

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church

New Melle, Missouri

*September 11,
2016*



*Twenty-fourth
Sunday of
Ordinary Time*

*“But now we must celebrate and rejoice,
because your brother was dead and has come to life again.”*

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**

Immaculate Heart of Mary

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Welcome!

Religious Education

Parish School of Religion (Grades 1 through 8)

September through May on Wednesdays from 6:00 to 7:30 pm

Confirmation Preparation (8th grade)

September through May on Wednesdays from 6:00 to 7:30 pm

Children's Liturgy of the Word

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

Adult Education

Wednesdays at 8:45 am and 6:10 pm.

This Week's Events

Reservations for the Mystery Dinner Theater will be sold
after all Masses this weekend in the narthex.

**Sign-up sheets for sausage dinner volunteers will be found in the
narthex this weekend.**

Sunday, September 11

8:00 am Knights of Columbus Breakfast, Founders Hall
9:30 am Children's Liturgy

Monday, September 12

6:30 pm Scouts, Founders Hall
6:30 pm Scouts, trailer
7:00 pm Hand bell choir, church

Tuesday, September 13

9:00 am and 5:30 pm Exercise class, Grand Hall foyer
9:00 am Legion of Mary
6:30 pm Marian Council, Weber Hall
6:45 pm Legion of Mary, St. Gianna
7:00 pm Children's choir, church

Wednesday, September 14

6:00 pm PSR, Founders Hall, Weber Hall
6:10 pm Fr. Tom- Talk on Year of Study, Grand Hall
7:30 pm Reconciliation, church; please note the later time

Thursday, September 15

9:00 am and 5:30 pm Exercise class, Grand Hall foyer
2:30 pm Blood Drive, Founders Hall
6:30 pm RCIA, Weber Hall
7:00 pm Adult Choir; church

Friday, September 16

8:30 am Quilters, Weber Hall

Saturday, September 17

8:00 am Mass followed by confession, Church
10:00 am Nar-Anon, trailer

There will be a collection this weekend

for the recent flood victims in Louisiana and Mississippi.

Saints for this week

Monday: The Most Holy Name of Mary
Tuesday: St. John Chrysostom
Wednesday: The Exaltation of the Holy Cross
Thursday: Our Lady of Sorrows; Friday: Ss. Cornelius and Cyprian;
Saturday: St. Robert Bellarmine; Blessed Virgin Mary

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, September 10

8:00 am Leonard Ferguson +
Living and Deceased Members of the Lauer Family
4:00 pm Rick Hagan +
Bill Ulery +

Sunday, September 11

7:30 am Mary Alice Dickherber +
Mimi Ferguson +
9:30 am People of the Parish
11:15 am Moira Ryan +
Cole Rosenberger +

Monday, September 12

8:00 am All Souls Intentions

Tuesday, September 13

8:00 am Gerrie Bader +
Jerome Kluge +

Wednesday, September 14

8:00 am Helena Davis +
Kenneth Sprock +

Thursday, September 15

8:00 am Joe Sinopole +
Gilbert Huenke +

Friday, September 16

8:00 am Shirley Brakensiek +
The Jokisch Family

Saturday, September 17

8:00 am Eric and Christina DeWilde
4:00 pm John Roche +
Patty Boedecker +

Sunday, September 18

7:30 am Ann Seper +
9:30 am Erma Guinn +
Ed Szostek +
11:15 am People of the Parish
Bob Rapp +

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Ps 40:7-10, 17; Lk 7:1-10
Tuesday: 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a; Ps 100:1-5; Lk 7:11-17
Wednesday: Nm 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-38;
Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17
Thursday: 1 Cor 15:1-11; Ps 118:1b-2, 16ab-17, 28;
Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 7:36-50
Friday: 1 Cor 15:12-20; Ps 17:1bcd, 6-8b, 15; Lk 8:1-3
Saturday: 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49; Ps 56:10c-14; Lk 8:4-15
Sunday: Am 8:4-7; Ps 113:1-2, 4-8; 1 Tm 2:1-8;
Lk 16:1-13 [10-13]

Join the Holy Father's Prayer Intentions -September, 2016

Universal: Centrality of the Human Person; That each may contribute to the common good and to the building of a society that places the human person at the center. **Evangelization: Mission to Evangelize--** That by participating in the Sacraments and mediating on Scripture, Christians may become more aware of their mission to evangelize.

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 Tom Holstein, 314-456-1639
Jeff Comotto, 314-570-6972

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

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

Marian Council Michelle Brothers, President
314-614-1114

Meals on Wheels Jean Reed-Bammann
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

[Jesus said,] "Suppose one of you has a hundred sheep and loses one... what does he do? He leaves the other ninety-nine sheep. . . and goes looking. - When he finds it, he is so happy that he.. carries it back home."

LUKE 15:4-5

The parable of the good shepherd reveals three amazing things about God's love for us. First, God's love is personal. God doesn't love us globally, but individually- each of us in a special, personal way. Second, God's love is unconditional. God doesn't love us only on the condition that we stay good and do not stray into sin. God loves us even when we stray- and to the point of going in search of us. Finally, God's love is a rejoicing love. God's response upon finding us is total joy-with no admixture of rebuke. What dimension of God's love do I, personally, think is most amazing? Why?

When I go forth to find You, I find You seeking me.

YEHUMAD HALEVI

Mark Link S.J. Vision 2000 (Year C)



The fall sausage
dinner is on the way!
We need volunteers!

Sunday, October 9, 2016
11:00 am to 6:00 pm
Immaculate Heart of Mary Church

Live Music,
Livers and Gizzards,
Wine and Beer
Garden

For more information, call the parish office at 636-398-5270

FALL PORK SAUSAGE DINNER

Whole Hog Pork Sausage Served family-style in Founders Hall
sauerkraut, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, green beans,
applesauce, bread, dessert, beverage

Carry-outs available; Cafeteria-style express dining in the pavilion

Adults \$12 at the door

Children (6-12) \$6; ages 5 and under are free

Many exciting events-

Craft Fair, Country Store, Marian Council Quilt Raffle,
Pull tabs, Children's Games

And don't forget the raffles--

The Bonanza Extravaganza And The BIG 50/50 Cash Drawing

Ooh, handmade quilts...

Sausage Dinner Quilt Raffle Tickets will be sold after all Masses on the weekends of September 24 and October 1. Tickets are only \$1 each or 6 for \$5.

This year, the Marian Council Quilters are also making a gorgeous Christmas quilt. Tickets for that raffle will be sold in November and December. Prices: \$2 per ticket or 3 for \$5.

Have you signed up to pray for vocations? The sign-up sheet is in the narthex. Please pray for our priests and religious.

LET'S KEEP IT GOING!

Watch this space for future news concerning the Trunk-or-Treat, Chili Cook-Off and Dessert Challenge, coming to New Melle on Sunday, October 31.

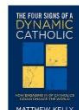
Start checking out your recipes--



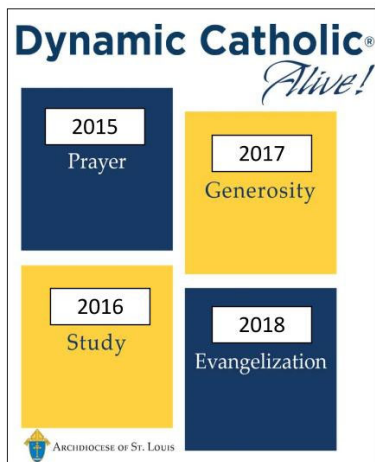
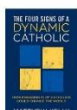
**NEWS
FROM THE
RELIGIOUS
EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT**

PSR Corner

Classes began September 7. All registered families should have received a log-in note from www.mycatholicfaithdelivered.com. It would also be good to make sure that catechists and parents have email contacts in order to stay in touch throughout the year.



Archdiocese of St. Louis 2016-2017 A Year of Study-Generosity



Three Week Series on the Theme of the Year: The Year of Study

Fr. Tom Miller will offer a weekly series sharing insights for the Year of Study--- Grand Hall at 6:10 PM.

Come for one, come for all.
Wednesdays, Sept. 14, 21 & 28, 2016



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SAVE THE DATE —The 44th Annual National March for Life—January 26-27-28, 2017; Thursday, Friday, Saturday; Missouri Life Caravan registration forms will be available in early October 2016.

Middle School Trivia Night – Fri., Sep. 16 at St. Joseph School, 1410 Josephville Rd, Wentzville for 6th-8th graders. Doors open at 6:30 pm. Trivia starts at 7pm. Cost is \$10 per person. Proceeds will benefit the St. Joseph 8th Grade Pro Life Trip. For more info call Tina at 636-639-9605.



No Strings Attached Choir Nights

You are invited to come and just see what we do at choir practices— no strings attached!

If you are thinking of sharing your gifts or are being bombarded with requests for your presence in one of our groups, this is an opportunity to just visit and see what we do during practice.

⇒ Hand bell choir (high school age and older; able to read music)– Monday, September 19 at 7:00 pm in the church

⇒ Children's choir and chimes (grade 2 and older)– Tuesday, September 20 at 7:00 pm in the church

And we are always looking for more voices for the adult choir. **Come visit us! You are welcome!**



YOUTH CONFERENCE— SPIRIT ALIVE 2016!

Early registration is now open for Spirit Alive 2016! Scheduled for October 21 & 22, this year's youth conference will feature the talents of Greg Walton, Bill Bleistine, and the Mobile Mission and will be held at St. Joseph Parish, 1410 Josephville Road, Wentzville. This high-energy weekend is open to students ages 12 – 18 with separate tracks designed specifically for 7th-8th graders, 9th-11th graders, and high school seniors. For more information, please contact Maria Citrowske (636-293-7149 or mtcc96@gmail.com) or visit <https://stjojo.net/youthconference.html>

Annual Assembly of the Missouri Catholic Conference

Plan on attending the Missouri Catholic Conference's 2016 Annual Assembly on Saturday, October 8 at the Missouri State Capitol in Jefferson City. This free event is sponsored by the bishops and everyone is invited. The keynote speaker will be Bishop Edward Rice. Workshops will be offered on a number of issues, including how virtue meets a culture of violence and how Catholics can approach decisions for the 2016 election. Lunch is provided and the day will end with Mass. Please pre-register by calling 1-800-456-1679.

MERCY HOSPITAL PROGRAMS FOR ADOLESCENTS, OLDER TEENS AND THEIR PARENTS:

These events provide an atmosphere of love and learning to promote communication between parents and their children. Age-appropriate information on the function of the reproductive systems is included— emphasizing respect, understanding and appreciation of God's gift of sexuality. For more information please call the Department of Fertility Care Services at Mercy Hospital, 314-991-0327.

10-12 year old girls– Oct. 9 and Feb. 26;

11-12 year old boys– Oct 23 and March 19;

13-17 year old boys– Nov. 6;

13-17 year old girls– April 2.

Sign up in the narthex to have The International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima in your home for a week. If you have any questions, please call Nancy Hollenstein at [636-798-2105](tel:636-798-2105).



NEWS FROM HOME



Stewardship

September 11, 2016

St. Joseph Chapel "Heavenly Dusters"

Nola Roderick

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

The collection figures for Sunday, August 28

General Offertory:	\$11,311.00
Online- General Offering:	\$1,386.00
Total:	\$12,697.00

The collection figures for Sunday, September 4

General Offertory:	\$8,589.26
Online – General Offering:	\$4,497.00
Total:	\$13,086.26

Thank you for your generosity!

Try Electronic Offertory

There are options for giving. Use weekly envelopes, the pink "Many Gifts, One Heart" capital campaign envelopes or check out On-Line giving at www.ihm-newmelle.org

St. Vincent DePaul Society

Items needed for the pantry: Coffee, canned fruit, hamburger helper, Tuna helper, vegetable oil, crackers, Bisquick, cleaning supplies, and shaving cream. Also a Great big **Thank You!** for the outpouring of generosity when we needed plastic bags. We have enough now, and they will last for quite awhile.



Legion of Mary: The Legion of Mary would like to invite the parishioners of IHM to join us as we renew our Consecration to Jesus through Mary. We will be using **33 Days to Morning Glory** as our preparation guide. Let us know if you would like to join us on this journey so that we can pray for you. For questions or to be added to our prayer list, please call Maria Romine at 314-614-0857 or email her at m_romine@sbcglobalnet.

TRAVELING PRO-LIFE BANNER: For two weeks, from Sept. 13-27, IHM will host the traveling pro-life banner. The purpose of the banner is to provide a visual reminder to parishioners of the evil of abortion and to encourage parishioners to offer special prayers to end this evil throughout the world. The banner will be on display in St. Joseph's Chapel during the week and in the main church on weekends.

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:

Ralph Olsson, brother-in-law of Deacon Chris and Nancy Ast;

Eugene Gehrin, father of Jean Hitt;

Mildred Riley, mother of Bill and Patrice Riley;

Wilma Schoeplein, mother of Mariann Lears;

and Richard Podhorn, husband of Judy Podhorn

and brother of Phyllis Zerr.

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
Jim Blondin
Vicky Brink
Connie Burbes
Frances and Gerald Bussen
Gynette Cathey
Diana Cazares
Diane Charzel
Harold Clark
Lisa Clark
Rick Cobleigh
Marty Coghlan
Bob Cova
Terry Daub
Ken Donaghue
Rita Elfrink
Kathy Enk
Jonell Falcon
Ted Feldewerth
Louise Fisher
Ann Fitzgerald
Dave Gentry
Trevor Giebe
Charlie Grady
Jackie Hackett
Terry Hagan
Gerald Hailey
Linda Hales
Chris Hanna
Larry Hanna

Cathy Hartmann
Dave Hendrix
Nancy Hollenstein
Alice Hunsinger
James Jaegers
Richard Klish
Bernie Lears
David and Mary Karll
Zachary Lind
Ken Martin
Joan Martin
Shirley McDonald
George Meyer
Mary Meyer and her family
Tom Miller
Frank Modder
Marion Mueller
Cheryl Nelson
Angel Owens
Virginia Randolph
Gene Rauscher
Walt Reel
Mildred Riley
Tonya Roseman
Pat Ryan
Ken Shrum
Yvonne Scott
Patti Sturm
Jerry Tajkowski
Brian Tampow
Karen Taylor
Christine Tinker
Keith Van Hoy
Mariah Walker
Joe Weinreis
White Family
Peggy Williams
Alexander Wilmes

Judy Jacobs' mom
Rita Bendel's
brother Tom
Antonette
Carol
Billie
Kathy
Sr. Mary Carolyn
Jenny
Sherri
Baby Charlie
Liz
Baby Amos
Kelly
Joe
Bill
Diane
Cody
Chris
Ron

What's Your Catholic IQ?

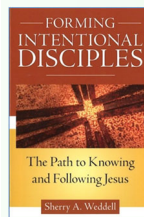
- Catholics believe that God's Revelation comes to us through**
 (a) Scripture alone (b) Scripture and Tradition
 (c) Tradition alone (d) the Code of Canon Law
- About 40 years ago, this pope issued a social encyclical called *Populorum Progressio***
 (a) John Paul II (b) John Paul I (c) Pius XII (d) Paul VI
- Another name for the Rosary's Mysteries of Light is**
 (a) Numinous Mysteries (b) Luminaria Mysteries
 (c) Florescent Mysteries (d) Luminous Mysteries
- John the Baptist's words, "Make ready the way of the Lord" are a quote from which prophet?**
 (a) Baruch (b) Jeremiah (c) Isaiah (d) Ezekiel
- Mary set out, proceeding in haste into the hill country to a town of Judah, where she entered _____'s house and greeted Elizabeth.**
 (a) Zacchaeus (b) Zechariah (c) Zephaniah (d) Zipporah
- During Advent, we omit the following at Mass**
 (a) Gloria (b) Alleluia
 (c) Sign of Peace (d) Penitential Rite
- This fourth-century bishop was the chief defender of the truth of Jesus' divinity against the Arian heresy.**
 (a) Anastasia (b) Aristotle (c) Augustine (d) Athanasius
- Although this woman dreamed of being a missionary in China, Pope Leo XIII encouraged her to sail west to the New World.**
 (a) Mother Teresa (b) Mother Cabrini
 (c) Mother Guerin (d) Mother May I
- The first and chief Sacrament of the forgiveness of sins is**
 (a) Penance and Reconciliation (b) Anointing of the Sick
 (c) Initiation (d) Baptism
- For the Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation, the sacramental seal is _____.
 (a) indispensable (b) unconstitutional
 (c) inviolable (d) incontrovertible**

Answers on the next page →

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-

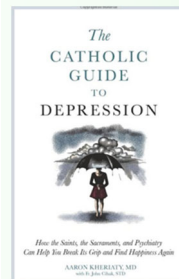
From the Parish Library: Grand Hall



Forming Intentional Disciples comes highly recommended by priests and religious educators alike. Jonathan F. Sullivan, director of catechetical services for the Diocese of Springfield in Illinois writes the following (emphasis mine): Forming Intentional Disciples: The Path to Knowing and Following

Jesus by Sherry Weddell is the most important book I've read this year. That is not exaggeration or hyperbole, but a testament to the research, experience, and insight Weddell brings to the question of evangelization and catechesis in the Church today. Weddell's book is a synthesis of every deep conversation about catechesis and evangelization I've had with my local and national colleagues for the past four years. ... [It] is a book that has appeared at precisely the moment it is needed in the life of the Church ... and I believe every bishop, pastor, evangelist, and catechetical leader should have a copy and study it carefully.

FROM THE PARISH LIBRARY (DOWNSTAIRS)



This superb book sets out to do exactly what it claims. Depression as an illness is examined from both a psychiatric and spiritual perspective. The various types of depression are examined as well as their cause. It is noted that not all depression has a spiritual cause and it is therefore important for spiritual persons with depression to seek a medical remedy to

this very serious condition. Since depression is an illness, the ultimate cause is the Fall of man. It can thus afflict people without it being their fault. Although a spiritual person may suffer depression, there is a wealth of research to show that religion is in fact good for mental health.

Engaged or Married? Creighton Model FertilityCare classes are available at St Joseph's Hospital Lake St Louis on Saturdays at noon Oct 22 and Nov 5 and Dec.3. Registration required: 1.866.776.3627

Dynamic Catholic, Alive! – The Joy of the Gospel

Are we truly joyful Christians? Do we rejoice at the great gift of faith, forgiveness, and love that we have discovered in our encounter with Jesus? It doesn't take much to *rob us* of real joy—indifference, ingratitude, lukewarmness, and spiritual laziness. But it also doesn't take much to rediscover the treasure we sometimes lose through our own negligence. Take time to safeguard your joy, and celebrate when you find it again! (CCC 2094, 2546) archstl.org/dynamic



OUR LADY'S INN LUNCHEON FOR LIFE will be held Sept. 22 at Wine Country Gardens in Defiance. Silent and live auction items; unique boutique and specialty jewelry. Tickets are \$45 each. This year's MC will be Zip Rzeppa. Register at ourladysinn.org or call 314-997-7576

Walgreens will be hosting a flu shot clinic

on Sunday Sept. 25 after the 7:30 am and 9:30 am Masses for ages 12 and above. Most insurances accepted. High dose for 65 and older in addition to Pneumonia are also available. For more information— 636-332-2333

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**

NAR-ANON SUPPORT GROUP : Weekly meetings on Saturdays, 10:00 am in the Trailer at IHM. This group is for Family and Friends of Addicts For questions, please call Ann at 314-578-4737

Catholic IQ Answers

1. **(b)** Catholics understand Scripture and Tradition as being so closely related that they form one single sacred deposit of faith (Catechism of the Catholic Church, n. 97).
2. **(d)** Pope Benedict XVI issued his most recent encyclical, *Caritas in Veritate*, in part to commemorate the fortieth anniversary of Paul VI's *Populorum Progressio* (On the Development of Peoples).
3. **(d)** When Pope John Paul II introduced the Luminous Mysteries in 2002, he said, "It is during the years of his public ministry that the mystery of Christ is most evidently a mystery of light: 'While I am in the world, I am the light of the world' (Jn 9:5)." (*Rosarium Virginis Mariae*, n. 19; emphasis in original)
4. **(c)** John the Baptist's words, "Make ready the way of the Lord" are taken from Isaiah 40:3-5.
5. **(b)** Zechariah, the husband of Elizabeth, Mary's kinswoman, is first introduced in Luke 1:5. He is referred to as a righteous man and as a priest of the line of Abijah.
6. **(a)** The Gloria, which recalls Jesus' First Coming, is omitted during Advent as a way of calling us to ponder what's missing as we await the coming of the Lord, thus predisposing us to pray for his Second Coming.
7. **(d)** Athanasius was bishop of Alexandria.
8. **(b)** Mother Frances Cabrini sailed to the New World in 1889. She founded over 70 institutions to care for the sick and poor. In 1946, she became the first U.S. citizen to be canonized.
9. **(d)** See Catechism of the Catholic Church, n. 985.
10. **(c)** To refer to the sacramental seal as inviolable means that a confessor may not betray a penitent's confidentiality for any reason. This is stated in Canon Law n. 983.

The Benedictine Sisters of Perpetual Adoration in Clyde, Missouri, will host a Come and See monastic weekend for women discerning a religious vocation. The event is scheduled to begin at 4:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 14, and will continue through 1:30 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 16, 2016. Information is available online at http://www.benedictinesisters.org/images/vocation/Oct2016_weekend.pdf.

Marriage on Tap -STL Evening of Marriage Enrichment

On Tuesday, **September 20, 2016** at 6:00 pm Fr. Paul Hoelsing will give a talk entitled *Intimacy, Clarity and Freedom*. The event will be held at The Pasta House Company, 8213 Delmar Blvd, University City, MO. \$20 per person includes buffet dinner, tax and tip. Cash bar available. This evening is open to all married couples. **Marriage on Tap STL** on Facebook. RSVP required; please respond by 9-15-16 to marriageontapstl@gmail.com



Calling all crafters!

Immaculate Heart of Mary- New Melle is hosting a Craft Fair on Sunday, October 9, in conjunction with the Fall Sausage Dinner. If you are interested in a booth at the fair, please contact Lisa Murphy at lisamurphy318@gmail.com for a registration form and rules. This is a big event, with 3,000 people in attendance at the dinner. Make sure your crafts are among those being seen and sold that day!

Liturgical Ministers for Next Week

- September 17** 4:00 pm
 EM: Bernadine Pollihan, Karen Wilson, Vanita Joerling, Pat Barnard, Mary Jean Hartenbach, Pat Noack
 L: Nancy Ast, Jerry Knott
 GB: Jim & Louise Wood
 S: Colton, Camden, Celina Genta
 U: Tim Wilson, Larry Graves, Dave Hendrix, Stan Nikonowicz
- September 18** 7:30 am
 EM: Ed & Carol Rabbitt, Mary Hardesty, John Fiocco, Jan Kardasz, **one more please**
 L: Elizabeth Vehige, Karen Wappelhorst
 GB: Loretta Bruns, Rosemary Marquart
 S: Andy and Daniel Vehige
 U: Mike Hardesty, Rich Molitor, Larry Koch, Larry Gassei
- September 18** 9:30 am
 EM: Bob and Irene Caldwell, Chris Aulbach, Walter and Nancy Hollenstein, Joe Faron Sr., Dave and Pam DeBold
 L: Kris Jenkins, Bob Leeker
 GB: Greiwe Family
 S: Lannah Montgomery, Sarah White, Liam Grady
 U: Gary Struckhoff, Chris and Adam Molitor, Charles Hinkle, Stan Kostecki, Teresa Berfanger
- September 18** 11:15 am
 EM: Tim & Suzanne Michaelree, Jane Holstein, Patrice Riley, Joni Marren-Slaughter, Pat Foster
 L: Chris and Kat Menne
 GB: **volunteers please**
 S: Thomas Kokker, Maggie Molitor
 U: Alan Raymond, Tom Haun

The St. Vincent dePaul Walk for the Poor will take place on Saturday, September 24 in Quail Ridge Park.

Walk as much or as little as you like. Hot dogs, snacks, and bottled water will be available. Walk T-Shirts will also be available for purchase.

Event Schedule:

- 8:00 am - Registration tables open, T-Shirt sales table open
- 8:55 am - Opening prayer
- 9:00 am - Walk begins 10:00 am - Hot dogs and lunch items available



New Melle Knights of Columbus presents their 10th Annual

Barbecue with Car and Motorcycle Show

Sunday, September 25.

from 11:00 to 4:00 pm

\$10 registration all day; Proceeds will benefit the
Knights of Columbus, New Melle, MO

**Voting for top three cars by
participants:**

**1st, 2nd, 3rd place trophies
awarded for cars only**



Also-

**Best Harley-Davidson,
Best European and**

Best Japanese Motorcycle as voted by participants

Also- Pastor Pick Award; Best Car Paint Award;
Best Car Engine Award

***Don't miss the best
barbecue anywhere-***

Pork Steaks, Chicken, Brats,
Hamburgers & Hot Dogs,
Homemade Cole Slaw,
Homemade Potato Salad,
Homemade Pork 'n Beans, Chips, Beer & Soda



Save the date!

See you there!

Parish Office: 636-398-5270

Future Events

- ☒ **Marian Council Meeting:** Tuesday, Sept. 13 at 6:30 pm in Weber Hall.
- ☒ **Year of Study talk** presented by Fr Tom, Wednesday, Sept. 14 at 6:10 in the Grand Hall.
- ☒ **Blood Drive:** Thursday, Sept. 15 from 2:30 to 6:30 in Founders Hall
- ☒ **Knights of Columbus Meeting:** Tuesday, Sept. 20 at 7:00 pm
- ☒ **Flu shots** available in Weber Hall after the 7:30 and 9:30 Masses on Sept. 25. Most insurance accepted.
- ☒ **BBQ and Car Show:** Sunday, Sept. 25 at 11:00 am in the parking lot and pavilion. **There will be no 11:15 Mass on Sept. 25.**
- ☒ **Baptism class:** Monday, Sept. 26 at 7:00 pm. Call the office to register.
- ☒ **Sausage dinner set-up:** the week of Oct. 3
- ☒ **The fall sausage dinner** will take place on Sunday, October 9. There will be no 11:15 Mass that day, nor will there be a K of C breakfast.

Prayer Hour for The United States of America

Immaculate Heart of Mary in New Melle
The prayer hour will include scripture readings,
petitions, the rosary and silent time.

**Please join us on Monday, November 7,
before the National Election
for an hour dedicated to the good of our country
and all Americans.**



May God bless America



Slay It Again, Sam

**Another hilarious murder mystery dinner theater creation by Upstage productions—
"Here's looking at murder, kid."**

IHM Grand Hall on Friday, September 30

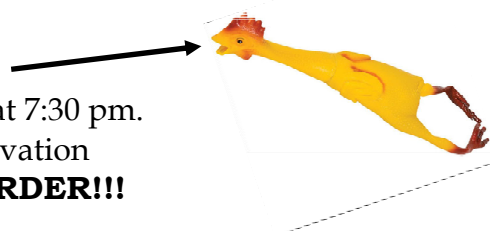
Who can be trusted at Rick's Cafe?

No one, if they're all out to steal the Maltese Chicken.

Doors open to mingle and grab a seat at 6:30; dinner served at 7:30 pm.

Beer and wine available for purchase; \$30 per adult reservation

Save the date for pandemonium, mayhem and MURDER!!!



Out and About

Breakfasts and Dinners!

- **St Theodore Parish Annual Fall Festival, Roast Turkey and Sausage Dinner**, (Hwy P to Grothe Road), (3 miles North of Wentzville; 40 West of St. Louis on Hwy 61). Sunday September 18, Served 11:30 a.m. - 7:00 p.m., Adults \$12/ Children 4- 10 \$6/ 3 years and under are free; Open Air Dining Hall, Shady Picnic Grove, Ample Parking, Amusements- Quilts- live Music
- **Fall Festival**: Sunday, Sept. 25 at St. Joseph Parish in Josephville. Turkey and sausage dinners, live music, Bingo, games, booths, handmade quilt raffle, beer and wine garden. 636-332-6676
- **Immaculate Conception in Augusta Turkey and Ham dinner**; Oct. 2 from 11 to 6:00. Country Store, homemade apple butter, booths, games, raffles. 636-228-4455
- **Annual Fall Picnic: Assumption in New Haven, MO**, Sunday, Sept. 25 from 11:00 to 6:00 pm. Fried chicken and ham dinners, games, entertainment, country store, quilts, raffle, wagon rides, bounce house, music.

Just for Fun

- **St. Gianna Pro-Life Ministry**, 4th annual Trivia Night and Silent Auction - Saturday. September 24-- St. Gianna Parish Hall, 450 E. Hwy N, Wentzville - "They're Playing Our Song". Doors open at 6:00 pm. Trivia begins at 7:00 pm. \$160 per table of 5 to 8 players by Sept. 19, 2016. \$200 per table of 5 to 8 players at the door. Contact Mary 636-272-5000 or email prolife.stgiannaparish@gmail.com
- **John Denver Tribute Concert** on Sunday, Sept. 11th, from 3 to 5:30 p.m., at the St. Joseph Chapel of the Precious Blood Sisters, 204 N. Main, O'Fallon. Free will offering, tax deductible.
- **Quilt Social** at Immaculate Conception in Old Monroe; Sunday, Sept. 11 starting at 11:30 for lunch. 636-661-5114
- **Fall Picnic at Assumption Church in New Haven, MO**; Sept. 25 from 11 to 6:00; fried chicken and ham dinners, games, live entertainment, raffles, wagon rides, beer garden

Opportunities

- **Annual Silver and Golden Wedding Jubilee Mass**, Sunday, September 25, 2016 at 2:30 p.m. in the Cathedral Basilica, 4431 Lindell Blvd. Couples celebrating their 25th, 50th or 50-plus wedding anniversary during 2016 are invited to this annual Mass. You may register online by visiting [archstl.org/jubilee mass](http://archstl.org/jubilee%20mass). For more information, please call 314.792.717
- **ATTENTION CRAFTERS**: The St. Joseph School Band and Choir in Cottleville is hosting their annual Fall Craft Fair on Saturday, October 15, 2016. If you are interested in a booth at the fair, please contact Jim or Pauline Murphy at [636-699-6906](tel:636-699-6906). 2016 Applications can be printed from the St. Joe website at www.stjoecot.org. Click on PARISH, then ACTIVITIES and EVENTS, then CRAFT FAIR. All fees can be found on the application, which is posted at the St. Joe website.
- **St. Dominic High School Class of 1976 40 Year Class Reunion**; Saturday, October 22, 2016 5:00 pm - 10:00 pm. Buffet BBQ Dinner, DJ, BYOB, Set-Ups and Ice Provided. Hoff Family Farm (Henry) Venue: Restored Historic Home & Restored Barn with Country Setting, 1529 Hoff Ct. O'Fallon, MO. 63366. Contact: Ron Landolt, 314-713-7100, RLandolt@RLandCo.com
- **Daughters of St. Paul Benefit Dinner**; Sept. 25 at St. Raymond's Maronite Church. Mass at 4:00, reception at 5:00 and dinner at 6:00. Call 314-965-6935
- **New Melle Lutheran pilgrimage**, Sept. 16 and 17. Walk from St. Charles to New Melle, as the original immigrants did in 1839. Call 636-329-8503 for more information
- **Retreat for First Responders: "St. Michael's Retreat"** at the White House Jesuit Retreat Center, Nov. 1-3. This is a non-denominational retreat specifically for men and women who work as first responders, active and retired. 314-416-6400 or joep@whretreat.org.
- **Marianist Retreat Center**: free outdoors event with fun activities for families. The program includes: a scavenger hunt, arts and crafts stations storytelling, a photo booth, games, live music by Kyle Huelsing and much, much more. There is no charge. MRCC is located at 4000 Highway 109, Eureka, MO 636-938-5390. RSVP info@mretreat.org.

**Blood Drive sponsored by the Mississippi Valley Regional Blood Center on
Thursday, September 15 in Founders Hall from 2:30 to 6:30 pm**

Top Ten Reasons to Give Blood: You will get free juice and cookies; You will weigh less—one pint less when you leave than when you came in; It's easy and convenient—it only takes about an hour and you can make the donation right here at the parish; It's something you can spare—most people have blood to spare... yet, there is still not enough to go around; Nobody can ask you to do any heavy lifting as long as you have the bandage on. You can wear it for as long as you like. It's your badge of honor; You will walk a little taller afterwards—you will feel good about yourself; You will be helping to ensure that blood is there when you or someone close to you may need it. Most people don't think they'll ever need blood, but many do; It's something you can do on equal footing with the rich and famous blood is something money can't buy. Only something one person can give to another; You will be someone's hero—you may give a newborn, a child, a mother or a father, a brother, or a sister another chance at life. In fact, you may help save up to three lives with just one donation. It's the right thing to do.