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Reconciliation
Tuesday 5:45 - 6:05pm
Saturday 4:00 - 4:45pm



FROM FATHER RANDY

Monday - Teach at School; School Board Meeting at 6:00 PM

Tuesday - Teach at School; OCIA at 7:15 PM

Wednesday - Parish Council Meeting at 6:00 PM

Thursday - School Faculty Meeting

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New Church Project

Construction progress on the early site package has been delayed due to a conflict encountered with the City water main on Jefferson St, the inclement weather conditions and holidays, all hitting at once. A solution to the water main has been developed and construction should be back on track in the near future, as the weather permits, of course.

INSPIRATION FROM THE NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS

Tune into great presentations from the Eucharistic Congress. Here is Sister Bethany Madonna with a compelling reflection on the Road to Emmaus. Tune in at:

<https://manna.eucharisticcongress.org/discover/item/01-sri-saturday-encounter>

Mass Intentions

MONDAY, January 13th

8:00 AM † Nicholas Heisserer

TUESDAY, January 14th

8:00 AM † Stanley Clippard

6:30 PM † Tommy & Clara Enderle

WEDNESDAY, January 15th

8:00 AM † Robert Wilson

THURSDAY, January 16th

8:00 AM † Andrew Margrabe

FRIDAY, January 17th

8:00 AM Living & deceased members
of Richard & Geneva Elfrink Family

SATURDAY, January 18th

5:00 PM † Ellen Strange

SUNDAY, January 19th

7:00 AM Parish Family

8:30 AM † Charles Seyer

10:00 AM † Don Niederkorn

Weekend Holy Mass Schedule: Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 7:00, 8:30, 10:00 am

PARISH CALENDAR

MONDAY, January 13th

7:30 AM Rosary
8:00 AM Mass
6:00 PM School Board Meeting - *Conference Room*
6:00 - 8:30 PM LIFT Women's Fellowship - *Parish Center*

TUESDAY, January 14th

7:20 AM Mother of Perpetual Help
7:30 AM Rosary
8:00 AM Mass
8:30 - 6:15 PM Adoration
9:00 - 3:00 PM Quilting - *Rectory Basement*
5:45 PM Rosary, Confessions
6:05 PM Mother of Perpetual Help
6:10 PM Benediction
6:30 PM Mass
7:15 PM OCIA - *Fellowship Room*

WEDNESDAY, January 15th

7:30 AM Rosary
8:00 AM All School Mass
8:45 - 12:00 PM Coffee, Talk & Tots - *Fellowship Room*
6:00 PM Parish Council - *Fellowship Room*

THURSDAY, January 16th

7:30 AM Rosary
8:00 AM Mass
8:45 AM Morning Bible Study - *Fellowship Room*
12:30 - 5:30 PM ARC Blood Drive - **KC Hall-Lower Hall**
6:00 - 8:00 PM Men's Group - *Parish Center*
7:00 - 8:00 PM Boy Scout Committee Meeting - *Fellowship Room*

FRIDAY, January 17th

7:30 AM Rosary
8:00 AM Mass

SATURDAY, January 18th

7:00 - 8:30 AM Cursillo Small Groups - *Fellowship Room*
4:30 PM Rosary
5:00 PM Mass
6:00 - 7:30 PM Kaboom

SUNDAY, January 19th

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
Masses at 7:00, 8:30, 10:00 AM
11:15 - 12:15 PM SRE Classes - *School*

COLLECTIONS

Regular Collection for 12/29/24	\$21,996.00
Regular Collection for 1/5/25	\$39,544.00
Capital Campaign for 12/29/24	\$35,540.62
Capital Campaign for 1/5/25	\$28,785.00
Special Collections: IC, Retired Clergy, Flowers	\$4,844.00

Numbers include online giving

If you are tithing online and want to cancel your envelopes, please email Karen at secretary@icjacksonmo.com or call the parish office (573) 243-3182

The Baptism of The Lord

"You are my beloved Son; with you, I am well pleased."; (Luke 3:22)
God takes great pleasure in those who respond to His call. Do you hear His voice? He may be calling you to the priesthood or consecrated life. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at 417-866-0841 or email icdeaconal@gmail.com.

Spiritual Reflections

Readings for the week of January 12th, 2025

Sunday: Is 40:1-5, 9-11/Ps 104:1b-2, 3-4, 24-25, 27-28, 29-30 (1)/Ti 2:11-14; 3:4-7/ Lk 3:15-16, 21-22

Monday: Heb 1:1-6/Ps 97:1 and 2b, 6 and 7c, 9/Mk 1:14-20

Tuesday: Heb 2:5-12/Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9/Mk 1:21-28

Wednesday: Heb 2:14-18/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/Mk 1:29-39

Thursday: Heb 3:7-14/Ps 95:6-7c, 8-9, 10-11/Mk 1:40-45

Friday: Heb 4:1-5, 11/Ps 78:3 and 4bc, 6c-7, 8/Mk 2:1-12

Saturday: Heb 4:12-16/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15/Mk 2:13-17

Next Sunday: Is 62:1-5/Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 7-8, 9-10 (3)/1 Cor 12:4-11/Jn 2:1-11

SICK AND HOSPITALIZED

Carol Ann Beussink

Tim Barks

Thelma Hotop

Ennis Hinkebein

BAPTISM

**Augustus James,
son of Justin & Samantha
Keusenkothen**

REST IN PEACE

**Leola Scholl,
mother of Terry Scholl**

NEW MEMBERS

PARISH NEWS

Military Photos

As a parish we would like to show our appreciation to all Military parish members past and present. We are starting a collection of photos that we will share for Memorial and Veteran's day. Please help by sending portrait photos and a brief description of any active, retired or deceased Military personnel who are/were Immaculate Conception Church parishioners to ICMilitaryphotos@gmail.com.

Totus Tuus Missionary Applications Open

The Diocese of Springfield-Cape Girardeau's Office of Youth Ministry is looking for Catholic young adults (ages 18-25) who are passionate about sharing their Catholic faith to apply to be Totus Tuus missionaries next summer (2025)! Every year, Totus Tuus missionaries travel all over the diocese to spread the love of God with the youth they encounter. If you love working with the youth or want to get into teaching, if you thrive on full schedules packed with prayer, work, and fellowship, and if you're looking for fulfilling ways to spend your summer in service to Christ and his Church, consider discerning Totus Tuus!

Apply at <https://dioscg.org/youth-ministry/>

Do you have questions about the role of a Totus Tuus missionary? Contact Simon Elfrink in the diocesan Office of Youth Ministry at selfrink@dioscg.org or 417-866-0841.

2024 ANNUAL GIVING STATEMENTS

As in the past couple of years, if you wish to receive your annual giving statement for 2024, please email Karen at secretary@icjacksonmo.com or call the office to get your name on the list. Statements can be picked up, emailed or mailed to you upon request.

SCHOOL NEWS

IC Cash Drawing

IC School has started up their 2025 Cash Drawing. Each ticket is \$10 and are valid for every Friday drawing. The winner from these drawings receives \$20. Your name will be put in each drawing, even if you win. There are 3 extra big drawings too. Tickets can be purchased from any ICS kid or in the school or church office during office hours.

IC Restaurant Night/KC Fish & Chicken Fry

On Friday, January 17th at the KC Hall in Jackson from 4:30 - 7:00 PM. There will also be desserts to purchase.

IC Pancake/Sausage Breakfast - Open Enrollment

will be on Sunday, January 26th, Pancake/Sausage Breakfast is from 7 - 11 AM; School Tours are 8 - 11 AM.

FAMILY MINISTRIES

L.I.F.T. Women's Fellowship

Come watch and discuss The Chosen, Season 4! L.I.F.T. Women's Fellowship will jump back into The Chosen on January 13th. All women are welcome to attend, please join us! We meet on Monday nights from 6:00 - 8:00 PM in the Parish Center. We have dinner, watch and discuss the episodes and build great friendships. Bring your own beverage. Call or text Sarah with questions at 573-529-0722. Please inquire about childcare, if needed.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

This prayerful ministry reaches out to those in need of solace and comfort, as well as celebration and joy. Many blessings are prayed into every shawl. If you know someone you would like to give a shawl to, contact Nancy Horrell at 573-450-5270.

Praying the Rosary

Would you like to pray the Rosary daily but are having trouble getting started? Enjoy praying the Rosary/Divine Mercy Chaplet daily with EWTN Catholic Radio 94.3 from 10:00 AM - 3:00 PM.

YOUTH NEWS

**“Be who God meant you to be and you will set the world on fire.”
- St. Catherine of Siena**

Youth Spirit - High school aged youth

January 19th - DTS - Come join us at 6:30 pm at the Old Convent at St. Vincent's as we learn about the lives of the Saints!

January 26th - Life Night - Join us in the Fellowship Room from 6:30-8:00 pm.

February 2nd - Life Night - Join us in the Fellowship Room from 6:30-8:00 pm.

February 4th - Come and Pray Join us at the Newman Center for Adoration and Fellowship 7:15-8:15 pm

STEUBENVILLE YOUTH CONFERENCE - Sign-ups are currently happening! Current **8th graders to high school seniors** are invited to join us July 18th-20th for a fun, faith filled weekend on the campus of Missouri State in Springfield. Information and sign-ups can be found at <https://forms.gle/5NX9hk6aqStu7NAEA>. **SIGN-UPS CLOSE JANUARY 24TH.**

Kaboom 6th - 8th grade students

January 18th - We will meet in the Fellowship Room from 6:00-7:30 pm for prayer, fun and food. Supper will be provided by Marsha Buchheit.

See the Youth bulletin board in the back of church for future activities and additional information.

Please contact Karen Engelen at icyouthspirit@gmail.com with questions or to volunteer.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

presents weekend experiences for married couples to rekindle romance, enhance meaningful communication, and deepen and renew commitment. For more info or to apply, go to wwme.org, or call Terry & Eric Engholm at 314-649-7317.

1/31/2025 - 2/2/2025, St. Peters, MO

4/4/2025 - 4/6/2025, St. Peters, MO

6/16/2025 - 6/15/2025, St. Peters, MO

The Marriage Encounter Community will meet the 2nd Sunday of every month at 2 PM at the KC Hall on Spanish Street in Cape.

Semo Area Ultreyas

are held the 3rd Saturday of each month. Morning prayers begin in the church at 9:00 AM with grouping, refreshments, and socializing to follow. Come share the joy with fellow Cursillistas. De Colores!

St. Padre Pio Secular Franciscan Order

Meetings are from 1:00 - 3:00 PM at St. Francis Hospital, in the St. Agatha room every 4th Sunday of the month.

The Holy Rosary

will be prayed at 1:30 PM on the 3rd Sunday of the month at the St. John Henry Newman Center in Cape Girardeau.

Jackson KC #6405

Knights meet at 7:00 PM in the Clubroom on the 2nd & 4th Wednesday of each month.
4th Degree meet at 7:00 PM in the Clubroom on the 2nd Monday every other month.
Ladies Auxiliary meet at 6:30 PM in the Lower Hall on the 4th Wednesday of each month.

Catholic Man Night

Thursday, January 23rd, 6:30 - 9:00 PM
St. Francis Xavier, Sikeston, MO
An evening of Adoration, Confessions, & a Manly Meal with discussion to follow.

Parish Bulletin Inserts and Flyers

<https://www.icjacksonmo.com/bulletins/>



ND News and Events

Lots of updates about Notre Dame can be found at <https://icjacksonmo.com/notredame> including: ND Freshman Placement Test, March With Me at March For Life, ND Athletic Tickets & ND Winter Extravaganza.

Taizé Prayer Service

A Taizé service, meditative prayer with simple prayer-chants, has been rescheduled for today, Sunday, January 12th, at 6:00 PM. at St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church, 1913 Ritter Drive, Cape Girardeau, MO. Enjoy an evening of simple chants, musical instruments, prayer, candlelight, scripture, silence, and peace. All are welcome!

GriefShare Group

For those who have lost a loved one, the next GriefShare group will begin on Tuesday, January 14th at 6:00 PM. It will be held at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Jackson and is open to the community. Use the back fenced in parking lot/entrance. This is an excellent source of support and encouragement, as we walk with others on our journey of grief. For mor information, call Molly at 573-275-3744 or visit www.griefshare.org.

IC School Restaurant Night Fundraiser/KC Fish Fry

On Friday, January 17th from 4:30 - 7:00 PM in the lower hall at the Jackson KC Hall. This is an all you can eat fish and chicken dinner with all the sides.

Soup and More by KC 1111 Ladies Auxiliary

On Saturday, January 18th from 5:00 - 7:30 PM at the K of C Hall, 318 S. Spanish Street, Cape. Donations accepted benefitting Options for Women. See flyer in back of church.

Magnify 90 - A Spiritual Exercise for Women

January 20th - April 20th. This 90-day journey asks us to foster a deeper relationship with God and others. Through prayer, spiritual readings, mortifications, and offerings we can link arms as desert sisters, and set the world ablaze with Christ's light by being the saints we were created to be! We hope you'll join us! Simply scan the QR Code to register. For more information visit www.mag90.com or contact Melanie Diebold (melaniecowell@gmail.com), Laura Enderle (lenderle@staangels.eduk12.net) Stacey Welter (swelter.4christ@gmail.com), Alicia Schumer (arsachse@yahoo.com), Leah Shrum (director@optionsforwomenceape.com), or Rachael Bremer (rachaelbremer@stmarycape.org)

QR code to register or use this link: <https://forms.gle/jd6sLPAtHAGwfj3a6>



IC Pancake/Sausage Breakfast

On Sunday, January 26th from 7:00 - 11:00 AM in the Parish Center.

IC Registration/Open Enrollment will also be going on. School tours for Pre-K, Kindergarten and new students are available from 8:00 - 11:00 AM.

Quarter Auction - Options for Women

On Saturday, February 1st at the KC Hall in Scott City, MO. Doors open at 4 PM and auction starts at 5:30 PM. See flyer in the back of church for more information.

Kettle Beef/Chicken & Dumpling Dinner


On Sunday, February 9th at the Knights of Columbus Hall in Jackson from 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM. Adults are \$15.00; Children are \$8.00. Dine or or carry outs are available.

Liturgical Ministers (January 18th & January 19th)

	Lectors	Usher/Greeters	Eucharistic Ministers (C) Cup	Mass Servers
5:00 pm	Berkley Rosenquist	Gary & Nancy Seyer Greg & Vonda VanGennip	Jack Martin & Nancy Strange - C Richard Knaup, Amy Moore, Andrea Sachse	Audra Brunke Autmun Brunke Natalee Smith
7:00 am	Tim Sutterer	Gary & Cindy Beussin Cherri Bertrand, Tom Schulte	David Coe & Gerald Stoverink - C Gary Beussink	Catherine McNeely Xavier Thomas
8:30 am	Brian Bauknecht Phillip Bess	Mark & Karen Goodson Amy Kesterson, James Trankler	Terri Kahle & Sam Wise - C Dennie & Vickie Ruch, Marlene Strieker	Finley Essner Paxton Essner Mason Sells
10:00 am	Judy Heitman Ann Knaup	Emerson, Layne and Michael Gross	Tony Mier & Sean Wall - C Dolores Bohnsack, Wendy McCall, Shelly Meier	Maci McCall Mia McCall Myli McCall



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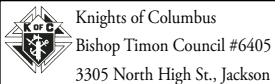
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