



## ST. STANISLAUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

May 4, 2025

### Third Sunday of Easter

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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: May 5 through May 11

Monday:	8:00 a.m.	† Lucille & Otto Fischer Clarence & Leona Buersmeyer
Tuesday	5:30 p.m.	† Victor, Virginia, John, Judy & James Cassmeyer
Wednesday:	8:00 a.m.	Living & Deceased Members of Jerome & Erma Holzer Family
Thursday:	8:00 a.m.	† Helen Boeckmann
Friday:	8:00 a.m.	† Ella Heckman & Roseanna Bernskoetter
Saturday:	5:30 p.m.	People of the Parish <a href="#">Remember in Prayer Martha Strobe</a>
Sunday:	7:30 a.m.	† Don Knollmeyer
	10:30 a.m.	† Henry & Delphine Tappel Bradley Gilbert <a href="#">Remember in Prayer Marshall Eldridge</a>

#### Perpetual Adoration Open Holy Hours

Thursday mornings 1:00–2:00 am

Saturday mornings 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.

#### Thank You

I would like to thank all my good friends of St Stanislaus for the beautiful 90th birthday cards and phone calls. It was so great to hear from all of you again. I will keep each of you and your families in my prayers and hope all of you have a Blessed year.

Sister Anne Boessen

#### Congratulations

Congratulations to Dawson Roling and MyKenna Braun who were married at St. Stanislaus on April 26, 2025.

#### Information needed for Parish Worklists

The St. Stan picnic is coming in July. If you wish to change your work location or need to be added to the worklist, please send an e-mail to [ststanislausworklist@yahoo.com](mailto:ststanislausworklist@yahoo.com) or contact Judy Roling, Sharon Gulick, Aaron Schrimpf or Sue Rackers no later than May 31<sup>st</sup>. Changes coming in after that date will be considered for the fall supper or the 2026 picnic list. If you have a scheduling conflict for this year's picnic only, please work with your shift chair. If you have general picnic needs, please contact Tim or Denise Simmons (picnic chairs).

Thank you!

#### Bishop McKnight's May prayer intention for our Local Church

For all vocations, and especially for those who will be ordained this year. That they may be strengthened by the grace of the Holy Spirit and remain faithful to the call of Christ. We pray to the Lord.

#### First Saturday Devotion

Saturday, May 3rd with Confessions at 7:00 am, the Rosary will begin at 7:40 am and Mass will begin at 8:00 am.

#### Pro-Life Committee

The Pro-Life Committee will be meeting on May 5, 2025 at 6:00 pm in the Parish Center.

#### Wardsville/Osage Bend Knights of Columbus

The next meeting will be on Monday, May 12– KC Hall—  
Doors open at 6 pm, meal served at 7 pm with a meeting at 7:30 pm.

#### Women Ministry

Our Women Ministry will meet on the 2nd and 3rd Wednesday of each month. Please join us on Wednesday, May 14 from 8:30–10:30 am in the Parish Center. Everyone is welcome! Please contact Mary Kay Hoelscher at 573-230-6227 for information.

#### Over 50 Club Meeting

The next meeting of the Over 50 Club will be held on Friday, May 16 in the Parish Center. We will begin praying the Rosary at 11 am., followed by a carry-in lunch. Bingo, cards, and a 50/50 drawing will follow. Please make plans to attend.

#### Legion of Mary Rosary

Saturday, May 17, The Legion of Mary will be praying the rosary in front of church at 8:30 am. All are welcome.

#### Faith-Food-Fellowship

The next gathering is scheduled for Tuesday, June 3rd at the Parish Outdoor Pavilion. Please join us for mass at 5:30 pm and then BBQ at 6:30. There is no charge for the event.

- Celebrate the Start of Summer
- Enjoy Good Food
- Fellowship with Members of your Parish
- Join in Sand Volleyball, Corn Hole or Pickleball
- RSVP Requested but not Required—Scan the QR code or sign up sheet in the back of church

Please see the flyer/sign up sheet in the back of church.

## St. Stanislaus News

"It's gonna be May!" How is it possible that it is May, and we have only a little bit of time left with our students again? The school year seems to go by quicker each year. It's amazing how much the kids have grown spiritually, physically, and academically.

**Home and School:** Thank you to everyone who came out to our last Home and School meeting on Monday. We are so blessed to have an incredible partnership with our Home and School Association and look forward to their continued support of our school.

**Pizza Haus:** Thank you to all the parents and parishioners who purchased half-baked pizzas from Pizza Haus in April! You helped out St. Stanislaus's Home and School as well as the business of Pizza Haus with this optional fundraiser. The pizzas looked pretty tasty!

**Rosary:** Thank you to the 5th graders for hosting a rosary last week in memory of Pope Francis. They used the actual words from Pope Francis's homilies as meditation during the Joyful Mysteries. Upon closing, those in attendance filed past a picture of Pope Francis offering a silent prayer.

**FACTS:** Please log into your FACTS Family Portal account and make sure your child's lunch account is up to date. Any outstanding amounts will need to be paid before the end of the school year.

**Early Childhood:** We still have a few openings in both of our PreK classes. Please help spread the word to anyone you know who may be interested.

**First Communicants:** Please keep our 2nd graders in your prayers as they celebrate their First Communion this Sunday. They have been preparing, working hard, and are so excited to receive the Sacrament of the Eucharist to bring them closer to God.

**Calendar:** The 2025-2026 is complete but there may need to be some minor changes in the near future.

**Bus Service:** We have been in contact with Durham Bus Company to explore the possibility of using their service next year, though no decision has been made at this time.

Have a great weekend and remember to spend some time with God during Mass.

Many blessings,  
Mrs. Forbis

## Totus Tuus - June 22-27, 2025

Totus Tuus is a week-long fun summer catechesis program for incoming 1st-12th graders. This program is run by groups of faithful, college-age missionaries who are on fire for the faith, and travel week to week to parishes in our diocese to bring these programs to us. Any and all incoming 1st-12th graders are welcome to join us for this fun-filled week! To register your child or find more information, you can find a registration form in the back of church. Registration forms should be returned to the parish office drop box by June 1st. If you are interested in volunteering to help provide meals for the missionaries in the evening or volunteering your time to help the missionaries during the program, please call Abby at (573) 999-2135 or email [ststandre@ststan.net](mailto:ststandre@ststan.net).

**Prayer Hotline:** 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.

## St. Stanislaus is **HIRING!**

### OPEN POSITION

- Guidance Counselor  
shared position with St. Francis  
Xavier

### For More Information:

- Contact Tina Forbis at [tinaf@ststan.net](mailto:tinaf@ststan.net) or at 573-636-7802.
- Apply online at <https://diojeffcity.org/school-office/>

### COME JOIN OUR TEAM!



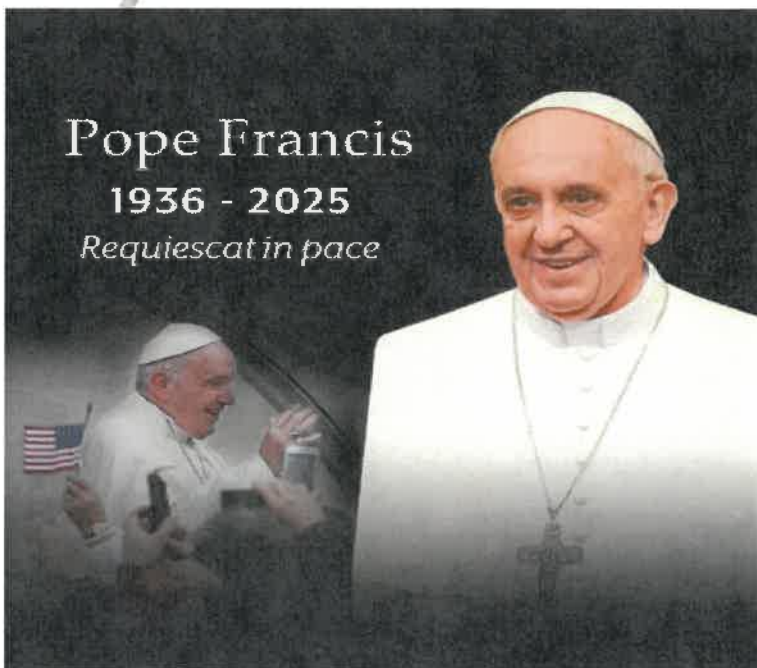
## Camp Registration for Summer 2025

If you are interested in registering your 6-12th grade child for a Summer camp, you can go to <https://diojeffcity.org/youth-camps/>

## Liturgical Roles

We have recently been asking for help with Rosary Leaders for the 10:30 mass. However, we could use some help in all of the areas that you can volunteer your talents. No need to wait until the Time and Talent forms come out in the Fall. If there is any liturgical role that you may be looking at signing up for, please contact the Parish Center at 573-636-4925. We will be happy to add you to the list of volunteers. Any and all help will be appreciated.

Pope Francis  
1936 - 2025  
*Requiescat in pace*





**CHURCH CLEANING:** Mary Buschjost, Darlene Buschjost, Melodi Graessle and Vicky Buschjost  
(Please clean church before the week-end of May 10 and 11)

**Cemetery Grass Cutters for May** Don Eggen– Chairman, Tom Buschjost, John Doerhoff, Bob Hummel, Marvin Holzer, Mark Bruns, Wayne Kempker, Mike Kempker and Kent Bax

### Liturgical Role Schedule for May 10 and 11– Fourth Sunday of Easter

	Saturday, 5:30 PM	Sunday, 7:30 AM	Sunday, 10:30 AM
Altar Server	Hadley Higgins Dylan Howell	Nash Wilbers Carson Williams	Carissa Bruemmer Mason Bruemmer
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion	Emily Mantle	Sharon Gulick	Melodi Graessle
Reader	Kathy Poff	Jess Kohlmeier	Connie Andrews
Rosary Leader	Paul Rodeman	Mark Heckman	Donna Bernskoetter
Usher	Danny Wortmann Jim Bernskoetter Randy Boeckman Gene Boessen	Tom Buschjost Jim Dallas JB DeWesplere Larry Fitzpatrick	Dana Frese Luke Graessle Bill Gratz Justin Korsmeyer
Greeter	Eric & Tiffany Jaegers	Leroy & Annie Bisges	Doug Kliethermes Family
Offertory	Jim & Laurie Bernskoetter	Jim & Mary Dallas	Chris, Marcia & Bo Boessen
Music Ministry	Leann Kampeter & Choir	Dianne Bisges & Group	St. Stanislaus Children's Choir

### Upcoming Local Events

**Visitation Catholic Church Spring Festival—Vienna, MO—Sunday May 4**—Fried Chicken Dinner, serving 11:00 am—5:00 pm, Dine-In/Carry-out, \$15 dinner, Kids 6-12 \$7 (Kids Price is Dine-in only)

**Blair Oaks Blood Drive— Theater Stage—May 13**  
1:30—5:30 pm Please call the Red Cross at 1-800-733-2767 or scan the barcode. Enter Blair Oaks when scheduling.



*Save the Date*

**Picnic:**  
July 20, 2025  
**Fall Supper:**  
October 12, 2025

### St. Stanislaus Facebook Page

Check out our St. Stanislaus Church Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/StStanislausWardville/>

### Save the Date—Walk for Life

The Walk for Life is scheduled for September 14, 2025. Please be sure to put it on your calendars.

**P23 DISCERNMENT CAMP**

An epic vocation camp for junior high guys based on Psalm 23

June 26-28 — Shelbina  
July 9-11 — Camdenton

diojeffcity.org/camp-p23

DIOCESE OF Jefferson City

Offertory Budget Year-to-Date	\$ 810,384.62
Offertory Collections Year-to-Date	\$ 798,377.32
Operating Difference Year to Date	\$ <b>12,007.30</b>

### Collection in Church

Offertory goal for April	\$ 75,384.62
April 6, 2025	\$ 10,677.00
April 13, 2025	\$ 11,693.75
April 20, 2025	\$ 9,714.35
April 27, 2025	\$ 4,827.01
Electronic Contributions	\$ <b>36,443.00</b>
Monthly Collection Total	\$ 73,355.11
Monthly Difference	\$ <b>2,029.51</b>
Stewardship to Diocese—February	\$ 12,510.00

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.

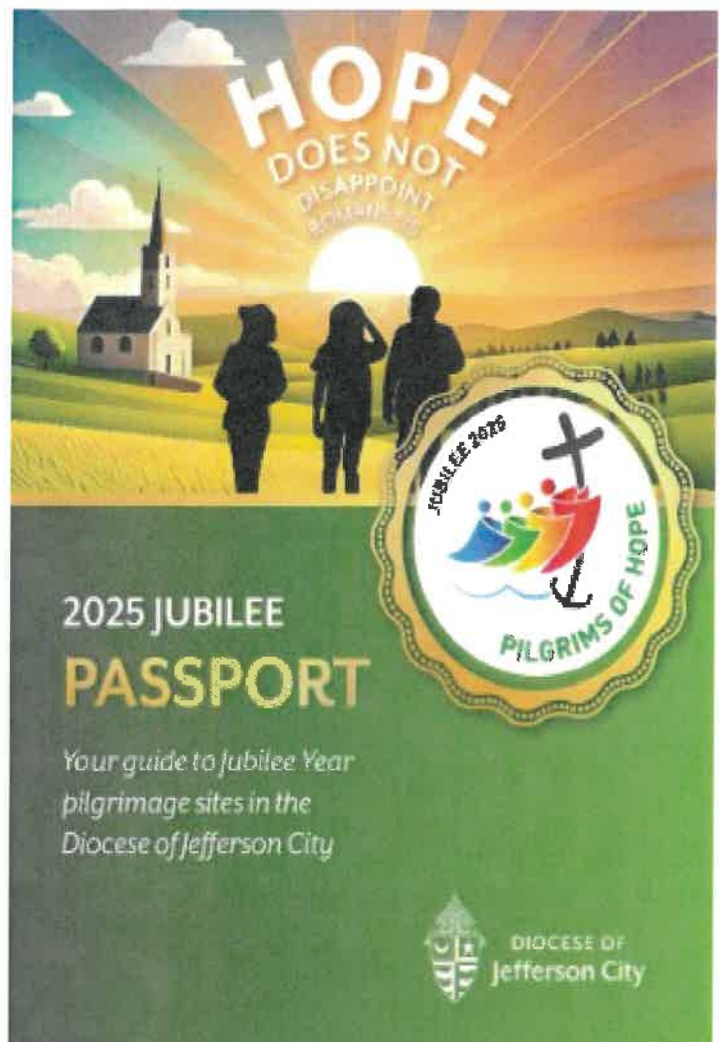
Catholic Charities  
of Central and Northern Missouri

Saturday, May 10th  
9am - 4 pm  
Jefferson City,  
location TBD

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All food remains local!



With immense gratitude for  
the Diocese of Jefferson City,

**Archbishop**

**Shawn McKnight**

invites you to attend a special

*Mass of Thanksgiving*

*accompanied by a light meal*

May 20, 2025  
5:30 p.m.

Cathedral of St. Joseph  
Jefferson City, MO

All are asked to RSVP at  
[diojeffcity.org/Thanksgiving-Mass](http://diojeffcity.org/Thanksgiving-Mass)





## **St. Stanislaus Cemetery update**

A new concrete driveway was poured between section 2 and section 3 of the cemetery.

The new driveway was open before Easter Sunday. Unfortunately, due to unknown sources, two days after being open, property damage took place to both sides of the newly seeded/straw by the new driveway. Three separate areas of the driveway were damaged by drivers who tore up the newly sewn grass areas causing costly damage to the cemetery grounds. Due to this unfortunate incident taking place, the new driveway between section 2 & 3 is closed until further notice. The grounds will need to be repaired once the ground is dry and the damage area is fixed.

We are asking drivers to park down by the mausoleum, drive up the middle driveway and back out, or park at the front of the cemetery off of Route W by the fence/gate. All three driveways are for single vehicles only.

Please be mindful when meeting a vehicle in the driveways to back up safely or use another driveway that is open. Do not block the driveway and make sure to stay on the driveway. Please be respectful and mindful of those visiting gravesites.

### **New cemetery policy for St Stanislaus Cemetery - 4/2025**

From April 1 to October 31 of each year, all objects deemed by management to hinder any ground maintenance shall be removed. We reserve the right to remove any objects that are not allowed.

Spring clean-up in April (normally held the week before Easter). Fall clean-up is held in October (normally the week before Fall Supper.) Notices of the clean-up dates are published in the church bulletin 3 weeks prior to scheduled date.

### **The following rules will be enforced:**

All artificial flowers must be in vases. Saddles on top of the monument will be allowed.

Temporary memorial flowers must be put inside vases on the monument.

Because of the wind, the flowers/saddles blow off and around the cemetery. We suggest labeling any flowers with your name and number on the back side of the flowers if you would like to have them returned.

No Glass objects of any kind.

No Shepard hooks/flags unless part of the monument base or in the vases securely.

No stones/figurines unless part of the monument base. These tend to blow over and get damaged or broken.

No planted flowers/shrubs/trees of any kind shall be permitted in the ground around the monument or in planters.

NO pets are allowed on cemetery grounds. (It has been reported that dogs have been doing their business on gravesites and driveways. The owner of the dog did not dispose of the dog droppings as they should have. This is disrespectful to burial sites and cemetery property. For this reason, no pets are allowed on the premises.)

This is a tobacco and smoke free cemetery property.

We appreciate your cooperation in following these rules and keeping our cemetery grounds looking nice.