talks
- Adoration, Benediction, and time for confession.

Prayer of Christian Life

Dear Jesus,

Help me to pray for and bless everyone I encounter, whether that be easy or hard. Help me to act in the mercy I have known through you. Help me to demonstrate generosity, as you have given so much to me. Amen.

Holylands Arts will have olive wood, handcrafted religious items for sale March 1-2 in the church hall. Proceeds benefit Catholic families who live in and near Bethlehem.

Mardi Gras Festival - March 1

Newman Parish is hosting the 4th Annual Mardi Gras Festival on Saturday, March 1, 2025 at 602 Turner Ave on Mizzou's campus.

The event will kick off with a parade at 11 a.m. followed by hot drinks, music and king cake. Zydecos Food Truck will be there to provide Cajun-inspired food!

This is a free event for everyone. Anyone can participate in

the parade. To register to be in the parade, or to learn more about this event visit: www.comonewman.org/mardigras.

St. Joseph Catholic Church, 300 S. Cleveland St., Fayette

will host a pancake & sausage breakfast on Sunday, March 2, serving from 7:30 a.m. to 12 noon. The meal also includes scrambled eggs and fried potatoes. The cost is: adults \$10, children 6-12 \$4.

In addition, there will be a raffle for items including a quilt, St. Joseph statue, book series, sweet treats, and gift cards. There will also be a country store.



SHARE YOUR
LUCKY CHARM.

Give blood for those in need.



Blood Drive Saints Peter & Paul Catholic Church

In the Hall
322 7th St.
Boonville, MO 65233

**Monday, March 3, 2025
1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.**

Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: BOONVILLE to schedule an appointment.



Give in March for a \$10 Gift Card by email & successful donations get A1C testing. rcblood.org/March



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Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Father Mike Penn** who died February 14, 2025.

"Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace."

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 Joyce & the late Tom 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.

Why do we do that? Catholic Life Explained: **ASH WEDNESDAY**

Question: Is Ash Wednesday a holy day of obligation?

Answer: Despite the often packed churches, you may be surprised to hear that the answer is no! Holy days of obligation commemorate a particular event (such as the birth of Christ at Christmas) or celebrate particular people (such as Mary's Immaculate Conception or the feast of All Saints). Ash Wednesday is a day of penance, fasting, and abstinence to begin the season of Lent. In a sense, it focuses on a concept rather than something particular and concrete.

Of course, repentance ought to be reflected in particular, concrete ways! That's one of the reasons that attending Mass on Ash Wednesday is a very good idea. It marks the beginning of a solemn season of penance. Despite all its comparisons to the desert, Lent can be very fruitful for our spiritual growth! Beginning this season with the celebration of Mass and the reception of ashes is a sign of our commitment to God and to spiritual growth.

Fasting, Explained: The practice of fasting predates Christianity. The Old Testament is full of examples of righteous men and women mortifying their flesh for the purpose of making atonement or simply to grow closer to God. Jesus himself fasted for forty days and forty nights in preparation for the beginning of his public ministry, and we see his disciples following his example in the Acts of the Apostles. Fasting continues to be an important part of Christian devotional life today. Many people feel the practice of fasting enhances their prayer and helps them fulfill St. Paul's advice to "put to death the deeds of the body" (Romans 8:13) to grow in the Spirit. Most Catholics will associate fasting with the liturgical season of Lent, which begins and ends with obligatory fasting for all members of the Latin Catholic Church between ages 18 and 59.

Singles Upper 50s and Above: Are you looking for a renewed sense of purpose & belonging? Register today for a life-changing RENEW weekend retreat at the Pallottine Retreat Center (30 min from downtown St. Louis), on March 28-30, 2025. Take a chance and get involved: you won't regret it! Visit www.RenewRetreats.org, e-mail renewretreat.stl@gmail.com, or call (314) 703-1002 for details.



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 for
married couples

Register online at
diojeffcity.org/marriage-retreat

Register by March 1
to receive
free childcare
during the event!









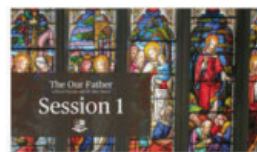
This Week on Formed

Week of February 23, 2025



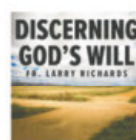
An American Blessed

In May 2020, Pope Francis approved a miracle attributed to the intercession of Fr. Michael McGivney, paving the way for his beatification. This documentary highlights Fr. McGivney's fraternal charity, evangelization, and empowerment of the laity.



The Our Father

In this episode of his course on the Our Father, Dr. Ben Akers teaches us what we can learn from the perfect model and master of prayer: Jesus himself.



Discerning God's Will

Discovering the will of God can be an intimidating challenge in the spiritual life. Join Fr. Larry Richards as he guides us in this task through practical advice and personal stories! Discovering the will of God can be an intimidating challenge in the spiritual life. Join Fr. Larry Richards as he guides us in this task through practical advice and personal stories!

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Q: "Will there be signs to tell us the world is going to end?" — Erinn T., 16

A: Scripture says that there will be some signs we can look for including a great apostasy (falling away) from the Catholic Church and the arrival of the anti-Christ, who will be a man, not a demon (Dan. 11). This anti-Christ will be someone who is aided by Satan. As Christ had the prophet John the Baptist as his herald, the anti-Christ will have the "false prophet" as his herald. Scripture also mentions a mass conversion of the Jewish people after they recognize Jesus as the Messiah for Whom they awaited (Rom. 11:26).

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

For additional information about Revelation and the end times, visit: <https://watch.formed.org/videos/revelation-heavenly-worship-and-the-end-of-time>

Statement of the Missouri Catholic Conference on Abortions Resuming in Missouri

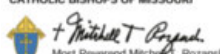
We are saddened that abortions will resume in Missouri after the recent judicial ruling that abortion clinics do not need to be licensed by the state. The legalization and deregulation of abortion will harm women, children, and families.

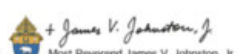
The Catholic Church in Missouri will strive to increase advocacy for policies that uphold the dignity of all human life, protect the vulnerable, provide support for those in need, and continue to combat the forces behind the culture of death. For those women and men who have been and will be wounded by abortion, the Church will continue to provide true hope and healing.

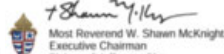
We will continue to educate the faithful on the inherent dignity of all, as each individual is a child of God, and endeavor to make resources available to those in need. We will also work with lawmakers to craft prudent legislation to protect the welfare and dignity of pregnant mothers and their unborn children.

Let us continue to pray and work for a greater recognition of the gift of each and every human life in our society.

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Approved February 15, 2025



Joyful
community & faith



Camp Lolek
FOR JUNIOR HIGH

Boys: June 8-12
Girls: June 15-19

Adventure

Sisterhood | Brotherhood
Leadership



Camp Maccabee
FOR YOUNG MEN



Camp Siena
FOR YOUNG WOMEN

Session 1: July 13-18
Session 2: July 20-25



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PROLIFE UPDATES

SEVENTH MONTH OF UNBORN BABY DEVELOPMENT: In the seventh month, the baby uses the senses of hearing, touch, and taste. The brain is developing rapidly. The baby is active, can learn things & can look around with open eyes, and weighs about 3 pounds. Babies can be saved if born this early and some even earlier. Their mother can feel her baby hiccupping.

BABY GRACE can use baby wipes, size 3 diapers, and pullups in sizes 4 & 5.

A field trip to tour the Pregnancy Help Center of Central Missouri, Jefferson City is planned for Feb. 24 at 10:30 a.m. We will leave from the church parking lot at 9:15 a.m. It is very important we have first hand information about this center in order to help pregnant mothers. The address is 1433 SW Blvd, Jefferson City, Mo. 65109. If attending, call Connie (number below).

"Make Missouri Prolife Again," Legislative Action Day, sponsored by Missouri Right to Life, will be held at the Capitol on Wednesday, March 26 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. We will leave from the church parking lot at 8:45 a.m.

The Spiritual Adoption Program ends with the baby shower the weekend of May 31 and June 1. Details to come.

Thursday, May 1, 2025, is the Midwest March for Life at the Missouri State Capitol in Jefferson City with activities starting at 9 a.m. and the march starting at 10 a.m. The theme is "To Honor and Glorify Jesus Christ and Defend Innocent Life." We will leave at 8:30 a.m. from the church parking lot and return by 3 p.m. You can bring your own lunch or purchase one from the Knights of Columbus.

For more information call Connie Gerling, 660-621-2787.

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 stspscsrip@gmail.com. For a complete list of cards available visit raiserright.com.

AVAILABLE INVENTORY: Amazon \$10, \$25 & \$100; Arby's \$10; Bass Pro Shops \$25; Bath & Body Works \$25; Bredeaux \$10; 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 Buffalo Wild Wings, Cheesecake Factory, Macy's, Panera Bread, Red Lobster, and Ulta Beauty) \$25; Hardee's \$10; Home Depot \$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; 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; Tractor Supply \$25; VISA (No activation fee!) \$25, \$50, or \$100; Walmart \$25, \$50, \$100, \$250, or \$500; Wendy's \$25; WJ's \$25



The St. Louis Marian Conference will be held May 16-18, 2025.

The theme is "In the end, my immaculate heart will triumph". The conference will be held at the Renaissance St. Louis Airport, 9801 Natural Bridge Rd., St. Louis, Mo., 63134. All information for the conference can be found at www.stlmc.org or on the poster on the right hand bulletin board above the cabinet at the entrance of the church. The are information sheets provided below the poster. There is so much to be said about the conference for families to increase their faith through speakers, adoration, Mass and vendors selling religious articles and books. It is very inexpensive. It's a memorable experience for our jubilee year.

The Knights of Columbus Council 1061 scholarship is available to the child, grandchild, or anyone under legal guardianship of an active or deceased member, or currently an active member, of Knights of Columbus Council 1061 – Boonville or Ladies Auxiliary who is continuing education at an accredited college, universi-

ty, technical school, or trade apprenticeship. Applicants **MUST** be a practicing Catholic. To receive a scholarships application please contact Richard Kuster at 660-441-1892 or by email at rkuster@cpsk12.org. The application deadline is March 1, 2025.

Save the Date

MidWest March for Life



THURSDAY
MAY 1, 2025

*To honor and glorify Jesus Christ
and defend innocent life.*



MISSOURI STATE CAPITOL LAWN
Jefferson City, Missouri

Activities starting at 9:00 a.m. • Rally starting at 10:00 a.m.

March Immediately Following

**Lunch Break followed by Holy Mass celebrated at
Proto-Cathedral of Saint Peter by Bishop Edward M. Rice**

Speakers:

David Bereit — Founder of 40 Days for Life

Christina Bennett — Live Action

Rebekah Hagan — Vitae Foundation

(More speakers to be announced)

WE ARE CALLED TO PROTECT LIFE

www.midwestmarchforlife.com
417-344-7118

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 Friday group meets in the cry room at 9 a.m. 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.

MEDJUGORJE PRAYER GROUP meets the first Tuesday of the month at 6 p.m. in the Cry Room.

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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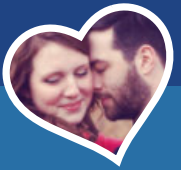
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