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Don't Forget To Purchase Your Grocery Gift Cards! Remember 100% of the profit from the sales is distributed by our Corporal Works of Mercy Committee to help the needy in our community. **LOOK IN THE BULLETIN FOR MORE UPCOMING NEWS & CHANGES...**Kroger has moved their Knoxville Food Stores from the Atlanta Region to the Nashville Region, we are now asking that you go in and update your Rewards Card once again to St. Albert the Great Catholic Church.

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

Kathy Speck  
Bonnie & Jim Gombos  
Loretta Waller  
Juanita Bauer  
Stone Buckner & Family  
Luke Nightwine  
Evan Norton  
The Maples Family  
Mary Ann Sinnott  
Jeanette Smith  
Sandy Coffee  
Alexandria Rehgn Roach  
Grace Wykoff  
Ross Liberto  
Carmelia Liberto  
Sabrina Teyla  
Joany Miller  
Yoko Terretta  
Megan McMurray Dugan  
Oakley Johnson  
Marta Irizarry-Mayaral  
Rodney Smith  
Cathy Jerolds  
Thomas Russo  
Marc Griffin  
Carole & Murray Carter  
Leonard Nugent  
Carrieanne Behan  
Meghan Forbes

Linda Mackler  
Earlene Smothers and Family  
Reese Hudson  
Louie Rankin  
Jeanette Pelle  
Theresa DeWine  
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  
Theresa Ostrom  
Donald and Virginia Ravary  
George Manthey  
Marilyn Tuskan  
Michael Armento  
Lynn Ann Dewitt  
Judy Atcheson  
Lara Casey



**The Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**October 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**Saint Albert the Great Parish**

**(Established July 1, 2007)**

**Participant in the Safe Environment Program**

7200 Brickey Lane

Knoxville, TN 37918

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**Ministries Coordinator & Music Director**

Maria Armento **maria@satgknox.org**

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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**

**Deacon Mark Schuster**

Saint Meinrad School of Theology

200 Hill Drive

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Dear Parishioners,

Talk about some mighty big shoes to fill...

This week I've hijacked Father Chris's letter (Shh! Don't tell him!) to tell you about our new middle school youth ministry, **4ThirTeens**. The name is taken from Philippians 4:13 which states, "I have the strength for everything through HIM who empowers me." This ministry will empower our middle school youth to band together, become leaders in our community, and forge lasting relationships with each other through fun, safe activities. Relationships that we hope will carry them through high school and beyond.

Some of our planned activities include: Bonfire with hotdogs, smores, games and prizes, designing a group t-shirt (come to 2 activities and you will receive a t-shirt at the very next function you attend!), getting lost inside a corn maze, serving at the Silver Generation Luncheon, ice skating, snow tubing, laser tag, service projects and SO much more.

If you are Virtus trained and have a special place in your heart for volunteering with middle schoolers, we would welcome the chance to talk with you. Please contact me or Maria and we will gladly meet with you.

If your middle schooler is interested and you're currently not receiving emails from me, please contact me (below). I'm so excited and looking forward to new *shenanigans* and fun with this group.

*Kelley Griffin*

[kgriffin98@msn.com](mailto:kgriffin98@msn.com)

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**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**

Joan Eiffe, *Chair*

617-9595

Bob O'Connor, *Buildings & Grounds*

924-0714

Jennifer McCleary, *Communications*

689-7011

Joan Eiffe, *CWOM: Programs*

617-9595

Deacon Mike Eiffe, *CWOM: Visitation Ministry*

938-5825

Mike Clarke, *Faith Formation: Study*

922-5939

Kelley Griffin, *Faith Formation: Social/Service*

227-1075

Steve Walker, *Finance Committee*

548-9464

JoAnn Rudy, *Parish Life: Community Building*

567-6762

Phil Oakley, *Parish Life: Groups*

335-9063

Marcy Meldahl, *Spiritual Life: Liturgical*

242-1430

Maria Armento, *Spiritual Life: Devotional*

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, *Finance Officer* 548-9464

## Parish Calendar

### Sat Oct 6<sup>th</sup> St. Bruno

5pm Maria Castro by Shirley Walker

### Sun Oct 7<sup>th</sup> 27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am People of St. Albert the Great

11am Rosetta Raymondo by Sylvia McMahan

12pm Silver Generation Luncheon

### Mon Oct 8<sup>th</sup>

9am Caroline Previdi by the Clarke Family

7pm RCIA

### Tues Oct 9<sup>th</sup> St. Denis

9am Special Intention of the Lettre Family

6pm Liturgy Committee Meeting

7pm Parish Council Meeting

7pm Boy Scouts Meeting

### Wed Oct 10<sup>th</sup>

9am Kyle Walker by Steve and Kathy Walker

6:30pm NO FF Grades 1-9 (Fall Break)

7pm Adult Choir Practice

### Thurs Oct 11<sup>th</sup> St. John XXIII

9am Kevin Elliott by Kristen Lehman

9:30am Adult Faith Formation

### Fri Oct 12<sup>th</sup>

9am SAAtG Volunteers

### Sat Oct 13<sup>th</sup>

5pm Bob Domaleski by Maryann Faber And Family

6pm Coffee & Cookies

6pm Parish Life Chili Cook-off

### Sun Oct 14<sup>th</sup> 28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am People of St. Albert the Great

9&11 FF PreK-K Class

10&12 Coffee & Donuts

11am Sylvia McMahan by the Clarke Family

5:30pm Women's Bible Study

## Something To Think About

*Once you realize there is life after mistakes, you gain self-confidence that can never be taken away!*

## CONGRATULATIONS TO THE SAAtG "October" CALENDAR RAFFLE WINNERS

Oct 13<sup>th</sup> Peggy Howell \$100

Oct 16<sup>th</sup> James Saucier \$100

Oct 29<sup>th</sup> Ellen Sipes \$100

Oct 30<sup>th</sup> Robyn Wilson \$250

## Parish Financial Information

(All figures based on a July 1<sup>st</sup> thru June 30<sup>th</sup> year)

### Collection Report

	09/30	Budget	+/- year	This year	Last year
Regular	6,362	9,150	(14,835)	104,115	104,299
Children	83	50		42	649
Building	1,288	1,800	(1,013)	22,387	23,193
Charity	69	300	(473)	3,427	3,476
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>7,802</b>	<b>11,300</b>	<b>(17,864)</b>	<b>129,036</b>	<b>131,617</b>

(Parish Debt \$1,079,670)



\$'s Pledged	\$426,000
Pledges Paid (as of 09/25/2018)	\$306,330
% of pledges paid	71.9%
Parish Portion Received	\$153,165

### "ONE CHURCH FOR ONE ANOTHER"

#### Bishop's Appeal 2018

	Last Year	Current Year
Parish Goal	\$43,600	\$43,600
Pledged	\$44,909	\$41,804
Collected (end Aug.)	\$34,097	\$32,918
% of Pledges Paid	78.2%	75.5%

#### Gift Certificates

	Last Week	For Year	Last Year
Sales	2,450	28,975	26,250
Profit	123	1,449	1,313

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

#### Mass Attendance

	09/09	09/16	09/23	09/30	Last year
5pm	150	180	175	145	180
9am	175	195	200	280	235
11am	480	325	345	295	360
<b>Total</b>	<b>805</b>	<b>700</b>	<b>720</b>	<b>720</b>	<b>775</b>

#### Our Parish Family

(as of 10/03/2018)

	This yr	Last yr
Registered Families	637	600
Members	1,709	1,624

By Age	0-5	6-13	14-18	19-25	26-35	36-45	46-55	56-65	Over 65	Average	Age
	80	222	135	150	166	235	211	168	225		
										37	

#### Week's Mass Readings

Sunday Reading's 1171 in Gather Hymnal

Oct 7 Gn 2:18-24	Heb 2:9-11
Mk 10:2-16	
Oct 8 Gal 1:6-12	Lk 10:25-37
Oct 9 Gal 1:13-24	Lk 10:38-42
Oct 10 Gal 2:1-2,7-14	Lk 11:1-4
Oct 11 Gal 3:1-5	Lk 11:5-13
Oct 12 Gal 3:7-14	Lk 11:15-26
Oct 13 Gal 3:22-29	Lk 11:27-28
Oct 14 Wis 7:7-11	Heb 4:12-13
Mk 10:17-30	

## Stewardship Thought

The creation story reminds us of two important points. First, since the start, God has put the entire world into our care. Second, **Stewardship** has been around since the beginning of mankind, it isn't something recently invented by the Church. Just as past generations built our Church, it is now our responsibility to continue to nurture and develop these gifts for future generations.

## Four ThirTeens Middle School Youth Group

Our next event will be Saturday, Oct. 20<sup>th</sup> at the corn maze of Oakes Farm in Corryton, TN! Please plan to meet us AT OAK FARMS, we will NOT be providing transportation. A filled-out permission form is required. For more information contact Kelley Griffin ([kgriffin98@msn.com](mailto:kgriffin98@msn.com))

## High School Youth Group

Next event will be Wednesday, October 17<sup>th</sup>, 6:30-7:30pm in the Rectory living room. Please come through the back classroom glass door and you will be directed to the living room. For more information contact Deacon Mike Eiffe (938-5825) or [mikeandjoan@comcast.net](mailto:mikeandjoan@comcast.net)

## Faith Formation

PreK/K

Sundays during 9am&11am Masses  
Contact Linnie Sexton 947-5425.

## Grades 1-6

### (Confirmation Grade 6)

Wednesdays 6:30-7:30pm

Contact Robyn Wilson 388-8311.

## Grades 7-9

Wednesdays 6:30-7:30pm

Contact Angie Nelson 742-2553.

## Grades 9-12

### Grades 9-12 Schedule:

Wednesdays 10/17, 10/31, 11/14,

11/28, 12/12

6:30-7:30pm

## Adult

Thursdays after 9am Mass

Contact Deacon Mike Eiffe 938-5825.

## 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 the office at 689-7011 or 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 &amp; Environment</i> )	406-3411

## Parish Announcement

Our **Women's Bible Study** is about to begin its next session! Please join us on **Sundays from 5-6pm October 14 thru November 18**. We will be reading Broken and Blessed from Ascension Press. If you would like to join us, please contact the office ([maria@satgknox.org](mailto:maria@satgknox.org)) so we can order a book for you! For more information about our group please contact Angela Nelson ([anelson@gmail.com](mailto:anelson@gmail.com)).

**Attention all SATG Families!!** The Parish Life Committee is sponsoring a

**Chili Cookoff Saturday, October 13<sup>th</sup> after the 5pm Mass.** Please bring your favorite chili and cornbread to share! We will have a prize for the best chili and one for the best cornbread—you can compete as a family, as individuals, or just come and enjoy sharing and tasting everyone's awesome recipes! RSVP to the office ([maria@satgknox.org](mailto:maria@satgknox.org) or 865-689-7011) by 10/11/18 so we can make plans! For more information contact JoAnn Rudy ([jarudy@frontiernet.net](mailto:jarudy@frontiernet.net) or Cathy Bloyd ([csbloyd@tds.net](mailto:csbloyd@tds.net)).

**Visitation Ministry:** If you or somebody you know is homebound we have a group of dedicated volunteers who would love to visit. Please contact Deacon Mike Eiffe (689-7011) or (938-5825) to make arrangements.

## St. Joseph School

Mr. Andy Zengel, Principal

[www.sjsknox.org](http://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](mailto:hsompayrac@sjsknox.org)

## Knoxville Catholic High School

For a campus tour, contact:

Joni Punch, Admissions, 560-0502

**Admissions Open House will be Sunday, October 28<sup>th</sup> at 2pm**

Come and support Knoxville Catholic High School by participating in their first annual Trivia Night fundraiser on October 19<sup>th</sup> to help raise money to offset the cost of retreats and the March for Life. Ticket includes unlimited dinner and adult beverages. This event is for those 21 years of age and older and will be held in the school gymnasium. An individual ticket is \$40, a table of 8 is \$300. Contact Father Manning ([father.christopher.manning@knoxvillecatholic.com](mailto:father.christopher.manning@knoxvillecatholic.com)) to purchase tickets.

Dinner and happy hour begins at 6pm, with trivia starting at 7:15 pm.

Married Couples: **Worldwide Marriage Encounter** has all the tools you need for a great marriage. Sign up today to renew, rekindle and refresh your marriage at a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekend is November 16-18. You can get more information or apply online at [GATN-wwme.org](http://GATN-wwme.org) or by calling (678) 242-WWME.

## Diocesan Announcement

**Widows and Widowers Grief Support Group:** will meet Wednesday mornings, Oct. 24, 31, Nov. 14, and Dec. 5, 12, and 19 from 10:30am – 12pm. at New Providence Presbyterian Church in Maryville, TN. Contact Alice Mansmith at 856-2570 home / 599-8361 cell.

**Secular Franciscans:** We are practicing lay Catholics, men and women, following Jesus and the Gospel in the spirituality of St. Francis. We will be having a **"Come & See Meeting"** at St. John Neumann-Seton Hall in Farragut, Tn. **on Sunday, October 21<sup>st</sup> @ 2:30pm**. For more information, you may contact one of the following Professed Members: Bonnie Ameche at 247-2631 or Addie Lackovic 494-9282.

## Catholic Charities

The Catholic Charities of East TN Knoxville Office has an immediate job opening for a full-time **Development Communications Specialist**. A comprehensive benefits package is offered. For more information on this position and other openings, please visit the CCETN website at: [www.ccetn.org/jobs](http://www.ccetn.org/jobs).

**Save the Date!!!** Catholic Charities 4<sup>th</sup> Annual 360 of Hope Luncheon will be November 30<sup>th</sup> at The Press Room 11:30-1 Speaker details coming soon.

**Mark Your Calendar!!**  
**Saturday, October 13<sup>th</sup> at 6pm**

**The Parish Life Committee is sponsoring a**  
**Chili Cookoff!!**



**Please bring your favorite chili and cornbread to share!**

**We will have a prize for the best chili and one for the best cornbread—you can compete as a family, as individuals, or just come and enjoy sharing and tasting everyone's awesome recipes!**



**RSVP to the Office**  
([maria@satgknox.org](mailto:maria@satgknox.org) or 865-689-7011)  
by 10/11/18 so we can make plans!

