

# April 15, 2018 - Third Sunday of Easter

Weekday Masses:	Tuesday 8 am	Joan Schulte
	Wednesday 11am	Valley Park Sartor Family
	Thursday 8 am	JD Young
	Friday 8 am	People of St. Andrew
Saturday (April 14th)	5:30 pm	Richard Dunn
Sunday (April 15th)	9:30 am	Bill Dampf
Adoration:	Sunday: 6:30 - 8:30 pm	
	First Friday: 7:00 - 9:00 am	

## BAPTISM CLASS

Deacon Dan Ramsay will be holding a Baptism Class after the 9:30 am Mass on Sunday, **April 15th**, in the Library. (through the double doors off the gathering area and to the right). If you have recently been blessed with a baby, or are expecting in the near future, please plan on attending. All new parents are required to attend Baptism class before you can have your baby baptized.

## LADIES ALTAR SODALITY

The St. Andrew Ladies Altar Sodality invites everyone to join us as Fr. Schrader presents to us how to pray with scripture through Lectio Divina on **April 16, 2018 starting at 6:30PM**. We invite all of the ladies to stay after and join us for our Altar Sodality meeting. Hope to see you there! Also, as a gentle reminder, we are still looking for volunteers for our Inventory and Procurement Committees. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask. [Angela.Mengwasser@hotmail.com](mailto:Angela.Mengwasser@hotmail.com) or 417-536-4556.

## HELP WITH CHURCH LINENS

We are looking for a couple more people to help with the care of church linens. A couple times a year, washing and ironing is required. Instructions available. If you are interested or would like more information of what is required please contact Wendy at [lwinkelman@embarqmail.com](mailto:lwinkelman@embarqmail.com) or call her at the parish office or home at 896.5810.

## SPRING CLEANING/RUMMAGE SALE

Please keep in mind that the annual Sodality Rummage Sale will be held June 8 and June 9. We would greatly appreciate any donations that you can save for us. Ladies Altar Sodality

## COMMUNICATIONS SURVEY FOR THE DIOCESE

The Diocese of Jefferson City is conducting a survey to assist in the development of a communication strategy that will better serve the Catholic community in central and northeast Missouri. We want to hear from you! The survey takes about 7 minutes to complete and is available online at [https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/JC\\_CatholicComm](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/JC_CatholicComm)

Your answers are confidential and will only be seen by consultants outside the Diocese of Jefferson City. Please help us by participating. Thank you, your feedback will be used to shape the future of this diocese.

## GRASS CUTTER NEEDED

Fr. Joe is needing someone to cut the rectory yard. Please talk to him or call the parish office if you are able to help with this. Service hours available to high schooler. There is a push mower at the house if you do not want to bring your own.

## NEEDED- ALL TEENAGERS

6th Graders-Seniors. We will be compiling a list of which liturgical roles you would like to fill for the monthly Youth Mass. I have a list of the age group targeted, please let me know your preferred roles. Thanks, Kris Hartman Call or Text 573.619.0600

## CONGRATULATIONS

To Brandon & Erin Brown on the baptism of their daughter, Rory Grace.  
To Jacob & Marissa Peterson on the baptism on their children, Henry Joseph & Grace Ann.  
To Daniel & Barbara O'Rourke who were married here on Saturday, April 7th.

## WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Let us continue to pray for the repose of the soul of Frankie Meller who passed on April 10th. Let us continue to pray for her family during this difficult time.

## THANK YOU ST. ANDREW

You did it once again! We brought in 1055 pounds of food for the 40 Cans for Lent Food Drive.

## MEDICAL EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE

Social Concerns has the following items of medical equipment available for lending to any parishioner in need: 3 adult walkers, 1 child walker, 1 bath chair, 1 bedside commode, 1 hospital bed & 2 manual wheelchair. Call Helen Manson at 573-491-3813 if you have need for any of this equipment.

## TRANSPORTATION HELP

Do you need or know someone in the parish who needs transportation to a doctors appointment or a transportation to weekend Mass? You can call Renee Phillips at 573-896-5790 and we will try to set up a ride for them.

## Weekly Collection - April 8, 2018

Sunday Offering	\$ 8156.02
Easter Sunday Offering	\$170.00
Donuts & Coffee	\$4.00
Repairs & Improvements	\$434.00
Cemetery Enhancement	\$50.00
Catholic Home Mission	\$ 70.00
Infirm Priest	\$ 97.00
Rice Bowl, Holy Thursday Collection	& 27.06
Hall Rental	\$ 75.00
Social Concerns	\$ 447.49

Thank you for your generosity!

An active member of St. Andrew parish is registered with the parish, participates in Mass and the sacraments, has completed the most current version of the Time, Talent, & Treasure form, and supports the parish financially. If the pastor, Fr. Joe, can help you in any way, please feel free to call or e-mail him. Know that he strives to be approachable and available.

## NEXT SATURDAY'S LITURGICAL ROLES

Communion Minister:	Betsy Lock, Isabelle Autrey, Earl & Vicki Pabst, Tony & Linda Rush
Offertory	Betsy Lock & Kathy Parris Family
Greeter	Deann Graziano Family
Lector	JoAnn Scheidt & Paul Troutman
Servers:	Andrea & Alex Lock
Usher:	Earnie Davidson, Dennis & Nancy Crocker, Paul & Barb Troutman, Tim & Shelley Stumbaugh, Darrell & Pam Brauner
Musicians	Alyssa, Emily, Eric, Heidi

Communion Minister:	Diane Carney, Karen Jacquin, Mary Slinkard, Britt & Candy Smith, Amy Frank
Offertory:	Gary & Belinda Heimericks
Greeter:	Tom & Debbie Mehmert
Lector:	Marion Perry & Candy Smith
Servers	Lxy Cain & Mason Frank
Usher:	David Perry, Richard Rackers, Amy Caples, Shannon Frank, Mark Lueckenhoff, Tom Mehmert, Aaron Hartman, Trey Stumbaugh
Musicians	Ed & Valda

## ST. ANDREW EVENTS AT A GLANCE

4/15	8:15 am PSR 8:15 am 1st Communion Practice in Church 10:45 Baptism Class, Library 10:45 Beloved, Green RM 10:45-1:15 pm Confirmation Class, Brown RM 6:30-8:30 pm Eucharist Adoration with 7:30 Rosary
4/16	5:45 pm Youth Choir Practice 6 pm Social Concerns, Brown RM 6:30 pm Ladies Sodality, Green RM
4/17	8 am Mass 8:30 am Quilting Group 6 pm Health Ministry Meeting, Brown RM 7 pm Worship Commission Meeting, Green RM
4/18	8 am- 5 pm Alzheimer's Care Consultations Meetings Green & Brown RM 11 Am Mass, Valley Park 7:30 pm Knights of Columbus Meeting
4/19	8 am Mass
4/20	8 am Mass 6:30 pm Family Movie Night, Gathering Space
4/21	5:05 Rosary Farris Wheel of Hope Trivia Night, Veit Hall
4/22	World Day of Prayer for Vocations 8:15 am First Communion Practice in Church 10:45 - 1:15 pm Confirmation Class, Brown RM 6:30 - 8:30 pm Eucharistic Adoration 7:30 pm Rosary

## VOCATION CROSS SCHEDULE

April 8	Mary Ann Sutter
April 15	Tom & Debbie Mehmert

## AREA HAPPENINGS

### SEEKING CHRIST FOR OUR NATION MASSES

April 17—6:00 p.m. Our Lady of Snows, Mary's Home

### 12th ANNUAL SIP 4 LIFE

Eagles Club - Missouri Blvd Cancer Fundraiser for Goldschmidt Cancer & Imaging Center **Friday, April 20, 2018, 6:30-8:00 p.m.** Tickets \$15 for tasting & appetizers. Silent Auction and Raffles

### DONALD NILGES FAMILY DINNER/DANCE BENEFIT

**Saturday, April 21, 2018** BBQ pork steak & chicken dinner. 4-7 PM. Knights of Columbus, Westphalia. Adults \$12.50, 6-12- \$5. Dance 8-11, Live Auction, Silent Auction, 50/50 raffle. Contact Richard & Roberta Schulte at 573.295.6456 for information or questions, Donald is their son in law.

### St. Stanislaus/St. Margaret Pro-Life Committee Walk for Life

You are invited to participate in the 41st annual Walk for Life on **April 22<sup>nd</sup>** following the 10:30 a.m. Mass (starts @11:30 am) at St. Stanislaus Church in Wardsville. The Walk is 1.7 miles to the Wardsville Lions Club where refreshments are served and pro-life organizations share information. Funds are raised by participants collecting donations prior to the walk. Donations will also be accepted at the Walk. Proceeds benefit Missouri Right to Life, Birthright, Vitae Foundation, Life Runners, Prolife Across America, Pregnancy Help Center and 40 Days for Life. Attached is the Walk for Life flyer and a pledge form. Please join us for this fun event to benefit the pro-life cause! Thank you for your support!

### VIRTUS

The Diocese of Jefferson City will hold a VIRTUS® *Protecting God's Children* class on **Sunday, April 22, 2018 at 1:00 p.m.** at the Alphonse J. Schwartze Catholic Center, Jefferson City. The Catholic Center is located behind the Cathedral of St. Joseph. Class will be held in Room 306. Participants should register in advance at [www.virtus.org](http://www.virtus.org). Please arrive early so that the class may begin on time. Due to the nature of the subject, children are discouraged from attending.

### Vitae Foundation is hosting a Pro-Life Event on

**Saturday, April 28, 2017**, at the Holiday Inn Expo Center, 2200 I-70 Drive SW in Columbia. The featured speaker is Tucker Carlson, host of Tucker Carlson Tonight on FOX. Preferred Reservations are \$100 per person (\$75 is tax-deductible). General Reservations are \$50 per person (\$25 is tax-deductible). Seating is limited to those making reservations by calling 573-634-4316. Reservations may also be made online at [www.VitaeFoundation.org/events](http://www.VitaeFoundation.org/events).

### THE SHRINES OF ITALY

Classic Travel and Tours in Jefferson City is organizing the Collette Vacations Faith Based escorted tour -- The Shrines of Italy. **Nov. 27-Dec. 7, 2018.** Visit Rome and St. Peter's Basilica. Celebrate Mass at the Basilica of St. Francis of Assisi and at San Giovanni Rotondo in the sanctuary of St. Padre Pio and several other Holy sights. Attend the weekly papal audience at Vatican City and much more. \$3349 per person double occupancy. Includes all transportation from Jefferson City. **Must sign up by May 28.** For additional details call Tamara Hellmann 573-634-4881.

### COVENANT RADIO

To encourage and continue to enrich your spiritual journey throughout the Easter season, listen to Catholic radio, 88.1 FM. Programming includes daily Holy Mass, the Rosary, the Divine Mercy Chaplet, live call-in shows, local programming and much more. For a program schedule, please call (314) 752-7000 or toll-free (877) 305-1234.

### Next Sunday's Scriptures

First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 4:8-12  
Second Reading: 1 John 3:1-2  
Gospel: John 10:11-18

## Pastor's Notes:

On February 8, when I met with Bishop McKnight and he appointed me Vicar for Prison Ministry, he also instructed me to take a 4-6 week sabbatical to be completed by June 30th. Realizing I did not want to be away from the parish during Lent nor Easter, nor did I desire missing our parish celebration of the sacrament of Confirmation, I chose May 1-June 27. Mom and I already had a June vacation booked. So, as custom in our diocese, I will combine the sabbatical and vacation. Priest coverage has been made for all weekends. Deacon Dan and Deacon Ed have assured me one of them will be here for each weekend Mass to make sure the special events we have planned (First Communion, May Crowning, Blessing of Marriages, etc.) occur. Father Pat Dowling will celebrate masses at the parish on Tuesdays and Fridays at 8am so we still have weekday masses.

I plan on returning to St. Andrew after the sabbatical and continue on as your pastor here. (I continue as pastor while on sabbatical.) Otherwise, I would have simply tried to slow things down for a quiet transition immediately after sabbatical. However, as you see from our bulletin, and will continue to see, I have no intention of slowing down the momentum we have as parish. I look forward to time in Chicago reconnecting with family and friends and researching current ministries around the country that focus on corrections and re-entry. I anticipate more time with friends and family than researching, but there needs to be some sort of ongoing education built into the sabbatical. I will keep you updated as it gets closer and while I am away. Know the parish is in God's good hands.

## **AREA HAPPENINGS CONTINUED**

### **CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF CENTRAL & NORTHERN MISSOURI NEEDS DONATIONS**

In order for Catholic Charities of Central & Northern Missouri to better serve our neighbors in need, we are seeking donations of the following gently used items: Living room furniture, Kitchen tables and chairs, dressers and shelving, beds (mattress, box spring, frames, cribs), kitchen items, including cutlery, cleaning supplies (personal and household), bed pillows (in good shape), lamps, rugs.

To schedule a drop-off or pick-up of your items, contact Mark Wax, Sustainability Coordinator at 573-999-4732 or [mwax@cccnmo.org](mailto:mwax@cccnmo.org).

### **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS OF WARDSVILLE.OSAGE BEND COULCNIL 8399 GOLF TOURNAMENT**

Friday May 18th at Redfield Golf Course in Eugene. Contact Jeff Ahlers at 694.0291 for registration or see the bulletin board in the gathering space.

### **RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE**

Red Cross Blood Drive on Sunday April 29, from 8 a.m. till 12:30 p.m., at Immaculate Conception Parish in Jefferson City. The drive will be held in Kertz Hall, the school cafeteria. Biscuits and gravy will be served. Free t-shirts for all donors. To set up a scheduled appointment, call: 1-800-Red-Cross or email: [www.redcross.org](http://www.redcross.org) We hope to see you there!

## **YOUTH NEWS**

**TEC, Camp Siena, Camp Maccabee, CHRISTpower, & Young Disciples in Action** 2018 registration has begun! You can find the registration forms in the gathering space or my calling or emailing the parish office. Find out more information please visit their website; at Dioceses of Jefferson or if you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to call! Jose Lopez, Events Coordinator, Diocese of Jefferson City 573-635-9129 x 221. Also speak to Fr. Joe.

### **CAMP MAGIC ~ MENDING A GRIEF IN CHILDREN**

**Saturday, June 2, 2018, 9:00am - 4:00pm** Binder Park Pavilion 5840 Rainbow Drive | Jefferson City, MO 65109  
Applications can be found in the gathering space or by calling or email the parish office.

## **PRO LIFE NEWS & EVENTS**

### **CLOSING RALLY/DINNER 40 DAYS FOR LIFE**

All our amazing supporters who have prayed for the end of abortion whether at home or on the sidewalk, are invited to attend the 18th Closing Rally and Fried Chicken Dinner on Saturday, April 28 at St Andrew, 400 St Andrew Dr, Holts Summit. Doors open at 6pm and dinner at 7pm, and speaker 7:45pm. Activities include Silent Auction, and Guest Speaker Angela Minter, Founder of Sisters for Life, post abortive mother and speaker from Kentucky. Angela will share an inspiring story of hope and love and has spoken at many events in the United States. Many surprises for all as we thank God for the many blessings during the 40 Days including six children saved from abortion. The dinner is prepared and donated by the Knights of Columbus of St Andrew's to help us raise funds. Donations are gratefully accepted to help us continue in our mission to save moms and babies from abortion. More Info: Kathy 573 821 5130

*"Pray that America will wake up to the tragedy of children being killed through abortion every day in this nation." Franklin Graham*

