

ST. STANISLAUS CATHOLIC CHURCH March 10, 2024

Fourth Sunday of Lent

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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: March 11 thru March 17

Monday:	8:00 a.m.	†	Margaret Ann Richter
Tuesday:	5:30 p.m.		Andrea Haake
Wednesday	8:00 a.m.	†	Helen Boeckmann
Thursday:	8:00 a.m.	†	Gary Brandt
Friday:	8:00 a.m.	†	Art Hoelscher
Saturday:	5:30 p.m.	†	Roseanna Bernskoetter
Sunday:	7:30 a.m.		The People of the Parish
	10:30 a.m.	†	Dan Berendzen

In Your Charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of:

- Bernard John Schnieders Jr., member of our Parish, who passed away on February 25.
- Bernice Benton, member of our Parish, who passed away February 28.
- Jeanette Mattie, mother of Lisa Masek, member of our Parish, who recently passed away.
- Ella Heckman, member of our Parish and mother of Dianne Reed and Sandy Kliethermes, members of our Parish, who passed away March 3.
- Loretta Siebeneck, member of our Parish, who passed away on March 6.

May their souls and all the souls of the dearly departed rest in peace. Amen.

Faith Chips

Searching for something to prepare you for Lent? Come join us in school room 210 after 7:30 am Mass Sunday, March 10 and 17 to watch a video and join in discussion of our Catholic faith. Everyone is welcome! Coffee and snacks are provided. For further information call (573) 636-8393.

Legion of Mary Rosary

On Saturday, March 16, The Legion of Mary will be praying the rosary in front of church at 8:30 am for "Traditional Marriage". All are welcome.

Over 50 Club Meeting

The next meeting of the Over 50 Club will be held on <u>Friday</u>. <u>March 15</u> in the Parish Center. We will begin praying the Rosary at 11 am, followed by a carry-in luncheon, bingo, cards and 50/50 drawing. Yearly <u>dues of \$5.00</u> per member will be collected at the meeting. Please make plans to attend.

Bishop McKnight's March Prayer Intention for our Local Church

For those preparing for reception of the Easter sacraments this year; may our whole Church be renewed and invigorated by the celebrations of baptism, confirmation and First Holy Communion.

Easter Flowers for Church

You will find a yellow envelope in your March envelope packet designated for Easter Flowers and Decorations. If you would like to donate money in memory of a loved one to be included on the Easter Poster, please send your envelope in by March 11. Please write your loved one name(s) on the back of the envelope or include a note inside the envelope.

Mass Change

Due to schedule conflict the Mass on Tuesday, March 28 will be at 8 am. At 3 pm the Chrism Mass will be at St. Joseph Cathedral.

Lenten Penance Services

St. Thomas the Apostle	March 12	7 pm
St. Peter, Jefferson City	March 12	7 pm
St. Andrew, Holts Summit	March 13	6:30 pm
St. Joseph Cathedral	March 15	2 pm
St. Peter, Jefferson City	March 15	9 am- 12 pm
St. Martin, St. Martin	March 21	6 pm

Stations of the Cross

Every Friday during Lent, Stations of the Cross will be at 6:30 pm in the church. Please join Monsignor Cox on Friday, March 15.

Holy Week Mass Schedule

Monday, March 25 - 8 am

Tuesday, March 26 - 8 am

Wednesday, March 27 - 8 am

 This Mass will be a Mass of Healing hosted by our students. A brunch will follow in the school gym.

Holy Thursday, March 28 - 6:30 pm

Good Friday, March 29 - 6:30 pm

 At 12 noon there will be Stations of the Cross and Divine Mercy Chaplet.

Holv Saturday, March 30 - 8 pm

• There will be no 5:30 pm Mass

Easter Sunday, March 31

- 7:30 am at St. Stanislaus
- 9 am at St. Margaret
- 10:30 am at St. Stanislaus

St. Stanislaus School

Can you believe that we are in the fourth quarter already? The school year has definitely flown by, and I cannot wait to see all the amazing accomplishments of our students and staff!

Reconciliation: Grades 3-8th had another opportunity for reconciliation during the school week. Thank you Monsignor Cox and Father James for helping our students with this sacrament!

Fish Fry: I hope you had a chance to support the Knights of Columbus fish fry last Friday. So many people put in a lot of work to make this event happen. The food was delicious, the volunteers were amazing, and it turned out to be a beautiful day. Thank you for supporting the Knights of Columbus!

Stations of the Cross: Fourth grade hosted Stations of the Cross this week. Each of the 14 students spoke their message about the Passion of Christ, followed by leading the congregation in a prayer or reflection. Next week, Stations of the Cross will be hosted by 6th grade on Wednesday, March 13th at 2:00.

Report Cards: A link to report cards will be emailed Wednesday. Please contact the office if you do not receive a link.

Jason Evert: Our 7th and 8th graders went to hear Jason Evert speak about chastity and the love of God. Free resources were sent home with the students. We are looking to see if we can get additional resources from their website.

Confirmation: Congratulations to our 7th graders who were sealed with the Holy Spirit with the sacrament of Confirmation! Thank you to their sponsors for guiding them this year during their journey! Parents, thank you for teaching them about the Catholic faith from the beginning!

Ladies Sodality: Thank you to our Ladies Sodality for hosting the reception after Confirmation! The decorations, food, and drinks were a big hit.

Read Across America: We had some special alumni from Helias come read to our PreK through 2nd graders. Thank you to Mrs. Fennewald and our guests for a great start to our morning!

Enrollment: In order to help prepare for our upcoming school year, please send in enrollment as soon as possible.

- PreK: Information was sent home or mailed for PreK and 4
 year old registration. Class size is limited. Once all spots
 are filled, we will then begin a waiting list.
- Kindergarten: Information was sent home or mailed for Kindergarten registration. Please contact the school office if you did not receive registration information.
- Re-enrollment: Re-enrollment was sent home with your child. Please contact the office if you did not receive registration information.

Self-Study: Our Self-Study begins Sunday, March 10th. The mission of the self-study is to verify that our school has met certain requirements and criteria for accreditation through the Missouri Nonpublic School Accrediting Association. A visiting team, which consists of principals and teachers from surrounding schools in the diocese, will be here March 10-12th to verify we meet those requirements as well as find ways to improve our strengths and quality of education. Please pray for our visiting team and all involved over the next week.

Many blessings, Mrs. Forbis

St. Stanislaus After School Care Job Opportunity

Our After School Care is looking for several employees for the 2024-2025 school year. This position is perfect for high schoolers and retired individuals. You can complete an application at www.diojeffcity.org/school-office and scroll down to job opportunities or contact Mrs. Forbis at tinaf@ststan.net or 573-636-7802.

St. Stanislaus Parish Survey

Over the last year, our parish leadership started a journey to find ways to vitalize our parish. We have had meetings with council members and they have been invited and encouraged to voice their thoughts. Now it's your turn to let us know what you think.

One of the first steps in this process is a parish survey. This survey is <u>not</u> limited to one response per household, we are requesting <u>all</u> adults fill out the survey. **Please complete the survey by March 20th.** There are a few different ways you can access the survey:

- Go to the survey link: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/ststan2024
- Go to the St. Stanislaus Parish website at <u>ststanislaus.net</u> and then click on the "Church" icon and then go to the Stewardship tab. You will find a link to the survey there.



• Stop by the parish office to obtain a paper copy to fill out.

*Additionally, we welcome you to email feedback to vitalizeourparish@ststan.net

<u>Prayer Hotline:</u> 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.

Collection Numbers for March 3, 2024

Parish Collection:

Sunday Offering \$ 8,032.50 Loose Cash & Checks \$ 1,540.21 Capital Improvements \$ 651.00

Electronic Contributions:

Monthly for March 5, 2024 \$ 13,267.00 Semi-Monthly for March 5, 2024 \$ 4,152.50

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.

St. Stanislaus Cemetery Spring Clean-Up

Spring clean-up of decorations and floral arrangements at the St. Stanislaus Cemetery will be held on <u>Friday, March 15</u> at 4 pm. The purpose of this clean-up is to remove all weathered, discolored and out of season arrangements/floras. Please note that flowers in permanent flower vases that are part of the monument will only be removed if they are torn, weathered, discolored or out of season. Please remove all Christmas decorations from grave sites. Easter and Spring arrangements will be left in place. Only authorized persons or Cemetery Committee Members are allowed to remove floral/decorations from the graves.

Thank you for assisting and helping us with keeping our cemetery looking nice for Easter!

Liturgical Role Schedule for March 16 and 17 - Fifth Sunday of Lent					
	Saturday, 5:30 PM	Sunday, 7:30 AM	Sunday, 10:30 AM		
Altas Carros	Ava Rudolph	Claire Markway	Tyler Hoelscher		
Altar Server	Dylan Howell	Henry Markway	Ethan Hood		
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion	Suzette Mertens	Linda Sommers	Julie Cowell		
Reader	Debbie VanLoo	James Grothoff	Sharon Gulick		
Rosary Leader	Paul Rodeman	Jane Meldrem	Alice Kampeter		
	Rich Fisher	Larry Fitzpatrick	Jake Faulkner		
Usban	Charles Halderman	Dannie Gipe	Cole Morehead		
Jsher	Eric Jaegers	James Grothoff	Brian Fischer		
	Charlie Jaegers	David Hopkins	Luke Graessie		
Greeter	Mary Kay Hoelscher	Roger & Grace Bruemmer	Larry & Jean Armstrong		
Offertory	Melissa & Ben Wilbers	Jim & Patricia Grothoff	Chris Boessen Family		
	Donna Halbrook & Choir	Patty Rackers	Ashley Dudenhoeffer		
		Tony & Darlene Luebbering	Pam Stonner		
Music Ministry		Donna Halbrook	Audrey Kaider		
		Pete Dudenhoeffer			

Save the Date

Arise Women's Ministry of JCMO is hosting a women's spiritual day of reflection on Sunday, March 24 from 1 -5 pm entitled RESTORED-Through the Five Wounds of Jesus. A wonderful way to enter into Holy Week, the afternoon event will include delicious refreshments, beautiful music, fun games and Spirit-led messages of reconciliation, restoration and redemption. Location of event: St. Stanislaus Parish/School Gym, 6410 Rt W. Jefferson City, MO 65101. Cost: \$20. To register for the event, you may find your tickets online at eventbrite.com, search for Restored - A Women's Retreat or email registerariseevent@gmail.com. For questions, please contact LeAnn Korsmeyer 573 690-2882, Millie Aulbur 573 690-4635 or Mary Markway 573 690-5284.

Annual Consecration of Legionaries to Jesus Through Mary, The Acies,

Please join us TODAY Sunday, March 10 at St. Stanislaus Church following the 10:30 am Mass. Carry-in dinner in the Parish Center following the consecration. Please bring a dish if you would like to attend. Open to all active and auxiliary Legion of Mary members.

Pickleball

Come Join the Fun! Pickleball at the St. Stanislaus Pickleball Courts open play for adults is back on Thursdays in March and April from 5:15 until dusk, with the exception of Holy Thursday on March 28. Contact Karen Douglas with any questions at 573-694-6700. Free lessons upon request.

Women Ministry

Our Women Ministry will start meeting every Wednesday. Please join us on Wednesday, March 13 from 8:30 am - 10:30 am in the Parish Center. Everyone is welcome, bring a friend - bring your craft items to work on or learn something new. Enjoy wonderful conversation with everyone while having fun and helping each other. If you have any questions, please contact Mary Kay Hoelscher at 573-230-6227.

Ladies Sodality Blood Drive

We collected 29 pints (5 were unable to give). The Red Cross sent a thank you for helping to increase the community blood supply. We did discover that one of our donors had something special in his blood that means it can go to premature babies and he didn't know it. We thank all those who worked our drive, helped set up and take down tables and chairs, our ladies who made the wonderful biscuits and gravy, and especially those who gave (or tried to give) the gift blood. Also thanks to our St Stanislaus students who recruited their parents to give. God will richly bless all of you for your gifts of love. Thank you.

Perpetual Adoration Open Holy Hours

Saturday morning midnight - 1:00 am
Wednesday morning 1 am - 2 am
Please call Donna at (573) 680-1470 if you are interested
in joining our Chapel program.

Divine Mercy Chaplet

The past couple of years we have been singing the Divine Mercy Chaplet on Divine Mercy Sunday after the 10:30 am Mass. We would like to do that again this year, but we would also like to pray the Divine Mercy Novena as a Parish.

The Novena begins on Good Friday, so we would like to do the Stations of the Cross at 12 noon followed by the recitation of the Divine Mercy Chaplet lead by a member of the Legion of Mary.

The Chaplet schedule will be as follows;

Good Friday	March 29	12:00 pm	Stations of the Cross & Divine Mercy Chaplet
Saturday	March 30	8:30 am	Divine Mercy Chaplet in Church
Easter Sunday	March 31		Pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet on your own
Monday	April 1	8:30 am	Pray the Chaplet after 8:00 am Mass
Tuesday	April 2	6:00 pm	Pray the Chaplet after 5:30 pm Mass
Wednesday	April 3	8:30 am	Pray the Chaplet after 8:00 am Mass
Thursday	April 4	8:30 am	Pray the Chaplet after 8:00 am Mass
Friday	April 5	8:30 am	Pray the Chaplet after 8:00 am Mass
Saturday	April 6	9:00 am	Pray the Chaplet after First Saturday Meditation
Sunday	April 7	11:30 am	Sing the Chaplet after 10:30 am Mass

Save the Date - Totus Tuus

Totus Tuus is a fun summer catechetical program for youth entering grades 1-12 in Fall of 2024. Totus Tuus employee teams of young adults who are on fire for their faith to travel to parishes throughout the diocese putting on this week-long program that includes prayer and the sacraments, catechesis classes, personal testimonies, games, silly songs and skits, water day, and plenty of other fun! This program came to our parish for the first time in the summer of 2023, and got great feedback from the youth! Totus Tuus will be coming to St Stanislaus Parish again this summer during the week of June 23-28. Mark your calendars as you won't want to miss this fun and faith-filled week!





Congratulations Candidates!

Congratulations to the following candidates that received the Sacrament of Confirmation at St. Stanislaus Church on Tuesday, March 5th! We are so excited to welcome you as fully initiated members of the Church and look forward to seeing how the Lord will call you to use the gifts of the Holy Spirit you have received!

Colt Berendzen
Cade Bruemmer
Elle Bruemmer
Kellen Ellis
Nolan Haas
Paul Imhoff
Audrey Kaiser
Samuel Kampeter
Parker Korsmeyer
Nolan Lamb
Grady Lee
Kelly Lock

Luke Massman
Ethan Miller
Makenna Perkins
Gavin Schaben
Karina Steinlage
Jayden Twenter
Lorelei Weeks
Addisyn Williams
Isaac Bax
Tyson Bisges
Oz Bruce
Lauren Hagan

Maalik Hamacher
Makenzie Humphrey
Gage Luebbering
Kylie Riegel
Sophia Wieberg
Caleb Braun
Addyson Bittle
Ryan Lueckenotte
Rylee Lueckenotte
Cooper Maschler
Connor Maschler
Nicholas Koon



Upcoming Local Events

Taos Knights of Columbus Fish Fry, Friday, March 22 serving fried fish or boiled shrimp, baked potato or fries, slaw, hushpuppies, baked beans, and ice cream from 4:30 pm - 7:30 pm. Dine in or carry out \$14. Kids burger & fries \$6.

Sacred Heart of Eldon Knights of Columbus Lenten Fish Fries "Dine-In or Carry-Out" on Friday evenings, March 15, & 22 from 5 pm - 7 pm. Adults \$12, children 6-12 \$6, under 6 are free.

St. Thomas the Apostle Country Ham & Sausage Breakfast, Sunday, March 10 serving country ham, sausage, eggs, biscuits & gravy, potatoes & applesauce from 8 am - 11:30 am. Adults \$12, children 6-12 \$6, 5 and under free. Carry-outs available.

St. Joseph, Westphalia, Chicken Dinner, Sunday, March 10 serving country fried chicken, real mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, corn and coleslaw from 11 am - 6 pm. Drive thru only \$14 per meal.

St. Martin Home & School Association Lenten Fish Fry, Friday, March 15 serving fish, homestyle potato chips, cornbread. colesiaw, green beans, applesauce and desserts from 4:30 -7:00 pm. Adults \$13, Children 6-12 \$6 and ages 5 & under are free. To go orders are \$13 and are available in the church basement.

Most Pure Heart of Mary, Chamois Seafood Buffet, Friday, March 15 serving all you can eat fish, frog legs and shrimp from 4 pm -7:30 pm. Adults \$20, Children 6-12 \$10 and 5 & under are free.

St. Louis of France, Bonnots Mill, Chicken Dinner, Sunday, March 17 at the Bonnots Mill Parish Hall serving fried chicken, real mashed potatoes, green beans, corn, slaw, homemade bread & desserts from 12 - 6 pm. Cafeteria style dine-in or to go! Dinners are \$15.

St. Anthony Knights of Columbus St. Patrick's Dance, March 16 from 8 pm - 11 pm at the St. Anthony Parish Hall. Cost is \$10 per person. Music provided by Morgan County Line.

Please see the bulletin board in the back of church for more details and these events.

CURSILLO WEEKENDS

We live in difficult times. Values have changed in radical ways. Many Catholics find that making a Cursillo Weekend provides a sound strategy for life-long, vibrant growth in their relationships with God and others. On a Cursillo you will be guided by a priest, deacon and trained laity, in a prayerful and sacramental environment, to evaluate yourself, your relationship with God to discern how God is calling you to influence your family, your work environment, your neighborhood and the world. The next Cursillo weekends will take place in Camdenton for men on April 25 -28 and for women on May 2 - 5.

An application is necessary and available through a sponsor. Please contact Mike Rackers at 573-680-2901 or Becky Sander, sander.becky@gmail.com, at 573-808-3758 for assistance.

Invitation to (W)holiness

The women of the Immaculata Club of Immaculate Conception Church in Jefferson City would like to invite ladies of all ages to a mini-retreat titled "Journeying Into the Heart of God". The event will be on Saturday, March 23 in Kertz Hall (the cafeteria space) of Immaculate Conception's school building from 8 am - 11 am. All are invited to start the morning together at the 8 am Mass. Please see the flyer in the back of church for more details.

Helias Marching Band Trivia Night Fundraiser

Join us for the Helias Marching Bank Trivia Night Fundraiser! Enjoy a night of fun and comradery on April 19. Test your knowledge with exciting trivia and bid on awesome items in our silent auction. Support our talented musicians and make it a memorable evening. Grab your tickets now for a fantastic time and a great cause! Register by using the OR code on the flyer found on the bulletin board in back of church.

Vitae Foundation Pro-Life Event

Register to attend Vitae Foundation's Don and Ruth Ann Schnieders Pro-Life Event on Thursday, March 21 at the Capitol Plaza Hotel. The keynote speaker is author and podcaster Steve Deace, best known for his book A Nefarious Plot which inspired the 2023 movie Nefarious. The luncheon is from 12:00 PM to 1:30 PM and the dinner event is from 6:30 PM - 9:00 PM. Reservations are \$50 for lunch and \$100 for dinner per person and may be made online at vitaefoundation.org or by calling 573-634-4316.

For questions or to become a sponsor, please contact Stacey Kromer by calling 573-634-4316 or emailing her at stacey.kromer@vitaefoundation.org

Simon & Warack Scholarship Application is OPEN

We are pleased to announce the opening of the application process for the William H. (Bill) Simon Scholarship and the John L. Wrack Scholarship. Applications are accepted through the end of the day on March 28, 2024. These scholarships are available to all parish high school seniors or current college students with a financial need who commit to practicing their faith. The John L. Warack Scholarship is s specifically for a student attending the University of Missouri-Columbia. Scholarship eligibility information and applications are available at diojeffcity.org/scholarships.



MISSOURI STATE CAPITOL LAWN

Jefferson City, Missouri

Activities starting at 8:00 a.m. • Rally starting at 9:15 a.m. March Immediately Following

Speakers Bishop Edward Rice - Diocese of Springfield - Cape Girardeau Melissa Ohden — Abortion Survivors Network
Reagan Barklage — Students for Life
Brandy Meeks — Vitae Foundation
Ivy Almon — Support After Abortion Dr. Wes Fowler — Missouri Baptist Convention
Bridget VanMeans — CEO Vision Leader, Thrive Nation

Break-out Sessions:

12:15 p.m. Youth Rally - Capitol Steps South Lawn

Ballot Initiative Update — Capitol Rotunda

Holy Mass - Saint Peter Church 1:30 p.m.

Ecumenical Prayer Session - Capitol Rotunda



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WE ARE CALLED TO PROTECT LIFE