

ST. STANISLAUS CATHOLIC CHURCH October 20, 2024

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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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: October 21 thru October 27

Monday: 8:00 a.m. † Tom and Joan Schnieders;

Cathy Schnieders Grawe

Remember in Prayer Betty Kampeter

Tuesday: 5:30 p.m. † Bernie & Evelyn Schneider

Wednesday: 8:00 a.m. † Ted & Norma Distler

Thursday: 8:00 a.m. † Harold & Margie Rackers **Friday:** 8:00 a.m. † Nicole Kever Torres and Elijah

Torres

Saturday: 5:30 p.m. People of the Parish

Sunday: 7:30 a.m. † Lawrence & Louise Moeller

10:30 a.m. † Lawrence & Emma Boeckmann

In your Charity, please pray for the repose of the soul of Stefani Werdenhausen, member of our parish, who passed away on October 15, 2024. May her soul and all the souls of the dearly departed rest in peace, Amen.

Perpetual Adoration Open Holy Hours

Saturday morning 1 am - 2 am (every other)
Sunday morning 2 am - 3 am (1st & 3rd)
Please call Donna at (573) 680-1470 if you are interested in joining our Perpetual Adoration Chapel program.

Country Store News

Thank you! We appreciate so many parishioners who donated to our store and those who donated money for our expenses. Special thanks to all our team of bakers and workers for all their help.

Cheryl Boessen & Karla Holzer, Chairpersons

Finance Committee

The Finance Committee will meet on Thursday, October 24 at 6:30 in the Parish Center.

Ladies Sodality

The Ladies Sodality of St. Stanislaus is an organization of women that provide support to our Parish in many different ways. The Sodality pays for all our candles, altar bread and wine and other needs for our church. All ladies of the Parish are considered members. In November you will find an envelope in your packet asking you pay your \$10.00 membership dues. Please remember how important this organization is to our Parish. You are also invited to attend their next meeting which is scheduled for December 1 in the Parish Center following the 7:30 am mass.

Holy Day for All Saints

Masses for the Holy Day of Obligation are: St. Stanislaus—November 1 at 8 am and 5:30 pm St. Margarets—November 1 at 7 pm

Apology

Dear Parishioners,

We are sorry about the confusion regarding 10:30 Mass last weekend. Mass times were changed for the picnic to just follow the regular Mass schedule but it did not get changed in the calendar for the Fall Supper. Simple miscommunication. Thank you for your understanding.

First Saturday Devotion

Saturday, November 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 Chips

The Chosen, Season 4, Episode 4 will be shown on October 27 in Room 210 of the school (room off the gym) immediately after the Sunday 7:30 Mass. Coffee and snacks are provided. Please feel free to join us. Even if you have not seen any of The Chosen episodes, join us to begin catching up. Questions call 635-8393.

Patriotic Rosary

PLEASE JOIN US ON ELECTION DAY..... Now, more than ever, our country needs our prayers. You're invited to join St. Stanislaus 5th Grade as we pray a Patriotic Rosary at **8:30 a.m.** on **Tuesday**, **November 5th** in St. Stanislaus Church. <u>ALL ARE WELCOME!</u>

Rosary on the Eve of Election

In an effort to defeat Amendment 3, a rosary will be prayed at Immaculate Conception Church in Jefferson City on Monday, Nov 4 at 6:30 pm. Adoration will also be held from 6 am to 7 pm on Tuesday, Nov 5 at Immaculate Conception Church. Adorers are encouraged to pray the rosary during their adoration hour. In an effort to make sure all hours are covered, please let Debbie Kolb, 573-230-5030, know what time you plan to attend. Please note that there will be a regularly scheduled Communion Service at 7:00 am and Mass at 5:30 pm on Nov 5. We hope to have many people from all over our Diocese attend!

<u>Prayer Hotline:</u> Contact Kay Stockman at 573-536-8777 or Karen Schenewerk at 573-635-3943 for prayer line requests or to be added to the prayer line.

Bishop McKnight's October Prayer Intention for our Local Church

For a greater conversion of hearts to God who loves us so much; that in living the stewardship way of life, we may avoid any sense of entitlement in our relationships with God and one another.

St. Stanislaus School

I hope you are enjoying the beautiful scenery and temperatures all around us. Speaking of scenery, have you noticed the pumpkins and mums around the school and church grounds? Thank you to everyone who had their hand in this beautiful sight!

Fall Supper: What a great day we had for the Fall Supper! The weather was gorgeous, food was excellent, and there was excitement everywhere. Thank you to all the workers and everyone who came out to join in the fun!

Report Cards: Report cards will be sent out electronically on Wednesday, October 23rd. Please reach out to the office if you do not receive your child's report card.

Conferences: Parent/Teacher Conferences on Thursday, October 24th. Meeting with your child's teacher is essential in creating a strong partnership between school and home. They also allow you to get information on your child's academic progress, strengths, and areas of improvement. If you cannot make it in person, reach out to your child's teacher to set up a phone conference.

Quarter-Zip Fleece: We have noticed a large amount of quarter-zip fleece being left behind. Writing your child's name on the inside tag will help us quickly return these items to the right student.

Kroger & Box Tops: Looking for a way to help the school? The Kroger/Gerbes app has a community rewards program where you can link St. Stanislaus School to receive funds every time you shop using your rewards card. Box Tops now has an app to scan your store receipts for participating products and our school can earn cash with every Box Top product purchased. No more clipping Box Tops.

Have a great weekend and take some time to spend it with Jesus!

Many blessings, Mrs. Forbis

Volunteers needed for PSR

The St. Stanislaus Parish School of Religion (PSR) provides Religious Education and Catechesis to children in kindergarten-7th grade who do not get catechesis through our Catholic school. This program has supported our parish families for many years through the devotion of volunteers from the parish who lead weekly religion classes during the school year. Our PSR program is currently looking for volunteers to teach PSR classes, be aides to our current teachers, and to be put on the substitute teacher list for PSR. If you are interested in volunteering in any way to support the religious education of children in our parish, please contact Abby at the Parish Center, or email ststandre@ststan.net.

See City Deanery

Did you know that St. Stanislaus Parish is a part of the See City Deanery? The Diocese of Jefferson City is divided into five deaneries and St. Stanislaus is a part of the See City Deanery. Parish leadership in the deaneries has been meeting regularly to improve pastoral collaboration and communication, and to facilitate the sharing of resources, activities, and pastoral initiatives. A number of events are

offered by our sister parishes in the See City Deanery and are available to St. Stanislaus parishioners. Some examples include grief support groups and XLT Adoration along with much more. Scan the QR code or visit <a href="https://dioieffcity.org/blog/2024/05/15/see-city-deanery-blog/2024/05/15/see-city-deanery-blog/2024/05/15/see-city-deanery-blog/2024/05/15/see-city-deanery-blog/2024/05/15/see-city-deanery-

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LifeTeen

The next meetings for LifeTeen at St. Stanislaus will be November 10 and December 8 in the Parish Center.

R.C.I.A /O.C.I.A.

R.C.I.A. classes are scheduled for Thursday, October 24th at 5:30 pm in the Parish Center for those who are interested in becoming Catholic. It is a 20 week program designed to enable a person to become a full participating member of the Catholic Church. If you know of anyone who would be interested in the R.C.I.A. program, please contact Abby at the Parish Center or email ststandre@ststan.net to register.

Cathlic Stewardship Renewal

Catholic Stewardship Renewal commitment weekend is this weekend – October 19-20. And why are we being called to do this renewal? Because we were created in the image of God and we are all called to be his hands and feet to love and serve using our God-given gifts. We invite all parishioners to participate in this spiritual process, the goal of which is to strengthen the ministry of our parish by calling everyone into a deeper level of discipleship and relationship with the Łord Jesus. Now is the time to discern how we can pray more, actively participate in the life of our parish family and the universal Church, and give sacrificially our first fruits. Turn your information in by mailing it to or dropping it off at the parish office or by dropping it in the collection basket at mass.

Knights of Columbus-Youth Clay Shoot

The Knights of Columbus will be sponsoring a sporting clays shoot for boys and girls of St. Stanislaus and St. Margaret's parish, ages 11-15. The event will be held at the United Sportsman's Club (4750 Henwick Lane, JC,MO).

All shooters must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian. Bring a shotgun and 2 boxes of shells, shot size 7 1/2 or 8. Shells will be available if needed.

A safety brief will be provided by a certified instructor prior to shooting promptly at 10 am.

Snacks and range fees will be provided.

Please pre-register, no later than October 19th, with Jeff Berendzen (573) 469-8029, Jude Markway, (573) 690-8792, or Rich Fisher (573) 619-5314.

Knights of Columbus Essay Contest 2024-2025

The Missouri State Council of the Knights of Columbus is conducting the annual Essay Contest. It is open to <u>Catholic</u> students in grades 6-8. Those students in Catholic or public schools, or who are home schooled are encouraged to participate.

The 2024-2025 Essay Topic is as follows: God created each of us for a purpose, a vocation in life. What can you do now to begin to know and respond to that vocation?

We ask that essays be submitted no later than January 1, 2025, so they may be judged and winners submitted to the state for judging. Essays must be 350-500 words, a student's original work, reflect the assigned topic and be typed on 8 $1/2 \times 11''$ paper. All entries become property of Missouri Knights of Columbus and will not be returned.

Plaques will be awarded to the top 3 places for each grade level in the state.

Please mail entries to: Richard Fisher 5826 Sterling Ridge Rd. Jefferson City, MO 65101

<u>CHURCH CLEANING:</u> Cindy Markway, Mary Markway, McKenzie Bennett and Ashley Mehmert Please clean church before the week-end of October 26 and 27

<u>Cemetery Grass Cutters for October</u> Leon Eichholz, Chairman; Fred Vanloo; Paul Stonner; Mike Knaebel; Eric Jaegers; Charlie Jaegers; Paul Luebbert; Jack Fisher; Michael Slote; Blake Wilbers and Kylie Wilbers

Liturgical Role Schedule for October 26 and 27 - Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time			
	Saturday, 5:30 PM '	Sunday, 7:30 AM	Sunday, 10:30 AM
Alban Canvar	Cashton Smith	Claire Markway	Audrey Kaiser
Altar Server	Abbott Bowyer	Henry Markway	Camden Sweezer
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion	Mark Heckman	Mike Twenter	Brenda Roling
Reader	Brenda Wilbers	Jim Grothoff	Jeff Boessen
Rosary Leader	Lynn Albus	Carolyn Schnieders	Gene Sandbothe
	Stanley Kolb	JB DeWesplore	Luke Graessle
Hohas	Jim Korsmeyer	Larry Fitzpatrick	Bill Gratz
Usher	Donnie Lane	Dannie Gipe	Rick Massman
	Sam Lock	David Hopkins	David Nicolaescu
Greeter	Betty Kever	Jim & Mary Dallas	Gary & Dana Wilbers
Offertory	Jim & Laurie Bernskoetter	Dannie & Sue Gípe	David & Jessica Nicolaescu
Music Ministry	Donna Halbrook & Choir	Dianne Bisges & Group	Renee Jurgensmeyer
Music Milliarry			Connie Andrews

Upcoming Local Events

Osage Bend Shooting Match — Sunday, October 20, 2024, St. Margarets Parish Hall, Starting at 10:30 a.m.

St. Joseph Parish Fall Festival—Westphalia MO—Sunday, October 20, 2024, Sausage & Roast Beef, Serving 11 am-6 pm.\$16 per Dinner

Sacred Heart Parish Fall Festival—Rich Fountain, MO— Sunday, October 27, 2024, Sausage & German Pot Roast Dinner, Serving 11 am—6 pm, Adults \$16, Kids 5-10 \$10, 4 & under Free.

Linn Area Craft and Vendor Show—Sunday, October 27th, 9 am—3 pm, Linn R2 School Complex

St. Peter Holy Name Society—Msgr. Hoog Cafeteria—Sunday October 27, Pancakes and Sausage Breakfast, Serving 7:30—10:30 am; Adults \$10, Under 12 \$5.

Fall Fantasy \$10,000 Giveaway—St. Thomas—Saturday, November 2, 2024, Prime Rib or Chicken Cordon Bleu, \$125 tickets for 2, Doors open at 6 pm, Dinner served at 6:30 pm. For more information, call Kim Kliegel at 573-619-9188 or Joanie Prenger at 573-659-0304.

St. Francis Xavier Fall Supper—Taos MO— Sunday, November 3, 2024, Turkey and Sausage, Serving 11 am—6 pm, Adults \$16, Kids 6-12—\$7, 5 & under—Free.

St. Andrew Thanksgiving Festival—Tipton, MO— Thursday, November 28, 2024, Knights of Columbus Hall, Turkey and Burger's Baked Ham, Serving 11 am—2 pm, Adults \$15, Children 5-12 \$6, Under 5 Free

St. Stanislaus Trunk or Treat

All are Welcome! Wear your costumes and fill your bags with Goodies! October 27th from 3:30—5 pm in the parking lot across from church. Contact Sarah Wolken at (573) 230-3114 or ststanhs@ststan.net to sign up as a trunk!

Parishioners in Nursing Homes

We are trying to create a list of parishioners who are in nursing homes, assisted living or are home bound. This is an effort to help Msgr. Cox and others in ministry to be able to visit, bring communion and make sure people are anointed. If you know of any parishioner who we may not know about, please call the parish office at 573-636-4925 or email ststansec@socket.net to give us that information. Your help is greatly appreciated.

Pickleball.

Come join us on the St. Stanislaus pickleball courts every Thursday from 5:15 pm till dusk. Feel free to also play other days when St. Stanislaus School is not in session. Contact Karen Douglas with any questions at 573-694-6700. Free lessons upon request.

Parish Directory

We still have several copies of the Parish Directory in the Parish Center. If you did not place a family photo in the parish directory you can purchase a directory for \$20. Please pick up your copy of the directory from the Parish Center.

Collection Numbers for October 13, 2024			
Parish Collection:			
Sunday Offering	\$	6,008.00	
Loose Cash & Checks	\$	1,697.00	
Capital Improvements	\$	310.00	
Diocesan Missions	\$		

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.

MO Catholic Conference Statement on Amendment 3

Amendment 3, which will appear on Missouri's November 2024 ballot, is an extreme constitutional amendment that legalizes abortion at any stage of pregnancy with no protections for the preborn child, even when the child is capable of feeling pain. The amendment would effectively repeal long-standing health and safety standards for women. These include basic health and safety requirements for clinics where abortions are performed, requiring a physician to perform abortions, informed consent requirements, laws prohibiting public funding of abortion, and parental consent requirements before a minor's abortion.

Blair Oaks Veteran's Day Celebration

The Blair Oaks R-11 School District will be having its annual Veterans Day celebration on Friday, November 8, 2024 at 8:30 am in the High School gymnasium. The District takes great pride in this event and looks forward to honoring all those who have served or are serving our country. The Celebration is open to the public.

Breakfast will be served to our community veterans and their

families in the High School cafeteria at 7:45 am. If you are a veteran and/or a family member of a veteran and would like to join us for breakfast, please RSVP by Thursday, October 31st by calling the High School office at (573) 635-8514 or email Kathy Verslues at kverslues@blairoaks.org.



Jubilee Year of 2025

Dear Parishioners,

Every 25 years, the Catholic Church proclaims a year of Jubilee. During that year various churches are designated pilgrimage churches where one may go to pray and obtain the Holy Year indulgences. The basilica's in Rome are given special prominence as places to make pilgrimage in the Year of Jubilee. On December 24, 2024, Pope Francis will proclaim the Jubilee Year of 2025. Your are invited to make a pilgrimage to Rome in 2025. Several pilgrimages are being planned to travel from our Diocese to Rome. Monsignor Cox will lead a pilgrimage to Rome leaving on May 28 and returning June 5, 2025. If you are interested, there are flyers in the back of church. Please register early to secure a spot!

Helias Catholic High School Open House

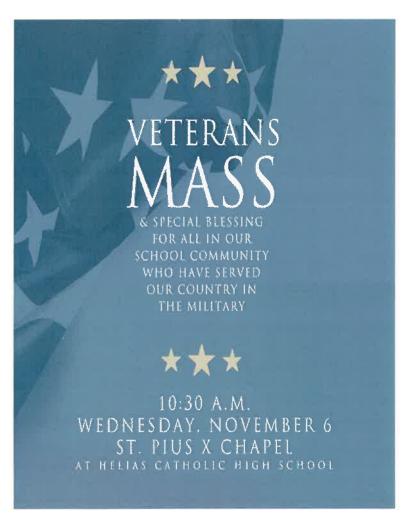
Come see how Helias Catholic High School is building a community of saints and scholars for Christ!

Helias Catholic's annual Open House is from 9-11 a.m. Saturday, November 2.

Stop by to tour the campus; explore academics and extracurricular opportunities; and meet teachers, staff and



students. Open House attendees can enter a drawing for prizes, including the chance to have their enrollment fee waived! Please contact Helias Catholic's admissions office at admissions@heliascatholic.com or 573-635-6139 with any questions.





St. Martin Parish, St. Martins

Afternoon sessions

For more information and to save your spot, contact the parish office at 573-893-2923 or email receptionist@stmartinic.org

Proto-Cathedral of St. Peter, Jefferson City

Evening sessions

For more information and to save your spot, contact the parish office at 573-636-8159

Liturgical Roles for November 2024

November 2 and 3 / Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Saturday, 5:30 PM	Sunday, 7:30 AM	Sunday, 10:30 AM
Altar Server	Alice Lock Kelly Lock	Nash Wilbers Brayden Verslues	Taylor Miller Bailey Miller
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion	Gloria Lane	Leroy Bisges	Dana Wilbers
Reader	Julie Boeckmann	Peggy Luebbert	Bob Czarnecki
Rosary Leader	Paul Rodeman	Betty Siebeneck	Alice Kampeter
Usher	Paul Luebbert Darrell Mantle Landon Mantle Jim Bernskoetter	Donnie Kever Clint Kohlmeier Justin Korsmeyer Shawn McCauley	Glenn Reinkemeyer Dan Wilbers Dan Bax Cole Morehead
Greeter	Donnie & Gloria Lane	Dannie & Sue Gipe	Nancy Gratz
Offertory	Donnie & Gloria Lane	Jim & Pat Grothoff	Vicky Niekamp
Music Ministry	Donna Halbrook & Choir	James and Barbara Howard	Ashley Dudenhoeffer Pam Stonner Audrey Kaiser

November 9 and 10 / Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Saturday, 5:30 PM	Sunday, 7:30 AM	Sunday, 10:30 AM
Altar Server	Easton Barbour Aspen Boeckmann	Hayden Kohlmeier Hudson Kohlmeier	Adelina Bruemmer Carissa Bruemmer
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion	Emily Mantle	Melissa McCauley	Pam Stonner
Reader	Debbie VanLoo	Shawn McCauley	Carol Frank
Rosary Leader	Debbie VanLoo	Norma Wieberg	Gene Sandbothe
Usher	Rich Fisher Steve Wilbers Danny Wortman Donnie VanLoo	Mike Mertens David Moeller Doug Moeller Jeff Rackers	Jason Bennett Nolan Bennett Gary Bilyeu John Doerhoff
Greeter	Leon & Hilda Eichholz	Matt & Jessie Kramer	Carol Frank
Offertory	Adam Boessen & Family	Mike & Rose Mertens	Brianna Perkins & Family
Music Ministry	Donna Halbrook & Choir	Diane Bisges & Group	Renee Jurgensmeyer Connie Andrews

November 16 and 17 / Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

	Saturday, 5:30 PM	Sunday, 7:30am	Sunday, 10:30 AM
Altar Server	Ava Rudolph Amelia Mingucci	Claire Markway Henry Markway	St. Stanislaus Students
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion	Debbie VanLoo	Suzette Mertens	Donna Bernskoetter
Reader	Doug Kolb	Sue Rackers	St. Stanislaus Students
Rosary Leader	Ron Adam	Jane Meldrem	Donna Bernskoetter
Usher	Randy Boeckmann Adam Boessen Gene Boessen Adam Buschjost	Jeff Richter Al Savage Tony Siebeneck Tim Simmon	St. Stanislaus Students
Greeter	Mary Kay Hoelscher	Tim & Denise Simmon	St. Stanislaus Students
Offertory	Gene and Cheryl Boessen	Tim & Denise Simmon	St. Stanislaus Students
Music Ministry	Donna Halbrook & Choir	James & Barbara Howard	Ashley Dudenhoeffer Pam Stonner Audrey Kaiser

November 23 and 24 / Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

	Saturday, 5:30 PM	Sunday, 7:30 AM	Sunday, 10:30 AM
Altar Server	Dylan Howell Charlie Schrimpf	Carson Williams Brayden Verslues	Mason Kaiser Oakley Carder
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion	Donnie VanLoo	Linda Sommers	Julie Cowell
Reader	Lori Lopez	Al Savage	Doug Kliethermes
Rosary Leader	Lynn Albus	Mark Heckman	Alice Kampeter
Usher	Jason Buschjost Jeff Buschjost Justin Buschjost Paul Rodeman	Ted VanLoo Jake VanLoo Blake Wilbers Walter Wilbers	Brian Fischer Dane Frese Bill Gratz Rick Massman
Greeter	Betty Kever	Charles & Lois Bax	Gene Sandbothe
Offertory	Ronnie and Dana Staggs	Karen Backes	Chris & Marcia Boesser
Music Ministry	Donna Halbrook & Choir		Renee Jurgensmeyer Connie Andrews

St. Stanislaus Service Project: Box of Joy

Dear Parishioners,

We are participating in the Box of Joy program from Cross Catholic Outreach. We have participated the past five years with the PSR group and St. Stanislaus School. This service project is supported by St. Stanislaus / St. Margaret's Pro-Life Group and we are excited to bring this program back to our community. This program blesses children suffering from extreme poverty by sharing the joy of Christmas and planting seeds of hope through the Gospel. These boxes are delivered by Catholic missionaries in Guatemala, Haiti, Dominican Republic, Nicaragua, El Salvador, Grenada, and Honduras.



Box of Joy provides students an engaging opportunity to send boxes filled with toys, clothing, school supplies, a rosary and the Story of Jesus to children in developing countries.

You will be able to pick up a boxes after church on October 19th-20th and October 26st-27nd along with a list of suggested items and further instructions. Please return the box to a weekend mass by November 2nd-3rd. We will be collecting both boxes and money (\$9 which covers shipping, medical, and food for the recipient) for the Box of Joy program. Pray that the Box of Joy will show God's love to each child who receives one, opening his or her heart to the life-saving message of Jesus Christ. What a blessing you are to the recipients of these boxes!

- St. Stanislaus / St. Margaret's Pro-Life Group
If you have any questions, please reach out to
Jamie Webb at 573-301-3925 or Jean Armstrong 573-690-0607



GIFT IDEAS

KEY REMINDERS

- 1. Use the provided gift box or any shoebox (approximately 12" x 5").
- 2. A \$9 donation is required and must be provided for each Box of Joy being sent. Families may submit one envelope with a consolidated donation amount if they are sending multiple boxes of joy or give online at boxofjoy.org. **This is the preferred way to give!**



3. Secure the lid with a rubber band (no tape, please). Please do not place donation inside the Box of Joy.

PERSONAL NOTES & PHOTOS

We encourage you to enclose a personal note or a handmade Christmas card and share a photo of yourself or your family. (It is advisable for parents or teachers to review notes written by children.)

TOYS

Deflated soccer balls with pump*

Mini puzzle

Binoculars

Harmonica, kazoo or other small instrument

Jump rope

Yo-yo

Dolls*

Craft kit (beads, elastic, etc.)

SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Pencils

Pencil sharpener

Erasers

Pencil case

Crayons*

Ruler

Coloring book*

Notepads

Stickers

HYCIEUE ITEM

Toothbrush/Toothpaste

Bar soap

Comb/Brush

Manicure kit

HARD CANDY & GUM

Please seal in a zip closure-style bag

No chocolates

No Jolly Ranchers

APPARF

Socks

Shorts

Underwear

T-shirts*

Flip-flops

Hats

ACCESSORIES

Watch

Sunglasses*

lewelry

Hair accessories

Cross or rosary

USEFUL ITEMS

Sewing kit

LED flashlight

Drawstring bag*

DO NOT PACK

Food or Beverages • Medicines or Vitamins • Liquids (shampoo, nail polish, etc.) • Gels (hand sanitizer, etc.) Jolly Ranchers or Chocolates • Military or Police Toys • Toy Weapons • Glass or Breakables • Knives or Tools

*Highly Desired Items



800-914-2420 ext. 142 • boxofjoy.org • boxofjoy@crosscatholic.org

Announcement from the Knights of Columbus

We, the Knights of Columbus, are here today to speak for those without a voice... the unborn. I am sure most of you know we will be voting on a Pro-Abortion amendment to the Missouri state constitution in November which will forever change our rights as Missourians. Called, Missouri Right to Reproductive Freedom Amendment (2024), it is nothing more than legalized killing of babies. We would hope and pray I wouldn't have to ask or persuade any of you here to vote to protect the unborn. What we are asking and encouraging you to do is go to your workplace, schools or friends' groups and bring up the subject. Make sure your circle knows how you stand and they know the facts of this proposed amendment.

We do not have the exact wording that will be on the ballot yet, but here are a few key points of this amendment:

- Taxpayer funded abortions
- · Abortions for minors without parental consent
- Remove liability and regulations from abortion providers
- Make abortions available up to the point of birth
- Pregnancy Resource Centers must refer abortions

The funding for the support of this amendment is almost 100% from outside Missouri such as the ACLU. The funding opposed to this amendment is 100% from various pro-life groups within Missouri. Why would any Missourian vote for any law proposed and funded entirely by groups outside our state? To combat this evil amendment, the Knights of Columbus has earmarked money from our Meet Life Fund. This money would normally be used to help protect the unborn and help families at-risk. Two years ago, at the KC state convention, we passed a resolution making \$5 per member a council obligation. We have asked all KC councils in the state to contribute their \$5 per member obligation to Meet Life (more if you can) as soon as possible. This vote in November will have life and death consequences. History will judge as to how hard we fight this evil amendment and stand up for the unborn.

Please be alert and vigilant. As more information becomes known, the Knights of Columbus will be here to keep you informed and protect the lives of our most vulnerable.

ST. STANISLAUS PARISH FALL SUPPER WARDSVILLE, MO

Winners

1st \$1,000 - Donor: Tom & Sharon Naught -Rose Mertens
2nd \$500 - Donor: Ken & Bernadette Otke — Kate Roling

3rd \$500 - Donor: Anonymous -- Paul Bisges

4th \$500 - Donor: Jim Butler Chevrolet Mid MO Powerhouse - Mike Carroll - Tess Weeks

5th \$275 - Weber Kettle Grill & \$50 Gift Card to Schulte's Fresh Foods - Donor: Cole County Concrete & Jason & Jill Luebbering - Loretta Hogg

6th \$250 - Donor: Weathercraft, INC., Matt, Amy & Tom Fifer - Deb Bisges

7th \$250 - Donor: Lehmen Heating and Cooling—Kevin & Leann Lehmen – Adam Kampeter

8th \$125 - Donor: State Representative Rudy Veit & Jerilyn Veit - Ken Lock

9th \$125 - Donor: Kemna Collision Repair - Vince Distler

10th \$100 - Donor: Maxey Heating & Cooling—Kevin Maxey - Eli Buschjost

11th \$100 - Donor: Knights of Columbus Council 8399 - Bill Yarnell

12th \$100 - Donor: Dulle-Trimble Funeral Home—Kyle Trimble - Bob Linnenbrink

13th \$100 - Gift Card to Bass Pro Shops -- Donor: Rackers Equipment, Gary Rackers -- Jennifer Husa

14th \$100 - Donor: Town & Country Auto Sales - Jason Buschjost

15th \$100 - Donor: Tyler Beck Photography – Ashley Dudenhoeffer

16th \$100 - Cash Gift Certificate - Mid America Bank - Mark Heckman

17th \$100 - Donor: Jeff & Meredith Boessen - Dorothy Thessen

18th \$50 - Donor: Gary and Dana Wilbers - Gerald Rackers

19th \$50 - Donor: Wayne & Donna Bernskoetter - Charles Bruemmer

20th \$50 - Donor: Richard & Ruth Fisher - Rich & Ruth Fisher

21st \$50 - Donor: Mitch Distler-Liefer & Associates, Inc.- Agnes Rackers

22nd \$50 - Donor: Gratz Real Estate & Auctioneering, Bill & Nancy Gratz - Ruth Redel

23rd \$50 - Donor: Holzer Cabinetry -Gerald & Karla Holzer - Atlas Alley

24th \$50 - Donor: Mary & Tom Buschjost - Sara Schrimpf
25th \$50 - Donor: Hilke Ice Company - St. Stanislaus School
26th \$50 - Donor: Eugene & Cheryl Boessen - Wendy Taube

Thank You to all who donated a prize and for those who donated towards the cost of our raffle: Diamond Pet Foods, Knights of Columbus Council 8399, Luke & Melodi Graessle, Jeff & Jennifer Husa, and several anonymous St. Stanislaus Parishioners.

Ticket Sponsor:

