

ST. PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Mass time: Saturday at 4:00 PM

Secretary: Cindy George

Parish Council President: Alan Clements

Mass Times

Saturday 5:30 PM

Sunday 9:00 AM

Spanish Mass Sunday 11:00 AM

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Sunday @ 8:00am - 8:45am &
10:00am-10:45am or by Appointment

Parish Office Hours: Mon.- Fri.

8 a.m.-3 p.m.

****Closed for lunch 11:30am-12:30pm****

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Barb Chevalier & Jan Backes

Mass Intentions



Saturday	January 25th
4:00 PM	Ruth Murdock (Slater)
5:30 PM	Ted Wolfe
Sunday	January 26th
9:00 AM	Sharon Swisher
11:00 AM	People of the Parishes (en Español)
Monday	January 27th
Tuesday	January 28th
8:10AM	Peace (school)
5:30PM	Ann Orear
Wednesday	January 29th
8:00AM	Raeann Suppes
Thursday	January 30th
8:00AM	Terry Sadewhite (school)
Friday	January 31st
8:00AM	Ray Arth
Saturday	February 1st
4:00 PM	All Souls in Purgatory (Slater)
5:30 PM	Bernice Cartee
Sunday	February 2nd
9:00 AM	People of the Parishes
11:00 AM	Vocations (en Español)

Please note Mass intentions are offered for both living or deceased.

Sacramental & Spiritual Life of the Parish

Baptism—Preparation is required for both parents, preferably during the early months of pregnancy. Please call the Rectory to register.

Marriage—Please contact the parish a minimum of 6 months prior to your proposed wedding date to begin marriage preparation.

Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)—Adults interested in inquiring about becoming Catholic are invited to participate in this process. Sessions are held weekly September—May. Please contact parish office for more information.

Ministry to Sick and Homebound—Please contact the parish office when a parishioner is sick or hospitalized. We will schedule a visit and Communion call, as appropriate. Due to patient confidentiality, the parish is not automatically notified of hospital admissions.

Vida Sacramental y Espiritual de la Parroquia

Bautismo - Se requiere preparación para ambos padres, preferiblemente durante los primeros meses del embarazo. Por favor llame a la Rectoría para registrarse.

Matrimonio – Por favor comuníquese con la parroquia por lo menos 6 meses antes de la fecha propuesta de su boda para empezar la preparación matrimonial.

Iniciación Cristiana de Adultos (RICA) – Adultos interesados en preguntar acerca de convertirse en católicos están invitados a participar en este proceso. Las sesiones se realizan semanalmente. Septiembre – Mayo. Por favor, póngase en contacto con la oficina parroquial para más información.

Ministerio para enfermos y confinados en el hogar-

Comuníquese con el oficina parroquial cuando un feligrés está enfermo u hospitalizado. Programaremos una visita/comunión llamada, según corresponda. Debido a las reglas de confidencialidad del paciente, no estamos notificado automáticamente de las admisiones hospitalarias.

Please Pray for all the sick and suffering of our Parish Community

Richard Ackerman, Helen Elaine Arth, James Beaman, Paul Bethel, Hannah Browning, Barney Burks, Dee Castle, Anna Darlene Clark, Cheryl Clark, Jean Bryan Clouse, Karen Darling, Resa Ferguson, Cindy Fry, Danny Grissitt, Kristy Heilman, Chloe Herrick, Alice Huesgen, Tanya Johnson, Rose Keith, Marilyn Korte, John & Jen Lappin, Judy Mark, Alice Markes, Jason Monnig, Jamie Mitchell-Buckert, David Officer, Sarah Parker, Joyce Rieth, Lorisa Rivers, Mark Robe, Ryan Sammy, Cody Schmidt, Mary Ann Shrader, Virginia Sprigg, Mary Theis, Don Thiel, Wanda Tucker, James F. Weaver, Stephanie Weseloh, Ian Williams, Amy Wolfe, Charles Zimmerschied, Larry Clause, Gabrielle Huston, Mary Hogan, Dorothy Pettet, Danielle Durham, Pam Otto, Natalie Hoffelmeyer, Sharon Sheffer, Chuck Sheffer, Darrell Timmons, Kenny Lewis

Liturgical Schedule for the up-coming week

Mass Time	Musician/ Accompanist	Servers	Lector	Mass Coordinator	Mass Sacristan	Ushers
February 1 Saturday 5:30PM	Melanie Elfrink/ Pam Whitney & Kimberly Scott	Kevin Morales	Cindy Tebbe	Karla Simpson	Karla Simpson	Doug Davidson John Angelhow
February 2 Sunday 9:00AM	Nancy Thompson, Andrea Henke	Beau Hart/Anna Kate Allison/ Caroline Beumer	Stephen Meyer	Jan Stacey	Janice Yeagle	Jamie Ulbrich Mike Donnell
Febrero 2 Domingo 11:00AM	Hispanic Group	Jaime Jr Mateo Gonzalez				

Coordinators of Ministries for Mass

Song Leaders:

Julie Butner
660-886-0895

Eucharistic Minis- ters:

Karla Simpson
660-815-6472

Lectors:

Nancy Wiseman
660-631-3395

Ushers:

Walt Keith
660-886-5829

**Servers/
Accompanist:**
Carol Wolfe
660-631-7802

Sacristan/Mass Coordinator:

Janice Backes
660-631-1518

Eucharistic Ministers for January

5:30 PM Masses

Lori Aldredge
Maureen Burks
Norma Colindres
Leo Grothaus
Cindy Tebbe

9:00 AM Masses

Jennifer Bethel
Tom Blumhorst
Doug Carney
Susan Carney
Barbara Taylor

Money Counters for January

Millie Hitt
Ann Wilson
Phebe McCutcheon

—Thank you to those who bring in their tithing envelopes during the week, these amounts get added from Wed to Tues of each week so the weekly collection numbers are always up to date.
—The direct withdrawals are also added into the weekend closest to the dates: 1st, 15th and 20th.

Weekly Collection

Envelopes:	\$ 24,217.67
Plate Collection:	\$ 2,414.61
Total Tithing Received:	\$ 26,632.28
Tithing Weekly Intention:	\$ 16,000.00
Difference	\$ + 8,217.67
Tithing Received YTD:	\$ 441,511.82
Tithing Intention YTD:	\$ 417,338.71
Difference:	\$ + 24,173.11
Weekly Income & Expenses	
TOTAL INCOME (tithe, school, memorials, & donations)	\$ 30,490.56
Expenses paid this week (PARISH, includes salaries)	\$ 2,748.13
Expenses paid this week (SCHOOL, includes salaries)	\$ 30,699.14
DIFFERENCE (INCOME MINUS EXPENSES)	\$ - 2,956.71

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Bishop McKnight's January prayer intention for our Local Church

For our civic leaders, that they may be guided by wisdom and integrity in their decisions.
May they seek the common good, foster unity in our communities, and lead with compassion and justice.



Intención del mes de enero del Obispo McKnight por nuestra Iglesia Local

Por nuestros líderes cívicos, para que sean guiados por la sabiduría y la integridad en sus decisiones.
Que busquen el bien común, fomenten la unidad en nuestras comunidades y lideren con compasión y justicia.



Weekly Prayer

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

Ezra read plainly from the book of the law of God, interpreting it so that all could understand what was read (Neh 8:8)

Psalm:

Your words, Lord, are Spirit and life. (Ps 19)

Second Reading:

For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body, whether Jews or Greeks, slaves or free persons, and we were all given to drink of one Spirit. (1 Cor 12:12)

Gospel:

He said to them, "Today this Scripture passage is fulfilled in your hearing." (Lk 1:21)

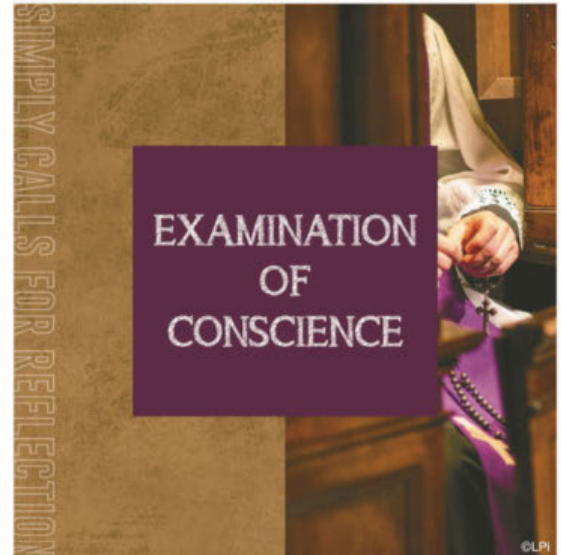
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Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

Jesus is the fulfillment of the Scripture passage he reads in the synagogue, a missive of promise and hope from an ancient prophet. But he invites us to be part of his work, here and now, in our own lives, our own communities. Be part of the fulfillment.

Observances for the week of January 26, 2025

- Sunday:** 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time;
Celebrate Catholic Schools Week
- Monday:** St. Angela Merici, Virgin
- Tuesday:** St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest and Doctor of the Church
- Wednesday:**
- Thursday:**
- Friday:** St. John Bosco, Priest
- Saturday:**
- Next Sunday:** The Presentation of the Lord,
World Day for Consecrated Life



Devotions, *Explained!*

The practice of examining one's conscience dates to the very beginning of the Christian faith. It simply calls for reflection on one's actions, making note of lapses in judgment that should be confessed in the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Prayer of Mission

Spirit of the Living God,
Anoint me to bring your love,
light, and freedom to the places
you call. From the heights to the
depths: you are there, you are
actively moving, and when you
call, you will also provide.

Amen.

COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

Applications due
March 26, 2025

The Diocese of Jefferson City is pleased to offer our parish families college scholarship opportunities through a generous donation from the families of William H. (Bill) Simon and John L. Warack



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ATTENTION ALL GRADUATING H.S. SENIORS in Saline County

Knights of Columbus is now accepting applications for the K of C scholarship.

Please visit website

www.marshallmokofc.org

to download application, or come by the church office to pick one up.

Due date April 7, 2025

"FAMILIES NEED TO KNOW THAT THE CHURCH IS MAKING EVERY EFFORT TO PROTECT THEIR CHILDREN.

They should also know that they have every right to turn to the Church with full confidence, for it is a safe and secure home." - Pope Francis

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The Presentation at the Temple
WORLD DAY FOR CONSECRATED LIFE

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR CONSECRATED LIFE

Sunday February 2nd

In 1997, Pope Saint John Paul II instituted a day of prayer for those in consecrated life -nuns, brothers, priests. This celebration is attached to the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord on

February 2, also known as Candlemas Day, because consecrated individuals are called to reflect the light of Jesus. Please pray for those who have made commitments in the consecrated life, and be sure to thank them on their special day. May they continue to be inspired by Jesus Christ and respond generously to God's gift of their vocation.



Día Mundial de la Vida Consagrada

Domingo, 2 de febrero

En 1997, el Papa San Juan Pablo II instituyó un día de oración por aquellos que están en la vida consagrada - monjas, hermanos, sacerdotes.

Esta celebración está ligada a la Fiesta de la Presentación del Señor el 2 de febrero, también conocida como el Día de la Candelaria, porque las personas consagradas están llamadas a reflejar la luz de Jesús. Por favor, oren por aquellos que han hecho compromisos en la vida consagrada, y asegúrense de agradecerles en su día especial. Que sigan siendo inspirados por Jesucristo y respondan generosamente al don de Dios de su vocación.

FORMED.org Important Information

We have made the difficult decision not to renew the parish subscription to FORMED. We recently received a notice of rate increase from Augustine Institute Studios. When we asked parishioners this past year to notify us if they used the service (FORMED would not provide us that information) less than 10 parishioners responded. Given these facts we can't justify the cost of over \$2,200.00 a year if parishioners aren't using it. Our current subscription runs out sometime in February. We apologize to the few who were using the service but sometimes we must make hard decisions in the interest of good stewardship.

PARISH AND COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

ATTENTION ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

Dates for the 2024-2025 Youth Group Activities, Masses and meetings:

Jan. 26—Sit together @ 9am Mass & meeting
Feb. 9—Sit together @ 9am Mass, (no meeting)
Feb. 16—Sit together @ 9am Mass & meeting
Mar. 9—Sit together @ 9am Mass & meeting
Mar. 23—Sit together @ 9am Mass, (no meeting)
Apr. 12—Confirmation
Apr.—Our LAST sit together & meeting
May 18—Recognition of our H.S. Seniors & 8th grade graduates at Mass

You're youth group leaders:
Jeannie & Richard Lawless
Carol Wolfe
Tom & Kathy Blumhorst

English Class/CLASES DE INGLES

Monday/Lunes @ 6:00pm
St. Mary's room/ Salon Santa Maria
Melanie Elfrink 660-815-3825



PSR

PSR to meet on the following Wednesday's at 6:30 in St. Mary's.
January 15th, 22nd, 29th
February 5th, 12th, 18th, 26th
March 12th, 26th
April 2nd, 9th, 23rd, 30th



Meals on Wheels

Meals on Wheels are in need of more drivers and runners. (Those that can or able to carry meals)

Please contact: Jean Lubich
jeanlubich2@gmail.com or 660-202-0636
Thank you, Jean

Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship

will be held on January 26, 2025,
at the St. Peter Catholic School Gymnasium,
368 S. Ellsworth Marshall, Missouri.

Registration will begin at 12:30 pm and the competition will begin at 1:00 pm or upon every entrant being registered and having had the chance to warm up. The Free Throw Championship is free and open to all boys and girls age 9 to 14. Age eligibility is determined by the age of contestant as of January 1. Proof of age is required and the contestant should be accompanied by a parent/guardian. Registration forms will be available at the competition and must be completed and signed by the parent/guardian.

Any questions can be answered by
Leo Grothaus at (660) 815-0706.



TUNA/CANNED MEATS are NEEDED!! Se necesita ATUN/CARNES ENLATADAS!

The Food Pantry is in need of food and volunteers. To help meet these needs, our parish is continuing a weekly donation drive to collect items. Each week, our parishioners are asked to bring a particular item to the following weekend Mass. Collection boxes will be in both entrances.



The collection item for next weeks Masses will be TUNA/CANNED MEATS. Please bring one or more items to donate on February 1 & 2. Watch the bulletin for the weekly donation schedule.

Questions, contact Nancy Davidson, Social Concerns Committee Chair @ 660-631-5016.



Ayúdenos a colectar artículos para el dispensario de la comunidad. El próximo fin de semana estaremos colectando ATUN/CARNES ENLATADS. Por favor traiga sus artículos para donar el fin de semana de 1 y 2 febrero.

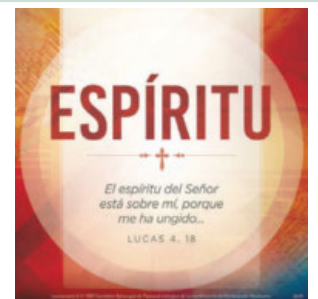
Altar & Rosary meeting

Will be Thursday, February 6th
Rosary will be in the chapel @ 12:15pm
with a carry-in luncheon to follow,
Assembly of our annual yearbook will be after the meeting. Annual Dues will be collected the following two weekends at church



Join us for rosary in Chapel,
Saturday, February 1 at 10 am.
Coffee afterwards in St. Mary room.
All are welcome.

Rosario del primer sábado será el 1ro de Febrero @ 10:00am. Todos son bienvenidos.



Love as a Theological Virtue

Question:

I've heard that love is a theological virtue. What does that mean?

Answer:

Charles Shultz, the creator of the Peanuts comics wrote, "I love mankind ... it's people I can't stand!" This good humored comment gets at an important truth. St. John wrote a very strong statement in one of his letters: "If anyone says 'I love God,' but hates his brother, he is a liar; for whoever does not love a brother whom he has seen cannot love God whom he has not seen" (1 John 4:20). How often do we say "I love the homeless," but ignore the parish food drive? Or insist on the importance of respecting others, but don't bother to say hello to our cashier? If we can't love an individual person, we might not love people like we think, and we certainly need to work on our love for God.

Love is "the theological virtue by which we love God above all things for His own sake, and our neighbor as ourselves for the love of God" (CCC 1822). God knows acts of love of Him and others isn't always easy. So He invites us to pray for the grace to do it. The virtue of love gives us the grace and strength we need to offer our lives to God and love people in our lives, especially those who are difficult to respect, tolerate, and care for. Real love, of course, is risky. Real love wills the good of the other when we just want good for ourselves. Real love gets up on the cross when we'd prefer to take a nap in Gethsemane. Real love changes things.

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Baptism



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Victor Ruano

(PRACTICING) CATHOLIC – THESE EVIL DAYS
By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman

Mini Reflection: Jesus didn't come to fix the brokenness of the world. He came to fix our brokenness. He offers us not relief from the trials of life, but an answer to the question of how to live in joy, in love and in purpose in the midst of these evil days.

These Evil Days

"Alas, that these evil days should be mine."

If you've ever seen "The Lord of the Rings," you might recognize this quote from "The Two Towers." The words are spoken by King Theoden at the grave of his only son and heir, as Theoden contemplates the coming war for Middle Earth, a war which has already claimed the life of his son, a war he wants no part of, a war that seems utterly hopeless and unwinnable.

These evil days.

You don't have to be a fantasy enthusiast or even a Tolkien fan to identify with Theoden here. We have all experienced this same feeling of despair, perhaps increasingly in this age of technology and social media, when the ills of the whole world — violence, injustice, moral disorder and chaos — are in our faces, on our phones, looming over our days.

But when we despair like this, we forget an important truth: this is the time of fulfillment, and we are lucky enough to be living through it.

Yes, the world is broken. It was broken two thousand years ago, too, when Jesus stood up in the synagogue on the Sabbath and read the words of the prophet Isaiah: "He has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim liberty to captives...and to proclaim a year acceptable to the Lord."

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