

# *Immaculate Heart of Mary Church*

*New Melle, Missouri*

*May 15,  
2016*



*Pentecost  
Sunday*

*"The Advocate, the Holy Spirit  
whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything  
and remind you of all that I told you."*

## *Sacraments and Devotions*

### **Celebration of the Mass**

#### **Weekend Masses in the Church**

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

#### **Daily Mass**

Monday through Friday 8:00 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**

Wednesday in church, 7:00 pm  
Saturday after the 8:00 am Mass

### **Marriage**

Contact the parish office at least six  
months prior to the wedding.

### **Baptism**

Contact the parish office to register for  
Baptism class and to arrange for the  
Baptism.

### **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**

Contact Shawn Mueller in the  
parish office

### **Eucharistic Adoration**

St. Joseph Chapel is open for adoration  
24 hours daily from Monday after Mass  
to Friday benediction. **Code: 145**

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## Parish Staff

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## Come, Holy Spirit!

### 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 6:10 pm.

### This Week's Events

Please bring rummage sale donations to the pavilion.

**Sunday, May 15**

9:30 am

**Monday, May 16**

6:00 pm

6:30 pm

6:30 pm

**Tuesday, May 17**

9:00 am and 5:30 pm

9:00 am

6:45 pm

7:00 pm

**Wednesday, May 18**

8:45 am

6:00 pm

7:00 pm

7:30 pm

**Thursday, May 19**

9:00 am and 5:30 pm

7:00 pm

**Friday, May 20**

8:30 am

**Saturday, May 21**

8:00 am

10:00 am

**Sunday, May 22**

11:15

**Pentecost Sunday**

Children's Liturgy

St. Vincent dePaul Meeting, pantry

Scouts, Founders Hall

Scouts, trailer

Exercise class, Grand Hall foyer

Legion of Mary, Weber Hall

Legion of Mary, St. Gianna

Knights of Columbus Meeting, Founders Hall

Scripture Study, Weber Hall

Confirmation class and practice, Weber Hall and Church

Reconciliation, church

Youth Group, Weber Hall

**Women's ACTS Retreat begins today**

Exercise class, Grand Hall foyer

Choir practice, church

Quilters, Weber Hall

Mass followed by confession, Church

Nar-Anon, trailer

**Confirmation Mass with Bishop Rice,**

Reception following in Weber Hall

**Join the Holy Father's Prayer intentions for May, 2016**

**Universal: Respect for Women**

That in every country of the world, women may be honored and respected and that their essential contribution to society may be highly esteemed.

**Evangelization: Holy Rosary**

That families, communities, and groups may pray the Holy Rosary for evangelization and peace.



## Mass Intentions for the Week

### Saturday, May 14

8:00 am Fr. W.F. Klaric +  
 4:00 pm Roger and Vicky Brink  
 Dick and Jane Horn,  
 on the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary

### Sunday, May 15

7:30 am Josephine Seper +  
 9:30 am Pearl Chambers + and Eleanor Ledford +  
 The Daub Family  
 11:15 am People of the Parish

### Monday, May 16

8:00 am Helena Davis +  
 In Thanksgiving for Tom Holstein +

### Tuesday, May 17

8:00 am Paul Ernst +  
 Bridget Price +

### Wednesday, May 18

8:00 am All Souls Intentions

### Thursday, May 19

8:00 am Tony and Tricia Sinopole  
 Mary Alice Dickherber +

### Friday, May 20

8:00 am Dr. Alex Bolis  
 Mary Kreutzer +

### Saturday, May 21

8:00 am Randy and Lukas Schneider +  
 4:00 pm Mike and Mary Hardesty,  
 on the occasion of their 50th Wedding Anniversary

### Sunday, May 22

7:30 am Gassei Family  
 9:30 am People of the Parish  
 11:15 am The Confirmation Class of 2016

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 19:1-8; Ps 68:2-3ab, 4-5acd, 6-7ab;  
 Jn 16:29-33  
 Tuesday: Acts 20:17-27; Ps 68:10-11, 20-21; Jn 17:1-11a  
 Wednesday: Acts 20:28-38; Ps 68:29-30, 33-36ab;  
 Jn 17:11b-19  
 Thursday: Acts 22:30; 23:6-11; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-11;  
 Jn 17:20-26  
 Friday: Acts 25:13b-21; Ps 103:1-2, 11-12, 19-20ab;  
 Jn 21:15-19  
 Saturday: Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; Ps 113:1-8; Jn 15:9-17  
 Sunday: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34;  
 1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Rom 8:8-17;  
 Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 14:15-16, 23b-26

## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: The Ascension of the Lord; Mother's Day;  
 Tuesday: St. Damien de Veuster  
 Thursday: Ss. Nereus and Achilleus; St. Pancras  
 Friday: Our Lady of Fatima  
 Saturday: St. Matthias

## Scouting Units

**Parish Rep (All Units)** Jerry Hespen; 636-236-1955  
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 Scout Troop Chad Peters; 314-807-7177  
 Venture Crew Dana Hoffman; 636-734-8423

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 636-398-5786

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 314-220-7075

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 Jeff Comotto, 314-570-6972

**Knights of Columbus** Mike Reel, Grand Knight  
 314-581-6797

**Legion of Mary** Maria Romine-Kantor  
 314-614-0857

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 314-614-1114

**Meals on Wheels** Call the parish office  
 636-398-5270

**Prayer Shawl Ministry** Julia Kettler  
 314-616-0096

**Pro-Life Committee** Bill Winters  
 636-828-4133

**Quilters** Ruth Willis  
 636-398-4597

Mary Ann Brakensiek  
 636-828-5776

**St. Vincent DePaul** For information or assistance,  
 call 636-398-5270 , ex. 225

## MEDITATION ON TODAY'S GOSPEL

*It was late that Sunday evening, and the disciples were gathered. Jesus came and stood among them. "Peace be with you," he said. "As the Father sent me, so I send you."*  
 JOHN 20:19, 21

An insurance company held a cornerstone-laying ceremony for its new building. Among the items sealed in a capsule to be opened fifty years hence were predictions by civic leaders. Before they placed them in the capsule, the leaders read them to the crowd. One prediction surprised everyone: "Fifty years from now., men and women will still struggle for happiness-which will continue to lie within themselves." That happiness, of course, is the peace that Christ gave to his disciples almost 2,000 years ago today. Happy are those who open their hearts to the peace of Christ.

*How might I open my heart more fully to Christ's peace?*

Five great enemies of peace inhabit us: avarice, ambition, envy, anger, and pride. Petrarch

Mark Link S.J. *Action 2000*

# OUR JOURNEY OF FAITH

*You are indeed Holy and to be glorified, O God, who love the human race and who always walk with us on the journey of life. Blessed indeed is your Son, present in our midst when we are gathered by His love, and when, as once for the disciples, so now for us, He opens the Scriptures and breaks the bread.*

Dear Parishioners,

That is the beginning of the Eucharistic prayer for various needs. They are some of my favorite words in the new translation of the Roman Missal. The words call to mind the continuing mystery of the Road to Emmaus and how the Lord is more present than we will ever realize on this side of Redemption. Learning to appreciate the truth of this mystery is one of the more challenging aspects of discipleship. In the moments when we do catch a glimpse of our Savior, feel the brush of His presence as He passes us, or become aware of His hidden presence in our experiences it is both humbling and exhilarating! Like those disciples, we can't wait to tell others the Good News! Jesus Christ is Risen and is with us even now!

My ministry and our parish family have been blessed with many talented and dedicated individuals on our staff. I have often said the parish office is my family. They are the people that I rub elbows with on an almost daily basis and have come to know rather well. I thank God for the gifts that they share with us and the attitude of joyful service they bring to their work.

Over the past three and a half years I have been blessed to work with Sarah Aulbach in various capacities. She started as our office assistant and was instrumental in helping sort out some confusion regarding our cemetery plots. Sarah has tremendous gifts for organization and focused detail. One of her greatest gifts was her willingness to work with our Many Gifts ~ One Heart campaign. The generosity of our parish family was matched by Sarah's tireless dedication to keeping the communication and coordination of the Campaign front and center.

Sarah was a natural transition for our staff last year as our secretary. She has brought those same gifts to our office as well as a real desire to serve our parishioners. The work of a parish secretary is not easy to define. There are so many balls in play and no two days are quite the same. Sarah has handled the many demands with patience, poise and determination. If the demands of trying to juggle everything involved in parochial work were not enough, Sarah also still has the demands of being a spouse and mother.

After much prayer and discernment, Sarah has decided to step down from her ministry as our secretary and return to her primary vocational focus of being a wonderful spouse and mother. She will be missed in our office. She is not leaving the parish, but rather wants to refocus her life. She will be writing a note sharing her journey of faith as it were. Please pray for her during this transition. Sarah will continue in her position until the end of the month and then in June Peggy Dupree will assume the position of parish secretary.

Blessed Easter,

Fr. Tom

## **The International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima**

The world-famous International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima was sculpted in 1947 by Jose Thedim, based on the description of Sr. Lucia, one of the three young seers who saw Our Lady each month from May to October 1917 in Fatima, Portugal. Blessed by Pope Pius XII, it was sent out to bring the Message of Fatima to the world. The International Pilgrim Virgin Statue has traveled the world many times, visiting more than 100 countries, bringing the great message of hope, "the peace plan from heaven," to millions of people. Many miracles and signal graces are reported where the statue travels.

In honor of this tradition, the World Apostolate of Fatima developed a program many years ago to give families the opportunity to have a saved image of Our Lady, modeled after the statue described above, visit their homes. The purpose is to remind each family that their Mother in Heaven is deeply concerned about their lives and wants to remain close to them.

Perhaps you and your family would like to have the Pilgrim Virgin Statue visit your home soon... maybe during a time of celebration or perhaps during a time of need! As members of the Mystical Body of Christ, our prayers and especially our Rosaries, can bring peace and comfort to family members, to other parishioners, to neighbors and co-workers. It has been reported that many conversions have been brought about through the visit of the Pilgrim Virgin Statue.

For those who are interested in having Our Lady visit your home, please sign up in the Narthex with your name, address and phone number. We will let you know when you can bring the statue home to your house. We ask that you please say the Rosary every day while Our Lady is visiting in your home. There are some CDs and prayers that will be with the statue. Please watch, listen and pray with Our Lady in your home as a family. A family that prays together stays together. After having Our Lady in your home for one week, please return the statue to church so another family can have it in their home.

If you have any questions, please call Nancy Hollenstein at [636-798-2105](tel:636-798-2105).



**NEWS  
FROM THE  
RELIGIOUS  
EDUCATION  
DEPARTMENT**

**PSR Corner**

Schedule for the rest of the year: Last Class was May 11<sup>th</sup> for grades 1-7.  
Confirmation Candidate 8<sup>th</sup> graders (and sponsors if able) to meet on May 18.  
Confirmation is May 22<sup>nd</sup> at the 11:15 am Mass with Bishop Rice.

## In the School of the Holy Spirit

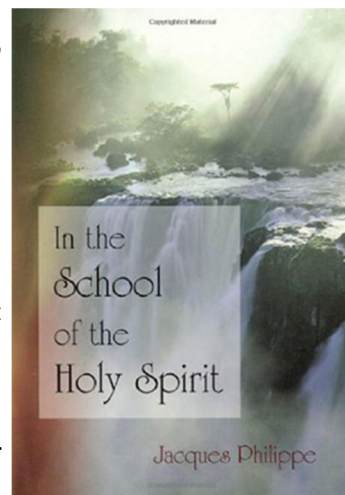
The above is a title of a book by Fr. Jacques Philippe, a spiritual guide for our times. An excerpt follows below.

The shortest road to holiness is fidelity to the inspirations of the Holy Spirit.  
This book helps explain how to listen to the Spirit.

*My Jesus, it is truly easy to become holy; it just takes a little good will! And if He finds this minimum of good will in a soul, He quickly gives Himself to her. And nothing can stop Him, neither our faults nor our falls, absolutely nothing. Jesus hurries to help that soul; and if the soul is faithful to this grace from God, she can in a short time reach the highest level of holiness that a created being can attain here below. God is very generous and does not refuse His grace to anyone. He gives even more than we ask for. The shortest road is faithfulness to the inspirations of the Holy Spirit.*

This beautiful text is taken from the diary of St. Faustina. Even though it is simple and concise, it delivers an extremely important message for people who aspire to holiness — to people who want to respond as far as possible to God's love.

The major question for such souls, a question that sometimes causes them pain, is to know what to do about this message. Maybe you never have been particularly concerned about this question. Maybe you never have aspired to love God as much as He possibly can be loved. If not, I ask that you now beg the Holy Spirit to put that desire in you, and even that you beg Him to leave you restless until you have that aspiration.



**There will be a flower arranging workshop with Nancy Ast and Jennifer Bouquet Friday, June 3. Learn to make a centerpiece for your table. We will all make centerpieces for our parish appreciation dinner and show off our mad skills. All are welcome to come and work with us on Friday, June 3, at 6:30 pm in the Grand Hall. Remember to bring scissors or something to cut stems. There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex.**



### A PRAYER TO THE SPIRIT

Spirit of Jesus,  
poured out in flames of fire upon your disciples  
on the day of Pentecost,  
we pray to you:  
Set afire the hearts of your faithful  
so that they will announce  
in all the languages of the world  
the wonders of the salvation of God.

— From *Come, Lord Jesus* by Lucien Deiss, CSSP, copyright © 1976, 1981, Lucien Deiss. Published by World Library Publications. p.182

### ACA

#### The Courage to Love

If you have not yet filled out your ACA form, please do so as soon as possible. Even if you are unable to contribute to the ACA appeal this year, that information is needed.

No judgements— we just need to make sure everyone has had their opportunity. Thank you so much for your generosity this year and every year for this worthwhile endeavor. The results of the Appeal can be seen throughout the entire archdiocese of St. Louis.

### Communion Calls

If you are unable to get to Mass because of illness or disability but would like to receive communion, please contact the parish office.

#### Hospitalization

If you are hospitalized, we would like to know. Please call the office or ask a friend to call for you if necessary. **Parish office: 636-398-5270**

**FIAT Women's Group** Our next meeting is Thursday, May 19 at Kenrick Glennon Seminary (5200 Glennon Dr. 63119) in the chapel. Fr Randall Soto, Professor of Sacred Scripture-New Testament at the seminary will speak. Please join us to be inspired by his words and by the community of women you are part of. All are welcome. Rosary begins at 8am, speaker from 8:15 to 9am. See [www.kenrick.edu/fiat](http://www.kenrick.edu/fiat) for more information.



## NEWS FROM HOME



### Stewardship

May 15, 2016

St. Joseph Chapel "Heavenly Dusters"

**Mary Ann Boenker**

Please note: the Heavenly Dusters schedule has been updated. If you need your name removed or would like to be added to the list, call the parish office and let us know. Thank you in advance for your generous donation of time!

**The collection figures for Sunday, May 8**

**General Offertory:** \$9,290.02

**Online-General Offering:** \$3,201.00

**Total:** \$12,491.02

*Thank you for your generosity!*

**Try Electronic Offertory**

Those who are pledging for the "Many Gifts. One Heart" new debt reduction campaign title. Pink debt reduction envelopes are included in the monthly envelope mailing.

There are options for giving. Use weekly envelopes or check out On-Line giving at [www.ihm-newmelle.org](http://www.ihm-newmelle.org)

### St. Vincent DePaul Society

**Items needed for the pantry:** Cereal, jelly, beef stew, tuna helper, hamburger helper, dish soap, laundry detergent, flour, sugar, cooking oil, coffee, tea, canned fruit, and juice

The New Melle Society of St. Vincent de Paul Conference is finally on a regular schedule.....

The first and third Mondays of the month in the pantry at 6:00pm. For questions or information, please call Teresa Waddington - 314-440-7475.

### Dynamic Catholic, Alive! – Pentecost

At Pentecost, Christ poured out the Spirit and revealed Him as a Divine Person, making the Holy Trinity fully manifest (Compendium, 144). Pentecost is the birth of the Church, when she began her earthly pilgrimage that will be fulfilled one day in glory (USCCA, 115). The Acts of the Apostles and the epistles of the New Testament show the presence and action of the Holy Spirit in the first-century Church. This Church has expanded through space and time, under the protection of the Holy Spirit.

Have you studied the history of the Church?

[archstl.org/dynamic](http://archstl.org/dynamic)



**For everything there is a season,  
and a time for every matter under heaven.**

*...a time to die...*

Please pray for the repose of the soul of

Mary Alice Dickherber, wife of Floyd Dickherber;

JoAnne Koziatsek, mother of Scott Koziatsek;

Bernie Quinn, father of Carol Quinn;

David Nilges, father of Theresa and Jim Risch;

Dolores Unnerstall, mother of Rob & Karen Unnerstall;

and Luke Bautista, nephew of Rick and Lois Cobleigh.

*May they rest in peace.*

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Joan Allen

Diane Alwes

Al Bamert

Cy and Catherine Bamert

Bobbi Beeson

Doug Behme

Bob Berfanger

Connie Burbes

Frances and Gerald Bussen

Diana Cazares

Harold Clark

Lisa Clark

Rick Cobleigh

Marty Coghlan

Terry Daub

Mary Lynn DeGrande

Mary Alice Dickherber

Ken Donaghue

Rita Elfrink

Jonell Falcon

Ted Feldewerth

Louise Fisher

Ann Fitzgerald

Dave Gentry

Charlie Grady

Jackie Hackett

Terry Hagan

Gerald Hailey

Chris Hanna

Larry Hanna

Cathy Hartmann

Dave Hendrix

Nancy Hollenstein

Alice Hunsinger

Linda Johnson

Richard Klish

Bernie Lears

David and Mary Karll

Monsignor Mank

Ken Martin

Joan Martin

Shirley McDonald

Sr. Bonnie Adrian Mercier

George Meyer

Mary Meyer and her family

Tom Miller

Frank Modder

Mary Moellering

Marion Mueller

Angel Owens

Virginia Randolph

Walt Reel

Mildred Riley

Pat Ryan

Joyce Schneider

Ken Shrum

Yvonne Scott

Patti Sturm

Jerry Tajkowski

Karen Taylor

Christine Tinker

Bill Ulery

Mariah Walker

White Family

Alexander Wilmes

Msgr. Ted Wojcicki

Claire Wolken

Emma

Judy Jacobs' mom

Rita Bendel's brother Tom

Antonette

Lori

Carol

Billie

Kathy

Sr. Mary Carolyn

Jenny

## What's Your Catholic IQ?

### 1. Babylon was in the modern-day country of

- (a) China; (b) India; (c) Iraq; (d) Egypt

### 2. In the Bible, tithing means giving away a portion of one's income, commonly

- (a) one percent; (b) ten percent;  
(c) fifty percent; (d) all that you possess

### 3. The prayer for the dead that begins, "Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord;" continues

- (a) May they intercede for us at your heavenly throne;  
(b) Give them your mercy and salvation;  
(c) And let perpetual light shine upon them;  
(d) May the angels greet them

### 4. The number of traditional deadly sins is

- (a) three; (b) seven; (c) nine; (d) eleven

### 5. The man who buried Jesus in a new tomb made for himself was

- (a) Nicodemus; (b) Joseph of Arimathea;  
(c) Pontius Pilate; (d) Jude the Obscure

### 6. Sprinkling the congregation with holy water is a reminder of our

- (a) baptism; (b) confirmation;  
(c) First Communion; (d) mortality

### 7. In older church buildings the long central part extending from the entry to the altar is called the

- (a) ambo; (b) belfry; (c) credenza; (d) nave

### 8. If we stop by a church to make a visit to the Blessed Sacrament

- (a) we must pray a Rosary;  
(b) we must cover our head;  
(c) we should pray an Our Father;  
(d) no set prayer is required

### 9. The seven traditional gifts of the Holy Spirit as given in Isaiah are wisdom, understanding, counsel, fortitude, knowledge, piety, and

- (a) fear of the Lord; (b) hope;  
(c) efficiency; (d) cleanliness

### 10. The Latin words Adoramus Te, Christe mean

- (a) Thanks be to God; (b) Come, Holy Spirit;  
(c) We adore You, O Christ; (d) Glory to God in the highest

Answers on the next page →

## Pallottine Renewal Center in Florissant Presents Summer Speakers Series

Refresh, reflect and renew at Pallottine Renewal Center with our lineup of informative and inspiring speakers, excellent hospitality, delicious food and 83 acres of beautiful countryside. To learn more about the series and to register, [www.pallottinerenewal.org](http://www.pallottinerenewal.org) or call 314-837-7100.

## DO YOU NEED SOME SPIRITUAL RENEWAL?

The Women's ACTS retreat for our Parish is May 19 — 22.  
Contact Trish (636-544-1182) or Janet (314-369-6521)

## NAR-ANON SUPPORT GROUP

Weekly meetings started Saturday, April 16, 2016  
10:00 am in the Trailer at IHM  
This group is for Family & Friends of Addicts  
For questions, please call Ann at 314-578-4737

## 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 hours-and works on an honor system.

### From the Lighthouse CD Rack in the Narthex

Today there is oftentimes a misconception of what the



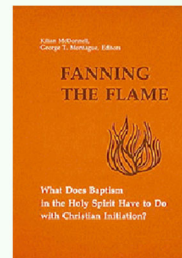
Sacrament of Confirmation is actually for or how it affects our lives. In this talk, Dr. Brant Pitre invites us to better understand the tremendous graces and calling received through this sacrament.

He points to various passages in scripture which provide a historical foundation and, through bold witness, challenges us to willingly surrender our lives to Christ. Dr. Brant Pitre is a professor of Sacred Scripture at Notre Dame Seminary in New Orleans, LA

*Until this talk by Brant Pitre, I have not really understood what Confirmation is all about. I wish I had this talk when I was confirmed* **Daniel - Vancouver, Canada**

*Absolutely the best explanation of the Sacrament of Confirmation I have ever heard!* **Julie - Sterling, VA**

### From the Parish Library in the Grand Hall



## Fanning the Flame: What Does Baptism in the Holy Spirit Have to Do with Christian Initiation?

What does it mean to be "Baptized in the Spirit?" What does it mean to "stir" the Gift of Baptism and Confirmation?"

The authors of this document supply much-needed clarification of baptism in the Holy Spirit. They also provide evi-

dence that baptism in the Spirit belongs not to the personal experience of the few, not at all to private piety, but to the public official liturgy of the Church. Baptism in the Spirit is therefore normative. The authors, supported by letters of encouragement from two bishops, suggest ways in which the baptism in the Holy Spirit can be reappropriated by the local parish. Here are the sources of renewal, of on-going conversion, of the power of evangelization. For this reason, this document is of interest to every baptized believer.

**ENHANCE YOUR MARRIAGE SKILLS** ----in only one weekend, a Marriage Encounter weekend, that is. The weekend is a place to learn about loving and being loved. We know you can imagine having an even better marriage. Weekends are being presented on August 5-7, September 23-25 or December 2-4. You can call for more information at 314.649.7317 or see our website at [www.stl-wwwme.org](http://www.stl-wwwme.org).

The Marian Council would like to say  
**"THANK YOU"**

to Bryan Potter for painting  
all the candle holders in St. Joseph Chapel.  
They look wonderful because of your hard work!

## Catholic IQ Answers

1. **(c)** The city of Babylon was built along the Tigris and Euphrates Rivers not far south of the city of Baghdad in Iraq.
2. **(b)** In the Old Testament, tithing also included a tenth of the fruit of the land and of the increase of the flocks and herds (see Lev.27:30-34).
3. **(c)** The prayer concludes: "May they rest in peace. Amen."
4. **(b)** Christian tradition has named seven deadly sins (or "capital") sins because they beget other sins and vices: envy, greed, gluttony, sloth, lust, anger, pride (EGGSLAP).
5. **(b)** Joseph of Arimathea was a wealthy member of the Sanhedrin.
6. **(a)** The sprinkling is also called "aspersion" and is frequent during the Easter Season.
7. **(d)** This used to be the central feature of a church's structure, named because of its resemblance to a ship (*navis* in Latin).
8. **(d)** Making a visit to the Blessed Sacrament entails no fixed ritual, although genuflecting is customary.
9. **(a)** These seven gifts are found in Isaiah 11:2-3. A different variety of gifts of the Holy Spirit is listed in 1 Corinthians 12:28.
10. **(c)** The English translation of this is still commonly used when we pray the Stations of the Cross.

## Let's Face the Facts and Tell the Truth about Abortion

*"Don't look for applause, but look to obey the truth. Speaking just to find applause or to tell people what they want to hear .... is like prostitution". - Pope Benedict XVI*

The truth about abortion is repugnant and abhorrent. It is therefore not easy and requires courage to speak out about abortion. However, as Catholics, we must boldly speak the truth and contradict the untruths and misleading rhetoric which surrounds the issue.

## HOLY HOUR FOR THE USA—

You are invited to join us for a holy hour in our chapel at St. Paul Catholic Church in St. Paul, MO every Thursday evening at 7 pm. Everyone is invited to spend an hour in God's awesome presence.

**ANOTHER CPR CLASS HAS BEEN SCHEDULED FOR THURSDAY, MAY 26 AT 6:00 PM IN WEBER HALL.** Space is limited, so contact the office soon if you are interested. If you are already CPR certified, look at your card to see when you should retake the class in order to keep your certification current. Office— 636-398-5270



**Have you signed up to pray for vocations?** The sign-up sheet is in the narthex. When it is your turn, Fr. Tom will give you the icon, a candle, and a load of information to ponder. When you return it the next week, another family will take it home and continue praying.

**Tee Off For Life:** Plans are currently underway for Our Lady's Inn 13th Annual "Tee Off for Life" golf tournament taking place Monday, June 27, 2016 at Greenbriar Hills Country Club. To reserve your spot arager@ourladysinn.org or 314-736-1544.

## Liturgical Ministers for Next Week

- May 21 4:00 pm**  
 EM: Ed Etzkorn, Ed Taylor, Karen Wilson, Ann Zaleuke, Bryan Potter, **One more please**  
 L: Jan Jokish-Messig, Kathleen Ditch  
 GB: Dave and Judy Hendrix  
 S: Jessica and Jorja Spivey  
 U: Chris Cuddihee, Larry Graves, Stan Nikonowicz, Bill Pollihan
- May 22 7:30 am**  
 EM: Rich Molitor, Ed & Carol Rabbitt, John and Karen Wappelhorst, Maureen Blondin  
 L: Chuck Kettler, Carolyn Schellert  
 GB: Dot Welge, Phyllis Zerr  
 S: Eleanor & Max Hahn  
 U: Mike Hardesty, Larry Gassei, Frank Marquart, Gary Potter
- May 22 9:30 am**  
 EM: Chris Aulbach, Joe Faron Sr., Alvina Fry, Clara Haas, Jo Hailey, Michelle Greiwe, Terry & Marcia Schneider  
 L: Pat Gentry, Grant Smith  
 GB: Ruth Scott and Joshua Scott  
 S: Mary Grace Becker, Liam Grady, Daniel Mallinckrodt  
 U: Gary Struckhoff, Dave DeBold, Curt Eccardt, Charles Hinkle, Stan Kostecki, **One more please**
- May 22 11:15 am**  
 EM: Amanda Angarita, Kat Menne, Patrice Riley, Jim and Theresa Risch, Pat Roche  
 L: Suzanne and Tim Michaelree  
 GB: Larry and Amy Molitor Family  
 S: Thomas Kokker, Lannah Montgomery  
 U: Alan Raymond, Tom Haun. John Bossert

**Go on a pilgrimage** with our own Deacon Chris and explore the wonders of our Mother Church in Rome, the spirit of St. Francis and St. Clare in Assisi, the art of Florence and the romance of Venice during a 10 day trip you will never forget. Departure from St. Louis on October 17, 2016 and return on October 26.

Flyers may be found in the Narthex.

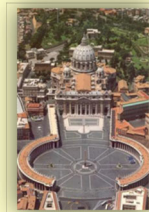
## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

**CALL Deacon Chris Ast**

**at 636-357-3457**

email:

ChrisAst@archstl.org



or call **THE CATHOLIC TOUR**, toll free at 1-888-465-9868  
 email:

**info@thecatholictour.com**



## MEMORIAL DAY

Monday, May 30 at 11:00 am

New Melle VFW Post 5651 Hall  
555 Foristell Road

Flag Ceremonies	Military Honors
Taps, Wreath Laying	Guest Speaker
Prayers and songs	Rifle Salutes
Submariner's Ceremony	Bagpipes

Complimentary Hamburgers and hot dogs served  
Help honor our departed veterans

**THE PUBLIC IS INVITED.**

**Human Trafficking:** All Saints Parish in St. Peters and the St. Charles Outreach Coalition Against Human Trafficking are sponsoring a human trafficking awareness presentation by Sisters Esther Hogan and Ruth Kertz on Wednesday, May 18 from 6:30-8:30 in the All Saints Parish Center, 7 McMenamy Rd, St. Peters. 636-397-1440, ex. 225

### THE MARIANIST RETREAT CENTER IN EUREKA:

- 4 and 8 Day Directed Retreats: This experience invites people to leave the busyness and noise of daily lives behind, and encounter the voice of God. 4 day: June 16-19, 2016 and 8 day: July 17-24, 2016

For more information call [636-938-5390](tel:636-938-5390)



## MARIAN COUNCIL RUMMAGE SALE

**June 1, 3, 4, 8, 10, 11**

Now is the time to clean out those closets and chests to see what it is that you do not want or need.



**YOU KNOW YOU WON'T WEAR YOUR  
TURTLE SHIRTS ANYMORE!  
GIVE THEM TO THE  
MARIAN COUNCIL FOR THE  
RUMMAGE SALE!**

*The Marian Council is currently accepting items for the sale. Please put your donations in the pavilion.*

### PLEASE— NO APPLIANCES OR TVs.

Also, while you're looking for rummage sale items, look for books and videos that should be returned to the parish library. If you find family-friendly videos or books that you would like to donate to the library, that's good, too!

Parish Office: 636-398-5270

## Future Events

- ☒ **Rummage Sale** set-up continues. Please bring your donations to the pavilion.
- ☒ **Knights of Columbus meeting:** Tuesday, May 17 at 7:00 pm in Founders Hall
- ☒ **IHM Youth Group:** Wednesday, May 18 at 7:30 pm in the church
- ☒ **ACTS women's retreat:** May 19-22 ; contact Janet Hespen (314-369-6521)
- ☒ **Confirmation** will take place during the 11:15 Mass on Sunday, May 22.
- ☒ **CPR Class** on Thursday, May 26. Contact the parish office for details.
- ☒ **The parish office will be closed for Memorial Day, Monday, May 30.**
- ☒ **Pulse of the Parish meeting,** Monday, May 31 at 7:00 pm.
- ☒ **Marian Council Rummage Sale:** Wednesday, June 1 and 8 from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm; Friday, June 3 and 10 from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm; and Saturday, June 4 and 11 from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm.
- ☒ **New Parishioners Wine and Cheese,** 6:30 pm on Friday, June 3 at Fr Tom's house.
- ☒ **Saturday, June 4— The Feast of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, the parish feast day;** 4:00 pm Mass followed by a procession and rosary. The Parish Appreciation Dinner will take place that evening in the Grand Hall; doors open at 6:00 pm.
- ☒ **Mystery Dinner Theater—**  
*Slay It Again, Sam* Save the date:  
Friday, September 30 at 6:30 pm



### THE VINE AND BRANCHES: BUILDING THE KINGDOM

Noboleis Vineyards will host a morning of prayer, reflection and Mass on Saturday, May 28 from 9:00 am to 11:15 am. \$20 includes continental breakfast and lunch

Reflection by Sr. Cathy Doherty; Mass with Monsignor Jack Schuller; music by Adam Bitter. Register online or call 636-482-4500. [www.noboleisvineyards.com/events](http://www.noboleisvineyards.com/events)

## Out and About

### Breakfasts and Dinners

- **All You can Eat Breakfast** at Immaculate Conception in Augusta; May 22 from 8:00 am to noon. Biscuits, gravy, pancakes, ham, pork sausage, eggs, baked apples, country store; adults- \$8 and children from 6 to 12- \$3.

### Just for Fun

- **Tractor Pull at Lone Wolf Park in Old Town St. Peters:** Friday June 10 -The American Legion Post 313 will co-sponsor a tractor pull. Gate Opens at 3:00 pm and closes 11:30 pm. Opening ceremony at 6:30 with the tractor pull starting at 7:30. Tickets - \$15.00pp/children 12 and under free. Food & Beer garden with live music by Johnny Chase. Shuttle bus available from Mid Rivers Mall. Saturday June 11 - Gate opens at 3:00, pull starts at 6:00. Admission – Free, Live music by Johnny Chase From 5:00 – 9:00, Beer Garden
- **St. Vincent dePaul Parish Golf Tournament;** Saturday May 21, 2016 @ Warrenton Golf Course. 1:00 shotgun start; \$80 per person. Three person scramble; Men's, ladies & mixed teams. Includes 18 holes of golf w/cart, meal, & refreshments. Attendance prizes. Call for more information: Dennis Patke @ 636-433-5320 or Kevin Borgerding @ 636-433-5814
- **51st Annual ST. Ferdinand Golf Tournament** Saturday June 25, 2016. Registration begins at 12:30 pm for the shotgun start at 1:30 pm; Eagle Springs Golf Course. Golf, cart, beverages, a pork steak dinner and a special gift is included. Prizes will be awarded to winners of three flights (A, B, and C) and as well as a family flight. The fee is \$85.00 per golfer. Space is limited so reserve your place now by calling Paul Manganelli at 314-972-6000.
- **St. Dominic Reunion Weekend;** Friday, June 3 is the Taste of St. Dominic. Food Trucks 5:00 -9:00PM and Bands 5:30 – 9:30 PM. Admission is free. Saturday, June 4 are reunions for alum class years ending in 6 or 1. Mass will be held at 4:00 PM followed by individual receptions for each group. Event is FREE. To **RSVP** contact Beth at [brunge@stdominichs.org](mailto:brunge@stdominichs.org) , 636-240-8303 ext. 119 or on line at <http://www.stdominichs.org/2016-alumni-reunion-weekend.html>
- **St. Peter Parish Picnic in St. Charles** on Sat. May 14 and Sunday, May 15. Saturday, May 14: beer garden after the 5 pm Mass; great food, carnival rides, and games, plus live music from 7:00 to 10:00pm. Sunday, May 15: parade at noon, our famous chicken dinner from noon to 7:00 pm in the Parish Center; 50/50 bingo in the school cafeteria, as well as other food, refreshments, a quilt raffle, plant stand, game booths, and carnival rides beginning right after the parade

### Opportunities

- **St. Rita's Centennial,** Page and North & South in Vinita Park, MO. Saturday, May 21– Formal dinner at 6:00 pm; Sunday, May 22– Mass Mob at 10:00 am; Saturday, May 28– picnic at Charles Forrester Park from noon to dusk; Sunday, May 29– Mass with Archbishop Carlson at 10:00 am.
- **Ballerina Princess Camp** is being offered again this summer at IHM. Girls ages 4-7 will enjoy ballet class, crafts, games, dances, and stories all in the theme of a new character each day. This year, our princesses and fairies include Ariel, Tinkerbell, Anna and Elsa. Camp will be June 1, 2, 3 from 9:00-11:00 in the Grand Hall. Cost is \$30 for all three days. Tuition goes directly to IHM. Sign up early! Enrollment is limited and camp sold out last year! This program is provided by Dance Time, LLC. For more information or to receive an enrollment form, contact Kathy Fowler at [dancetimellc@gmail.com](mailto:dancetimellc@gmail.com) or 636-262-5548.
- **Memorial Day at the VFW in New Melle,** 555 Foristell Road; Monday, May 30 at 11:00 am; flag ceremonies, military honors, wreath laying, speaker, prayers and songs, rifle salutes, submariner's ceremony, bagpipes. All are invited to honor our departed veterans.

#### JOB OPPORTUNITIES

**St. Vincent de Paul Catholic School in Dutzow** is seeking a part-time teacher for the 2016-17 school year. This teacher will work mornings from 8:30 to 11:30 teaching 5<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> grade math and 7<sup>th</sup> grade English/Language Arts. Applicants should be K-8 certified for the state of Missouri. Send resume to:  
Mark Spann, Principal, St. Vincent de Paul School  
13495 S. Highway 94, Marthasville, MO 63357

**St. Francis Xavier College Church** at St. Louis University is looking for a full-time director of music and liturgy. Send your resume to [sfxadmin@slu.edu](mailto:sfxadmin@slu.edu)  
There is a job description in the parish office if you are interested. Contact Marilyn, 636-398-5270

#### FRIENDS OF EMMAUS ANNUAL SPRING FESTIVAL

Sun., May 15, 12:00 – 5:00

#### *"Ole Time Country Family Picnic"*

BEAUTIFUL HANDMADE QUILT AUCTION – 3:00 P.M.

Featuring: Residents' Crafts , Homemade Ice Cream, Green Thumb/Plants , Fresh Squeezed Lemonade , Books, Outdoor Picnic Food, Entertainment , Big Flea Market

\*\*\*Outdoor Dining and Carry Outs Available 11:00 – 5:00 p.m.\*\*\*

Adults: \$11.00 Children (6-12) \$4.00 Children: 5 & under FREE  
Roasted Chicken, ¼ lb. Chuckburger, Homemade German Potato Salad, Homemade Pie & More

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