



**Saturday,
April 5,
8 a.m.
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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.

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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.

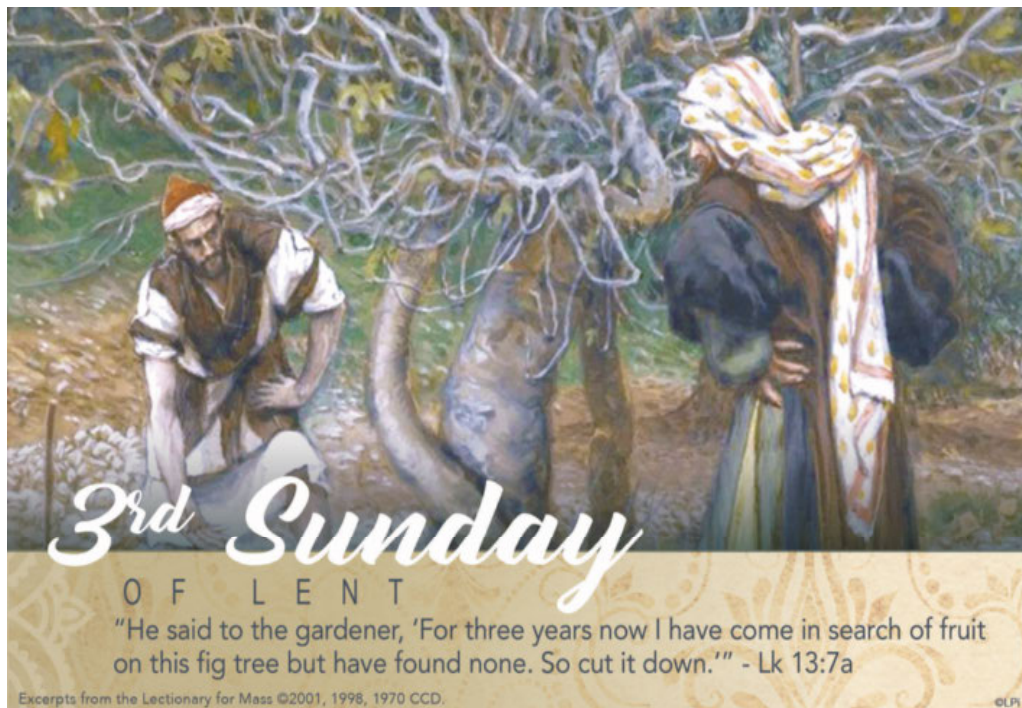
Joseph, Pilot Grove. Mass times are

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.



Jesus Christ is the ever-vigilant gardener. He desires us to bloom, that we will do what we were created to do, that we will bear the fruit that God intended. Will we let him cultivate our ground and prune our imperfections? Will we let him save us?

First Reading: "This is what you shall tell the Israelites: I AM sent me to you." (Ex 3:14)

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

Second Reading: These things happened to them as an example, and they have been

written down as a warning to us, upon whom the end of the ages has come. (1 Cor 10:11)

Gospel: "But I tell you, if you do not repent, you will all perish as they did!" (Lk 13:5)

GOSPEL MEDITATION

My childhood best friend was Xander Price. He was the fastest runner in school, an excellent baseball player and Jewish. Though his family wasn't intensely religious, I felt totally at home with them despite our religious differences. Everything about their Judaism seemed to undergird and strengthen my own experience of being a Catholic. I knew they didn't believe in Jesus like my family did, but I intuited somehow that Jesus was "hiding" in their religion. Like a cat moving under a blanket, ready to emerge at any moment, the Lord was hidden there in a special way.

In the Gospel for this third Sunday of Lent, Jesus says, "**For if you had believed Moses, you would have believed me, for he wrote of me**" (John 5:46). Stunning words, those. Moses wrote about Jesus. The way therefore that we come to know and believe in Jesus is to discover him lurking in Moses' writings. The Hebrew Scripture is the wonderful womb in which Jesus gestates within a host of images: Adam, Isaac, David, Melchizedek, the Temple, sacrificed lambs, prophets and so on. Right now, in your parish's OCIA program, soon-to-be baptized people are carefully studying where Jesus is in the writings of Moses, so that they may believe in him. This works for all of us, too, who wish to deepen our knowledge and love of Jesus.

LENTEN CHALLENGE: Take some time to prayerfully study one of the images of Jesus listed above in the Old Testament. Identify which one you find compelling and consider why this is so. If you don't know where to start, begin with the prophet Jeremiah as an image of Jesus.

— Father John Muir

FATHER'S MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, March 22

6PM: People of the Parish

SUNDAY, March 23

10:30AM: Gloria Bonen & Donna Kateman

WEDNESDAY, March 26

8:15AM: Josephine Marquart

FRIDAY, March 28

8:15AM: Gary Vollmer

SATURDAY, March 29

6PM: Charles Larm

SUNDAY, March 30

10:30AM: People of the Parish

PARISH COLLECTION & TITHING

Weekly Collection & Tithing as of March 17: \$11,962.00

Weekly Budgeted Collection & Tithing: \$18,271.15

YTD Collection & Tithing Received: \$684,191.11

YTD Budgeted Collection & Tithing: \$694,303.85

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



OBSERVANCES THIS WEEK

Sunday: 3rd Sunday of Lent

Tuesday: The Annunciation of the Lord

Next Sunday: 4th Sunday of Lent

Prayer of Lent

As I fast, may Your presence be my sustenance.

As I pray, continue to reveal Yourself to me.

As I give to others, may I know You even more deeply. Amen.

Third Sunday of Lent: March 23, 2025

"I shall cultivate the ground around it and fertilize it; it may bear fruit in the future." (Luke 13:7-9)

Discuss how God cultivates hearts, preparing them for service. Pray for your children to discern whether God is calling them to priesthood, consecrated life, or sacramental marriage, and allow them time to patiently wait for God's response. If you would like more information and resources to share with your child, reach out to your priest, religious coordinator, or diocesan vocation director.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Ex 3:1-8a, 13-15/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8, 11 (8a)/1 Cor 10:1-6, 10-12/Lk 13:1-9
Scrutiny: Ex 17:3-7/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 (8)/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42

Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15b/Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4/Lk 4:24-30
Tuesday: Is 7:10-14; 8:10/Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11/Heb 10:4-10/Lk 1:26-38

Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9/Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20/Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: Jer 7:23-28/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 11:14-23

Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17/Mk 12:28-34

Saturday: Hos 6:1-6/Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab/Lk 18:9-14

Next Sunday: Jos 5:9a, 10-12/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7 (9a)/2 Cor 5:17-21/Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Scrutiny: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6 (1)/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38



Bishop McKnight's March Prayer Intention for our Local Church:

For a spirit of humility and repentance, that we may confess our sins and seek reconciliation in preparation for the Easter feasts. May our hearts be purified and opened to the grace of God. We pray to the Lord.



The Pope's March Prayer Intention for the right families in crisis:

Let us pray that broken families might discover the cure for their wounds through forgiveness, rediscovering each other's gifts, even in their differences.

SPIRITUAL HOMEWORK: QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK

First Reading: God reveals to Moses that He has heard the cry of His people, and He is coming to rescue them from slavery in Egypt. What prayer do you need answered from God?

Second Reading : Paul believed the mistakes of the Israelites in the desert serve as an example and a warning of what to avoid in our journey with God. How might you show gratitude to God this upcoming week of Lent?



Gospel: Jesus taught one must repent to bear good fruit in life. Can you think of some good fruit you have borne from repenting?

Mass Ministry Volunteers

March Altar Linens: Stephanie Young

Altar Angels Church Cleaning Team Families: Stephanie Schuster, Dillon & Kelsey Slaughter, Pat & Denise Solomon, Brad & Jennifer Spears

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 29 6 p.m.	Macie Fjell	Knights of Columbus	Knights of Columbus	Knights of Columbus	Knights of Columbus	Knights of Columbus	Knights of Columbus	Team 6 Matt Kueny Bobby Richerson
Sunday, March 30 10:30 a.m.	Charlotte Rohrbach	Isabella Imhoff	Isabel Alvizo Anecita Alizo	Drummond Family	Matt Kueny Family (2 doors) Mabry Caton	Cooper Reimund Case & Emmie Hoskins	Jesse Rohrbach Beth Rumbaoa	Richard Woodson

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, March 21:** Adoration from 9 a.m. to 9 a.m. Saturday, March 8 with Stations of the Cross at 2:15 p.m. (led by students) and at 7 p.m. See bulletin announcement for sign-up information.
- **Friday, March 21, 9 a.m.:** Cursillo, cry room
- **Friday, March 21, 4:30-7 p.m.:** KofC Fish Fry. See bulletin announcement.
- **Saturday, March 22, 7 a.m.:** Men's Group, p/o basement
- **Sunday, March 23, 9 a.m.:** OCIA, church hall
- **Monday, March 24, 9 a.m.:** Legion of Mary, parish office basement
- **Monday, March 24, 6:30 p.m.:** Rosary followed by Divine Mercy Chaplet, church
- **Tuesday, March 25, 10 a.m.:** Bible Study, church hall
- **Wednesday, March 26, 3 p.m.:** Children's OCIA, p/o basement
- **Wednesday, March 26, 4:45 p.m.:** Cursillo, cry room
- **Wednesday, March 26, 7 p.m.:** YCKC, parish office basement
- **Thursday, March 27, 3 p.m.:** 5th grade OCIA, parish office
- **Friday, March 28, 9 a.m.:** Cursillo, cry room
- **Friday, March 28, 4:30-7 p.m.:** KofC Fish Fry. See bulletin announcement.
- **Friday-Saturday, March 28-29:** Stations of the Cross at 2:15 p.m. (led by students) and at 7 p.m. followed by Adoration until 9 a.m. Saturday. See bulletin announcement for sign-up information.
- **Sunday, March 30, 8-11 a.m.:** Knights of Columbus 5th Sunday breakfast. See bulletin announcement.
- **Sunday, March 30, 9 a.m.:** OCIA, church hall
- **Sunday, March 30, 7 p.m.:** Youth group, parish office basement
- **Monday, March 31, 9 a.m.:** Legion of Mary, parish office basement
- **Monday, March 31, 4 p.m.:** Second grade PSR, p/o basement
- **Monday, March 31, 6:30 p.m.:** Rosary followed by Divine Mercy Chaplet, church
- **Tuesday, April 1, 10 a.m.:** Bible Study, church hall
- **Tuesday, April 1, 8-10 a.m.:** Food pantry distribution, 509 Water St.

The final two meetings of the SSPP Youth Group for the school year will be on **Sunday, March 30** and **Sunday, April 27**. The youth group meets in the church office basement from 7-8 p.m. All 8th -12th grade students are invited to attend. For more information contact Trish and Brian Lutz at pmlutz@gmail.com.

Saturday, April 5

From 8 a.m. until the work is done!
It's time for spring cleaning!

We plan to edge, weed, and mulch around the church grounds, the rectory, and the parish office. Please wear gloves and bring tools to help with mulch application, if you have them.

Many hands make light work!
Contact Joe Herzog with questions,
573-881-7777.

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CHURCH WORK DAY!

Weather make-up day:
Saturday, April 12



Please pray for the repose of the soul of **Don Kammerich of Pilot Grove** who died March 10, 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."



Knights of Columbus

FIFTH SUNDAY BREAKFAST

DINE-IN OR CARRY-OUT

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALL 1515 RADIO HILL RD. BOONVILLE	SUNDAY, MARCH 30 8 A.M. TO 11 A.M. OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!	FREE WILL DONATIONS PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM.
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BOONVILLE COUNCIL #1061

Knights of Columbus Drive-thru Fish Fry Dinners

CALL 660-888-9237 FOR DELIVERY

SS. PETER & PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH PARKING LOT 322 SEVENTH ST.	FRIDAYS, 4:30-7 P.M. MARCH 7 - APRIL 11 DRIVE-THRU ONLY \$15 CASH ONLY	FISH, POTATO WEDGES, COLESLAW. PROCEEDS BENEFIT YOUTH PROGRAMS.
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THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Each Friday of Lent at 7 p.m.

Followed by Overnight Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 9 a.m. Saturday



Scan the QR code to sign-up for bonus Adoration hours.



You may also contact Heidi Selenke via email at selenke5@gmail.com or text at (816) 550-2506 (please no calls), or Janet Thompson via phone call or text at (806) 333-8820.



The next Cursillo opportunity will be in June at Father Tolton High School in Columbia. The Men's Weekend will be June 5-8. The Women's Weekend will be June 12-15. The purpose of Cursillo is to share the Good News through our actions in our daily lives. For more information, contact Ruth Wells at 660-888-5395.

Why do we do that? Catholic Life Explained:
MORTAL VC. VENIAL SIN

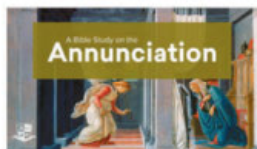
Question: What is the difference between mortal and venial sin?

Answer: Sin is a deliberate thought, word, action, or omission contrary to God's law. Since the beginnings of the Church, sin has been distinguished by its gravity. "Grave matter" is traditionally defined by the Ten Commandments. If a person commits a grave sin with full knowledge of the action's evil and with the complete consent of their will, this is a mortal sin. The effects of mortal sin are grave – the loss of sanctifying grace, which can be restored by a fresh outpouring of God's mercy in the sacrament of Reconciliation.

Venial sin does not fit one or more of these conditions (for example, a less serious matter still freely chosen or grave matter committed while under force or ignorance of God's law). The effects of venial sin – while still damaging to the human heart and human society – are less severe. Even so, smaller sins build habits, which can obstruct our growth in virtue. When we are serious about following Jesus, we should do our best to avoid all sin, whether large or small!

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Forming Catholics for Life

This Week on Formed
Week of March 23, 2025



A Bible Study on the Annunciation

In this video, Dr. Ben Akers leads us through a brief study of Luke 1:26–38, highlighting some of the key Old Testament passages evoked by Gabriel's words. The reflection concludes with some thoughts on how we can imitate Mary's Yes in our own life, especially in this time of suffering.



The Annunciation | Sacred Art

Join Dr. Ben Akers and Taylor Kemp as they discuss the spiritual and theological significance of the Annunciation over a piece of Sacred Art by Elizabeth Zelasko that depicts this incredible scene.



The Annunciation: Hail Mary

Join Ms. Kim as she discusses devotion to Mary and the significance of Mary's "yes." All the while, you will learn new drawing techniques as you draw the Annunciation.

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

An offering from the AUGUSTINE INSTITUTE

JUBILEE YEAR OF HOPE
HOLY MONDAY
PILGRIMAGE
APRIL 14

Hosted by Bishop Joseph Perry, postulate for the cause of canonization of Fr. Augustus Tolton, Amanda Durbin, Fr. Bill Peckman, and Fr. Greg Oligschlaeger

Join us on Holy Monday for a journey of hope beginning at Camp Tolton Lodge and Retreat Center in Shelbyville to the final resting place of Fr. Tolton in Quincy, IL

Pilgrims may begin or end at any point. Transportation available.
For more information, contact Amanda at 660-415-7362



Legio Mariae



Annual Consecration of Legionaries

To Jesus Through Mary

(St. Louis de Montfort)

St. Stanislaus Church

The Acies

Monday, March 24, 2025

Following the 8:00 a.m. Mass

(Rosary begins 7:35 a.m.)

Carry-in breakfast/brunch in the Parish Center following the consecration.

Please bring a dish if you would like to attend. Open to all active and auxiliary Legion of Mary members.

The Acies: Each year there shall be a consecration of Legionaries to Our Lady, which will take place as near to the feast of the Annunciation as possible, and it will be known as the Acies. This Latin word "Acies" means an army arranged in battle array. It is a ceremony in which Legionaries as a body, assemble to renew their allegiance to Mary, Queen of the Legion and from her, to receive strength and blessing for yet another year of battle with the forces of evil.

**Tune in to Covenant Network Radiothon on March 25:
Cursillistas, Tom and Keith Henke, will delight you!**

Covenant Network Radio Station, nestled in the heart of St. Louis, has been a source of spiritual nourishment and inspiration for Catholic listeners in central Missouri AND our whole region for many years. A Spring Radiothon is planned for March 24-28. It is a crucial source of funding for this network of radio stations and brings the community together in a spirit of generous support. Brothers Tom Henke (Cursillo #60) and Keith (Cursillo # 55) will be guests on the show March 25. Having a competitive nature, their goal is to see who can raise the most money for the network on March 25 during the 2 p.m. hour.

It helps to explain that Keith is currently in Diaconate formation in the Jefferson City diocese, actually just two months from ordination, while his brother Tom had a distinguished career in Major league baseball, finishing his career with the St. Louis Cardinals. The theme for their hour on the radio is going to be called, The Cardinal versus The Deacon (candidate). They'll share personal testimony and also razz one another on air. It will be an hour of faith and fun!

So, if you can, please listen on 88.1 FM or your local radio station or ourcatholicradio.org or on the Covenant Network App; then call in during their hour to make a donation.

If you want to contact Covenant Radio to donate or ask questions you may call them toll-free at 877-305-1234 or email them at contact@ourcatholicradio.org.



Q: "What is the pope's role?" — Michael W., 14

A: As the successor to St. Peter, the pope's role is to be an early father to the people of God. (The word "pope" means "father.") He is also the shepherd appointed by the greatest Shepherd of them all — Jesus (John 21:15-17). As Peter led the apostolic college, so his successor, the pope, leads the episcopal college of bishops. In this capacity, he confirms his brother bishops and priests in the Faith (Luke 22:32), and works with them to spread the Gospel and to pastor the flock of God.

The pope protects the deposit of Faith given to the Church 2,000 years ago by Jesus. He does not make new doctrine, nor can he change a doctrine to mean something different than it had meant in the past. His role is to pass on the Faith to the Church.

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

FREE WOMEN'S HEALTH AND SAFETY FAIR

No Registration Required

PRESENTED BY:
Boonville Women's Club
Caterpillar's Women's Initiative Network

ADDRESS	DATE	TIME
St. Peter & Paul Catholic Church 322 7th Street Boonville, MO 65233	April 5, 2025	10 AM - 2 PM

Vendors will provide health screenings, nutrition advice, safety tips, demonstrations, educational materials, and more.

Door prizes and Healthy snacks provided!
Monetary donations welcome for Baby Grace and CMCAC!

SPONSORS:

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1370AM & 98.7FM KWRT
Boonville Citizens Community Bank
BTC Bank
Caterpillar

Boone Health Community Wellness team will be providing free A1C & Blood Pressure screenings.

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NCCYC's MC

SR. ELFIE DEL ROSARIO

Youth Ministry

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VOCACTIONS

Night

MARCH 27, 2025

6 PM - 8 PM

CATHOLIC CENTER

**540 N MILL ST
ELDON, MO 65026**

TEENS & PARENTS

7 GRADE+

Vocations Ministry
FR. PAUL CLARK

TEENS: Discerning your Vocation? Explore God's call—whether to marriage, priesthood, religious life, or mission—through engaging breakout sessions with those who've answered.

Adults & Parents: Learn how to encourage Vocations and bring Vocations Ministry to your parish.

Parish Pastor
FR. SIMON JUDE KANYIKE



Spend Lent praying for the preborn! Prayer warriors needed daily, Ash Wednesday through Palm Sunday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sign up at: www.40daysforlife.com/columbiamo



The Julia Schwartz Memorial Scholarship Foundation will award scholarships for the 2025/2026 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 2025. 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 schwartzscholarship@gmail.com, calling/texting 660-888-0592, or mailing a request to Julia Schwartz Memorial Scholarship, 18610 Hunters Ridge, Boonville, MO 65233. The application deadline is April 20, 2025



Want to persuade people to be Pro-Life ... while receiving funding for school?

Apply for the Phillip Baumberger Scholarship today! Phillip Baumberger Scholars can earn \$2,000 per year, up to

\$8,000 throughout their undergraduate collegiate career while changing hearts and minds on abortion. Apply online today: www.abortiondialogueacademy.org/scholarship

SSPP school families: please note! The deadline to earn rebates towards next year's registration fee is Saturday, April 19. 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 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



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 pull-ups in sizes 4 & 5.

"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.

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.

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

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



Author of "From the Crack House to God's House"

THE POWER OF A MOTHER'S PRAYER

Tim's sharing of his spiritual journey will inspire all of us to give God his rightful place in our lives. At this moment in history when so many people have lost the centrality of Jesus Christ in their lives his story reminds all of us that with Jesus we have a place to take our...

-Fr. Vincent Lampert
Exorcist for the Archdiocese of Indianapolis

I cried and cried. His mother's advice pulled me out of bed again and got me to the morning Mass today. I didn't get to take the Eucharist, but just being in the presence I felt grateful. I felt hopeful and I felt loved again.

-Rebecca Kunze

TIM FRANCIS PRESENTS

SIGNS FROM GOD

~ MIRACLES AND THEIR MEANING ~

From altar boy to party boy; From non-denominational mega church back to the Roman Catholic Church. **Tim Francis shares with us his quest for truth.**

This is a LIVE presentation hosted by Tim Francis. Few things you will hear and see:

- A statue of Christ weeping human tears and bleeding human blood.
- Multiple communion hosts tested by science that transformed into human heart
- Lady being filmed & tested before, during, and after Stigmata
- • • Much more!

The meaning of suffering. Why be Catholic after all the confusion? Are all Religions the same? Why confess sins to a man when he might be just as sinful? etc....

He has since conducted over 100 parish missions conveying the meaning of the miracles with results similar to this:

Fallen away son returns after Mother drags him to presentation:

"I wanted to thank you for changing my life. My mom went to day 1 of the 3-day mission... she got me to attend the second day... I was an occasional Mass attendee, mostly holidays. After your talk I made a good confession and now attend Mass DAILY..."

And this one from a fallen away Catholic turned Protestant Pastor:

"Without hesitation, nor exaggeration, I can say it was this presentation that was the pinnacle of my return to the Catholic Church..."

36-year-old fallen away Catholic son. His Mother has been praying years for his return to the Church.

"Seeing the miracles that no science can refute, and the people personally touched by Jesus and Mary forever changed the direction of my life and the makeup of my heart... I felt the power of Jesus and for me that could only have happened by seeing what Tim presented. Since that day in May I have not missed a Mass."

WATCH TIM EXPLAIN WHAT THIS IS ALL ABOUT ON THIS SHORT VIDEO:

WWW.SCIENCETESTSFAITH.COM/SACREDHEART

Monday, March 31st
6:30 pm - 9:00 pm

Tuesday, April 1st
6:30 pm - 9:00 pm

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
Activity Building
105 Waugh Street, Columbia, MO 65201

****Same Presentation Both Evenings****

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 text message prayer chain, contact the parish office.

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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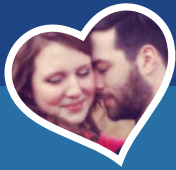


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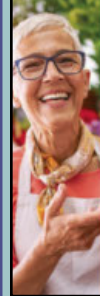
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