

# *Immaculate Heart of Mary Church*

## *New Melle, Missouri*



*May 17, 2015*

### *Ascension Sunday*

So then the Lord Jesus,  
after he spoke to them,  
was taken up into heaven  
and took his seat  
at the right hand of God.

## **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, 7:30 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**

# Immaculate Heart of Mary

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## Parish Staff

### Contact Information

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636-398-5270

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**Irene Caldwell** 636-398-4311  
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**Event Coordinators**  
**Joan Marren-Slaughter** 636-398-5270  
**Mary Keune** 636-398-5270



## 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, May 17**

9:30 am

Children's liturgy

12:00 pm

Talk on Our Lady of Guadalupe; Grand Hall

2:00 pm

CPR class in Weber Hall for those who have registered

**Monday, May 18**

**Set-up for the rummage sale begins today**

4:00 pm

Girl Scouts, Weber Hall

6:30 pm

Scouts, Founders Hall

**Tuesday, May 19**

9:00 am and 5:30 pm

Exercise Classes, Grand Hall Foyer

7:00 pm

Knights of Columbus meeting, Founders Hall

**Wednesday, May 20**

8:45 am

Bible Study, Weber Hall

6:00 pm

New server training for those who have registered with the parish secretary; Church Reconciliation, church

7:30 pm

**Thursday, May 21**

8:30 am

Legion of Mary, Founders Hall

9:00 am and 5:30 pm

Exercise Classes, Grand Hall Foyer

6:30 pm

Scouts, Founders Hall

**Friday, May 22**

8:30 am

Quilters, Weber Hall

**Saturday, May 23**

8:00 am

Mass followed by confession, church

**Sunday, May 24**

**Pentecost Sunday**

**Monday, May 25**

Memorial Day; the parish office will be closed

### JOIN THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR MAY, 2015

**Universal:** That, rejecting the culture of indifference, we may care for our neighbors who suffer, especially the sick and the poor.

**Evangelization:** That Mary's intercession may help Christians in secularized cultures be ready to proclaim Jesus.



## Mass Intentions for the Week

### Saturday, May 16

8:00 am All Souls Intentions  
4:00 pm Richard Bredemann +

### Sunday, May 17

7:30 am Jerome Kluge +  
9:30 am Paul Ernst +  
11:15 am People of the Parish

### Monday, May 18

8:00 am All Souls Intentions  
Randy and Lukas Schneider +

### Tuesday, May 19

8:00 am Deceased members of the  
Pollihan and Genteman Families

### Wednesday, May 20

8:00 am Edward Reifsteck +

### Thursday, May 21

8:00 am Wittmann Family

### Friday, May 22

8:00 am Richard Bredemann +  
Bryan LaTurno +

### Saturday, May 23

8:00 am Mary Merrill +  
4:00 pm Joe Sinopole +

### Sunday, May 24

7:30 am Mary Fine +  
9:30 am Helen Orf +  
11:15 am People of the Parish

## 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 28:16-20, 30-31; Ps 11:4, 5, 7;  
Jn 21:20-25  
Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a, 16-20b or  
Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5; Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35,  
27-30; Rom 8:22-27; Jn 7:37-39  
Day: Acts 2:1-11; Ps 104:1, 24, 29-31, 34;  
1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25;  
Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Monday: St. John I  
Wednesday: St. Bernardine of Siena  
Thursday: St. Christopher Magellanes and Companions  
Friday: St. Rita of Cascia  
Saturday: Vigil of Pentecost

## Scouting Units

**Parish Rep (All Units)** Jerry Hespen; 636-236-1955  
Cub Pack Wesley Brandhorst; 636-327-0531  
Scout Troop Chad Peters; 314-807-7177  
Venture Crew Dana Hoffman; 636-734-8423

**Budget and Finance** John Wappelhorst  
636-398-5786

**Cemetery Committee** Mark Keune  
314-220-7075

**Dinner Committee** Richard Lalonde  
636-798-2511

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

**Legion of Mary** Nancy Hollenstein  
636-798-2105

**Marian Council** Michelle Brothers, President  
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** Eleanor Sadlo  
636-398-5595

Mary Ann Brakensiek  
636-828-5776

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

## MEDITATION ON TODAY'S GOSPEL

*So then the Lord Jesus, after he spoke to them, was taken up into heaven and took his seat at the right hand of God. But they went forth and preached everywhere, while the Lord worked with them and confirmed the word through accompanying signs. (Mark 16:15-20)*

The Ascension of Christ is his liberation from all restrictions of time and space. It does not represent his removal from earth, but his constant presence within the members of His Body. The Holy Spirit is the love of God poured into our hearts, offered as Gift by Christ, the Divine Piñata, if you will, whose being struck and pierced has opened up gifts for all.



Many thanks for your generous donations to the collection to benefit the people of Nepal after their disastrous earthquake. The contributions totaled \$2,635.11 as of Monday, May 11.



## CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR NEWLY CONFIRMED STUDENTS

On Thursday, May 14, these eighth graders were confirmed by Archbishop Carlson here at IHM.

Ellen "Philomena" Aulbach  
Sadie "Faith" Boston  
Breanna "Angela Merici" Boucher  
Brett "Bruno" Brazill  
Dylan "Augustine of Hippo" Busken  
August "Germanicus" Daub  
Dylan "Anthony of Padua" Enyart  
Lauren "Lucy" Fennwald  
Eleanor "Veronica" Hahn  
Anna "Alphonsus de Orozco" Jaeckle  
Connor "Michael the Archangel" Jaeckle  
David "Christopher" Lanham  
Paige "Cecilia" Pinzke  
Christopher "Sebastian" Riley  
Hailey "Elizabeth Ann Seton" Schellert  
Jessica "Rita of Cascia" Spivey  
Andrew "Isidore the Farmer" Vehige

May they continue to grow in their faith and keep the love of Jesus Christ always in their hearts.

*Breathe into me, Holy Spirit,  
that my thoughts may all be holy.*

*Move in me, Holy Spirit,  
that my work, too, may be holy.*

*Attract my heart, Holy Spirit,  
that I may love only what is holy.*

*Strengthen me, Holy Spirit,  
that I may defend all that is holy.*

*Protect me, Holy Spirit,  
that I may always be holy.*

- St. Augustine

**HAVE YOU HEARD of Serra Clubs?** That is Serra Clubs, not Sierra Clubs! The mission of Serra is to pray for, foster and affirm vocations. It seeks to help the faithful understand that each person has a vocation and especially to help vocations to priesthood and religious life. Serra is named after Blessed Junipero Serra, who started a series of missions in California to bring Catholicism to them.

## THE CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION AT THE EASTER VIGIL.



The baptism of  
Vivian Marie Jaegers



Andrew  
Cuccio is confirmed  
by Fr. Tom



Fr. Tom, Deacon Chris and  
Deacon Tony congratulate the  
newly confirmed Grace Garrett  
and Andrew Cuccio



Andrew Cuccio and  
Katelyn Garrett receive  
Communion

**May they continue to grow in love and faith.  
Congratulations to all!**

### Dynamic Catholic, Alive! – The Virtues

A virtue, as opposed to a vice, is a habitual and firm disposition (quality, or condition) to do the good. Virtues can be *human* or *theological*. The 4 principal (cardinal) virtues are *prudence, justice, fortitude, and temperance*. The theological virtues are *faith, hope, and charity*. Are you cultivating virtue in your life? Is there a particular vice that you struggle with? "The goal of a virtuous life is to become like God" (St. Gregory of Nyssa). [archstl.org/dynamic](http://archstl.org/dynamic)

**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. Let's keep it going!

**NEWS  
FROM THE  
RELIGIOUS  
EDUCATION  
DEPARTMENT**

We ended our regular 2014-2015 IHM school religion program on May 7 with a May crowning followed by an ice cream social. We give thanks to God for all that has been passed down in faith and practice through this year, and we thank our catechists for being a part of that as well. On Thursday, May 14 Archbishop Robert Carlson crowned the year by coming to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation for our 8<sup>th</sup> grade students. Teach them Holy Spirit, to learn to unwrap the gifts you have placed in their souls.



***Top Ten List: Fr. Tom gave a homily in which he listed the “top ten” spiritual priorities that all of us are called to prayerfully put in place. This week we look at # 1.***

1. Go to Mass every Sunday & Holy Day of Obligation 2. Make more frequent Confessions, at least quarterly. 3. Pray with Sacred Scripture as part of your daily activities. 4. Develop a daily habit of examining your conscience. 5. Pray the Rosary weekly if not daily. 6. Be generous with your blessings through charities and tithing. 7. Give of your time to the faith on the parish level or within the local Catholic community. 8. Continue to form yourself in learning as a disciple of Christ. 9. Examine your conversations. Are we criticizing or complaining more than we are praying? 10. Go to Mass more than once a week and find time to pray before the Blessed Sacrament.

**1. Go to Mass every Sunday & Holy Day of Obligation**

Fr. Tom prefaced these ten priorities by stating, “If there is only 1,2,3..etc things you do as a Catholic...” And at the top of the list, “If there is only one thing you do as a Catholic, go to Mass every Sunday and Holy Day of Obligation.” The Catechism of the Catholic Church states: *The Sunday Eucharist is the foundation and confirmation of all Christian practice. For this reason the faithful are obliged to participate in the Eucharist on days of obligation, unless excused for a serious reason (for example, illness, the care of infants) or dispensed by their own pastor. Those who deliberately fail in this obligation commit a grave sin. (2181)*



Archbishop Robert Carlson made a firm statement in the St. Louis Review about this very topic: *“I’m not going to sugar coat the truth. Too many Catholics ignore their solemn obligation to attend Mass every Sunday. Parents who fail to bring their children to Mass on the Lord’s Day sin twice — by failing in their Sunday obligation and by being a source of scandal for their children. This is a serious problem for individuals, families, parish communities and for the whole Church. Sunday Mass is not optional. It is an essential requirement for all of us, and unless we have a serious reason, there is simply no excuse for missing Mass on the Lord’s Day. If through your own*

*fault you miss Mass on Sunday, you are committing a serious sin. You should not receive Holy Communion until you have gone to confession. ... It is here that we are fed with the Bread of Life. It is here that we prepare ourselves for discipleship and service during the coming week. If we fail to worship God on the Lord’s Day, we betray our baptismal promises and we neglect our responsibilities as disciples and as stewards of the mysteries of God. What could be more important than being with the Lord, and with our parish family, on the first day of each week? Surely our excuses fail miserably when compared to the opportunity to hear God’s Word proclaimed and to receive Christ’s gift of Himself in the Eucharist! Too many of us are letting the precious gift of faith slip through our fingers by our lazy and sinful ways — missing Mass regularly and excusing ourselves for reasons that are unworthy of faithful disciples of Jesus Christ. Wake up, brothers and sisters! Our salvation is at stake, and the evil one is only too happy to entice us down a path that leads to hell.”*

For the full article, see <http://stlouisreview.com/article/2010-06-16/third-commandment>

A great parable / story to read to your children about the importance of Sunday Mass is from the introduction to Matthew Kelly’s book: Rediscovering Catholicism. Watch the 5 minute video called “The Epidemic” at <http://dynamiccatholic.com/confirmation/view-program/session-7/>





## NEWS FROM HOME



### Stewardship

May 17, 2015

St. Joseph Chapel "Heavenly Dusters"

**Mary Ann Boenker**

The collection figures for Sunday, May 10

General Offertory: \$10,853.00

Online-General Offering: \$1,737.00

Total: \$12,590.00

*Thank you for your generosity!*

### Try Electronic Offertory

Those who are pledging for the "Many Gifts. One Heart" new debt reduction campaign should mark their envelopes with the correct 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 food pantry:

Apple sauce, fruit cocktail, jelly, canned meats, juice, crackers, cereal, oil.

Why not honor a loved one this Memorial Day while also helping those in need by purchasing a memorial card through the St. Vincent de Paul Society? Forms for purchasing a card can be found on the bulletin board in the narthex. Please fill one out, include your memorial contribution to SVdP and return them in the collection or the mail. The Immaculate Heart of Mary Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society thanks you for your generosity.

### MARIAN COUNCIL RUMMAGE SALE

*Coming soon!*

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 DON'T  
WANT A VELVET ELVIS IN  
YOUR HOUSE!**

**PUT IT IN THE RUMMAGE  
SALE! *WOW!***

The Marian Council will accept items for the sale this weekend. 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!

### What's Your Catholic IQ?

1. The prayer often said at the end of the recitation of the Rosary is the

- (a) A prayer called "The End."
- (b) Hail, Holy Queen;
- (c) Act of Contrition;
- (d) Litany of the Saints

2. The Spanish title given to priests is

- (a) pueblo; (b) papa; (c) padre; (d) friar

3. Jesus told his disciples they could move mountains if they

- (a) healed the sick;
- (b) cast out demons;
- (c) had faith the size of a mustard seed;
- (d) had a lever and a fulcrum

4. Saints' feast days are usually the date of their death because

- (a) their suffering made their deaths holy;
- (b) those days are considered their "birthdays" into eternal life;
- (c) no other days in their lives were memorable;
- (d) none of these

5. Easter is observed on the Sunday following

- (a) St. Patrick's Day;
- (b) April First;
- (c) Mardi Gras;
- (d) the first full moon after the spring equinox

6. According to tradition, Paul died by being

- (a) hung; (b) beheaded; (c) drowned; (d) crucified

7. The doctrine of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary into heaven was officially defined in

- (a) 333; (b) 1066; (c) 1492; (d) 1950

8. Jesus' name for the Father was

- (a) Abba; (b) Jehovah; (c) El Shaddai; (d) Pater

9. As a sacrament in the Roman Church, matrimony

- (a) is conferred by the priest;
- (b) is conferred by the couple;
- (c) is conferred by the best man and maid of honor;
- (d) none of these

10. The famous saint of Lisieux, France, is

- (a) Therese Martin; (b) Katharine Drexel;
- (c) John of the Cross; (d) Francis Xavier

Answers on the next page →

### 2015 WOMEN'S ACTS RETREAT

Renew your relationship with our Lord.

June 18-21, Pallottine Renewal Center.

All transportation provided.

Register now while there are still slots available.

Cost \$235 (financial assistance available).

For additional details call

Hayley Leitman, 636-528-8962,

Gretchen Sparks, 636-887-5227

or Joyce Hunsel, 636-448-5117.





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

*...a time to be born...*

Jack Wilson Canan,  
son of Ryan and Kelly Canan;  
and Jace Patrick Hespen,  
son of Joel and Jasmine Hespen.

*May they always keep the Lord foremost in their lives.*

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

Please pray for the repose of the soul of  
Erich Brakensiek, father of Kurt and Kathy Brakensiek.  
*May he rest in the peace of Christ.*

### ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED-

Would you like to ring the bells during Mass? Are you interested in the big, fancy books in the sanctuary? Do you have what it takes to carry candles and crosses? Are you interested in actively participating in the Mass as an altar server?



***Maybe you should consider doing just that!***

Come and join us on Wednesday night for some training to do something new and different.

**Altar Server Training, Wed, May 20 at 6:00 pm.**

To sign up please call the Parish Office at 636.398.5270.

**Serving is open to both girls and boys.**

### CHECK IT OUT *...for youth and young adults*



**Crossroads-** the next meeting will be on May 19;  
more information to follow or contact Julie  
Lassiter at [julie.r.lassiter@gmail.com](mailto:julie.r.lassiter@gmail.com)

### **STEBENVILLE CONFERENCES IS EXCITED TO ANNOUNCE A NEW OUTREACH TO YOUNG ADULTS.**

We've been hard at work planning an amazing conference that will feature powerful speakers, opportunities to deepen your Catholic faith, and grow in community. The conferences will be called **Encounter: Awakening a Generation**, and will take place at the St. Charles Convention Center in St. Charles, MO; Friday evening through Sunday, May 29-31.

You may have been on a Steubenville Youth Conference as a teenager and asked yourself - "what is there for me now?" - the answer is Encounter. Know that this conference is planned specifically for you as a Catholic young adult and will be a different experience from the High School conferences- but it will be every bit as powerful! Contact:

Office of Young Adult Ministry  
c/o Encounter 2015

20 Archbishop May Dr., St. Louis, MO 63119

Phone: 314-792-7083 or email  
[encounterstl@archstl](mailto:encounterstl@archstl).

### ANSWERS TO CATHOLIC IQ

1. **(b)** The Hail, Holy Queen (Salve, Regina in Latin) dates from at least the eleventh century.
2. **(c)** Padre, the word for "father:" reflects the family of faith to which we belong
3. **(c)** If your faith were the size of a mustard (Matthew 17:20).
4. **(b)** Those engaged in hagiography (the study of the saints) refer to a saint's day of death as the dies natalis or "birthday" into eternal life.
5. **(d)** The Council of Nicaea in 325 A.D. decided the method.
6. **(b)** Since Paul was a Roman citizen, his manner of execution was beheading. The site was Rome, in 67 or 68 A.D.
7. **(d)** The belief in Mary's Assumption or "Dormition" as it's known in the Eastern Churches dates from the earliest years. In 1950 the doctrine officially was promulgated by Pope Pius XII.
8. **(a)** Abba is the Aramaic word for "father" used by Jesus (Mark 14:36).
9. **(b)** In the Roman rite the spouses confer on each other the sacrament of matrimony "by expressing their consent before the Church:
10. **(a)** Lisieux is the birthplace of St. Therese the Little Flower (1873- 1897). She is famous for her "Little Way" of following Jesus. Her feast day is October 1.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Marion Mueller	Angel Owens
Patricia Prongue	Ted Pivin
Patricia Rudolf	Cathy, with cancer
Walt and his family	Bob Cova
Shirley McDonald	William Brittingham
Ann Fitzgerald	Michael, with a tumor
Diane Bocklage	Rick Buenemann
Susan Van Booven	Judy Jacobs' mom
Jennifer Fitzinger	Elizabeth Pisarek
Terri Guernsey	Rick Cobleigh
Steve Geldien	Tricia Woodf
Melissa Van Hoy	14-year-old with addiction issues
Dave Hendrix	Joan Allen
Al Bamert	Danielle
Ted Feldewerth	Larry with cancer
Jo-nell Falcon	Chris Hanna
Kenneth McCauley	Rita Bendel's brother Tom
Nancy Hollenstein	Michael Candrl and his family
Jolene Molitor	Linda Candrl and her family
Charlie Grady	Jackie Hackett
Bette King	Virgil Gildehaus
Frank Modder	Lori Zenobia
Denny Steinmeyer	Alice Molitor
Tom Miller	Maxine Drinen
Mildred Riley	
Sadie Rashid	
Baby Nathan	

## LITURGICAL MINISTERS

Please search your pockets for liturgical medallions. The church is missing quite a few at the moment. Please return them at your earliest convenience. Thank you.

**May 23**

**4:00 pm**

EM: Vanita Joerling, Donna Cuddihee, Loretta Bruns, Carol Baker, Ed Etzkorn, Jan Messig  
L: Ed Taylor, Larry Graves  
GB: Carol Harvell, Judy Cova  
S: Brody Stafford, Maggie Molitor  
U: Bryan Potter, John Bossert, Larry Graves, Tom Zaleuke

**May 24**

**7:30 am**

EM: Denise Pool, Janice Kardasz, John & Karen Wappelhorst, John Fiacco, Bill Key  
L: Michelle Greiwe, Peggy Dupree  
GB: Diane & Brittney Loyd  
S: Paige & Genny Greiwe, Mary Grace Becker  
U: Rich Molitor, Ed Rabbitt, Gary Potter, Walt Reel

**May 24**

**9:30 am**

EM: Judy Podhorn, Janet Hespen, Tom & Laura Holstein, Darlene Smith, Walter & Nancy Hollenstein, Maureen Blondin  
L: Bob Leeker, Roger Collins  
GB: Charles & Laurie Hinkle  
S: Lindsay Bouquet, Adam Molitor, Megan Tersteeg  
U: Gary Struckhoff, Stan Kostecki, Ben & Nick Wappelhorst, Curt Eccardt, George Stark

**May 24**

**11:15 am**

EM: Nancy Ast, Donna Wolff, Joan Marren-Slaughter, Jane Holstein, Jo Hailey, Mary Keune  
L: Suzanne & Tim Michaelree  
GB: Brice Family  
S: Elli Russell, Madison Skambraks  
U: Todd Neihouse, Glen Taylor

## NIGHT AT BUSCH STADIUM FUNDRAISER

Join the Sisters of the Most Precious Blood for an evening of baseball! The St. Louis Cardinals will be playing the Chicago Cubs on June 26 at 7:15 pm. Tickets are \$40 and bus transportation is available from O'Fallon for \$15. . Questions? Call 636-240-6010 ext. 273.

## Catholic Kids Camp- Coming Soon!

Join us July 13 through July 17- all ages are welcome! A nursery will be available. Participants older than 12 may volunteer to help. Contact Julie Lassiter with questions- 636-357-0121.

## St. Paul Library / Lighthouse CD Resources

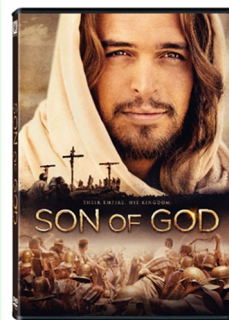
(Note: With close to 3000 items, the Parish Library is located in the Grand Hall past the restrooms. It is open during the week-normal business hours- and works on an honor system. Items from the Lighthouse CD rack are located and available in the Narthex.



### From the library

As law enforcement officers, Adam Mitchell, Nathan Hayes, David Thomson and Shane Fuller are confident and focused. Yet at the end of the day, they face a challenge that none of them are truly prepared to tackle: fatherhood. While they consistently give their best on the job, "good enough" seems to be all they can muster as dads. They quickly discover that their standard is missing the mark. When tragedy hits home, these men are left wrestling with their hopes, their fears, their faith, and their fathering. Can a newfound urgency help these dads draw closer to God...and to their children? Filled with action-packed police drama, *Courageous* is the fourth film from Sherwood Pictures, the moving-making ministry of Sherwood Baptist Church in Albany, Georgia. Riveted moviegoers will once again find themselves laughing, crying, and cheering as they are challenged and inspired by everyday heroes who long to be the type of dads that make a lifelong impact on their children. Protecting the streets is second nature to these men. Raising their children in a God-honoring way? That's courageous.

### From the Parish Library: Stoltz Grand Hall



Now, the larger-than-life story of The New Testament gets a larger-than life treatment in the stand-alone feature SON OF GOD. Told with the scope and scale of an action epic, the film features powerful performances, exotic locales, dazzling visual effects and a rich orchestral score from Oscar-winner Hans Zimmer. Portuguese actor Diogo Morgado portrays Jesus as the film spans from his humble birth through his teachings, crucifixion and ultimate resurrection. It marks the first motion picture about Jesus' life since Passion of the Christ, released ten years ago

*Vitae Foundation is hosting its Annual Pro-Life Event on Tuesday, June 2, 2015, at the Hilton St. Louis Frontenac. The featured speaker is Allen West, former Congressman and CEO of the National Center for Policy Analysis. The registration fee is \$100 per person (\$50 is tax-deductible). The Event begins at 7:00 p.m.*

*Seating is limited to those with reservations, so make YOURS soon by calling 573-634-4316. Reservations may also be made online at [www.VitaeFoundation.org/events](http://www.VitaeFoundation.org/events)*

*For more information about the event and about Vitae Foundation, please visit our website [www.VitaeFoundation.org](http://www.VitaeFoundation.org).*



**TODAY!**

Friends of Emmaus

## 4th Annual Spring Festival

Sunday, May 17 from noon to 5:00 pm

Quilt auction at 3:00 pm; 50 beautiful quilts

Featuring crafts, ice cream, booths, flea market

Dinner served from noon to 4:00 pm

Honey roasted chicken, chuck burgers,

German potato salad, homemade pie

Adults, \$11; children ages 6 to 12, \$4

Emmaus Homes on Highway D in Marthasville

636-561-7747

### LAUNCH YOUR INDEPENDENCE:

### LEARN TO BE YOUR OWN BOSS

Have you ever wondered what it takes to start or run your own business and be your own boss? The join St. Louis University for the 11th annual Allsup Entrepreneurship Academy. This weeklong program is open to high school students entering their freshman year up to graduated seniors. The academy takes place from July 27- July 31 with highlights of Cash Prizes, Field Trips and Entrepreneurial Celebrities. Generous scholarships are available based on GPA, Extracurricular Activities, SLU Alumni and Family Need. For more information, please contact Laura Gardner, Youth Programs Coordinator at 314-977-3282 or [lauragardner@slu.edu](mailto:lauragardner@slu.edu).

### BALLERINA PRINCESS CAMP

is being offered again this summer at IHM. Provided by Dance Time, LLC, girls ages 4 -7 will enjoy ballet class, crafts, games, dances, and stories all in the theme of a new princess each day. This year, our princesses include Jasmine, Rapunzel, Anna and Elsa. Camp will be July 21, 22, 23 from 9:00-11:00 in Founders Hall. Cost is \$30 for all three days. Enrollment is limited. For more information or to receive an enrollment form, contact Kathy Fowler at [Kathy@dancetimellc.com](mailto:Kathy@dancetimellc.com) or 636-262-5548.



### FORMING MEN FOR CHRIST: Monthly Men's Mass, Coffee and Talk with Fr. James Mason

ALL men are invited to join Fr. James Mason, J.D., the seminary's next President-Rector, for Mass, coffee, and a talk at **St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Clayton** every *second Thursday* of the month. The purpose of this monthly event is to help form men in the faith and moral teachings of the Catholic Church.

The next session will take place on **June 11**.

6:30 a.m. - Mass in the Church; 7:00 - 7:45 a.m. - Coffee; and Fr. Mason's Talk in the Centennial Room

Parish Office: 636-398-5270

## Future Events

- ☒ **Rummage sale drop-off** will begin this weekend; set-up in Founders Hall and the Pavilion will begin on Monday, May 18.
- ☒ **Training for new servers**, Wednesday, May 20, 6:00 pm in the church.
- ☒ **Monsignor Mank's 50th year as a priest**; Friday, May 22; don't forget to congratulate him!
- ☒ **The parish office will be closed on Monday, May 25 in observance of Memorial Day.**
- ☒ **Marian Council Rummage Sale** will begin on Wednesday, June 3; see the blurb in this bulletin for more information.
- ☒ **Wine and Cheese** for new parishioners will take place on Friday, June 5. An invitation will be sent out at a later date.



### THE FEAST DAY OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY AND

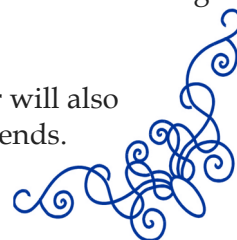
### THE ANNUAL PARISH APPRECIATION DINNER

The feast day of the Immaculate Heart, our patroness, is Saturday, June 13, 2015. On that day we will also host the annual Parish Appreciation Dinner and Heart of the Parish Award.

We are looking for volunteers to help our chefs Cy Bamert and Mike Reel, who will prepare a very special menu just for us! Help is needed to set up the dining room beforehand and of course with cleanup afterwards. If you can help please contact Sarah in the office, 636-398-5270.

Nomination forms for this year's "Heart of the Parish Award" will be available on the weekends of May 30/31 and June 6/7. It's time to start thinking about it!

Reservations for the Dinner will also be taken on those weekends.



## Out and About

### Breakfasts and Dinners

- **SUPPORT THE WORK OF THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.** Have dinner at Applebee's in Wentzville on May 21; a portion of the profit will go to the St. Charles area Knights.
- **TASTE OF ST. DOMINIC** Please join St. Dominic High School for the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Taste of St. Dominic "Totally Trucks" event, Sunday May 31 from 11:00 – 2:00 PM. Food Trucks include: Pyro Pizz STL, Chris's Smokehouse BBQ, Locoz Tacoz, Sarah's Cupcakes, and Lulu's Shaved Ice and Frozen Custard. FREE ADMISSION.
- **FRIED CHICKEN AND KETTLE BEEF** Dinner with all the fixings at St. Anne's Parish located in French Village (Hwy Y at Brickley Road) on Sunday, June 14, 2015, between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m). The cost for adults is \$10 and \$5 for children 12 and under. A soda stand will be available and coolers are welcome. Quilt Bingo games start at 1 p.m.

### Just for fun

- **GOLF TOURNAMENT:** St. Ferdinand Parish invites you to play in its annual golf tournament on Saturday June 27, 2015. Registration begins at 12:30 pm. Play will be at Eagle Springs Golf Course. Golf, cart, beverages, a steak dinner and a special gift is included. Prizes will be awarded. 314-972-6000.
- **RUMMAGE AND BAKE SALE** at St. Pius V Church Parking Lot, Grand and McKean in South City; Saturday, May 23 from 8:00 am to 3:00 pm; 314-776-4033
- **ST. VINCENT DEPAUL DINNER AUCTION** at the school in Dutzow; Saturday, Aug. 1; save the date! The theme will be "The Wonderful Wizard of Oz". 636-433-2883
- **ST. DOMINIC HIGH SCHOOL'S ANNUAL REUNION WEEKEND** will be held Saturday May 30, 2015. If you are a St. Dominic High School alum and your class year ends in 5 or 0, you and a guest are invited to attend. Event is FREE. contact Beth Runge, [brunge@stdominichs.org](mailto:brunge@stdominichs.org)
- **GOLF TOURNAMENT:** Help people who are homeless build permanent change! Book your dinner reservation and/or golfer fivesome for St. Patrick's Irish Open Dinner Auction and Golf Tournament, sponsored by Safety National. The dinner auction will be held Saturday, May 30, at Four Seasons Hotel St. Louis and the golf tournament will be held Monday, June 1, at Norwood Hills Country Club. contact Katie Joseph at 314-802-1976
- **DINNER AUCTION, "TASTE OF ITALY"**, on Saturday, June 20 at St. Joseph Church in Josephville. Tickets are \$30 and include dinner, dessert, and drinks. All proceeds raised support the school. Contact Bonnie at 314 313-8550.
- **ICD PARISH PICNIC**, May 29, 30, 31; games, rides, music, beer garden, concessions, raffles, country store; Fried Chicken dinner on Sunday from noon to 6:00 pm; 636-561-6611
- **RUMMAGE SALE:** St. Catherine Laboure Parish will host their 7th Annual Ultimate Rummage Sale on June 4, 5 & 6, 2015 in the School Gymnasium and Parish Hall at 9740 Sappington Road 63128; call 314-843-3245.

### Opportunities

- **PILGRIMAGE TO OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE IN MEXICO;** Dec. 10-16, 2015; with parishioner and author Denise Bossert. Call Denise at 636-352-8705 for more information
- **FERTILITYCARE CLASSES:** Discover-what every couple needs to know, what every woman has a right to know. Sign up for CREIGHTON MODEL Fertility Care classes, featuring the new women's health science, NaProTECHNOLOGY. Introductory Sessions taught at noon on Saturday, May 23rd at St Joseph Hospital West, Lake St Louis. Information: [636-625-5423](tel:636-625-5423) or Register: [1-866-776-3627](tel:1-866-776-3627)
- **CONTEMPLATIVE OUTREACH OF ST. LOUIS** is excited to sponsor a day with Fr. W. Meninger, OCSO, 8 am-4:30 pm on Saturday, June 27, 2015 at DuBourg Hall, Saint Louis University. Join us and learn about contemplative prayer from this world-renowned practitioner and lecturer. For more information visit <http://centeringprayerstl.org> or call Rita at [636-485-7187](tel:636-485-7187)
- **ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON PARISH IS CELEBRATING 40 YEARS THIS SUMMER.** We are looking for original parishioners who have moved out of the parish but are still in the Archdiocese, please contact [m2barnason@gmail.com](mailto:m2barnason@gmail.com) or Melissa Barnason at [314.913.3723](tel:314.913.3723) to be placed on the invitation list!
- **SACRED HEART FAMILY CAMP - EAGLE HURST RANCH;** Friday, May 29, 5:00 p.m. through Sunday, May 31, 3:00 p.m. Sacred Heart Family Camp is a Retreat for parents and children and youth (age 4 through college). It is a time to strengthen the love of Jesus in your family. Time is provided for families to play and pray together. This Family Retreat is given by the Sacred Heart Sisters and priests on the staff. (314) 429-0526 or (314)792-7461