

# ST. STANISLAUS CATHOLIC CHURCH March 3, 2024

# Third 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 4 thru March 10

Monday:	8:00 a.m.	†	Arnold Wieberg
Tuesday:	8:00 a.m.	†	Norb & Shirley Kolb
	6:30 p.m.	†	Tom Schnieders
Wednesday:	8:00 a.m.	†	Shirley Stockman
Thursday:	8:00 a.m.		Living & Deceased Members
			of the Clem & Frances
			VanLoo Family
Friday:	8:00 a.m.	†	Ted & Norma Distler
Saturday:	5:30 p.m.		The People of the Parish
Sunday:	7:30 a.m.		Living & Deceased Members
			of the Jerome & Erma Holzer
			Family
	10:30 a.m.	+	Marvin, Art & Loretta
			Rademan
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# Thank You from the Family of Julie Buschjost

Thank you to the St. Stanislaus Community for the love, support and kind words shared with all of us at the time of Julie's passing. The prayers, cards, food, Mass and memorial donations were greatly appreciated. We would like to say a special thank you to Monsignor Cox, who offered such a great tribute to Mom, while speaking so beautifully about the importance of all Mothers, the servers, to Connie Andrews and Diane Bisges for the beautiful music, and for the funeral luncheon team and all those who brought food for the meal. St. Stanislaus meant so much to Mom and we are blessed and appreciative of all your love and support.

#### **Cookies for Confirmation**

Our confirmation candidates are getting ready to be confirmed on Tuesday, March 5. If you are interested in donating cookies for the reception after the Confirmation Mass, you may drop them off in the school cafeteria on Tuesday during the school day or after 5 pm.

## 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.

#### Mass Changes

Due to schedule conflicts there will be two Tuesdays where the evening Mass will be moved to the morning.

- Tuesday, March 5 There will be an 8 am Mass and the 6:30 pm Confirmation Mass.
- Tuesday, March 26 There will be a 8 am Mass. At 3 pm the Chrism Mass will be at St. Joseph Cathedral.

#### **Lenten Penance Services**

Immaculate Conception, JC	March 5	7 pm
St. Margaret, Osage Bend	March 6	6 pm
St. Michael, Russellville	March 6	7 pm
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 8.

#### 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.

#### Holv 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.

#### Holy 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

# 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.

# St. Stanislaus School

Stations of the Cross have been a tradition in the Catholic church. Taking that journey with Jesus as he was condemned and crucified shows us the sacrifice He made in order to save us. I usually get choked up around the 11th and 12th station. Which one makes an impact for you?

Our fifth grade students did a great job with Stations of the Cross on Tuesday. We followed the cross around the church on Jesus's journey to His crucifixion. This journey was about love. "No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends." (John 15:13) Our next Stations of the Cross will be on Tuesday, March 5th at 2:00 p.m.

Congratulations to our 2nd graders on their First Reconciliation! Please continue to keep them in your prayers as they prepare for their First Communion.

Our 7th graders will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation next week. Please keep them in your prayers as they become more closely united with Christ through the Holy Spirit.

**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 last week.

Many blessings, Mrs. Forbis

#### 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, <u>please send your envelope in by March 11</u>. Please write your loved one name(s) on the back of the envelope or include a note inside the envelope.

#### 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.

# Collection Numbers for February 25, 2024

#### Parish Collection:

Sunday Offering \$ 10,141.00 Loose Cash & Checks \$ 4,934.41 Capital Improvements \$ 170.00

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 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 <a href="https://www.diojeffcity.org/school-office">www.diojeffcity.org/school-office</a> and scroll down to job opportunities or contact Mrs. Forbis at <a href="mailto:tinaf@ststan.net">tinaf@ststan.net</a> 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 20<sup>th</sup>. There are a few different ways you can access the survey:

- Go to the survey link: <a href="https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/ststan2024">https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/ststan2024</a>
- 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.
- Scan the QR code below with your phone's camera to access the survey



- Stop by the parish office to obtain a paper copy to fill out.
- \*Additionally, we welcome you to email feedback to vitalizeourparish@ststan.net

# Faith-Food-Fellowship

<u>UPDATE</u> - Please note that there will be no Faith-Food-Fellowship event on March 5th due to Confirmation at St. Stanislaus. We will resume in the Parish Center on April 2 after 5:30 pm Mass and we hope that you will join us.

#### **Women Ministry**

Spring is getting closer every day. Our Women Ministry will start back up Wednesday, March 6 from 8:30 am - 10:30 am (meeting every Wednesday) 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.

<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.

<u>Church Cleaners:</u> Diane Otto, Cheryl Richey Boessen, Amy Bruemmer, and Jessica Nicolaescu Please clean church before the week-end of March 9 and 10.

# 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 9 and 10 - Fourth Sunday of Lent					
	Saturday, 5:30 PM	Sunday, 7:30 AM	Sunday, 10:30 AM		
Altar Server	Makenna Perkins Jace Perkins	Sophia Wieberg Anna Lurkins	Bo Boessen Vera Boessen		
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion	Mary Markway	Mike Rackers	Donna Bernskoetter		
Reader	Kathy Poff	Tim Backes	Carol Frank		
Rosary Leader	Lynn Albus	Norma Wieberg	Donna Bernskoetter		
Usher	Jeff Buschjost Justin Buschjost Mark Buschjost Leon Eichholz	Lawrence Bruemmer Tom Buschjost Jim Dallas JB DeWesplore	Gary Bilyeu Roger Bruemmer Ted Bruemmer John Doerhoff		
Greeter	Leon & Hilda Eichholz	Leroy & Annie Bisges	Patrick & Judy Scott		
Offertory	Ronnie & Dana Staggs	Charles & Lois Bax	Vicky Niekamp		
Music Ministry	Dianne Bisges & Group	Patty Rackers Tony & Darlene Luebbering Donna Halbrook Pete Dudenhoeffer	Renee Jurgensmeyer Connie Andrews		

#### 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 on 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.

# **Lenten Sung Vespers**

Each of these Sundays of Lent, we cordially invite you to join us at St. Peter's in Downtown Jefferson City (216 Broadway) for sung Vespers at 5 pm. On March 3 and March 17, Vespers will be immediately followed by a small recital at around 5:35 pm. Vespers alone should last around 35 minutes; together Vespers and the Recital should last around 1 hour.

#### St. Stanislaus Ladies Sodality Blood Drive

Our blood drive is <u>today</u>, <u>Sunday</u>, <u>March 3</u> from 8 am - 12:30 pm in the school gym. We need to collect 40 pints for a scholarship for one of our Parish seniors at Blair Oaks. We work with Blair Oaks as the Red Cross requires us to partner with the school in our community. Lent reminds us that Jesus Christ shed his blood for us. Our gift to Him is the giving of our blood to save others. God will richly bless you for your gift of life.

# 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!





#### **Upcoming Local Events**

Taos Knights of Columbus Fish Fry, Friday, March 8 & 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.

<u>Sacred Heart of Eldon Knights of Columbus</u> Lenten Fish Fries "Dine-In or Carry-Out" on Friday evenings, March 8, 15, & 22 from 5 pm - 7 pm. Adults \$12, children 6-12 \$6, under 6 are free.

K of C Fish Fry in Loose Creek, Friday, March 8 serving fish, hush puppies, parsley potatoes, cole slaw & baked beans from 4:30 pm - 7 pm at the Loose Creek School. Drive thru only. \$12 per meal.

Westphalia Knights of Columbus Spring Dinner and Dance featuring Shiloh Country Band on March 9. Cost is \$25 per person. Fried chicken meal begins at 6:30 pm with the dance beginning at 8:30 pm. For more information or for tickets contact Ron Berhorst (573 619 8213) or Russell Voss (573 619 1324).

St. Anthony Knights of Columbus Fish Fry, March 8 serving all you can eat fried fish, fried potatoes, baked beans, hush puppies, coleslaw and applesauce from 5 pm - 8 pm. Adults \$12, children ages 6 to 12 \$6, children ages 5 & under are free. Carry outs available.

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, coleslaw, 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.

### Village of Wardsville Hall Open House

Come and celebrate the dedication of our new community room and office space for the Village of Wardsville on March 6 at 6 pm at 1825 Albert Place in Wardsville. You are also invited to attend the ribbon cutting on March 12 at 9 am. For more information please call 573-658-9974.

#### Wardsville Lions Club

### Youth Softball & Baseball Registration

The Wardsville Lions Club will be having registration at the Wardsville Lions Club for Youth Softball and Baseball signups, ages 5 to 15 years old on the following dates and times:

Sunday, March 3 from 11 am - 1 pm

#### DEADLINE FOR SIGN UPS IS MARCH 7.

To play T-ball a child must be 7 years old before July 1. Registration fees are \$60 for the first child, \$25 for the second child, and \$15 for the third child with a cap of \$100 per family. Fees are due at the time of sign-up. There will also be registration for 5–6 year-olds wanting to play in the Fun League. The fee will be \$30 per child. If you have any questions or concerns, contact Brian Schrimpf at 619-6170 or bpsgopackers@gmail.com, or Tim Wilbers at 690-1488.

# **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, <a href="mailto:sander.becky@gmail.com">sander.becky@gmail.com</a>, at 573-808-3758 for assistance.

#### 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.

# Join us for Chrism Mass

Bishop W. Shawn McKnight will bless the Oil of the Sick and the Oil of the Catechumens and consecrate the Sacred Chrism



Cathedral of St. Joseph Jefferson City

> March 26 3:00 p.m.

Please join us for refreshments afterwards! RSVP online at diojeffcity.org/Chrism-Mass-RSVP



# Invitation to (W)holiness

nurturing body, mind and spirit as women of faith

# Journeying Into the Heart of God

Saturday, March 23

8:00 - 11:00 am

**Immaculate Conception** Church

1206 E. McCarty St., Jefferson City

Women of all ages are invited to join together for a morning of faith enrichment and quiet reflection journeying into the heart of God during this Lenten season.

The morning will begin with the celebration of Mass at 8 a.m., followed by a reflection with Fr. Matthew Flatley, Pastor of Immaculate Conception Parish.

Come listen, learn and reflect on our individual and shared journeys to (w)holiness. Together, we will explore scriptures around Martha and Mary. Are you one or the other? Perhaps a bit of both? How can we both challenge and nurture all the parts of ourselves ... all the while, striving to give our all to God.



This program is spansored by I.C.'s termoculata Chih.

# Save the Date

# MidWest March for Life



WEDNESDAY MAY 1, 2024

To honor and glorify Dezaz Christ and defend innocent life.

#### 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:

Youth Rally — Capitol Steps South Lawn Ballot Initiative Update — Capitol Rotunda 12:15 p.m.

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

Ecumenical Prayer Session — Capitol Rotunda



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