



## ST. STANISLAUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

February 25, 2024

### Second Sunday of Lent

Monsignor David Cox, Pastor

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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: February 26 thru March 3

<b>Monday:</b>	<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	†	Lloyd & Jeff McNew
<b>Tuesday:</b>	<b>5:30 p.m.</b>	†	Sam Berendzen
<b>Wednesday:</b>	<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	†	Richard Howard
<b>Thursday:</b>	<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	†	Dale Rowles
<b>Friday:</b>	<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	†	Harold & Margie Rackers
<b>Saturday:</b>	<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	†	Michael Hoelscher
	<b>5:30 p.m.</b>	†	Roger Wilbers, Donnie Braun, Charles & Mary Ann Braun
<b>Sunday:</b>	<b>7:30 a.m.</b>		Living & Deceased Members of the Bill Temmen Family
	<b>10:30 a.m.</b>	†	Helen Boeckmann

The Mass for The People of the Parish is being offered on Sunday, March 3 at St. Margaret Parish at 9:00 a.m.

#### Lenten Penance Services

St. Peter, Jefferson City	February 28	7 pm
St. Francis Xavier, Taos	February 29	6 pm
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 1.

#### Perpetual Adoration Open Holy Hours

Saturday morning midnight - 1:00 am

Wednesday morning 1 am - 2 am

Thursday morning 1 am - 2 am

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

#### 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.

#### First Saturday Devotion

Will be on Saturday, March 2 with Confessions at 7:00 am, the Rosary will begin at 7:40 am and Mass will begin at 8:00 am. Meditation will follow Mass. All are welcome to join us.

#### Faith-Food-Fellowship

**UPDATE** - 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.

#### Request for Musicians & Vocalists

Anyone interested in participating in our music ministry should contact Donna Halbrook at 573-230-5141. We are currently looking to fill vacancies for both vocalist and musicians, and we would love for you to share your talents with our parish.

#### 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**

- We will also begin the Divine Mercy Novena after this Service.

**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 February Prayer Intention for our Local Church

For the depressed and those suffering from mental illness; may the active compassion of the Church bring healing and consolation to those who are tempted to despair.

## St. Stanislaus School

Oh, the weather outside is...not frightful! It's amazing how the weather in Missouri can change so quickly. The weather this week is looking to be magnificent, and I hope you are able to enjoy it.

I was able to be in several classrooms this week to witness the awesome things everyone is learning and teaching. I am very impressed by how hard our students and staff are working!

Stations of the Cross began this week for our students. Eighth grade did a great job of hosting the very first one of our Lenten season. I love how they had us act out each station with a different pose. Nice job! Our next Stations of the Cross will be Tuesday, February 27th at 2:00 p.m.

**First Reconciliation:** Please keep our 2nd graders in your prayers as they receive their First Reconciliation this weekend. Our God is great and is ready to forgive, no matter what.

**PreK Enrollment:** Information has been sent home for PreK 3 and 4 year old registration, and our class sizes are limited. Once all spots are filled, we will then begin a waiting list.

**Kindergarten Enrollment:** Information is going home today for Kindergarten registration. Please contact the school office if you did not receive registration information.

**Re-enrollment:** Re-enrollment at St. Stanislaus School will begin within the next week for grades 1-8 and will be sent home with your child.

**2024-2025 School Year:** Before the beginning of the school year:

- All parents, guardians, and step-parents with children in grades PreK-8th grade will need to complete Virtus training before the beginning of the school year. This includes completing a training module, a background check, and a Code of Conduct. Information on how to do this will be sent out via email in the near future.
- All families must be registered members of St. Stanislaus Parish or St. Margaret Parish. Forms can be picked up in the office or at the Parish Center.

Many blessings,  
Mrs. Forbis

## End of Year Giving Statements

To request an end of year giving statement, please send an email to [ststansec@socket.net](mailto:ststansec@socket.net) or call the Parish Center at 636-4925. When making your request, please include your name, street address and phone number.

**Thank you for your generous support of our Parish in 2023.**

## Collection Numbers for February 18, 2024

### Parish Collection:

Sunday Offering	\$ 7,296.50
Loose Cash & Checks	\$ 1,924.55
Capital Improvements	\$ 5.00

### Electronic Contributions:

Monthly for February 20, 2024	\$ 12,659.00
Semi-Monthly for February 20, 2024	\$ 4,122.50

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 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](http://www.diojeffcity.org/school-office) and scroll down to job opportunities or contact Mrs. Forbis at [tinaf@ststan.net](mailto: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 not limited to one response per household, we are requesting all 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: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/STSTAN2024>
- Go to the St. Stanislaus Parish website at [ststanislaus.net](http://ststanislaus.net) 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](mailto:vitalizeourparish@ststan.net)

## Wardsville/Osage Bend K of C Fish Fry

On Friday, March 1 serving fish fillets, hush puppies, cole slaw, baked beans, french fries or baked potato and homemade rolls from 4:30 - 7:30 pm. All you can eat \$14. Dine in and carry out.

## St. Stanislaus Ladies Sodality Blood Drive

Our blood drive is set for **Sunday, March 3** from 8 am - 12:30 pm in the school gym. The Red Cross is in great need of blood and your gift could save up to three lives. There are three signup sheets in the back of church. One is for Blair Oaks Parish seniors to work the blood drive, which is required to be eligible for a scholarship. The second is for donors who do not have access to a computer to give blood. It is best to register at [RedCrossBlood.org](http://RedCrossBlood.org) and enter St. Stanislaus to guarantee your time. The last sheet is for ladies needed to work the blood drive. Remember Christ shed His blood for us. Our gift to Him is to give blood to save others. God Bless

**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.

**Church Cleaners:** Suzette Mertens, Julie Mertens, Ann Moeckli and Wendy Buschjost  
Please clean church before the week-end of March 2 and 3.

### Liturgical Role Schedule for March 2 and 3 - Third Sunday of Lent

	Saturday, 5:30 PM	Sunday, 7:30 AM	Sunday, 10:30 AM
<b>Altar Server</b>	Cashton Smith Easton Barbour	Claire Markway Henry Markway	Jared Bennett Bailey Miller
<b>Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion</b>	Jude Markway	Melissa McCauley	Dana Wilbers
<b>Reader</b>	Mary Markway	Linda Sommers	Pete Dudenhoeffer
<b>Rosary Leader</b>	Barb Groner	Betty Siebeneck	Alice Kampeter
<b>Usher</b>	Adam Boessen Eugene Boessen Adam Buschjost Jason Buschjost	Henry Bauer Charles Bax Leroy Bisges Paul Bisges	Dan Bax Jason Bennett Parker Bennett Nolan Bennett
<b>Greeter</b>	Don & Gloria Lane	John & Paula Wilbers	Gene & Judy Sandbothe
<b>Offertory</b>	Don & Gloria Lane	Tim & Karen Backes	Gene & Judy Sandbothe
<b>Music Ministry</b>	Donna Halbrook & Choir	James & Barbara Howard	Ashley Dudenhoeffer Pam Stonner Audrey Kaiser

### **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!

### **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.

### **Breaking the Silence of Abuse**

As a diocese, we are committed to breaking the silence of abuse. When someone is reporting abuse, we must acknowledge their pain and how difficult it is to talk about it. False allegations are very rare. Our initial response to someone who is disclosing abuse for the first time must be compassionate. For those who need to report abuse, encourage them to contact our Victims Assistance Coordinator, Jacqueline Baldwin (573-694-3199) and to make sue of the appropriate State of Missouri hotline (1-800-392-3738) or the Attorney General's clergy abuse online form. All of this information is also on our website, under the 'report abuse' tab. For those who want information or want to convey a message to Bishop McKnight, please encourage them to write to us at [reportabuse@diojeffcity.org](mailto:reportabuse@diojeffcity.org).

### **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](https://www.eventbrite.com), search for Restored - A Women's Retreat or email [registerariseevent@gmail.com](mailto:registerariseevent@gmail.com). For questions, please contact LeAnn Korsmeyer 573 690-2882, Millie Aulbur 573 690-4635 or Mary Markway 573 690-5284.

### **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 February 18, 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.

Public and common prayer by the people of God is rightly considered to be among the primary duties of the Church. For centuries, the Church has prayed in this manner through the Liturgy of the Hours, also known as the "Divine Office." In the Liturgy of the Hours, the Church offers to God a sacrifice of praise, that is a tribute of lips acknowledging His name – it is the voice of the bride (the Church) addressing her bridegroom (Christ); it is the very prayer that Christ Himself, together with his Body, addresses to the Father in Psalms, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs. (General Instruction of the Liturgy of the Hours, §1 & §15)



## 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.

**Sacred Heart of Eldon Knights of Columbus Lenten Fish Fries** "Dine-In or Carry-Out" on Friday evenings, March 1, 8, 15, & 22 from 5 pm - 7 pm. Adults \$12, children 6-12 \$6, under 6 are free.

**St. Peter Holy Name Society Pancake and Sausage Breakfast** at the Selinger Centre Cafeteria TODAY Sunday, February 25 from 7:30 am - 11 am. All you can eat. Adults \$10, children under 12 \$5, \$30 family (3+ kids).

**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 1 & 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 1 and 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.

## 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:

- Tuesday, February 27 from 6 pm - 7 pm
- 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](mailto: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, [sander.becky@gmail.com](mailto:sander.becky@gmail.com), 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](http://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](mailto: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. Warack 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 specifically for a student attending the University of Missouri-Columbia. Scholarship eligibility information and applications are available at [diojeffcity.org/scholarships](http://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](http://diojeffcity.org/Chrism-Mass-RSVP)



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## 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

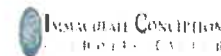
Immaculate Conception  
Church

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 Platley, 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 sponsored by I.C.'s  
Immaculata Club.

DOUBLE FEATURE WITH JASON EVERT



CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOSEPH  
2315 WEST MAIN STREET  
JEFFERSON CITY, MO 65109



CHASTITY  
PROJECT

ONE DAY - TWO TALKS \$25  
FREE RESOURCES FOR EVERY ATTENDEE!

\$100 for families  
of 5 or more &  
scholarships are  
available if needed

#### PURIFIED

A LIFE-CHANGING EVENT FOR FAMILIES (AGES 13+)

SUNDAY  
March 3, 2024

3:00 - 4:30 PM

The innocence of the family is under attack like never before. Come and discover how to protect and heal yours. This chastity presentation is for teens, parents and adults.

#### GENDER & THE THEOLOGY OF YOUR BODY (AGES 13+)

SUNDAY  
March 3, 2024

6:30 - 7:30 PM

What's the meaning of sex, gender, and the human body? The truth of masculinity and femininity are being questioned like never before. Discover how your body as a man or woman reveals your identity and calling.

Mass 5:00-5:45 PM  
Dinner Break 6:00-6:30 PM

Tickets: [chastity.com/purified](http://chastity.com/purified)  
Info: [julie.g@cathedraljc.org](mailto:julie.g@cathedraljc.org) / 573.635.7991



## COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

Applications due  
March 28, 2024



The Diocese of Jefferson City is pleased to offer our parish families college scholarship opportunities through a generous donation from the families of William H. (Bill) Simon and John L. Warack



FOR ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS  
AND TO COMPLETE AN APPLICATION, VISIT:

[diojeffcity.org/scholarships](http://diojeffcity.org/scholarships)





Jefferson City Z-Club Presents  
4th Annual



# Girl Empowerment Day APRIL 27, 2024

You are invited:

- Memorial Park Pavilion, 115 Memorial Drive, Jefferson City, MO
- 10 am to 3 pm (registration starts at 9:30 am)
- Girls 6th - 8th grade are invited to join other girls as they learn self-defense, nature survival skills, how to de-stress, and much more! Lunch is provided. Dress for the out-of-doors.

**All proceeds from this event will go to the  
Stop Human Trafficking Coalition of Central Missouri**

For more information contact Ramona Huckstep at (573) 619-8657 or

[ramona.huckstep@gmail.com](mailto:ramona.huckstep@gmail.com). To register online [click here](#) OR print & mail the form below

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's or Guardian's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Dietary Restrictions (please list): \_\_\_\_\_

Scholarships available

Make checks payable for \$15 to: Z-Club of Jefferson City  
(Registration deadline: April 19, 2024)

Mail to: Z-Club of Jefferson City  
PO Box 106021, Jefferson City, MO 65110