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Prayers have been requested for the following individuals; please keep them and all the relatives of our members who are in need of our prayers this week:

Megan McMurray Dugan

Oakley Johnson

Marta Irizarry-Mayaral

Rodney Smith

Cathy Jerolds

Thomas Russo

Marc Griffin

Carole & Murray Carter

Earl Pierce

Yolanda Harris

Dawn Bowie

Leonard Nugent

Linda Mackler

Earlene Smothers and Family

Reese Hudson

Louie Rankin

Jeanette Pelle

Theresa DeWine

Carrienne Behan

Meghan Forbes

Lara Casey

Bill McElhaney

Kevin Foster

Sherry & James Raymondo

Diane & John Raymondo

Linda & Bruce Gentry

Mary Ruth Abbott

Sylvia McMahan

Stephanie Stevens

Allyson Collinsworth

Margaret Grega

Pam Crays

Robert Ramos

Steve Findley

Theresa Ostrom

Donald and Virginia Ravary

George Manthey

Marilyn Tuskan



10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 9th & 10th, 2018

Saint Albert the Great Parish

(Established July 1, 2007)

Participant in the Safe Environment Program

7200 Brickey Lane

Knoxville, TN 37918

Office: **865/689-7011**

Office e-mail: **office@satgknox.org**

Parish Website: **www.satgknox.org**

Pastor:

Fr. Chris Michelson **frchris@satgknox.org**

Sacramental Associate:

Msgr. Bill Gahagan **(865)-689-7011**

Deacons:

Patrick Murphy-Racey **pat@pmpphoto.com**

Bob Smearing **smearingr@gmail.com**

Mike Duncan **mduncan1711@gmail.com**

Mike Eiffe **mikeandjoan@comcast.net**

Receptionist & Secretary

Jennifer McCleary **office@satgknox.org**

Ministries Coordinator & Music Director

Maria Armento **maria@satgknox.org**

Facilities Manager

Richard Piety **207-9924**

Office Hours

Monday - Thursday **8:30am-2pm.**

Mass Times

Monday - Friday **9am**

Saturday Vigil: **5pm**

Sunday **9 am & 11am**

Confessions:

Saturday 4-4:30pm

Anytime by appointment

Catholic Schools:

Saint Joseph Elementary **689-3424**

Knoxville Catholic High **560-0313**

Please pray for Parishioners discerning a Religious Vocation

Seminarian

Mark Schuster

Saint Meinrad School of Theology

200 Hill Drive

Saint Meinrad, IN 47577

markschuster@gmail.com

Diaconate Aspirant

Steve Haughton

Dear Parishioners,

I was proud of the support of our community to Mark Schuster at his ordination and as he preached for the first time here at Saint Albert the Great Parish. We have been so blest to have Mark be a part of our community as he discerned his call to serve the Lord. Deacon Mark has been assigned to Saint John Neumann Parish this summer and living at Saint Thomas Parish in Lenoir City, but we claim him as he finishes his last year at school and will benefit from his ministry over Christmas and Easter.

Alex Hernandez, a seminarian for our Diocese will be living at Saint Albert the Great Parish this summer and doing CPE at UT Hospital. Alex assisted last weekend at the 5pm Mass and will be present this Sunday. While CPE is more than a full-time commitment, Alex will be helping when he is not "on call" at the Hospital. Welcome Alex!

I hope all your young people are ready to get "Shipwrecked for Christ". Our Vacation Bible School will take place this week, Monday thru Friday from 6-8pm. Preparation have been made and we look forward to a great week of VBS.

Please continue to support our Corporal Works of Mercy Committee by purchasing your grocery gift cards to Ingle's and Food City. All proceeds go to help the needy in our community.

Fr. Chris

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Nourished and strengthened by the sacraments, we the parishioners of Saint Albert the Great Parish strive to: --- Be an open and transparent community where all are welcome.

--- Live joyfully the gospel message of hope and salvation given to us by Jesus.

--- Grow in holiness through prayer, study and worship as a family of faith.

--- Serve the needs of our community and our world.

Parish Council

Deacon Bob Smearing, <i>Chair</i>	423/748-3026
Bob O'Connor, <i>Buildings & Grounds</i>	924-0714
Jennifer McCleary, <i>Communications</i>	689-7011
Joan Eiffe, <i>CWoM: Programs</i>	617-9595
Deacon Mike Eiffe, <i>CWoM: Ministries</i>	938-5825
Mike Clarke, <i>Faith Formation: Study</i>	922-5939
Stephanie Smith, <i>Faith Formation: Social/Service</i>	660-5748
Steve Walker, <i>Finance Committee</i>	548-9464
JoAnn Rudy, <i>Parish Life: Community Building</i>	567-6762
Kari Lopez, <i>Parish Life: Groups</i>	659-9698
Marcy Meldahl, <i>Spiritual Life: Liturgical</i>	242-1430
Maria Armento, <i>Spiritual Life: Devotional</i>	689-7011

Finance Committee

Catherine Barnes	922-6710
Tim Brew	548-6117
Chad Bergman	402/770-1152
Bill Ellithorpe	444-1932
Mary Jane Pitts	693-6741
Tyler Walker	386-3440
Steve Walker, <i>Finance Officer</i>	548-9464

Did you know about our "Mission Trip Grant" Policy?

Saint Albert the Great Parish supports parishioners living the parish mission by going on a "mission trip." Parishioners may apply to receive up to a \$500 grant to be used toward trip expenses. Grants will be made based on funds available in the Parish Charity Budget. Interested parishioners may fill out an application obtained through the parish office. The request will be considered at the next Corporal Works of Mercy Committee meeting and, if recommended, forwarded to Parish Council for final approval. Parishioners receiving a grant will be asked to share their experience with the parish.

Parish Calendar

Sat June 9th The Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Virgin May

5pm Deacon Joe Armento by the Neighbor Family

Sun June 10th 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am People of St. Albert the Great

11am John Haines by the Clarke Family

Mon June 11th St. Barnabas, Apostle

9am Jennifer Duncan by Cindy Coats

7pm Corporal Works of Mercy Meeting

6-8pm VBS

Tues June 12th St. John Gonzalez Castrillo

9am William Ackley by Molly Raab

6-8pm VBS

7pm Parish Council

Wed June 13th St. Anthony of Padua

9am Lisa Marie Meirowsky by Leonard Nugent

6-8pm VBS

Thurs June 14th St. Andrew Fournet

9am Chase Kowalski by the Clarke Family

9:30am Adult Faith Formation

6-8pm VBS

Fri June 15th St. Germaine of Pibrac

9am SATG Volunteers

6-8pm VBS

Sat June 16th St. John Francis Regis

9am Baptism Class in Chapel

5pm Bob Domaleski by Maryann Faber and Family

5pm VBS children sing in Mass

6pm Blood Pressure Checks

6pm Coffee and Donuts

Sun June 17th 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am People of St. Albert the Great

10&12pm Blood Pressure Checks

10&12pm Coffee and Donuts

11am Sylvia McMahan by the Clarke Family

Something To Think About

To be successful you must accept all challenges that come your way. You can't just accept the ones you like!

CONGRATULATIONS

TO THE SATG "June"

CALENDAR RAFFLE WINNERS

June 26th Lisa & Phil Oakley \$100

Parish Financial Information

(All figures based on a July 1st thru June 30th year)

Collection Report

	06/03	Budget	+/- year	This year	Last year
Regular	8,004	8,850	(2,557)	431,093	406,696
Children	88	50	22	2,472	2,145
Building	1,573	1,800	380	88,580	87,345
Charity	473	300	412	15,112	14,384
TOTAL	10,138	11,000	(1,743)	537,257	510,570

(Parish Debt \$1,105,784)



\$'s Pledged	\$426,000
Pledges Paid (as of 04/30/2018)	\$261,470
% of pledges paid	61.4%
Parish Portion Received	\$130,735

"ONE CHURCH FOR ONE ANOTHER"

Bishop's Appeal 2018

	Last Year	Current Year
Parish Goal	\$43,600	\$43,600
Pledged	\$43,329	\$40,659
Collected (end Apr.)	\$24,340	\$25,090
% of Pledges Paid	55.9%	57.6%

Gift Certificates

	Last Week	For Year	Last Year
Sales	2,300	129,100	131,875
Profit	115	7,955	8,094

All profit from the grocery gift certificate sales go to reach out to those in need in our community!

Mass Attendance

	05/13	05/20	05/27	06/03	Last year
5pm	210	225	180	175	200
9am	280	235	260	225	220
11am	305	300	290	300	290
Total	795	760	730	700	710

Our Parish Family

(as of 06/05/2018)

	This yr	Last yr
Registered Families	634	600
Members	1,700	1,624

By Age	0-5	6-13	225	14-18	135
19-25	156	26-35	163	36-45	237
46-55	212	56-65	167	Over 65	217
		Average Age	37		

Week's Mass Readings

Sunday Reading's 1120 in Gather Hymnal	
June 10 Gn 3:9-15	2 Cor 4:13-5:1
Mk 3:20-35	
June 11 Acts 11:21b-26;13:1-3	Mt 5:1-12
June 12 1 Kgs 17:7-16	Mt 5:13-16
June 13 1 Kgs 18:20-39	Mt 5:17-19
June 14 1 Kgs 18:41-46	Mt 5:20-26
June 15 1 Kgs 19:9a,11-16	Mt 5:27-32
June 16 1 Kgs 19:19-21	Mt 5:33-37
June 17 Ez 17:22-24	2 Cor 5:6-10
Mk 4:26-34	

Message from Bishop Stika

I have asked that each parish take up a collection to benefit the volcano victims in Guatemala. If you would like to help, please put your donation in the collection, clearly marking it for "Volcano Relief" and we will make sure it gets to those in need through Catholic Relief Services. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

Spiritual Direction

Monsignor Bill Gahagan is now offering Spiritual Direction by appointment on Thursday's at 10:30am, 11:30am and 12:30pm. Please call Jennifer in the office to set up an appointment with Fr. Bill 689-7011.

Stewardship Thought

Jesus, the perfect steward, gave thanks, just before He gave Himself to us completely for our salvation. He offers us the chance to drink from His cup. In the Eucharist, we meet Christ personally and, if we listen to Him, we know what drinking from His cup means our own sacrifice – giving up some of our time, talent and treasure to do His work on earth.

Parish Announcement

The Parish Life Committee is sponsoring a Pot Luck Dinner for the Parish on June 22nd at 6pm. Please take this opportunity to come and share in fellowship with you Parish Family! Please bring your favorite dish to share and we will provide the drinks. Questions? Contact the office (865-689-7011). See you all there!!

Visitation Ministry: If you or somebody you know is homebound or otherwise unable to get to church on a regular basis, we have a group of dedicated volunteers who would love to visit. We want all of our parishioners to be able to participate

in the sacramental life of the church and to feel connected to our parish. Please contact Deacon Mike Eiffe in the church office (689-7011) or at home (938-5825) to discuss particulars and to make arrangements.

Middle School Youth Group (Grades 7-9). Upcoming Summer Events! Please join us for these fun get togethers:

- (1) **Saturday, June 23rd, 6-8:30pm**, Join us for pizza and a movie here at SATG, we'll be watching Jurassic Park!
- (2) **Saturday, July 14th, 6:30-8:30pm**, meet us at Max Air Trampoline Park at 229 E Emory Road!
- (3) **Saturday, July 28th, 6-8:30pm**, Join us for a cook out and water wars here on property!
- (4) **Saturday, Aug 4th, 6:30-8:30pm** please meet us for an evening of bowling fun at Strike & Spare, 5700 Western Ave!
- (5) **Sunday, Aug 12th, 12:30-2:30pm**, meet us for lunch and fellowship at Gatti's Pizza 6903 Maynardville Pike!

For all off-site events, please plan to drop off and pick up your child for the event. Questions? contact: Stephanie stephsmith74@comcast.net or at 865-660-5748

Faith Formation

PreK/K

Contact Linnie Sexton 947-5425.

Grades 1-6 (Confirmation Grade 6)

Contact Robyn Wilson 388-8311.

Grades 7-9

Contact Stephanie Smith 660-5748.

Grades 9-12 & Adult

Contact Deacon Mike 938-5825.

Adult Faith Formation is Thursdays: we meet after the 9am Mass in the conference room.

R.C.I.A.

(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith or becoming Catholic?
Contact Mike Clarke 250-3228

BAPTISM PREPARATION CLASSES

Register by contacting
Deacon Mike Eiffe at 938-5825.

Liturgy

If you would like to learn more about our Liturgical Ministries, please contact our coordinators!

Maria Armento (<i>Music</i>)	689-7011
Vic Chargualaf (<i>Readers</i>)	679-6006
Fred Coats (<i>Greeters</i>)	377-3522
Marcy Meldahl (<i>EMC</i>)	242-1430
Phillip May (<i>Ushers</i>)	938-5972
Richard Turner (<i>Altar Servers</i>)	654-6704
Kathy Walker (<i>Art & Environment</i>)	406-3411

St. Joseph School

Mr. Andy Zengel, Principal
www.sjsknox.org
865/689-3424

If you would like to set up a campus tour at SJS or want more information, please contact **Howie Sompayrac** at **SJS** by calling **804-8977** or email hsompayrac@sjsknox.org

Knoxville Catholic High School

For a campus tour, contact:
Joni Punch, Admissions, 560-0502

Join the summer fun at Knoxville Catholic High School. Our **summer camps** are open to the community and provide a safe place to explore new interests and improve skills. For dates and online registration, visit knoxvillecatholic.com/camps.

Diocesan Summer Camps

Reach – All future 7th & 8th graders, June 18th-21st

Discover-All future 5th & 6th graders, June 21st -23rd

For more information and forms contact: Donna Jones (423)718-4387 djones6029@gmail.com or by going to dioknox.org on the Youth Ministry page.

Diocesan Announcement

If you want to examine some of the most important moral issues of our day, grow your faith, or simply get continuing education this summer, you may want to consider taking one of Family Honor's short (4-week) courses. Registration is easy, with the option to pay via credit card or check. Simply follow this link to sign up: https://4agc.com/commerce_pages/2bf58f25-5c4d-46e8-99f4-da7d52dcde71

Questions? Call our office: 803.929.0858 or email me at: bcerkez@familyhonor.org

Fitness goes beyond the gym. How healthy is your marriage? Many couples who have learned **Natural Family Planning** discover it helps their marriage in many more ways than they anticipated. A series of NFP classes is starting October 2nd at Scruffy City CrossFit in Knoxville: http://register.ccli.org/class_series/11748. Or, Online classes are always available at register.ccli.org.

Ladies of Charity

"**Summer Swing with Ladies of Charity**", an evening of dinner and dance will be held on Sunday, July 29th at the Crowne Plaza Hotel. There will be live music, swing dance lessons, a silent auction and a delicious dinner. We hope you will join us a bring your friends! Email for reservation information. Ladiesofcharityknox@gmail.com

English Classes at Ladies of Charity by Access Cultural Diversity. Class are Tuesday from 9:30 until 11. Class fee \$30 For more information, please call Suzy Stock at 865-247-6217 or Chester Pun-Chuen at 865-335-9329

Parish Council Minutes

May 08, 2018

Attendees: Fr. Chris, Deacon Bob Smearing, Bob O'Connor, Mike Clarke, Stephanie Smith, Steve Walker, Marcy Meldahl, Maria Armento, JoAnn Rudy, Kari Lopez and Jennifer McCleary.

Absent: Joan Eiffe, Deacon Mike Eiffe

Visitors: Finance Committee members for the budget review: Tim Brew, Bill Ellithorpe, Mary Jane Pitts and Chad Bergman

Opening Prayer: All members

Approval of Minutes: The minutes of the April 10, 2018 meeting were reviewed and approved.

Items to be added to agenda: none

Committee Reports

Building and Grounds: New mowers have been contacted by Mike Connell and training/orientation has been scheduled. Adult Social and Parish Appreciation outdoor plans have been set. Richard Piety is in the process of obtaining bids for repair/painting the pave areas.

Corporal Works of Mercy: No meeting. No written report.

Faith Formation: No meeting. No written report.

Finance Committee: At the beginning of our meeting we met with members of the Finance committee to review and discuss our next fiscal year budget. All committee members were given a chance to discuss their current budget and request any changes they may have needed for the new year. At our next meeting we will discuss the proposed budget for the 2018/2019 fiscal year.

Spiritual Life (Liturgical & Devotional): Liturgical: No meeting. No written report.

Devotional: A prayer brunch is still on the agenda but with all the parish activities at this time (Adult Social, Parish Appreciation) a date has not been set yet. Discussion about implementing a small basket of sacramentals (holy cards, medals, etc.) that the children might enjoy choosing from- to be available on the weekend that we have coffee and donuts. Watched the movie *Risen* during the meeting.

Parish Life: No meeting. No written report.

Parish Ministries: Parish Calendar was reviewed.

Kitchen oversight and Seminarian Support for the months of May and June were reviewed.

Fundraising Requests: none

Discussion Items

A committee has been formed and will start the planning process for the new **Labyrinth**. The money being used for this project, is money that we have received from the Home Campaign. This committee's first meeting will be Thursday, May 9th.

Seminarian, **Mark Schuster**, will be ordained to order of Deacon on Saturday, June 2nd at 11am at the Cathedral of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus. He will be preaching at all masses here at St. Albert the Great that weekend and a simple reception will follow each mass.

Maria stated that our 2018 **Adult Social** was a success and she has received a lot of positive feedback. The final expenses have not been figured yet and we will have totals from the event at our next Parish Council meeting.

Seminarian, Alex Hernandez, will be here with us at St. Albert the Great Parish this summer. Fr. Chris asked that all committee members invite him to their meetings and help him feel welcome in our parish community.

We will be selecting a new **Chairperson** for Parish Council for the 2018/19 year. Fr. Chris has asked that you send all recommendations to him and we will discuss this at our next meeting.

Items to be added to next month's agenda: Stewardship, Parish Council Chair, Adult Social totals.

Closing Prayer: All members.

The next meeting will be held on June 12, 2018 at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Jennifer McCleary