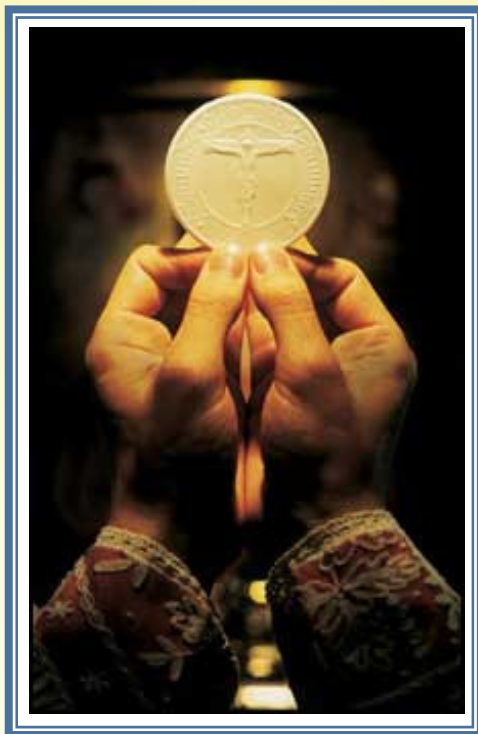


*Immaculate
Heart of Mary
Church*

New Melle, Missouri



June 7, 2015

*The Most Holy
Body and Blood
of Christ*

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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*The cup of salvation I will take up and I will call
upon the name of the LORD.*

— Psalm 116:13

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, June 7

Corpus Christi Sunday

Monday, June 8

4:00 pm

Girl Scouts, Weber Hall

6:30 pm

Scouts, Founders Hall

Tuesday, June 9

9:00 am and 5:30 pm

Exercise Classes, Grand Hall Foyer

Wednesday, June 10

8:00 am

Rummage Sale, pavilion and Founders Hall

7:30 pm

Reconciliation, church

Thursday, June 11

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, June 12

8:30 am

Quilters, Weber Hall

2:00 pm

Prayer Shawl Ministry, Weber Hall

4:00 pm

Rummage Sale, Pavilion and Founders Hall

6:30 pm

Flower Arranging Class, Grand Hall

Saturday, June 13

The Feast Day of the Immaculate Heart

**There will be no confessions this morning
due to the feast day events.**

8:00 am

Rummage Sale, Pavilion and Founders Hall

8:45 am

St. Vincent dePaul meeting in the pantry;

this is NOT an open-pantry day

10:00 am

Mass, followed by a procession to honor Our Lady;

Reception afterwards in Weber Hall

6:30 pm

Parish Appreciation Dinner for those who have registered;
call the parish office no later than Tuesday, June 9

JOIN THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR JUNE, 2015

Universal: That immigrants and refugees may find welcome and

respect in the countries to which they come.

Evangelization: That the personal encounter with
Jesus may arouse in many young people the desire
to offer their own lives in priesthood or consecrated
life.



Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, June 6

8:00 am Randy and Lukas Schneider +
4:00 pm Bob Rapp +

Sunday, June 7

7:30 am People of the Parish
9:30 am Erma Guinn +
Dennis Schipper +
Joe Sinopole +

Monday, June 8

8:00 am Mary Merrill +

Tuesday, June 9

8:00 am Shirley Stranz +
Betty Holtmeyer
All Souls Intentions

Wednesday, June 10

Thursday, June 11

8:00 am Moira Ryan +
John Bax +

Friday, June 12

8:00 am Iris Bader +

Saturday, June 13

10:00 am Parish Feast Day
4:00 pm Edward Reifsteck +

Sunday, June 14

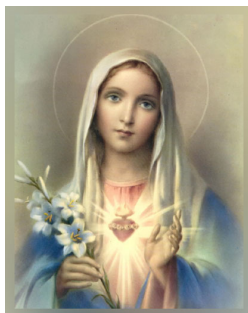
7:30 am Jerome Kluge +
9:30 am People of the Parish
11:15 am Jack Hitt +

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Cor 1:1-7; Ps 34:2-9; Mt 5:1-12
Tuesday: 2 Cor 1:18-22; Ps 119:129-133, 135;
Mt 5:13-16
Wednesday: 2 Cor 3:4-11; Ps 99:5-9; Mt 5:17-19
Thursday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Ps 85:9ab, 10-14;
Mt 5:20-26
Friday: Hos 11:1, 3-4, 8c-9; Is 12:2-6;
Eph 3:8-12, 14-19; Jn 19:31-37
Saturday: 2 Cor 5:14-21; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Mt 5:33-37
or, for the Memorial of the Immaculate Heart,
Is 61:9-11; 1 Sam 2:1, 4-8abcd; Lk 2:41-51
Sunday: Ez 17:22-24; Ps 92:2-3, 13-16;
2 Cor 5:6-10; Mk 4:26-34

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Tuesday: St. Ephrem
Thursday: St. Barnabas
Friday: The Most Sacred Heart
of Jesus
Saturday: Immaculate Heart of
the Blessed Virgin Mary;
St. Anthony of Padua



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

On the first day of the Feast of Unleavened Bread, when they sacrificed the Passover lamb, Jesus' disciples said to him, "Where do you want us to go and prepare for you to eat the Passover?"
Mark 14:12

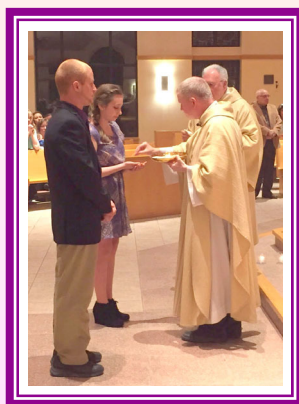
On the night of the Last Supper, as in the embrace following a wedding feast, Jesus gave His Bride, the Church, Himself—"This is My Body." Fulfilling all the "types" of the Old Testament, particularly the Passover meal, our Lord united Himself to us by way of a Communion meal, leading us out of the slavery from sin. Think of these "types" of the Eucharist in the OT and how Jesus has fulfilled them: The tree of life; The offering of Abel; The offering of Isaac; The offering of Melchizedek; The offering of the Firstborn / Passover Lamb; The Manna in the Desert.

If someone charted all my words and actions over a period of a month, would their report give much evidence that I truly believed in the Eucharist?

Become what you received

Dear parishioners,

As we celebrate the Solemn Feast of Corpus Christi, I recall the words of St. Augustine to the faithful of Hippo: *"Become what you have received."* That simple phrase is such an immense invitation and challenge to all of us. You and I have been invited not only to praise the Living God, to offer our worship, service and sacrifice but also to receive Him in the mystery of The Sacrament. Hard to believe we are privileged to touch the Savior of the Universe, to consume the Eternal Word of God, to experience communion with Jesus Christ.



Many don't believe in the mystery of the Eucharist. Perhaps they have never attempted to understand the mystery, or perhaps they have an incomplete or unexplored faith. It does take some effort to grow in anything, and faith takes more effort than other self-evident endeavors. To sustain a relationship with persons with whom you cannot relate on a sensory level is the most challenging of relationships. We have to constantly cultivate a religious awareness that is something akin to imagination except that we are seeking the ultimate reality. We are brushing up against things too great for our limited grasp, but we have been invited to ask, seek and knock. Even more amazing is that we believe that God has given us the Church to help us in this lifelong adventure. It is so hard to love God because we cannot see Him and so hard to love our neighbor because we can.

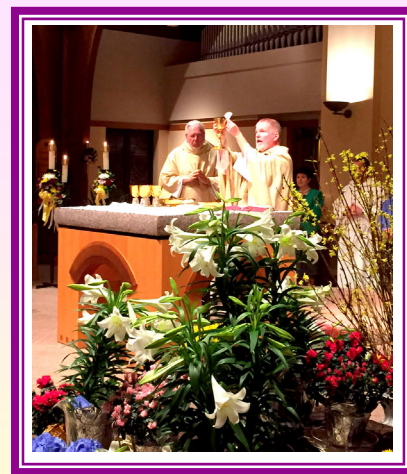
God help us! And He has.

"Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed." Those are the most honest words I speak every day. I hope they are for you as well. We are not worthy, not now, not ever. But praise be to God for His grace and mercy that give us the freedom to approach Him with confidence and courage. Even more startling are the words of St. Augustine — to become like the One we receive. *"Amen"* is just the beginning of our response to Jesus. Imitating His life is the goal set for all of us who are sincere about discipleship.

We are not perfect and we never proclaim our perfection, but we do proclaim One who is perfect and calls us to discipleship. We want to invite others to know the Living and Loving Lord, to begin the amazing adventure of faith and conversion. We know we will sin, fail and falter along the way. But God has given us His Son and the Church to forgive our sins, to lift us up from our failings and to steady us along the way.

"Behold the Lamb of God, Behold Him who takes away the sins of the world, blessed are those called to the Supper of the Lamb." Those words always make me pause in awe and wonder.

We are so blessed.



Peace,

Fr. Tom

**NEWS
FROM THE
RELIGIOUS
EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT**

In this Archdiocesan “Year of Prayer” here is the first of some ways parents can help teach their children to pray. 1. **Teach the five-finger method.** This approach to prayer may help your child become comfortable with praying. It includes five steps: give praise, give thanks, make a request for another person, ask for forgiveness, and make a request for yourself.



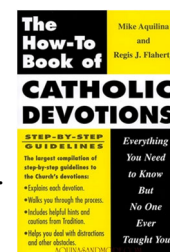
Top Ten List: Fr. Tom gave a homily in which he listed the “top ten” spiritual priorities that all of us are called to prayerfully put in place. This week we look at # 3.

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.

Develop a daily habit of examining your conscience.

What this basically means is at some point during the day, typically at the end of the day before you go to bed (or are in bed) reflect upon your blessings and ask forgiveness for your sins. This is a brief renewal of your commitment to try and follow Christ faithfully tomorrow.

This can be a general renewal, or you can formulate some kind of a specific resolution, e.g. “Lord, tomorrow, with your help, I don’t want to gossip during our lunch, so please help me to change the subject when it starts, or at least give me the strength and wisdom to know how to respond.” Then follow with an act of contrition telling God you are sorry for your sins. This doesn’t have to be a formal act of contrition (you can use your own words), but sometimes it helps to use a simple formula. For example, you can use the act of contrition utilized at the end of confession, or the “I confess to almighty God...” prayer we utilize at the beginning of Mass. This may seem like an incredibly complicated way to spend five minutes. But in reality it isn’t. You will find your own rhythm, and the Holy Spirit will help you. The important thing is to make this examination of conscience a staple of your daily diet. If you find it hard at first because your mind is racing, you may want to try doing it in writing: a) write down two specific things you are thanking for from the day; b) write down one thing about your behavior from the day that you would change if you could go back in time; c) write down a petition for the grace to follow Christ faithfully tomorrow. The goal is to keep the voice of conscience, where God dwells within, attentive and awake as we strive to know him more clearly, follow him more nearly, and love him more dearly.



MEALS ON WHEELS is looking for a few people in our area willing to be a substitute for the regular drivers from our parish. This is not a ministry specific to IHM, but several of our parishioners have been helping with the Meals on Wheels program for many years. If interested in finding out more and how you can be of assistance, please call Jean Reed-Bammann at 636-798-2718.



Dynamic Catholic, Alive! – The Real Presence

As we celebrate the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, we reflect on the importance of the Eucharist to the life of the Church. The Church teaches that in the Eucharist Christ is present body, blood, soul, and divinity. The Eucharist, which was instituted by Christ on Holy Thursday, is the “source and summit of all Christian life” (*Compendium*, 274). How do you approach the Eucharist? Have you gone to Adoration recently?

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NEWS FROM HOME



Stewardship

June 7, 2015

St. Joseph Chapel "Heavenly Dusters"

Marilyn O'Neill

The collection figures for Sunday, May 31:

General Offertory: \$8,777.00

Online-General Offering: \$3,367.00

Total: \$12,144.00

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

St. Vincent DePaul Society

Items needed for the food pantry:

paper towels, bleach, juice, sweetener, spaghetti/spaghetti sauce, canned fruit

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

WE WILL NOT ACCEPT MORE DONATIONS AFTER THIS WEEK. ALL DONATIONS MUST BE IN THE PAVILION BY SUNDAY, JUNE 7.

PLEASE— NO APPLIANCES, COMPUTERS OR TVS.

More information on the rummage sale may be found on the last page of this bulletin.

CHECK IT OUT ..for youth and young adults

Crossroads- the next meeting will be on June 16 ; more information to follow or contact Julie Lassiter at julie.r.lassiter@gmail.com

MEDICARE MADE CLEAR- an overview of Medicare benefits, options, and where to turn for help; Thursday, June 25 at 10:30 AM in the St. Anselm Parish Centre, 530 South Mason Rd., Creve Coeur, MO 63141; **314-878-2120**

What's Your Catholic IQ?

The Sacrament of the Eucharist I

(CCC # 1322 - 1419)

1. Which of these statements regarding the Eucharist are true?

- a). In the Eucharist we unite ourselves with the heavenly liturgy and anticipate eternal life.
- b). The Eucharist is the source and summit of the Christian life.
- c). All of the ministries and sacraments of the Church are bound up with the Eucharist.
- d). All of the above

2. Which of these was the common name for the Eucharist in the Early Church?

- a). The Heavenly Liturgy
- b). The Breaking of the Bread
- c). The Gathering
- d). Dinner Time

3. True or False: In the celebration of the Eucharist with the apostles and his commandment to them to celebrate it until His return, Jesus constitutes the apostles as priests of the New Testament.

4. We speak of the Eucharist as a memorial of Christ's sacrifice. In the sense that Sacred Scripture uses the term 'memorial' we mean that:

- a). we promise to conform our lives to Christ's as the events of his life are made present to us.
- b). Christ's unique sacrifice is made real, present and sacramentally offered.
- c). we remember what Christ has done for us.
- d). we are to recreate visually the historical event as food for meditation.
- e). a and b.

5. Name the book, chapter, and verse from which this comes: "he who eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life".

6. True or false. Because through our baptism we share in the priestly, prophetic, and kingly ministry of Christ, every believer can therefore validly preside at the Eucharist.

7. The essential signs of the Eucharist are the consecrated bread and wine. Name at least one Old or New Testament event that prefigures, that prepares for, the offering of bread and wine in the Eucharist.

8. Which of the following is true about the Eucharistic species? Pick any combination of the following:

- a. Christ is present symbolically.
- b. Christ is not present bodily, but is present in the power of the Holy Spirit.
- c. Christ is present in his Body and Blood, soul and divinity.
- d. Christ is bodily present along with the true bread and wine.
- e. Christ is present really, truly and substantially.

Answers on the next page →

ANSWERS TO CATHOLIC IQ

1. **d).** Para. 1324: The Eucharist is "the source and summit of the Christian life" (LG 11). "
2. **b).** Para. 1329: "The Breaking of Bread, because Jesus used this rite, part of a Jewish meal...above all at the Last Supper. It is by this action that his disciples will recognize him after his Resurrection and it is this expression that the first Christians will use to designate their Eucharistic assemblies..."
3. **True.** Para. 1337: "In order to leave them a pledge of this love...he instituted the Eucharist as the memorial of his death and Resurrection... 'thereby he constituted them priests of the New Testament.'"
4. **e).** Para. 1363: "In the sense of Sacred Scripture the memorial is not merely the recollection of past events but the proclamation of the mighty works wrought by God for men. In the liturgical celebration of these events, they become in a certain way present and real. This is how Israel understands its liberation from Egypt: every time Passover is celebrated, the Exodus events are made present to the memory of believers so that they may conform their lives to them."
5. Para. 1406: Jesus said: "I am the living bread that came down from heaven; if any one eats of this bread, he will live for ever; . . . he who eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life and . . . abides in me, and I in him" (**Jn 6:51, 54, 56**).
6. **False.** Para. 1411: Only validly ordained priests can preside at the Eucharist and consecrate the bread and the wine so that they become the Body and Blood of the Lord.
7. Para. 1333: . . . The Church sees in the gesture of the priest-kings **Melchizedek**, who "brought out bread and wine," a prefiguring of her own offering" (Gen 14:18; cf. Roman Missal, EP I [Roman Canon] 95).
8. **c and e.** Para. 1413: "Under the consecrated species of bread and wine Christ himself, living and glorious, is present in a true, real, and substantial manner: his Body and his Blood, with his soul and his divinity."

The Marian Council will sponsor a Bunco Night on Tuesday, June 16 at 6:30 pm.

Bring \$5 for prize money and \$5 to cover the cost of snacks and beverages. Beer and wine will be available for purchase. Please call Michelle Brothers to make your reservation and also to find out which ingredient you should bring for the "Cooperation Salad"- 314-614-1114 or email her at brothersmic@aol.com. See you there!



FLOWER ARRANGEMENT CLASS- Nancy Ast will have a class on Friday, June 12 at 6:30 pm in the Grand Hall to make the centerpieces for the Parish Appreciation Dinner. After the dinner, the centerpieces will be yours to take home and enjoy! Call to reserve your spot, 636-398-5270. Cost is \$5 for materials; please bring your own scissors.

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

...a time to be born...

Steven Robert, son of Victoria and Rick Hagan
and grandson of Sharon Hagan
May he always keep the Lord foremost in his life.

THE GUIDEBOOK IS HERE! The most recent edition of the Guide Book has been mailed to all of the registered households in the parish. If you did not receive one, this means that you are most likely not officially registered with our office. If you are making Immaculate Heart of Mary your parish home, please stop in the office to fill out the registration form. Also, if your phone number is missing or incorrect, please call Sarah at 636-398-5270 to update the office with your phone number.

RECYCLING NOTICE:

We are in the process of removing the paper recycling bins. Please use the recycling bins at Daniel Boone School on Highway D instead.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Marion Mueller	Bob Cova
Patricia Prongue	William Brittingham
Patricia Rudolf	Rick Buenemann
Walt and his family	Judy Jacobs' mom
Shirley McDonald	Elizabeth Pisarek
Ann Fitzgerald	Rick Cobleigh
Diane Bocklage	Tricia Woodf
Susan Van Booven	Joan Allen
Jennifer Fitzinger	Danielle
Terri Guernsey	Larry with cancer
Steve Geldien	Chris Hanna
Melissa Van Hoy	Rita Bendel's brother Tom
Dave Hendrix	Michael Candrl and his family
Al Bamert	Linda Candrl and her family
Ted Feldewerth	Jackie Hackett
Jo-nell Falcon	Virgil Gildehaus
Kenneth McCauley	Alice Molitor
Nancy Hollenstein	Maxine Drinen
Jolene Molitor	Tom Holstein
Charlie Grady	Mary Meyer and her family
Bette King	Andy Ehrmann
Frank Modder	JoAnn Cwiklowski
Denny Steinmeyer	Nancy
Tom Miller	Jewel Kostecki
Mildred Riley	Judy
Sadie Rashid	Catherine Bamert
Darryl and Clara Bockting	Gayle
Angel Owens	Tammy Boyd
Ted Pivin	
Rita Elfrink	
Mary Foley	

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

June 13 4:00 pm

EM: Walt & Jan Karase, Vanita Joerling, Carol Baker, Donna Cuddihee, Ed Etzkorn
L: Karen Wilson, Jan Messig
GB: Gerard & Sandy Knott
S: Jessica & Jorja Spivey
U: Larry Graves, Bill Pollihan, Tom Zaleuke, Stan Nikonowicz

June 14 7:30 pm

EM: Mary Hardesty, John & Karen Wappelhorst, Walt & Jean Reel, Denise Pool
L: Richard & Kathy Lalonde
GB: Frank & Jan Kardasz
S: Andy & Daniel Vehige
U: Larry Gassei, Gary Potter, Rich Molitor, Mike Hardesty

June 14 9:30 pm

EM: John Grady, Don & Susan Hladky, Debi Orf, Joe Faron Sr., Clara Haas, Pat Gentry, Judeen Kutsko
L: Bob Leeker, Ron Kutsko
GB: Michelle Greiwe & girls
S: Liam Grady, Jennifer Bossert, Karly Raymond
U: John Bossert, Chris & Justin Molitor, Terry Schneider, Dave DeBold, Jim Blondin

June 14 11:15 pm

EM: Katie Wibbenmeyer, Donna Wolff, Jane Holstein, Jo Hailey, Joan Marren-Slaughter, Mary Keune
L: Tim Beerman, Nancy Ast
GB: Chris & Kat Menne
S: Madison Skambraks, Emma Wibbenmeyer
U: Todd Neihouse, Glen Taylor, **one more please**

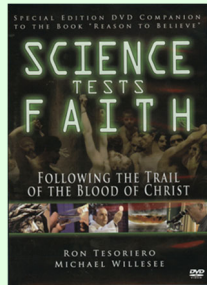
THE LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR, who have been welcoming aged poor persons and sharing their lives with them within our Archdiocese for over 140 years, will be visiting our parish the weekend of June 13 and 14 to speak of their mission within the Church, and to ask our help. Their Home, in North St. Louis, currently serves 115 needy elderly persons who are loved and cared for until death, so that they live in security and dignity.

The heart of their mission is simply to provide a "Home", so that those elderly with whom the sisters joyfully share their lives, realize how much God loves them and wants them to be with Him forever in heaven. Throughout their history, the Little Sisters have depended on the collaboration of the laity to enable them to support their Residents and live their vocation. The Sisters will have envelopes in the pews and will briefly speak at Mass to ask your support. Please make checks payable to the Little Sisters of the Poor.

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 Parish Library: Stoltz Grand Hall



A modern Eucharistic Miracle? Perfect for Corpus Christi. Hear the Story unfold as Science finds: Blood & Flesh, Human DNA, Heart Muscle and White Blood Cells, all in a Bleeding Consecrated Host as the Truth of the Eucharist is revealed by Science! Yet science cannot produce a detailed DNA profile from not only the Host but also from a bleeding statue of Christ. These intriguing and very extraordinary scientific findings are presented in detail in this DVD by compelling and thought provoking witnesses to their faith. The DNA and forensic studies present a strong testimony for a renewed love and belief in the true presence of Jesus in this Most Holy Sacrament".

From the Parish Library: Stoltz Grand Hall

Gifted Hands: The Ben Carson Story. In a word: INSPIRING. My six-old son watched this with me. When he saw what young Ben had to go through as a student from his peers and from society, he looked at me with tears in his eyes and said "And he STILL wanted to learn?" He got it. Kimberly Elise's portrayal of Sonya Carson brought tears to my eyes, but I never felt sorry for her. Without a lot of explanation, you knew she had a hard life but she was no one's victim. She did what had to be done whether it be pushing her sons academically or checking herself into a hospital to help deal with her depression (when mental illness was still taboo). Ben's mother was the real hero of this story and her son's achievements are the result of her love, sacrifice and deep faith in believing her children could be anything, despite what label society tried to lay on them. This movie is a great excuse buster!



2015 WOMEN'S ACTS RETREAT

Renew your relationship with our Lord. June 18-21, Pallottine Renewal Center. All transportation provided.

Cost \$235 (financial assistance available).

For additional details call Hayley at 636-528-8962, Gretchen at 636-887-5227 or Joyce at 636-448-5117.

INSTITUTE OF THE HOLY DOCTORS

Information meeting; Thursday, June 11, 2015

7:00 pm at St. Gianna Catholic Church

- Forming students in Catholic Catechesis, liturgy, doctrine, practical spirituality and more

Call 314-308-5218 for more information

WHAT IS SO SPECIAL ABOUT THE PRIESTHOOD?

The answer is the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist! Through it the priest offers the most sublime of sacrifices, that of God the Son to God the Father, applying the merits of Calvary to our lives today.

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!

SEEKING FACILITATOR COUPLES FOR ARCHDIOCESAN MARRIAGE PREPARATION WORKSHOPS

Qualifications: Married at least five years; ages 30-55; engaging, energetic; love the Church and the fullness of truth; pursuing an active relationship with Jesus; open to sharing; and called to lead couples to a deeper faith. Some knowledge of Theology of the Body helpful.

Training will be provided.

Stipend: \$350 per weekend

Hours: 14-15 hours, split over two days (12 hours of presenting). The workshops are two-day workshops held Saturdays and Sundays. Snacks and a meal are provided.

We ask the facilitators to arrive 1-1½ hr. early to set up the class materials.

Contact: Kitty Mandis, Marriage Preparation Coordinator, Office of Laity & Family Life, 314.792.7182 or kittymandis@archstl.org.

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 or 636-262-5548.

EVANGELIZATION The Legion of Mary will spread the Good News of Jesus Christ door-to-door starting this July. We are hoping some others in the parish are willing to join us. **You DO NOT have to be a member of the Legion of Mary to help!**

Please call Nancy at [636 699 6920](tel:636-699-6920) for more information.



Parish Office: 636-398-5270

Future Events



Prayer Shawl Ministry, Friday, June 12 at 2:00 pm



The St. Vincent dePaul Society; June 13. Please note: this is a meeting for the organization, not an open-pantry day.



The K of C breakfast will not take place on Sunday, June 14.



Marriage Prep Classes, here at IHM but sponsored by the Archdiocese; June 27 and 28; register online at Archstl.org.



Baptism class; June 22, 7:00 pm, Weber Hall

CATHOLIC KIDS CAMP

We are thrilled to announce our upcoming main event for the young and young-at-heart of our parish. We need to remember that our youth need us to show them Christ's love and teach his ways. Our culture is very 'sports' minded and this year we want to help kids of all ages learn about how Christ can help them. Our program for 2015: **CATHLETICS: TRAINING TO BE CHAMPIONS FOR CHRIST!** The overall goal of this sports-themed week-long program is to engage kids into the LIFE OF CHRIST with teachings from God's Word on the Commandments, the Beatitudes and the Fruits of the Holy Spirit.

I NEED YOUR HELP!!!

-spread the word for our program (registration form may be found online)

-volunteer (plan, prep, teach, decorate, prepare the celebration meal on Friday)

-consider donating to our week (donations help families that cannot afford the camp)

Here are a few links that will help:

Register for camp:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1wYsE8prVCKAZ_2wT6FXLtHGxdBNLnCXOdOn0rkFec/viewform

Register to volunteer: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/121rb3UO0mE5gwQY0N4BtGbSX6LLh66N0M_1RxshJH/Qs/viewform

Share our facebook event: <https://www.facebook.com/events/443664879126141/>

Thank you in advance for any help you can offer.

Julie Lassiter, Young Adult Coordinator

[636-357-0121](tel:636-357-0121)



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.

Mass will be celebrated at 10:00 am, followed by a procession around the IHM property. A small reception will take place immediately afterwards.

Help is needed with setup in Weber Hall and cleanup afterwards. If you have flowers blooming in your garden and would like to bring some for Our Lady, please do. There will be vases available in the narthex on Saturday morning, June 13, for that purpose.

All parishioners are invited to the Appreciation Dinner.

Doors will open at 6:30 pm with dinner following at 7:30.

Help is needed to set up the dining room beforehand and of course with cleanup afterwards. Please RSVP to our Parish Office at 636-398-5270 no later than Tuesday, June 9 so we may plan accordingly.

Nomination forms for this year's "Heart of the Parish Award" will be available in church this weekend. Please leave the completed nomination forms in the baskets provided.



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6 DAYS ONLY-

Wednesday, June 3 from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm
Friday, June 5 from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm
Saturday, June 6 from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm
Wednesday, June 10 from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm
Friday, June 12 from 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm
Saturday, June 13 from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm

Founders Hall and the Pavilion will be filled, jammed and overflowing with treasures, trinkets, clothing, toys, furniture and decorative items.

DON'T MISS IT!

Out and About

- **Support the work of the Knights of Columbus;** Have dinner at Bob Evans in Wentzville on June 11 and a portion of the profit will go to the St. Charles area Knights.
- **Dinner Auction** on Saturday, June 20 at St. Joseph Church in Josephville. 314-313-8550
- **Night at Busch Stadium Fundraiser** for the Sisters of the Most Precious Blood; June 26, Cards vs. Cubs; 636-240-6010
- **Megan Meier Foundation Family Trivia Night** on Friday July 24; Barat Academy, 17815 Wild Horse Creek Road, Chesterfield, Mo 63017. <http://www.meganmeierfoundation.org/>
- **The Benedictine Sisters of Perpetual Adoration** will host their annual Summer Monastic Experience from Saturday, June 20 to Saturday, June 27 at their monastery in Clyde, MO. 660.254.3243.
- **Free Personal Finance Seminar** at the Rigali Center; Tuesday, June 16 from 6:30 – 8:00 pm presented by Fifth Third Bank and the Stewardship Office. Topics include household budgeting, money-saving strategies and techniques to reduce debt. 314-792-7215 to reserve your seat.
- **All Saints Parish Picnic -** JUNE 13-14; carnival rides, games, live music, all you can eat chicken and beef dinner; June 13 from Noon to 11:00 and June 14 from 11 am to 7 pm. 7 McMenemy Drive in St. Peters