

April 1, 2018 - Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday 8 am Leona Bushe
Wednesday 8 am Eleanor Louise Higley
Thursday 8 am Albert Schaefer
Friday 8 am The People of St. Andrew

Saturday (April 7th)

5:30 pm For the End of Abortion in Missouri

Sunday (April 8th)

9:30 am Joe Veit

Adoration:

Sunday: 6:30 - 8:30 pm
First Friday: 7:00 - 9:00 am



CEMETERY CLEAN UP

The annual clean up day in the cemetery will take place on Saturday, **April 7, 2018**. We will start at 8:30 a.m.. All are invited to join in. Please bring any tools you think appropriate. Any questions, please contact Ken Schulte. The alternate date in case of rain is Sat., April 14, 2018.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS APPRECIATION BREAKFAST

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting an appreciation breakfast on **Sunday April 8, 2018** following Sunday morning Mass for the entire Parish.

The Knights would like to say Thank You to all of our parishioners for the tremendous support you offer throughout the year. You help us during our events, you support us in our fund raisers and you acknowledge our efforts with your kind words.

The Knights would also like to acknowledge and express their appreciation to their families for all of the support and patience they demonstrate as the Knights work on the providing parish support and charitable works throughout the year. Thank You for letting us pursue our goals.

50+ CLUB

50+ **April 11th**, 6:00 Bella Vita Restaurant, Fulton.

RSVP to Carol 896-4825 by April 6th. Anyone interested in car pooling, please let me know so we can coordinate it.

CCIA/CPIA

CCIA/CPIA will meet **April 13 at 6pm**. Gayle Trachsel, mother of seven and principal at St Peter Interparish Catholic School will present on "discipline in the home." Day care provided; main dish for supper will also be provided; Please bring a side dish. Supper at 6; presentation at 6:30pm, free to stay for fellowship or head home by 7pm.

MOVIE AND POPCORN NIGHT

Come join us Friday, **April 20th at 6:30 P.M.** for a kid friendly movie and yummy popcorn!! We will meet in the gathering area, and then watch the movie in the brown meeting room in the church. Parents you are welcome to stay and enjoy the movie with your children, OR you can make it a shopping or a date night while your children are enjoying the movie. Children may bring friends, and may also bring pillows and blankets to snuggle and get comfy. We would like to get an idea of how many will be coming, so please RSVP to Kim Schumann at kkschumann@embarqmail.com, or text/call 573-230-7692. Thank you! And, we hope to see you at the movie!

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.

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.

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.

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.

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

Weekly Collection - March 25, 2018

Sunday Offering	\$7216.01
Donuts & Coffee	\$28.15
Repairs & Improvements	\$10.00
Cemetery Enhancement	\$124.00
Easter Decorations	\$80.00
Catholic Relief Services	\$5.00
Easter Sunday	\$5.00
World Mission Sunday	\$5.00
Hall Rental	\$55.00

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.

AREA HAPPENINGS

NEXT SATURDAY'S LITURGICAL ROLES

Communion Minister:	Shirley Schulte, Brenda Tighe, Barb Hartman, Richard Hentges, Valda Stroesser,
Offertory	Nick & Kim Masters Family
Greeter	Pat Gerling
Lector	Tony Rush & Jennifer Wood
Servers:	Gabe Hammond & Isaac Smith
Usher:	John Schaben, Dustin Hagenhoff, Matthew Hagenhoff, Russ Rauba, James Hake, Chuck & Maggie VanLoo & Jane Straub
Musicians	
Communion Minister:	Duane Evers, Lori Hall, Kathy Cardwell, Robert Starke, Richard McMichael, Bert Heil, Kathy Keeven, Fran
Offertory:	David & Amy Goodman Family
Greeter:	Gary & Judy Arnold
Lector:	Kathy Cardwell & Caroline Evers Ward
Servers	Riley Scott & Cayden Kinter
Usher:	Lori & David Hall, Justin Neihart, Henry McMichael, Eric Kinter, Randy & Patty Stegemann, Gary Heimericks
Musicians	

ST. ANDREW EVENTS AT A GLANCE

4/1	9:30 am Easter Mass 2nd Collection Infirm Priest & Retirement Fund
4/2	
4/3	8 am Mass
4/4	8 am Mass
4/5	8 am Mass 6 pm Education Commission Meeting
4/6	7-9 am First Friday Adoration to Honor the Sacred Heart of Jesus 8 am Mass
4/7	8:30 am Annual Cemetery Clean Up Day 5:05 Rosary 2nd Collection for Social Concerns
4/8	8:15 am PSR 2nd Collection Social Concerns 10:30-11:30 Knights of Columbus Appreciation Breakfast

April 16th, Social Concerns Commission Meeting at 6 pm

April 17th, Health Ministry Meeting at 6 pm

April 17th, Worship Commission Meeting at 7 pm

April 24th, Parish Council Meeting at 6:30 pm

Next Sunday's Scriptures

First Reading: Acts of the Apostles 4:32-35

Second Reading: 1John 5:1-6

Gospel: John 20:19-31

SEEKING CHRIST FOR OUR NATION MASSES

April 3—7:00 p.m. St. Francis Xavier, Taos & 6:30 p.m. St. George, Linn

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

CURSILLO SCHOOL OF LEADERS

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RACHEL'S VINEYARD

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YOUNG ADULT DAY OF SERVICE

The St. Vincent De Paul Society in St. Louis is hosting its second annual Young Adult Day of Service on **Saturday, April 21**. The day will consist of the following: 12:30 p.m.: Quick orientation at the Cathedral Basilica

1:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.: Work at sites - distributing household goods to the needy OR sorting inventory at an SVDP thrift store (volunteer choice) 4:30 p.m.: Reflection at Cathedral Basilica and pick up cars, 5:30 p.m.: Mass at Old Cathedral, 7:00 p.m.: Social (optional)

To find out more, please contact Bryan Kirchoff at bryankirchoff@att.net or (314) 640-4366.

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

You are invited to participate in the 41st annual Walk for Life on **April 22nd** 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!

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5840 Rainbow Drive | Jefferson City, MO 65109

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VOCATION CROSS SCHEDULE

April 1 Marcia Kennison

April 8 Mary Ann Sutter

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CAMP SIENA

At long last, Camp Siena 2018 is ready to begin registration! You can find the registration forms in the gathering space or my calling or emailing the parish office. Camp Siena is a summer camp experience committed to helping young Catholic women (grades 9-12) deepen their relationship with God and others by exercising, understanding, and living their unique feminine spirituality and becoming the woman God is calling them to be. To find out more information please visit their website; <https://www.campsiena.com/>. 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

How to Choose a Memory Care Unit

My mom has Alzheimer's disease and has gotten to the point that she cannot live at home any longer. I need to find a good memory care residential unit for her but could use some help. Any suggestions?

Choosing a good memory care residential unit for a loved one with Alzheimer's disease is a very important decision that requires careful evaluation and some homework.

Most memory care units, sometimes called special care units, are housed within assisted living or nursing home facilities. At their best, they offer staff who are extensively trained in caring for people with dementia, individualized care that minimizes the use of dangerous psychotropic drugs, a home-like environment and activities that improve residents quality of life. At their worst, they can offer little more than a locked door. Here are some steps that can help you find a good facility.

Make a list: To identify some quality memory care residential units in your area, ask your mother's doctor for a referral. In addition, use the Alzheimer's Association online tool at *CommunityResourceFinder.org*. Make sure the facilities on your list are close to family members and friends who can visit often, because residents with frequent visitors usually receive better care.

Research your options: Once you have made a list, contact your local long-term care ombudsman (see *LTCombudsman.org*). This is a government official who investigates assisted living and nursing home complaints and can tell you which facilities have had problems in the past.

If you are looking at a memory care unit within a nursing home facility, use Medicare's nursing home compare tool (*Medicare.gov/nursinghomecompare*). This tool provides a five-star rating system.

Call the facilities: Once you have identified a few facilities, call them to find out if they have any vacancies, if they provide the types of services your mother needs, what they charge and if they accept Medicaid.

Tour your top choices: During your tour, notice the cleanness and smell of the facility. Is it homey and inviting? Does the staff seem responsive and kind to its residents? Also be sure to taste the food and talk to the current residents' family members, if available.

Find out about staff screening and training procedures, their turnover rate and the staff-to-resident ratio. The facility should have at least one staff member for every five residents.

Make sure the facility offers quality activities that can keep your mom engaged, even at night when she may be awake. Ask how they respond to residents who may wander or become aggressive. If the answer is locked doors and antipsychotic drugs, that might be a red flag.

Because transitions can be unsettling for dementia sufferers, make sure that your mother will be able to remain at the facility for the foreseeable future. Find out what, if any, health conditions might require your mother to leave the facility or move to a higher and more expansive level of care.

It is also a good idea to make multiple visits to the facility, including an unscheduled visit at night or on weekends when the staff is more likely to be stretched thin.

To help you evaluate your visit, the Alzheimer's Association offers a checklist that you can access at *ALZ.org/residentialfacilities*.

Paying for care: The national average costs for memory care within an assisted living facility is over \$5,000 per month or over \$7,500/month with nursing home care, but costs can vary widely depending on your location. Since Medicare does not cover long-term care, most residents pay for care from either personal savings, a long-term care insurance policy or through Medicaid (if available) once their savings are depleted.

To help you research your financial options, visit the National Clearinghouse for Long-Term Care Information website at *LongTerm-Care.gov*.

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