



## ST. STANISLAUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

January 7, 2024

### The Epiphany of the Lord

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**BAPTISM:** Contact Monsignor Cox regarding preparation sessions and scheduling

**PENANCE:** Saturday 4:30-5:00 p.m. or by appointment

**MARRIAGE:** Contact Monsignor at least six months in advance for preparation and scheduling

#### MASS INTENTIONS: January 8 thru January 14

Monday:	8:00 a.m.	†	Harper Hummel
Tuesday:	5:30 p.m.		The Living & Deceased Members of the Markway & Veit Families
Wednesday:	8:00 a.m.	†	Jack VanLoo & Michael Watson
Thursday:	8:00 a.m.	†	Charles Schrimpf
Friday:	8:00 a.m.	†	Jerry Bernskoetter
Saturday:	5:30 p.m.		The People of the Parish
Sunday:	7:30 a.m.		Schaffer Family
	10:30 a.m.	†	Deceased Members of the Marvin Rademan Family

In Your Charity, please pray for the repose of the soul of Sam Berendzen, son of Sam Berendzen, member of our parish, who passed away recently. May his soul and all the souls of the dearly departed rest in peace. Amen.

#### Perpetual Adoration Open Holy Hours

Saturday morning midnight—1:00 am

Wednesday morning 1 am - 2 am

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Please call Donna at 680-1470 if you are interested in joining our Chapel program.

#### Parish Directory

**LAST CHANCE FOR UPDATES** before Directory goes to print!! Our goal is to have all current information for our parishioners. PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE with updated information: address change, phone number (especially if you no longer have a landline) and email address. **PLEASE HAVE THIS INFORMATION TO PARISH OFFICE BY JANUARY 10.** Directory is going to printers after January 10. Photos will be available upon request via email. You may contact Jamie Wilbers: [jmariebaumgartner@gmail.com](mailto:jmariebaumgartner@gmail.com) or (573) 694-9564 or Parish Office: (573) 636-4925.

#### Bishop McKnight's January Prayer Intention for our Local Church

For the gift of patience; may we embrace poverty of spirit when suffering the shortcomings of others and ourselves.

#### Legion of Mary Rosary

On Saturday, January 13, The Legion of Mary will be praying the rosary in front of church at 8:30 am. All are welcome.

#### Over 50 Club Meeting

The next meeting of the Over 50 Club will be held on **Friday, January 19** in the Parish Center. We will begin praying the Rosary at 11 am. **It will be a carry-in meal of soup/chili/dessert.** Bingo, cards, and a 50/50 drawing will follow. Please make plans to join in the fun.

#### Save the Date - Blood Drive

Sunday, March 3, 2024 - Ladies Sodality

#### Stewardship

Greetings and a Happy New Year to you! St. Stanislaus parish appreciates you and your vital role in our parish as a leader in giving of your time and talent.

The St. Stanislaus Stewardship Committee requests your presence at a ministry kickoff event. This event is being held at the Parish Center on **Tuesday, January 23rd at 6:00 pm** (immediately after 5:30 mass). We would like to show our appreciation to you with drinks and hors d'oeuvres at the event.

Our theme this year is "Vitalize Our Parish." The Stewardship Committee would like to share our objectives to help grow our parish. Additionally, the committee has compiled this year's time and talent sign-ups. We will share with you the ministry lists that have been updated as well as a few new ministry opportunities.

Please RSVP by January 15th to Dana Wilbers at 573-619-8701 or [dwilbers@goascend.biz](mailto:dwilbers@goascend.biz)

Sincerely,

St. Stanislaus Stewardship Council

**Prayer Hotline:** Contact Kay Stockman at (573) 536-8777 or Karen Schenewerk at 635-3943 for prayer line requests or to be added to the prayer line.

## St. Stanislaus School

We are at the half-way point of the school year, and I want to take a moment to express my gratitude for your ongoing support of our school and your involvement in your child's education. The beginning of a new quarter is an excellent opportunity for a reset and reflection on the progress made so far this year. Thank you, students, for your hard work in the school year so far and keep up the good work!

**Calendar Change:** We have a change in the February/March calendar. We will now be in session on Friday, February 23, 2024 and will not be in session on Friday, March 1, 2024 for the fish fry.

**Home and School Meeting:** The Home and School meeting scheduled for Monday, January 8, 2024 has been canceled. Our next meeting is on Monday, April 29, 2024 at 6:30 p.m.

**Inclement Weather:** In the event of inclement weather, families will be notified in a text alert and email through FACTS. In most cases, a decision will be made by 6:30 a.m. Radio and television stations will also be notified.

**Early Dismissal:** If we have an early dismissal due to inclement weather there will NOT be after school care. Other arrangements will need to be made if your child normally attends after school care.

**Late Start:** In the event of a late start, students can be dropped off at 9:20 and school will begin at 9:40. There will be no early morning care.

**All School Mass:** All school Mass will be on Monday, January 8, 2024 and Friday, January 12, 2024.

Many blessings,  
Mrs. Forbis

## Collection Numbers for December 24, 2023

### Parish Collection:

Sunday Offering	\$ 7,127.00
Loose Cash & Checks	\$ 1,597.07
Capital Improvements	\$ 425.00
Seminarian Formation & Priest Retirement	\$ 856.00

## Collection Numbers for December 25, 2023

### Christmas Day Mass

### Parish Collection:

Sunday Offering	\$ 4,480.00
Loose Cash & Checks	\$ 2,594.00
Seminarian Formation & Priest Retirement	\$ 1,782.00

## Collection Numbers for December 31, 2023

### Parish Collection:

Sunday Offering	\$10,742.00
Loose Cash & Checks	\$ 2,113.25
Capital Improvements	\$ 20.00
Seminarian Formation & Priest Retirement	\$ 290.00

### Electronic Contributions:

Monthly for December 20, 2023	\$12,075.00
Semi-Monthly for December 20, 2023	\$ 3,957.50

### Electronic Contributions:

Monthly for January 5, 2024	\$12,867.00
Semi-Monthly for January 5, 2024	\$ 4,157.50

St. Stanislaus parishioners are very generous—both of their talents and financially. You are appreciated! Please remember to write a separate check for anything outside of Sunday giving i.e. Samaritan Center, Memorial Masses, candles, etc. Thank you as this makes the processing of your financial gifts easier.



## 2024-25 School Year Admissions Process



## Crusader for a Day

Junior high students are invited to visit Helias Catholic High School as a Crusader for a Day! Experience what a typical school day is like by shadowing a current student. Meet teachers, attend classes, tour the school, and have lunch on us! Visiting students may stay for all or part of the day. Please go to [heliascatholic.com/visit](https://heliascatholic.com/visit) to request a Crusader for a Day visit.

## Helias Catholic Applications Open January 8

New student applications for Helias Catholic High School's 2024-25 school year will open January 8, 2024. Please visit [heliascatholic.com/apply](https://heliascatholic.com/apply) to start the enrollment process to officially join the Crusader family!

## Helias Catholic Alumni

Attention, all graduates of Helias Catholic High School! Keep up on what's happening in the Crusader community by registering to receive alumni updates. Sign up at [heliascatholic.com/alumni](https://heliascatholic.com/alumni) or by scanning the QR code or email Mr. Ron Vossen, Helias Catholic president and director of alumni relations, at [rvossen@heliascatholic.com](mailto:rvossen@heliascatholic.com).

**Church Cleaners:** Bridget Hug, Diane Hummel, Carol Rackers and Karla Holzer.  
Please clean church before the week-end of January 13 & 14.

### Liturgical Role Schedule for January 13 and 14 - Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Saturday, 5:30 PM	Sunday, 7:30 AM	Sunday, 10:30 AM
Altar Server	Makenna Perkins Jace Perkins	Sophia Wieberg Anna Lurkins	Colt Berendzen Kinsley Berendzen
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion	Don VanLoo	Suzette Mertens	Judy Sandbothe
Reader	Debbie VanLoo	Jim Grothoff	Carol Frank
Rosary Leader	Margie VanLoo	Norma Wieberg	Alice Kampeter
Usher	Paul Luebbert Steve Wilbers Dan Wortmann Donald Lane	John Wilbers Charlie Bax Tim Backes Paul Bisges	Bill Gratz Gene Sandbothe John Doerhoff Gary Bilyeu
Greeter	Donald & Gloria Lane	Brian & Suzette Mertens	Matt & Julie Cowell
Live Stream			William Lloyd
Music Ministry	Diane Bisges & Group	James & Barbara Howard	Renee Jurgensmeyer Connie Andrews

### Upcoming Local Events

21st Annual Taste of Italy at St. George in Linn is Saturday, January 20. Meal served from 4 pm - 7:30 pm and is catered by Argyle Catering: lasagna, fettuccini, chicken parmesan, salad, breadsticks & cheesecake. Wine tasting from 5 pm - 7:30 pm. Tickets are \$15 in advance and \$17 at the door. Carry out dinners are available. Advance ticket sales end Friday, January 19 by contacting St. George School or Parish Office, at Thriftway & Legends Main Bank in Linn.

### Women's Silent Retreat

A Women's Silent Retreat weekend will be held March 8-10, 2024 at the National Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows in Belleville, IL. To reserve a spot email Julie at [julie.g@cathedralic.org](mailto:julie.g@cathedralic.org).

### Spiritual Opportunity

Join Monsignor Cox on an exciting Pilgrimage to Fatima and Lourdes with Barcelona **September 15-24, 2024**. Highlights include touring the town of Fatima and the parish church where the children Francisco, Jacinta and Lucia were baptized. Tour Aljustrel where the children lived and view the site of the fifth apparition. Tour the Cathedral of Burgos which is the third largest in Spain. Visit Lourdes where the Virgin Mary appeared in the Grotto to Bernadette a total of 18 times. Celebrate Mass at the crypt of La Sagrada Familia and a tour of this elaborate church in Barcelona. Tour brochures in the back of St. Stanislaus Church.

### Men of St. Stanislaus and St. Margaret of Antioch

You are invited to the December gathering of the Men of **Signum Crucis**, which begins at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, January 17, at Helias Catholic High School.

For men who would like to engage in a **Study** on our faith, you will be able to continue the Study of Church History, taught by Helias Theology Teacher and Coach Chris Hentges. For those who prefer to immerse themselves in a **Devotion** in our faith, Father Drew Clary, CSC, will join us from South Bend, Indiana, leading men in the Chaplet of Our Lady of Sorrows, a special devotion of the Congregation of Holy Cross. These concurrent sessions will run from 6:30 p.m. until approximately 7:15 p.m. Afterwards, we will all assemble in the Commons for brief concluding remarks, food and fellowship, and the Litany of St. Joseph at 7:55 p.m. to end the evening. As always, enter the school on the east end of the front Swifts Highway parking lot to sign in. Our Hospitality men will greet you right inside the door and direct you to the appropriate location. Feel free to come early to pray the Rosary at 6:00 p.m. in the Chapel.

The presence of each man makes an impact on others in our fraternity. If you have not attended yet, be confident that your presence will make a difference to someone there--this is all part of God's plan. Join the 70+ men who consistently attend and make their mark on others in this fraternity of Catholic men of the Jefferson City area. The mission of the Men of **Signum Crucis** is to provide Fraternity through Study, Devotion, and Service to help us become more Christ-like husbands, fathers, brothers, uncles, and friends.

For more information, contact Mike Rackers at 573-680-2901, or Dean Lamb at 573-694-9707, or visit us at [www.menofsignumcrucis.com](http://www.menofsignumcrucis.com).



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Week of January 07, 2024



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