Pleasant Hill Drug
“Your Household Drugstore”
1905 N. 7 Hwy, Pleasant Hill, MO
816-540-5550

Pleasant Hill Dental Care
Mark Quattrociocchi, D.D.S., L.C.C.
127 First St, Pleasant Hill, MO 64080
816-540-3911

EL MAZATLAN
MEXICAN RESTAURANT
Authentic Mexican Food
1508-1510 North 7 Hwy, Pleasant Hill, MO 64080
(816)597-3177, Fax 997-0718

ST. BRIDGET sons of mercy
Counsel No. 1115
Complete Auto Repair
528 Guidant Dr.
We’ll meet or beat our competitor’s pricing
200 N. State Rd. 7
Pleasant Hill, MO

2% of each casket/urn purchase will be donated to the capital campaign
203 N. ARMSTRONG
Pleasant Hill, MO 64080
816-540-5550

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St. Bridget Parish
October 3 & 4, 2015

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**October 3 & 4**

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9:00 am  Steve Himmelberg, Laura Long

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9:00 am  *Dick Danjou, *Lucas Ochs, Pat & Trudy Garry, Tim Long, TBA, TBA
To Shut-ins:  Susan Zaner

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       + Arlene & Bill Decaney by Larry & Eileen Henke
10/05  Special Intentions
10/06  Communion Mass
10/07  Communion Mass
10/08  Communion Mass
10/10  Parishioners of St. Bridget
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       + Henry & Pat Himmelberg by Joan Galbraith

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**CONFIRMATION NEWS**

**ST. BRIDGET T-SHIRTS AVAILABLE**

If you didn’t get your St. Bridget t-shirt during the Autumn Fest, last Sunday, we still have a few available at the parish office. They are going quick so get yours now! Cost is $15.00.

**PARISH NEWS FOR ALL**

Sunday, October 4

**Brown Bag It** Bags handed out at Mass

Monday, October 5

8:30 am Mass

Tuesday, October 6

8:30 am Communion Service
9:00 am Prayer & Rosary Group

Wednesday, October 7

8:30 am Communion Service
6:30 pm Women of Faith
6:30 pm TMY Begins

Thursday, October 8

8:30 am Communion Service
7:30 pm K of C Meeting

Friday, October 9

8:30 am Communion Service
9 am Bible Study
1pm Deadline for Oct 18th Bulletin

Saturday, October 10

Confirmation Retreat @ St. Bridget
4-4:45 pm Reconciliation
5:00 pm Mass

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Sunday, October 11

8:30 am Rosary
9:00 am Mass

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**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

What's Going on at St. Bridget!

**LIVING ROSARY**

The Knights of Columbus Council #13113 will sponsor a Family Living Rosary on Wednesday, October 14th at 7:15pm. A Parish Family Living Rosary is a devotion by the parish community wherein the Holy Rosary is prayed with one voice in the church. Each bead of the Rosary is represented by a person from the parish community and thus, it becomes a “living” rosary. Adults and children are encouraged to participate and be the beads. For more information, contact Jim Holmes (816) 536-5797 or the parish office.

**CONFIRMATION NEWS**

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**COFFEE & DONUTS SUNDAY**

Join us this Sunday Morning for coffee & donuts downstairs in Ledwidge Hall. If you are new to St. Bridget, this is a great time to visit and meet other parishioners.

**FROM ST. BRIDGET’S CLEANING CREWS**

Please try: Classes (twice a month) began last Sunday in the Adult Education Room of the SOR Building. Students who have attended 7th and 8th grade School of Religion, Catholic school or home school in 9th grade or above are eligible candidates. Confirmation is the final of three sacraments of initiation into the Catholic faith (baptism, communion and confirmation.) Please choose to finalize this process by receiving the fullness of the Holy Spirit in this sacrament. If you have any questions, contact Monsignor Murphy at frmurphy@hotmail.com or at the parish office at 340-4563.

**PARENTS**

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**HEALING SERVICES**

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Supported by The office of Child and Youth Protection & The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph

**LAY CLERGY NEWS**

Food Pantry – The Lay Clergy Food Pantry continuously needs dry pasta, canned soup, juice and hamburger helper, but all donations are welcome and appreciated.

**FESTIVAL OF SHARING**

Presented by Reece Nicholas and Swenson is October 3, 2015 at 2201 N 7 Hwy 4-8 pm. Donations will benefit the Lay Clergy and Holcombink family. Bands, Food, raffle and live auction. This is a Pleasant Hill Tradition come share the fun!

**LOVE FUND**

Thank you to all the many donors for making the school supply and backpack drive a success this year. The Optimist Club and Bright Futures both worked with the Lay Clergy to insure that services were seamless, yet not overlapping. Many businesses did school supply drives. Community Bank on 7Hwy provided space, employees and marketing with their Stuff the Bus campaign. Over 100 backpacks with all school supplies were provided to children in East Lynne, Strasburg and Pleasant Hill school districts. Dollar Sense, Dr. Piva, SERC, Shear Perfection are all also part of this amazing team.

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We will hand out brown grocery bags with a list of needed food items on October 3rd & 4th.

People that want to donate can fill their bag and return it the following weekend, October 10th & 11th.

Thank you for your support of the Food Pantry.