Immaculate Heart of Mary Church New Melle, Missouri



September 21, 2014

Every day will I bless you, and I will praise your name forever and ever. Great is the Lord and highly to be praised; his greatness is unsearchable. Psalm 145

Sacraments and Devotions

Celebration of the Mass

Weekend Masses in the Church

Vigil Sunday 4:00 pm 7:30 am 9:30 am 11:15 am

Daily Mass

Monday through Friday8:00 am, Chapel Saturday 8:00 am, Church

Devotions and Prayers, St. Joseph Chapel

Rosary following 8:00 Mass Rosary at noon on Wednesday Tuesday after Mass-Perpetual Help devotions Thursday after Mass-**Respect Life prayers** Friday at 11:30 am- Chaplet of Divine Mercy and Benediction

Reconciliation	
Wednese	day in church, 7:30 pm
Saturday	v after the 8:00 am Mass
Marriage	
Contact	the parish office at least six
months j	prior to the wedding.
Baptism	
Contact	the parish office to register for
Baptism	class and to arrange for the
Baptism	
Rite of Christia	n Initiation of Adults
Contact	Shawn Mueller in the
parish of	fice
Eucharistic Add	oration
St. Josep	h Chapel is open for adoration
24 hours	daily from Monday after Mas
to Friday	v benediction. Code: 145

Immaculate Heart of Mary

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Welcome!

Religious Education

Parish School of Religion (Grades 1 through 8)

September through May on Wednesdays from 6:00 to 7:30 pm Confirmation Preparation (8th grade)

September through May on Wednesdays from 6:00 to 7:30 pm Children's Liturgy of the Word

September through May on Sundays during the 9:30 am Mass Adult Education

Wednesdays at 8:45 am and 6:00 pm.

This Week's Events

Sunday, September 21 1:00 pm

Monday, September 22

Tuesday, September 23

Wednesday, September 24

Thursday, September 25

9:00 am and 5:30 pm

Friday, September 26

Saturday, September 27

9:00 am and 5:30 pm

6:30 pm

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11:00 am

CPR-AED class for those who have registered, Grand Hall

> Scouts, Founders Hall Bell choir rehearsal, church Baptism Class, Weber Hall

Exercise classes, Grand Hall Fover

PSR, Weber Hall and Founders Hall Talk on Prayer, Grand Hall Reconciliation, Church

Legion of Mary, Founders Hall Exercise classes, Grand Hall Foyer RCIA, Weber Hall Choir rehearsal, Church Venturing Crew, trailer

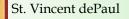
Quilters, Weber Hall

Mass followed by confession, church

Sunday, September 28 Please note: There will be no 11:15 Mass on this day. Barbecue and Car Show, sponsored by the Knights of Columbus

Saints for this Week

Tuesday St. Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio) Ss. Cosmas and Damian Friday Saturday St. Vincent dePaul



St. Padre Pio



Mass Intentions for the Week		Parish Organizations	
Saturday, September 20		Boy Scouts Troop 856	Jerry Hespen
8:00 am	Leonard Ferguson +		636-398-6420
4:00 pm	Kevin Bamert +	Cub Scouts	Karen Williams
Sunday, September 21			636-699-7517
7:30 am	Marietta Dalrymple +	Budget and Finance	John Wappelhorst
9:30 am	Rosemary Ralls +		636-398-5786
11:15 am	People of the Parish	Cemetery Committee	Mark Keune
Monday, September 22	1		314-220-7075
8:00 am	All Souls Intentions	Dinner Committee	Richard Lalonde
Tuesday, September 23			636-798-2511
8:00 am	Mary Ann Fuerst +	Knights of Columbus Mi	ike Reel, Grand Knight
	Patricia Buehrig		314-581-6797
Wednesday, September 24	8	Legion of Mary	Nancy Hollenstein
8:00 am	Beth Barrow +		636-798-2105
	Jessica Ann Meyer +	Marian Council Carol	yn Schellert, President
Thursday, September 25	5		314-232-2042
8:00 am	James Bono +	Meals on Wheels	Bob Rapp
Friday, September 26			636-398-4776
8:00 am	David Gerdes +	Prayer Shawl Ministry	Julia Kettler
Saturday, September 27			314-616-0096
8:00 am	Carol Simon +	Pro-Life Committee	Bill Winters
4:00 pm	John Bax +		636-828-4133
Sunday, September 28		Quilters	Eleanor Sadlo
7:30 am	Kevin Dickherber +		636-398-5595
	Mimi Ferguson +		Mary Ann Brakensiek
9:30 am	People of the Parish		636-828-5776
11:15 am	No 11:15 Mass today		ormation or assistance,
		cal	1 636-398-5270 , ex. 225
Join the Holy Father's Praye	r Intentions for		
September	. 11 11 11 1	MEDITATION ON TODAY'S GOSPEL	
Mentally disabled. That the	5	[Jesus told a story about a father who said to his son,] `Go and	
receive the love and help the	y need for a dignified	work in the vineyard today.' I don't want to, 'he answered, but	
life.	vistions in active d has	later he changed his mind and went." Matthew 21:28-29	
Service to the poor. That Christians, inspired by		A man turned to drink. He also turned from God and his	
the Word of God, may serve the poor and suffering		family. One day while walking along, repenting how his	
		life turned out, he saw a bent, rus	sty nail in the gutter. It
Readings for	the Week	reminded him of himself and his life. So he picked it up	
Monday: Mi 5:1-4a; Ps 13:6; N		and took it home. Placing the nail on an anvil, he began to	
Tuesday: 1 Cor 6:1-11; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 6:12-19		straighten it out and clean it up. An hour later, it looked	
Wednesday: 1 Cor 7:25-31; Ps 45:11-12, 14-17;		almost new again. Then it occurr	
Lk 6:20-26		straighten out and clean up his o	
Thursday: 1 Cor 8:1b-7, 11-13;		That thought triggered his conversion. He turned away	
Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 23-24; Lk 6:27-38			
Friday: 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27; Ps 84:3-6, 12;		from drink and back to God and to his family. Today, he keeps that nail, straightened and cleaned, in his wallet.	
Lk 6:39-42		Was there a time when I was almost like that bent, rusty	
Saturday: 1 Cor 10:14-22; Ps 116:12-13, 17-18;			lost like that bent, rusty
Lk 6:43-49		nail? What changed me?	
Sunday: Nm 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1-2, 34-38: Phil 2:6-11:		From Mark Link S.J. Visi	on 2000
Jn 3:13-17			

VOLUNTEERING IS THE ULTIMATE EXERCISE IN DEMOCRACY. You vote in elections once a year,

BUT WHEN YOU VOLUNTEER, YOU VOTE EVERY DAY ABOUT THE KIND OF COMMUNITY YOU WANT TO LIVE IN. Marjorie Moore

Dear parishioners,

We are profoundly blessed at Immaculate Heart of Mary. Those blessings have been given to us by God and we pray to use them well in service to Him and our neighbors. Our recently completed Capital Campaign: *Many Gifts ~ One Heart* is a tremendous success because of your generosity. More important than all the money raised, were the prayers offered and the level of engagement within our parish. I am thankful as your pastor for our office staff, volunteers and participants who worked together to make it so successful.

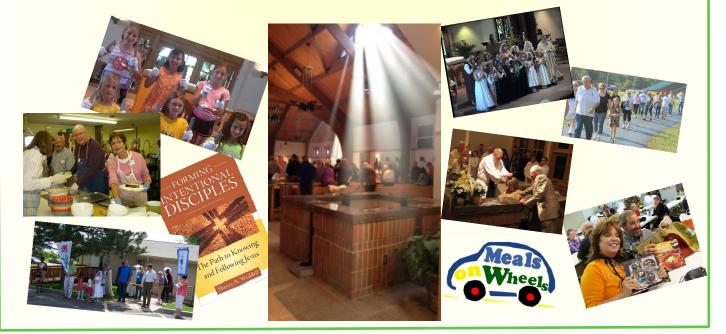
As we approach stewardship this year we want to be mindful of the constant call to serve. We should never forget that it all depends on prayer and flows from prayer. May that prayer enlighten your discernment as you reflect on how the Holy Spirit may be inviting you to become more active. Coming to Mass is our one essential hour each week. Our life of discipleship is built upon this hour of praise and worship. Our sense of community as we worship grows in proportion to what takes place outside of Mass.

This year I would like to extend an invitation to all of our parishioners to become more involved in the life of the parish. As with prayer and personal formation, I am not asking you to consider doing more in an already packed schedule, but choosing to spend your time differently. Working beside your fellow parishioners opens the door for growing friendships and a sense of personal fulfillment. Many of your fellow parishioners who are involved in the parish know this to be true. I have never regretted spending time with people I have grown to love, and because of my faith that circle of love is ever expanding.

Peace,

Fr. Tom

I – Informed, about our faith and the world we are called to evangelize H – Hospitable, we welcome any who seek to join our family of faith M-Motivated, the Gospel calls us to generous and joyful discipleship



NEWS FROM THE Religious Education Department Every family should have received their user name and passwords for the online portion of the Faith and Life text from MyCatholicFaithDelivered.com. If you haven't received this email, or one from the office, please contact Shawn at 636-398-5270. You should also be getting a weekly email from "Constant Contact" as a way of keeping in touch on a weekly basis.



What is Symbolon?

Fr. Tom recently gave an "info- homily" of various options to consider to grow in love and knowledge of the Lord and the faith we profess as Catholics. The central resource that was highlighted in his homily is a video based program called Symbolon. IHM has purchased a subscription for every member of the parish. All one has to do is to go online to www.symboloncatholic.org/register and register by entering the parish access code....and you are on your way. You will have access to 20 high quality, faithful, beautifully crafted videos which



systematically explain the faith. You will also have access to leader or participant guides that help individuals apply their learning.

The parish access code is 04c2dc

While one can participate individually in the program "on their own", an ideal would be to do the program with others, whether that is a spouse, with one's family...... or better, with others in a group or parish setting. If you are interested in joining others in a group setting, consider inviting neighbors or family members over and watch it at home. If your computer screen is not large enough to be viewed with others using the online format and you would like to watch it on your television, we do have DVD copies available here in the office that you can use. Simply contact Shawn in the office.

There has been two times thus far for a potential "group setting" here at the parish, Thursday evenings at 6:30 pm and Friday mornings after Mass. Each session can go for an hour to an hour and a half. If these times would work for you or if you would like to let others know that you either are forming a group at a different time or place or would like to be a part of a group at a different time or place, let us know.

A Thursday evening group will be starting Thursday, October 2nd in Weber Hall from 6:30 – 8:00 PM. Any RCIA candidates or folks interested in inquiring into the faith are welcome to join us. Please let us know. For questions about any of this, contact Shawn in the parish office for more information (636-398-5270 or smueller@ihm-newmelle.org)

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Symboloncathoic .org/register

The parish access code is 04c2dc

Understanding the Scriptures

A Complete Course on Bible Study





^{The}Didache Series



"Understanding the Scriptures" A Complete Course on Bible Study has been written by Dr. Scott Hahn.

Groups are now forming for both morning and evening sessions to systematically read through and discuss the contents of this 500 + page book. Any person who reads the contents of this book is guaranteed to have an increased understanding of the "big picture" of Scripture (how it all fits together).



Contact Deacon Tony Falbo tony.2011@centurylink.net or call the parish office at 636-398-5270 for more details.



SICK LIST –

Erma Guinn;

Marie, who has pneumonia; Ashley, dealing with breast cancer;

Mary Ellen Hanna's friend;

Steve Schwane; Mike Diederich

Marcella, recently diagnosed with RA;

NEWS FROM HOME

Stewardship What's your Catholic IQ? 1. The two Old Testament figures who appeared September 21, 2014 with Our Lord at the Transfiguration were St. Joseph Chapel "Heavenly Dusters" (a) Moses and Elijah; **Jackie Barclay** (b) Abraham and Isaac; The "Heavenly Dusters" schedule can be found on (c) Ruth and Boaz; the bulletin board in the narthex. (d) Peter and Paul Collection figures for Sunday, Sept. 14, 2014 2. The first Christian writer who urged the abolishment of General Offertory: \$9699.54 slavery was **Online Donations: \$1488.00** (a) St. Paul; (b) St. John of the Cross; Total: \$11,187.54 (c) St. Patrick; (d) St. Non-Slaverius 3. The Jewish leader who offered his own tomb for the burial Thank you for your generosity! of Jesus was Try Electronic Offertory (a) Pontius Pilate; (b) Caiaphas; Those who are pledging for the "Many Gifts. One (d) Joseph of Arimathea (c) Herod Antipas; Heart" new debt reduction campaign should mark 4. The symbolic action ritually observed by Catholics only on their envelopes with the correct campaign title. Holy Thursday is Pink debt reduction envelopes are included in the (a) the washing of feet; monthly envelope mailing. There are options for (b) confirmation; giving. Use weekly envelopes or check out On-Line (c) eating a meal while reclining giving at www.ihm-newmelle.org (d) Stations of the Cross St. Vincent DePaul Society 5. The term for a person who might likely be elected pope is Items needed for the food pantry: (a) papal nuncio; (b) papabile; Pasta, chicken & dumplings, canned meat, (c) popemobile; (d) papaprobable mandarin oranges, sandwich bags, all purpose 6. The traditional gesture that symbolizes the conferring of cleaners, hot chocolate, coffee. ministry is Memorial tribute and healing cards are (a) genuflection before the altar; available. The order forms can be found on the (b) kissing the bishop's ring; bulletin board in the Narthex. (c) the laying on of hands; (d) crossing oneself with holy water For everything there is a season, 7. On or about his 75th birthday, a bishop is expected to and a time for every matter under heaven. (a) receive a bonus; (b) offer his resignation to the pope; ...a time to be born... (c) become a cardinal; Congratulations to (d) move to a new diocese 8. Jesus said, "Do this in remembrance of me" Daniel and Sarah Marsh on the (a) at the Last Supper; baptism of their baby daughter, (b) on Mt. Calvary; Louise Margaret; (c) in the Beatitudes; And to Tyler and Alicia Feldmann on the (d) just before he ascended into heaven baptism of their little sweetie, Norah Arline. 9. The saint who is called the patron of the universal Church is May their faith grow and blossom in (a) Dominic Savio; (b) Joseph; *Jesus Christ!* (c) Christina the Astonishing; (d) St. Universalis 10. The shout that greeted Jesus as he rode into Jerusalem be-Please pray for : fore the Passover was Jeannette, who has a ruptured appendix; (c) Alleluia! (a) Hosanna! (b) Crucify him! (d) Glory! Declan, a baby with a tumor; Larry, who will have knee replacement;

Catholic IQ answers on the next page

CPR-AED CLASSES: The New Melle Fire Department has graciously agreed to teach CPR-AED classes at IHM, free of charge. Please call Marilyn in the parish office for details. The next class is scheduled for Thursday, Oct 23 at 9:30 am in Weber Hall.

ANSWERS TO "WHAT'S YOUR CATHOLIC IQ?"

1. (a) Moses and Elijah, the two towering figures representing the Law and the Prophets, appeared in the Transfiguration scene given in Matthew 17:3.

2. (c) Patrick (c. 385-461), himself kidnapped and sold into slavery as a young boy, knew from experience what it was like to be treated as the property of another human being.

3. (d) It took great courage for Joseph of Arimathea to come forward and offer his own tomb for the burial of Jesus, who had been executed as a common criminal (Matthew 27:57; Mark 15:42-43; Luke 23:50-51; John 19:38).

4. (a) Footwashing is a sign of servant leadership in the Church, modeled on Jesus' actions in John 13:1-15.

5. (b) Pope watchers and reporters like to guess about who might be elected the next pope, but, as history has shown, only the Holy Spirit knows.

6. (c) The laying on of hands dates from both ancient Israel and the early Church. See Acts 13:3, where Paul and Barnabas are sent forth.

7. (b) Bishops are expected to retire around the age of 75 (Canon n. 401).

8. (a) As part of the institution of the Eucharist at the Last Supper, Jesus says, "Do this in remembrance of me" (Luke 22:19; 1 Corinthians 11: 24).

9. (b) St. Joseph, the spouse of Mary, is the patron of the universal Church, of carpenters and workers, and of a happy death. His feast day is March 19.

10. (a) Shouts of "Hosanna!" (Matthew 21:9; Mark 11:9; John 12:13) greeted Jesus' entry into Jerusalem. "Hosanna" means "Save us, we pray!" The Gospel reading during the procession with palms on Palm Sunday is about Jesus' entry into Jerusalem.

(Adapted from Catechist Magazine)

RCIA INVITATION

Inquiry sessions into the Catholic Faith will begin in late September here at IHM. Contact Shawn in the parish office if you or someone you know is interested in learning more about Catholicism with an openness to conversion and reception of the Sacraments.



<u>JT</u> ...for youth and young adults **YDINNER AND YDISCIPLE**: Wed, Oct. 1,

6:00 pm **CROSSROADS:** for young adults, 20's and 30's, married or single; Culpepper's in O'Fallon, Tuesday, Oct. 7

PORK SAUSAGE DINNER and lots of opportunities to

volunteer: Sunday, Oct. 12

from 11:00 to 6:00 pm CHILI COOK-OFF, DESSERT CHALLENGE AND HALLOWEEN PARTY- Oct. 31 at 6:00 pm; more details to follow



THE PILGRIM VIRGIN VISITATION PROGRAM please help Mary by joining the Legion of Mary?

The Legion meets every Thursday after Mass in Founders Hall except on the 4th week of the month. Then we meet on Tuesdays, at St. Gianna Church at 6pm. Please call Nancy Hollenstein at <u>636 -798- 2105</u>.

FROM THE RESPECT LIFE APOSTOLATE TEAM

What a wonderful week for the Culture of Life!! After an arduous day, on Wednesday, the Missouri House and Senate overrode Gov. Nixon's vetoes of the 72 hour reflection period before an abortion and the tax credits for pregnancy resource centers, maternity homes, and food pantries. It's amazing to think of the number of lives that will have been saved as a result of these two new laws. Thank you to all who prayed for the success of these pro-life bills, contacted their legislators, and attended the Rally in Jefferson City!

God bless, The Respect Life Apostolate Team

PRO-LIFE WITNESS

The Annual St. Charles County Life Chain will take place on Sunday, Oct. 5[.] Unite with other area pro-life supporters in a peaceful, powerful, prayerful witness to the tragedy

of abortion. St. Charles area Life Chain routes and location of information booths are:

East side of Hwy 94 - St. Robert Bellarmine Church (1424 First Capitol Dr.)

Along Mid Rivers Mall Dr. - Mid Rivers Christian Church (828 Mid Rivers Mall Dr.)

Assumption Catholic Church, 403 North Main Street, O'Fallon

First Baptist Church, 8750 Veterans Memorial Pkwy, O'Fallon

Lutheran High School, 5100 Mexico Road, St. Peters Grace Community Church, 7661Mexico Road, St. Peters All are welcome to just show up at any one of these locations and participate. Life Chain signs will be available after 1:15 pm at information booths at these locations. For safety reasons, participants should remain on the sidewalks while witnessing to the sanctity of life. For more information, contact Bill Winters (636-828-4133).

ST ANSELM CANDLELIGHT DINNER OF HOPE SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2014

You are cordially invited to attend St. Anselm's Our Lady of Guadalupe Cenacle for Life Candlelight Dinner of Hope on Saturday, October 4. The evening begins with a Vigil Mass at 5:00 P.M. in the St. Louis Abbey Church. Cocktails followed by dinner will be served in the St. Anselm Parish Centre starting at 6:00 P.M. Reservations are \$85 per person and all proceeds will help fund the development of a pregnant women's shelter serving St. Louis and Southwestern Illinois. Please contact Marge Merjavy at <u>314-580-1708</u>

	GICAL MINISTRIES FOR NEXT WEEKEND	
Septem	1	
EM:	Clara Haas, Wilma Zurweller, Nancy Ast,	
Linda Ginther, Walt & Jan Karase		
L:	Karen Wilson, Jean Bamert	
GB:	Jim & Louise Wood	
S:	Elli Russell, Janna Joerling	
U:	Bryan Potter, Jerry Braden, Emil Pavlik,	
John Bo	ssert	
Septem	ber 28 7:30 pm	
EM:	Loretta Bruns, John Fiacco, Janice Kardasz,	
Michelle Greiwe, John & Karen Wappelhorst		
L:	Kris Jenkins, Peggy Dupree	
GB:	Walt & Jean Reel	
S:	Anna & Connor Jaeckle	
U:	Rich Molitor, Ed Rabbitt, Larry Gassei,	
Gary Po	otter	
Septem	ber 28 9:30 pm	
EM:	Mary Keune, Maureen Blondin, Doug	
Norton,	Bob Leeker, Janet Hespen, Darlene Smith,	
Walter & Nancy Hollenstein		
L:	Don & Susan Hladky	
GB:	Rich & Judy Podhorn	
S:	Drew Smith, Daniel Mallinckrodt,	
Jack Manhardt		
U:	George Stark, Chris Molitor, Shawn Sweetin,	
Terry So	chneider, Dave DeBold, Jim Blondin	
Septem	ber 28 11:15 pm	
EM:	Donna Wolff, Jane Holstein, Jo Hailey, Kathy	
Lalonde	e, Debi Orf, Elaine Sudbrock	
L:	Patrice Riley, Tim Beerman	
GB:	Mike & Cindy White	
S:	Maggie Molitor, Madison Skambraks	
U:	Ron Riley, Todd Neihouse, Glen Taylor	

Immaculate Heart of Mary- New Melle Knights of Columbus

St. Paul Library / Lighthouse CD Resources

(Note: With close to 3000 items, the **Parish Library** is located in the Grand Hall past the restrooms. It is open during the week-normal business hoursand works on an honor system. Items from the Lighthouse CD rack are located and available in the Narthex.



From the Parish Library: Stoltz Hall

I'm Not Being Fed: Jeff Cavins Jeff Cavins explores and responds to some of the reasons why so many people have left the Catholic Church for evangelical Christianity. As he presents the story of his return to Catholicism, Cavins also builds a case for why the Catholic Church is

the Church founded by Christ. I have listened to this particular talk three times now and it is so incredible. I cannot even imagine who could listen to this and not want to be Catholic!!! It was presented well, and I am making a list of who I can give it to. Thanks so much Jeff!!Teri - Wheatland, MO



From the Parish Library: Grand Hall

December 1531, Mexico. The Virgin Mary appears to Juan Diego, a humble Indian peasant, but at first, no one believes him. On her request the Indian peasant wraps some Castilian roses in his tilma, which had mysteriously

bloomed on the barren rock at his feet. He is given an audience with his Bishop to tell his amazing story, and when he meets the Bishop he opens his cloak to a miraculous scene: the image of the Virgin is impressed upon it. The image is extraordinarily real. Centuries later, the results of scientific analysis are amazing. In the Virgin s eyes the 13 figures who witnessed the miracle are visible. The stars on her

cloak are positioned exactly as they were on the day of miracle (December 12, 1531). The painting technique used is unknown. The colors are vibrant and intact; the cloth itself, uncorrupted by time. And that's not all: an extraordinary discovery reveals the Spanish origin (from Extremadura, Spain) of the name of Guadalupe and its incredible connection with the Evangelist Saint Lucas.



Barbecue

and the 8th annual **Car Show** Sunday, September 28, 2014 11:00 to 4:00 pm

Pastor Pick Award Best Paint Award Best Engine Award

\$10 registration all day

(\$5 off a Pork Steak or Chicken Dinner purchase, with registration.) Proceeds will benefit the Knights of Columbus, New Melle, MO

Don't miss the best barbecue anywhere-

Pork Steaks, Chicken, Brats, Hamburgers & Hot Dogs Homemade Cole Slaw, Homemade Potato Salad, Homemade Pork 'n Beans Beer & Soda Chips Save the date! See you there!



Voting for top three cars by participants 1st, 2nd, 3rd place trophies awarded

LUNCHEON FOR LIFE; BENEFIT FOR OUR LADY'S INN

Thurs, Sept 25, at 11:00 am, Wine Country Gardens, 2711 S. Hwy 94 Please join us for an afternoon of food, friends and fun with emcee Kelly Lamm, honoring our "Inn" credible community volunteer, Gerry Hempstead \$40 per person; \$50 per person after September 19 For info call Betsy Beauparlant, <u>636-398-5375</u>

MEET ME AT THE MOVIES - ST. GIANNA PRO-LIFE

TRIVIA NIGHT - SAT., SEPT. 27, 2014 Proceeds from this event will fund the St. Gianna Pro-Life Programs & assist the Missouri Council Knights of Columbus with their "Meet Life" ultrasound campaign. "Meet Life" is a joint initiative of several resource centers to reduce Missouri abortion numbers by 50% by the end of 2016. St. Gianna Hall, 450 E Hwy N; Doors open at 6:00 pm Trivia begins at 7:00 \$160 per table of up to 8 players by Sept. 20, 2014. Sponsorship & silent auction donations needed. Contests, cash prizes, games, raffles, & silent auction. 636-272-5000 or email <u>prolife.stgiannaparish@gmail.com</u>.

IHM MUSIC DEPARTMENT; SINGERS -If you are interested in participating in the music ministry of our church for Advent and Christmas, plan to attend rehearsals from the very beginning of the pastoral music season.

With few exceptions, rehearsals will take place every Thursday at 7:00 pm in the church and we sing every Sunday from September through June at the 9:30 am Mass.

Thanks for all you do for IHM.

...be filled with the Spirit, addressing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and playing to the Lord in your hearts, giving thanks always and for everything in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ to God the Father. Eph. 5: 18-20



WALK IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF JESUS

Please join Fr. Bill Debo from Hermann, Mo. on a pilgrimage to the Holy Land Feb. 3 - Feb. 12, 2015 . We will visit Nazareth, Cana, Mt. Carmel, Mt Beatitudes, Capernaum, Sea of Galilee, Jordan River, Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Mt. of Olives and much more. All accommodations are in first class hotels. Please call Travel Tyme <u>636-391-1000</u> for more information. All applications must be received by Oct. 20, 2014

STEPS TO WHOLENESS is a seven week program for those going through divorce/separation. It will start on 26 Sep and continue through 7 November. Fridays at All Saints Church in St. Peters at 7-9 PM

Parish Office: 636-398-5270

Future Events

CPR-AED class for those who have registered; Sunday, Sept. 21 at 1:00 pm in the Grand Hall



Baptism Class, Monday, Sept. 22 at 7:00 pm, Weber Hall



RCIA, Thursday, Sept. 25; 6:30 pm in Weber Hall



BBQ and Car Show sponsored by the Knights of Columbus; Sunday, Sept. 28 from 11:00 to 4:00 pm. There will be no 11:15 Mass on this day.



Pro-Life Committee Meeting, Monday, Sept. 29 at 7:00 pm in the Grand Hall



Early Bird Drawing for the Sausage Dinner Raffle tickets, Monday, Sept. 30.



Cemetery Committee Meeting, Monday, Sept. 30 at 7:00 pm in Weber Hall



Sausage Dinner prep starts on Monday, Oct. 6, 2014



Auction for the Emmaus Homes, Wednesday, Oct. 8; more information forthcoming



Last chance to purchase prepaid sausage dinner tickets; Thursday, Oct. 9



Fall Pork Sausage Dinner; Sunday, October 12 from 11:00 to 6:00 pm; worker sign-up sheets are in the narthex

Speaking of the sausage dinner---

We still need committed workers, people we can count on to spend a bit of time for the parish on dinner day!

As of this moment we still need workers for:

- Kitchen assistants
- Children's games
- Express steam table
- Cafeteria dining hall
- New hall dining room
- Seating, Food carriers
- Bathroom monitors
- Trash pick-up, Hall clean-up
- Grand Hall set-up (Saturday morning, 9:00 am)
- Outdoor express dining set-up (Sunday, 9:00 am)
- And of course we need lots of homemade pies, cakes and bread! Don't forget!





Out and About Breakfasts and Dinners

- **ST. BARNABAS FALL FESTIVAL** will be held Sunday, October 5, 2014. There will be games, crafts, funnel cakes and our "World Famous Saint Barnabas Apple Butter." We will have live music by F.O.G. Fried Chicken and Pork Sausage Dinner will be served from 12 6pm. Adults: \$12.00, Children 6 12: \$5.00 Under 6 free, Carry-outs available. We hope you will enjoy us for a fun filled day!
- SAUSAGE AND TURKEY DINNER at St. Paul's UCC in Defiance; Sept. 28 from 11:00 to 5:30 pm
- PORK SAUSAGE AND ROAST BEEF DINNER at Friedens Peace UCC in New Melle; Oct. 5 from noon to 6:00 pm
- **SAUSAGE AND TURKEY DINNER** St. Joseph/Josephville is hosting a Fall Festival on Sun., Sep. 28. Located at 1410 Josephville Rd., Wentzville, MO. Sausage and Turkey Dinners will be served from 11am-6pm. Dine-in, carry-out, or drive-thru. For more info call <u>636-332-6676</u>.

Opportunities

- **QUILTS OF VALOR** will meet on Tuesday, Sept. 23 at the Lions Club in Wright City (no sandwich)
- **BLOOD DRIVE** at Daniel Boone School, sponsored by the Red Cross, Tuesday, Sept. 30 from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm.
- AN EVENING WITH SEN. RICK SANTORUM, hosted by St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Pro-Life Committee; Monday, Oct. 20 at the St. Charles Convention Center; Dinner and Program at 7:00 pm; registration fee \$50 per person. Call 800-393 -5791
- **2014 FESTIVAL OF SHARING QUILT SHOW**: Friday, September 26 at The United Methodist Church at Wentzville, 725 Wall Street, Wentzville MO. The quilts will be on display from 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. Cost is \$5 and includes lunch (served from 11 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.).

Benefits and Faith Events

- **THE BIBLE AND SACRAMENTS:** Scott Hahn's St. Paul Center for Biblical Theology presents The Bible & the Sacraments on Oct. 11, 2014, 8:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m.; St. Anselm Parish, Creve Coeur.
- LECTURE SERIES AT ST. PATRICK CHURCH: Wednesday, Sept. 24 at 7:00 pm (Apostolic Fathers; Ignatius of Antioch, Clement of Rome); Thursday, Oct. 2 (Apologists, Melito of Sardis, Justin Martyr). Future dates: Oct. 8, Oct. 16, Oct. 30, Nov. 12, Nov. 20, Nov. 24.
- SECULAR FRANCISCAN ORDER: Living the Gospel in the Spirit of St. Francis of Assisi and Pope Francis; Come and see what the Secular Franciscan Order is all about. Open house on Sunday, Sept. 21 at 6:00 pm at Immaculate Conception of Dardenne Church in the lower level of the Parish Office Center. 314-791-2475.

Just for Fun

- **TRIVIA NIGHT** at St. Joseph/Josephville on Sat., Oct. 11. Cost is \$120 for table of 8 which includes beer and soda set ups. Doors open at 6:30pm. Trivia starts at 7pm. Raffle baskets will be available. Proceeds will benefit the 8th Grade Pro-Life Trip. To reserve a table or for more info call Renee Gorman at <u>636-887-0856</u>.
- ST. DOMINIC HIGH SCHOOL 1st ANNUAL ALUMNI SOCCER GAMES will be held Saturday October 4, 2014 at the Crusader Stadium. Teams Now Forming!!! Any Class 2011 and older is eligible to play. Teams will be made up of Odd Years versus Even Years. Games will be played on half field. The number of individual registrants will determine the number of men's, women's and/or co-ed teams formed. Game starting times will be between11:00 AM – 3:30 PM. Register on line at www.stdominichs.org/alumni-soccer-games.html.

KENRICK-GLENNON SEMINARY CONVIVIUM 2014

Kenrick-Glennon Seminary will host the annual Convivium Dinner Auction on Saturday, November 1, 2014.

In order to support the formation and education of our future priests, please consider donating an auction item, providing a monetary contribution, and/or attending the auction. Your assistance with be accepted with the heartfelt thanks of the seminary community. For more information, please visit www.kenrick.edu/convivium or call 314-792-7435.

Would you like to donate? Here's a partial wish list: resort weekends, big screen TV, Cardinals or Blues tickets, golf outings, spa gift certificates, exercise equipment, espresso machine, camera, wine or other spirits, themed baskets (Christmas décor, baking supplies, games, grilling supplies, tailgating supplies, fishing equipment, poker night).



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