



ST. STANISLAUS CATHOLIC CHURCH

April 5, 2026

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

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: April 6 through April 12

Monday:	8:00 a.m.	† Roger & Becky Dickey
Tuesday:	5:30 p.m.	† Leonard Kempker
Wednesday:	8:00 a.m.	† Bernie Forck, Sharon Vieth, Lawrence, Helen & Julie Scheppers
		<i>Remember in Prayer Cooper Smith</i>
Thursday:	8:00 a.m.	† Marcia Ann Bisges and Grandparents
Friday:	8:00 a.m.	† Alfred & Dorothy Schnieders
Saturday:	8:00 a.m.	† Corey Bax, Harold & Mary Lou Bax Norb & Shirley Kolb
	5:30 p.m.	People of the Parish
Sunday:	7:30 a.m.	† Al & Leona Fick
	10:30 a.m.	† Blanche Owens

Perpetual Adoration Open Holy Hours

Saturday 12 noon to 1:00pm (1st only)

Saturdays—1:00-2:00pm (1st and 3rd only)

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.

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

- Larry Mehmert, brother of Carol Davidson, who passed away on March 21, 2026.
- Geneva Rackers, member of our parish, who passed away on March 30, 2026.

May their soul and all the souls of the dearly departed rest in Peace.

St. Stanislaus Welcome

Please welcome Eleanor Marie Holtmeyer, daughter of Jacob & Mikeli Holtmeyer, who was baptized into the faith on March 28, 2026, and Scottie Jo Wilbers, daughter of Ryan and Jayme Wilbers, who was baptized into the faith on March 29, 2026.

Congratulations

Blake Fisher received the Sacrament of Confirmation on March 26, 2026 at St. Thomas the Apostle Church, St. Thomas.

Attention Cursillistas

Keep the Easter celebration going and join the fun at School of Leaders on Saturday April 11, 2026. It will be located at Our Lady of Lourdes parish, Flanagan Hall, Columbia MO. Social time will begin right after 8AM Mass at 8:45 with the program starting at 9:10. We will begin with leaders grouping followed by two inspirational talks by Kim Lenger from Columbia on "Table Groups, Joy & Palanca at the three day weekend" and "Spiritual and Political Power" by Fr. Greg Oligschlaeger from Boonville. We will finish with section work (Pre, 3 day & Post Cursillo) and a visit to the Blessed Sacrament at 11AM. Hope you can join us for this spirit filled Saturday morning with a wonderful group of cursillistas striving to grow closer to Christ and eager to do His work.

A Note from Monsignor

Dear Parishioners,

I will be leaving for some vacation time April 13-22. While I am gone, Fr. James will have the Masses. I will be flying to Amsterdam on Monday, April 13. Please pray for me as I will be praying for you. Msgr. Cox

Parish Center Closed

The Parish Center will be Closed tomorrow for a Diocesan Holiday. The office will re-open Tuesday morning at 7:30am.

Pro-Life Committee

The Pro-Life Committee will be meeting on Monday April 6, 2026 at 6:00 pm in the Parish Center.

Faith-Food Fellowship

Join us on Tuesday, April 7, following the 5:30pm Mass for our Faith-Food-Fellowship gathering in the Parish Center. You are invited to an evening of **good food and great conversation** with fellow parishioners. Faith-Food-Fellowship is a great opportunity to build relationships, strengthen our parish community, and simply enjoy time together. This event is open to all members of our parish—everyone is welcome. We hope you'll make plans to join us!

Women Ministry

Women's Ministry will begin meeting on Thursday, April 9, 2026 from 8:30–10:30am in the Parish Center. Everyone is welcome! Please contact Mary Kay Hoelscher at 573-230-6227 for more information.

Legion of Mary Rosary

Saturday, April 11, at 8:30am in front of church, the Legion of Mary will be praying the rosary. All are welcome.

Wardsville/Osage Bend Knights of Columbus

The next meeting will be on Monday, April 13– KC Hall—Doors open at 6pm, meal served at 7pm with a meeting at 7:30pm.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Eugene and Cheryl Boessen celebrating their 55th wedding anniversary with us this weekend. May you be blessed with many more.



St. Stanislaus School News

Wishing you and your family a restful and refreshing Easter break. Enjoy those special moments with your loved ones. School will not be in session on April 2nd–7th and will resume on Wednesday, April 8th.

Many blessings,
Tina Forbis, Principal

St. Stanislaus is **HIRING!**

OPEN POSITION

- Music Teacher

For More Information:

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

COME JOIN OUR TEAM!



Knights of Columbus Auxiliary

What is a Ladies Auxiliary? What do they do? Why are they organized? Where do they meet? How often do they meet? Who are the Ladies Auxiliaries? I can answer that one – a group of practicing Catholic ladies, Knight's spouses or not, coming together for some specific reasons. The rest of the questions can be answered on April 9th, at 6:30pm at the Wardsville/Osage Bend Community Hall. Several ladies from the St Thomas KofC Ladies Auxiliary, which was formed about 4 years ago, will be there. They went from 14 members to over 70 in 4 short years. Some of the remarks I heard - We were (clickish) as parish women, but that is not the case now; she also stated that young ladies know how to get things together and had many more good comments. There will also be a married couple from the State Knights of Columbus there to answer the how-to questions. From what I have heard, it is basically what the women decide. Get your questions answered on April 9th at 6:30pm at the Wardsville/Osage Bend Community Hall. Snacks and Drinks provided. If you have any questions, please contact Mike Mertens at 573-821-4313 or mbmertensr@gmail.com.

St. Stanislaus/St. Margaret's Community Center Bricks for Flagpole

Anyone have family members that have been called to the religious life? The Knights of Columbus would like to honor those family members of parishioners from St. Stanislaus and St. Margaret's parishes by adding their names to the bricks around the flagpole at the Community Center. If you have someone that you would like to have honored or if you have any questions, please contact Jude Markway at (573) 690-8792.

St. Stanislaus/St. Margaret's Community Center

If you are interested in renting the K of C hall for any event, please call 573-230-4055.

Interparish Divorce Group Social Gathering

When: Thursday April 9th from 6:30–8:00 pm

If you are a divorced or separated Catholic, join us for this opportunity for fellowship with others walking through this journey. Call or Text Rhonda at 573-645-8066 or Mary at 573-338-4028 for location and more information.

Totus Tuus Volunteers

Volunteers are needed to help provide evening meals for our Totus Tuus missionaries and/or help during the Day Program with checking in/out, serving snacks, applying band aids etc. The program will be held at St. Stanislaus on July 12-17, 2026. The Day Program for Grades 1-6 will be held Monday-Friday, July 13-17 from 8am-1:30pm. The Evening Program for Grades 7-12 will be held Sunday-Thursday, July 12-16 from 6:30pm-8:00pm. One to two adult helpers are needed Monday-Friday (7:15am-1:45pm) in the gym for the Day Program. Evening meals (serving 5-6 missionaries) will be needed Sunday-Thursday at 5:30pm in the Parish Center (July 12-16). To volunteer, please contact Cathy Singer at 573-690-1491. Thank you

Steubenville Youth Conference Availability

St. Stanislaus Teens (Grades 8–12) - We have a few extra tickets available for the **Steubenville Youth Conference** to be held in Springfield July 10–12. If you are interested in attending, please contact ststandre@ststan.net.

Youth Group Leader

Our St. Stanislaus D.R.E. is looking for an adult leader for the Youth Group. If you are interested in working with our 8th–12th graders, leading them in faith talks, prayer and even some games, please contact Missy at 636-4925 x4.

DIocese of Jefferson City

SUMMER CAMPS

FOR INCOMING 6TH-12TH GRADERS


 Camp Lolek FOR JUNIOR HIGH	June 7-11, 2026 - Boys June 14-18, 2026 - Girls
 Camp Maccabee FOR YOUNG MEN	June 21-26, 2026 July 12-17, 2026
 Camp Siena FOR YOUNG WOMEN	June 28-July 3, 2026 July 19-24, 2026

For more info, visit diojeffcity.org/camps



Pilgrimage to Spain and the Sudarium of Oviedo

Join Fr. Stephen Jones on an 11-day pilgrimage to Spain from September 16-26, 2026. Venerate sacred relics: the Sudarium of Oviedo (Christ's face cloth) and the Lignum Crucis (largest fragment of the True Cross). Explore the Eucharistic Miracle of Santarem, Our Lady of Fatima, St. James' tomb in Santiago de Compostela, Covadonga, and the legacy of St. Teresa of Avila and St. John of the Cross. Experience daily Mass with rare expositions, candlelight processions, and profound saintly encounters in lands where heaven meets earth. If interested, scan the QR code for more information and registration.



CHURCH CLEANING: Bill & Doris Dorge, Mercedes Buschjost and Laura Touchette

(Please clean church before the weekend of April 11 and 12)

Cemetery Grass Cutters for April Larry Armstrong, Chairman, Brad Armstrong, Chuck Bailey, Jim Bernskoetter, Gary Bilyeu, Earl Bruemmer, Mitch Distler, Sam Lock, Kelly Lock

Liturgical Role Schedule for April 11 and 12—Second Sunday of Easter

	Saturday, 5:30 PM	Sunday, 7:30 AM	Sunday, 10:30 AM
Altar Server	Jace Perkins Makenna Perkins	Claire Markway Henry Markway	Amelia Mingucci Emma Mingucci
Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion	Tony Albus	Monica Kusick	Carol Griffin
Reader	Lori Lopez	Al Savage	Cory Nilges
Rosary Leader	Debbie VanLoo	Jane Meldrem	Donna Bernskoetter
Usher	Charles Halderman Eric Jaegers Charlie Jaegers Bill Kliethermes	Blake Wilbers John Wilbers Jake VanLoo Steve Wilbers	Nick Lepper Justin Korsmeyer Rick Massman Kyle Strange
Greeter	Leslie Wilbers Family	Luke & Myrilla Markway	Carol Fick
Offertory	Josh & Erin Barbour	Austin & Jill Bernskoetter	Bill & Nancy Gratz
Music Ministry	Donna Halbrook & Choir	Dianne Bisges & Group	James & Barbara Howard

Upcoming Local Events

**St. Marys School Craft Fair and Bake Sale—School Hall—
Frankenstein, MO—Saturday, April 11, 2026—8:00am—12:00pm**

**Guardian Angels Parish Spring Chicken and Ham Dinner—
Brinktown, MO—Sunday, April 12, 2026—serving 11am-4:30pm—
Dine-In or Carry Out—Adults \$16, Children 6-12 \$8, 5 and under
is Free.**

St. Stanislaus Facebook Page

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

Annual Walk for Life

Sunday, October 4, 2026

Wardsville/Osage Bend Community Center

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.

FISHERS of Men

**SUNDAY
APRIL 26, 2026
1 PM - 5 PM**

RSPV TO HELP US PLAN FOR FOOD

ELDON MIDDLE SCHOOL
1400 N GRAND AVE, ELDON, MO 65026

Join us for Fishers of Men, an afternoon of fishing with local priests! This catch-and-release event is open to teens and young adults (5th grade+) from across the Diocese! Bring your own fishing gear and a chair, and we'll provide the food. Parents are welcome! Come relax, connect, and cast a line with us! For questions call or email Erin Koerner 573-645-3396 | sacredheartsec@outlook.com

2027 Calendar for Mass Intentions

For the 2027 calendar year, you can request up to 10 masses, with no more than 3 masses scheduled on weekends or Tuesdays. The calendar will be available for you to purchase masses starting on June 1st, 2026. At that time, you may contact the parish center to reserve from the available dates. As always, Thank you for your patience and understanding.

Offertory Budget Year-to-Date	\$ 787,500.00
Offertory Collection Year-to-Date	\$ 819,135.28
Offertory Difference Year to Date	\$ 31,635.28
Collection in Church	
Offertory budget for March	\$ 100,961.54
March 1, 2026	\$ 12,543.25
March 8, 2026	\$ 10,431.00
March 15, 2026	\$ 10,785.01
March 22, 2026	\$ 4,202.00
March 29, 2026	\$ 19,381.00
Electronic Contributions	\$ 38,278.00
Monthly Collection Total	\$ 95,620.26
Monthly Difference	\$ (5,341.28)
Stewardship to Diocese—February 2026	\$ 10,624.00

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.

Divine Mercy Chaplet

The past couple of years we have been singing the Divine Mercy Chaplet on Divine Mercy Sunday after the 10:30am 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	April 3	12:00pm	Stations of the Cross & Divine Mercy Chaplet
Saturday	April 4	8:00am	No Mass, Divine Mercy Chaplet together in Church
Easter Sunday	April 5		Pray the Divine Mercy Chaplet on your own
Monday	April 6	8:30am	Pray the Chaplet after 8:00am Mass
Tuesday	April 7	6:00pm	Pray the Chaplet after 5:30pm Mass
Wednesday	April 8	8:30am	Pray the Chaplet after 8:00am Mass
Thursday	April 9	8:30am	Pray the Chaplet after 8:00am Mass
Friday	April 10	8:30am	Pray the Chaplet after 8:00am Mass
Saturday	April 11	8:00am	Pray the Chaplet at 8:00am
Sunday	April 12	11:30am	Sing the Chaplet after 10:30am Mass

2026
HEART OF A HERO
MEN'S CONFERENCE

CANA HALL, CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOSEPH
JEFFERSON CITY, MISSOURI

APRIL 10
5:30 PM - 10:00 PM

APRIL 11
8:30 AM - 3:30 PM

\$30 FRIDAY ONLY
\$40 SATURDAY ONLY
\$55 BOTH DAYS
\$20 BOTH DAYS - STUDENT

NO CHARGE FOR PRIESTS OR SEMINARISTS

HEAR OUR AMAZING PRESENTERS:


MR. PETE BURAK
VIGIL MINISTER AT
KNOX MEMORIAL


THOMAS MCCAULEY, AUSTIN STEWART, AND ALEX MITTERDORF
BUZZY NORMAN CENTER


MSGR. EUGENE MORRIS
CHURCH OF ST. GREGORY AND
SHEPHERD, ST. LOUIS


FR. STEPHEN JONES
CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOSEPH

"FOR GOD DID NOT GIVE US A SPIRIT OF COWARDICE, BUT RATHER OF POWER AND LOVE, AND SELF-CONTROL"
2 TIMOTHY 1:7



INCLUDES MIDDAY MASS, ADORATION / CONFESSIONS DURING LUNCH

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40 DAYS FOR LIFE.

THE BEGINNING OF THE END OF ABORTION

All Are Invited! Closing Rally

Didn't make it to the sidewalk this year? Come anyway!

Saturday, April 11, 2026

St. Andrew
400 St. Andrew's Lane
Holtz Summit, MO 65043

6:00 p.m.

Doors Open for Fellowship and Silent Auction

7:00 p.m.

Dinner: Prepared and Donated by
Knights of Columbus Council 8400

7:45 p.m.

Talk by Crystal

Court Witness Against Columbia Planned Parenthood

Please RSVP for Dinner Count
Fried or Gluten Free Chicken and all the Trimmings
(573) 821-5130 or kathy@midwestmarchforlife.com

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WOMEN'S MINISTRY SPRING PILGRIMAGE

CROWNED with Joy

A Journey Through the Glorious Mysteries of the Rosary

Join women from across the diocese for a journey with Mary into resurrection, joy, renewed hope, and promised glory!

KEYNOTE SPEAKER, BROOKE TAYLOR





APRIL 25
10:00am - 3:00pm
Doors open at 9:00am
Cost: \$15 for Lunch

THE NATIONAL SHRINE OF MARY
MOTHER OF THE CHURCH
176 MARIAN DR. LAURIE, MO

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**St. Stanislaus Church-Parish Council
Minutes March 17, 2026**

Monsignor Cox called the meeting to order with an opening prayer.

Council Members Present: Tim Hagenhoff, Betty Kever, Emily Bailey, Emily Mantle, Josh Barbour, Justin Buschjost, and Amy Steinman.

Guest: Mrs. Tina Forbis, Principal

Absent: Missy Wilbers, Pat Mingucci, Kristen Pringer and Pam Stonner

Cross Walk: Missy has requested estimates from three contractors and two have responded. Tim is looking into one other estimate. Monsignor noted that Three Rivers Electric has fixed lights in front of school and church. There will be continued discussion at the next meeting with the additional information that is being gathered.

Grounds Report: Betty Kever reported the following.

Projects Completed

- Installation of Crickets on Front of Church Stone by Weathercraft Roofing,
- Centricon Baiting System (Termite Damage Prevention) in the School by Art's Pest Control
- Installation of new parish mailbox,
- Cracked tiles replaced in boy's restroom in the gym by Howell's.

Projects in Progress:

- Plaster/paint interior wall in rear of church from water leaks by Castrop Plastering,
- Install literature storage rack for books, brochures, pamphlets in the rear of the church,
- Trim tree limbs and brush cleanup,
- Install shelving in basement of Parish Center for storage
- Power washing of properties (late spring, summer, fall)

Future Projects:

- Repair concrete/curbs and restriping of east parking lot (summer)
- School playground upkeep,
- Expand parking lot in the back of the Parish Center
- Landscaping from parish property to KC hall
- New windows in the school.

School Report: Tina Forbis reported that the teacher contracts have been received back. The school is looking for a Music teacher. Registration Packets have been sent home with the students for the 2026 to 2027 school year.

Monsignor Cox Report:

- Mass of Healing will be held on Thursday, March 19th, followed by brunch and the Children's choir presentation.

- Holy Thursday is April 2nd
- Good Friday is April 3rd
- Easter Sunday is April 5th

The next Parish Council meetings are scheduled for Tuesday, May 19th at 6:30 p.m., in the Parish Center starting.

Monsignor Cox led the parish council with a closing prayer. The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by: Amy Steinman

MidWest March For Life

THURSDAY
APRIL 30, 2026

To honor and glorify Jesus Christ
and defend innocent life.



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Over 35 life-affirming exhibitors!



Fundraising lunch 11:00 am to 1:00 pm donated by
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8:00 am - Prayer Walk in Capitol
Led by Bonnie Lee, Open Heart Baptist

**8:30 am - Rosary, Divine Mercy
and May Crowning (North Lawn)**

**8:30 am - 1:15 pm - First Class Relics of
St. Carlos Acutis, St. Dominic Savio,
St. Maria Goretti, and
Exhibit - Panels of Eucharistic Miracles**

9:30 am - Opening Celebration
(South Capitol Steps)

- American Heritage Girls Flag Ceremony
- Star Spangled Banner - Haydee Cullen, Vocalist
- Pledge of Allegiance with Pro-Life Legislators

10:00 am - Rally

- Welcome - Rev. Anthony J. Viviano,
Moderator for Pro-Life Ministry
- Opening Prayer - Rev. Major Nicholas J. Reid
- Presentation of Team P.L.A.Y. Awards
- by Kathy Forck
Awards for Pro-Life Champion of the Year
and Pro-Life School of 2026
- Rally Speakers
- Women in White Speak Out - Crystal Lane

11:30 am - MIDWEST MARCH BEGINS

Order: Cross, Clergy, Honor Guard,
Helias Drum Line, Pro-Life School of the Year

11:30 am - 12:15 pm - CoMo Life Teen Band
(South Capitol Steps)

**12:15 - 1:15 pm - Students for Life of America
and Turning Point USA Youth Workshop**
(Selinger Center, gift bag included)

Leadership Institute Adult Workshop
(Selinger Center, box lunch included)

**1:30 pm - Holy Mass at Proto-Cathedral
of Saint Peter**
Most Reverend James V. Johnston, Jr.

