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January 26, 2025

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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



## FROM FATHER RANDY

Sunday - Catholic Schools Week - Pancake Breakfast & School Tours

Monday - Teach at School

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

Friday - ICS Trivia Night at 6:30 PM

Saturday/Sunday - Blessing of Throats after all Masses

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### NEW CHURCH PROJECT

Construction progress on the early site package has been further delayed due to the ongoing inclement weather conditions and due to a scheduling conflict encountered by Penzel Construction. Construction is now scheduled to re-start on February 10th with completion expected in the first week of March. In the meantime, final construction documents have been completed by the Architect so Columbia Construction will be starting the bid process in the near future.

### Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

*"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because He has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor." (Luke 4:18)*

Are you being called to share Christ's message of hope through a life of service in the Church? Explore your vocation with openness. Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at 417-866-0841 or via email: icdeaconal@gmail.com.

### Mass Intentions

#### MONDAY, January 27th

8:00 AM † Pam Essner-Huering

#### TUESDAY, January 28th

8:00 AM † Andrew Margrabe

6:30 PM † Monica Lewis

#### WEDNESDAY, January 29th

8:00 AM † John Donnelly

#### THURSDAY, January 30th

8:00 AM † Mary Nothdurft

#### FRIDAY, January 31st

8:00 AM † Teresa Welter

#### SATURDAY, February 1st

5:00 PM † Betty Layton

#### SUNDAY, February 2nd

7:00 AM † Dorothy Summers

8:30 AM † Jean Holland

10:00 AM Parish Family

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

# PARISH CALENDAR

## **MONDAY, January 27th**

7:30 AM Rosary  
8:00 AM Mass  
6:00 - 8:30 PM LIFT Women's Fellowship - *Parish Center*

## **TUESDAY, January 28th**

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 29th**

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

## **THURSDAY, January 30th**

7:30 AM Rosary  
8:00 AM Mass  
8:45 AM Morning Bible Study - *Fellowship Room*  
6:00 - 8:00 PM Men's Group - *Parish Center*

## **FRIDAY, January 31st**

7:30 AM Rosary  
8:00 AM Mass  
5:30 PM IC Trivia Night - *Parish Center*

## **SATURDAY, February 1st**

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

## **SUNDAY, February 2nd**

The Presentation of The Lord  
Masses at 7:00, 8:30, 10:00 AM  
11:15 - 12:15 PM SRE Classes - *School*  
6:30 - 8:00 PM LifeNight - *Fellowship Room*

# COLLECTIONS

Regular Collection for 1/19/25 \$16,915.45  
Capital Campaign for 1/19/25 \$31,660.66  
Special Collections: Ret. Clergy, Mirror, Latin America \$235.00

*Numbers include online giving*

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

### **The Mirror**

If you are receiving the Mirror via email or mail, the cost is **\$14.00**. There is a tithing envelope with your last batch of envelopes you received. Or if you tithe online, there should be a Fund that says The Mirror.

### **Spiritual Reflections**

Readings for the week of January 26th, 2025

Sunday: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 15 (see Jn 6:63c)/  
1 Cor 12:12-30 or 12:12-14, 27/Lk 1:1-4; 4:14-21

Monday: Heb 9:15, 24-28/Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6/Mk 3:22-30

Tuesday: Heb 10:1-10/Ps 40:2 and 4ab, 7-8a, 10, 11/Mk 3:31-35

Wednesday: Heb 10:11-18/Ps 110:1, 2, 3, 4/Mk 4:1-20

Thursday: Heb 10:19-25/Ps 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Mk 4:21-25

Friday: Heb 10:32-39/Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 23-24, 39-40/Mk 4:26-34

Saturday: Heb 11:1-2, 8-19/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75/Mk 4:35-41

Next Sunday: Mal 3:1-4/Heb 2:14-18/Ps 24:7, 8, 9, 10/Lk 2:22-40 or  
2:22-32

### SICK AND HOSPITALIZED

**Thelma Hotop**

**Dave Wikel**

**Amy & Jake Elfrink & unborn  
child**

### BAPTISM

**Mila Lou Wilson,  
daughter of Dalton & Hailey Wilson**

### NEW MEMBERS

**Jerald & Patricia Granger**

### REST IN PEACE

**Bob Fields**

# 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](mailto:ICMilitaryphotos@gmail.com).

## 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](mailto: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.

## Confirmation Choir Practice

If you would like to sing in the Choir for Confirmation, there will be a practice on Saturday, February 1st from 7 - 8:00 PM.

## A Big Thank You!

The Jackson Knights of Columbus Council #6405 would like to thank everyone who pre ordered pork sausage and attended our breakfast in November. All proceeds are donated to the Jackson Ministerial Alliance Food Pantry. This year we were able to donate \$3,504 to the food pantry. Save the dates for this year pre-orders in Oct. & the breakfast on November 2nd.

# SCHOOL NEWS

## IC Pancake/Sausage Breakfast - Open Enrollment

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

## IC Trivia Night

will be on Friday, January 31st with doors opening at 5:30 PM and trivia to start at 6:30 PM. Eight people per team and the cost is \$15 per person.

## 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. Tickets can be purchased from any ICS kid or in the school or church office during office hours.

## ICS Summer Care Program

is looking for a few adults to work. If you love kids, are over 18 years old, and are willing to complete the Virtus training, we would love to have your help. Please contact Michele Campbell for more information. 573-243-5013 or [mcampbell@icsjackson.eduk12.net](mailto:mcampbell@icsjackson.eduk12.net)

# FAMILY MINISTRIES

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

Come watch and discuss The Chosen, Season 4! L.I.F.T. Women's Fellowship has jumped back into The Chosen on January 13th. But it's not too late to join in. All Women are welcome to attend, please join us! We meet on Monday nights from 6:00-8:00pm 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.

## St. Ann's Meeting & Valentine Bingo Party

On Monday, February 10th at 6:30 PM in the Church Fellowship Room. Refreshments will be furnished by St. Ann's Sodality.

## Save The Date

St. Ann's Sodality Rummage Sale will be held on Friday, June 6th and Saturday, June 7th, 2025. Thanks to all that worked & donated this past year. Over \$20,000 was raised. Please start collecting items for the June sale now. Also, if you would like to serve on any of the sale committees (overall, finance, plant, advertising, clothing or food), text 573-579-8414 with your name, number and desired committee.

## St. Ann's Pie Dough

is still available for sale in the parish office. It is \$10 per pack of six 9 oz. balls of dough.

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

**January 31st - Breakfast & Prayer** Join us in the Fellowship Hall for breakfast and prayer before school! 6:45am-7:30am

**Febraury 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

**February 9th - Life Night** - Join us in the Fellowship Room from 6:30-8:00 pm.

## Kaboom 6th - 8th grade students

Thank you Marsha Buchheit for the pizzas, cookies, and brownies last week!

**February 15th** - We will meet in the Fellowship Room from 6:00-7:30 pm for prayer, fun and food. Meal is sponsored by the KC Ladies Auxiliary.

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

Please contact Karen Engelen at [icyouthspirit@gmail.com](mailto: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](http://wwme.org), or call Terry & Eric Engholm at 314-649-7317.

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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

are held every other month from 6:30 - 9:30 PM. 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: Adoration with Praise & Worship, Grade Schoolers Invited to ND Homecoming & ND Athletic Tickets.

## IC Pancake/Sausage Breakfast

Today, January 26th from 7:00 - 11:00 AM in the Parish Center. They will be pre-selling bulk and link sausage for \$4.00 per pound. If you would like to order some, you can call, text or email Courtney Ruch at 573-521-0163 or [courtneyallgier@hotmail.com](mailto:courtneyallgier@hotmail.com).

**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.

## St. Ambrose Euchre Tournament

Today, January 26th at St. Ambrose Parish Center, Chaffee. Doors open at 11:30 AM and play begins at 1:00 PM. Cost is \$10/person and food will be available.

## 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.

## Whole Hog Sausage, Eggs, Biscuits & Gravy Breakfast

On Sunday, February 2nd from 7:30 - 11:00 AM at St. Ambrose Parish Center, Chaffee.

## St. Joseph - Apple Creek Breakfast and Bake Sale

On Sunday, February 9th from 7:30 - 11:30 AM. Adults are \$10.00; children 5-12 are \$5.00 and children under 5 years of age eat free! Carry outs are available as well.

## Annual Dinner at St. Augustine Catholic Church

On Sunday, February 9th from 10:30 AM - 1:00 PM in the St. Augustine School gym. The menu is chicken & dumplings, pork loin and all the trimmings. Served buffet style.

## 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 carry outs are available.

## Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Celebrations - Sunday, February 16th

All married couples celebrating their 1st, 5th, 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 35th, 40th, 45th, 50th or 50+ anniversary anytime during 2025, are invited to this special day honoring your marital vocation! Join Bishop Edward M Rice for celebration of Holy Mass followed by a reception with hors d'oeuvres, cake and punch. This will be held at St. Mary Cathedral, Cape Girardeau, at 1:30 PM. You must RSVP by Friday, January 31st.

## Guardian Angel School Dinner/Auction

The auction will be Saturday, February 22nd at the Oran Knights of Columbus Hall. Doors will open at 4:30 PM, meal served at 5:45 PM and oral auction begins at 7 PM. Tickets are \$40 per person and includes your meal, drinks and all auction purchasing. For \$10, you can do online bidding for the silent & certificate auctions. To get tickets, go to: [charityauction.bid/GUARDIANANGEL2025](https://charityauction.bid/GUARDIANANGEL2025) and then call Taylor Pharris at 573-887-1637 for your assigned seating.

**Liturgical Ministers (February 1st & 2nd)**

	<b>Lectors</b>	<b>Usher/Greeters</b>	<b>Eucharistic Ministers (C) Cup</b>	<b>Mass Servers</b>
5:00 pm	John Litzelfelner Elizabeth Narain	Gerald & Kim Landewee Kenny & Joyce Loos	Richard Horrell & Richard Knaup - C Jack Martin, Katelyn Martin, Nancy Strange	Reagan Jansen Abigail Litzelfelner Mia Litzelfelner
7:00 am	Mona Nenninger	Ronnie & Patti Eftink James & Gail Gosche	David Coe & Andrea Sachse - C Gary Beussink	Volunteers Needed!
8:30 am	Terri Kahle Jeff Wyatt	Travis Bruendermann & Linda Martin Benedict & Stephanie Starke	Brad Deken & Lucas Green - C Renee Hinkebein, Susie Kohm, Susan Krydinski	Remi Bruendermann Lornzo Ruggiere Madison Thompson
10:00 am	Theresa Bubulka Lynda Seabaugh	Kyle Garvey, Margie Schwent Joe & Betty Starke	Bonnie Feeney & Mary Fieser - C Lindsey Gross, Ken Hotop, Courtney Ruch	Kinsley Hindman Whitman Lumsden Winston Lumsden



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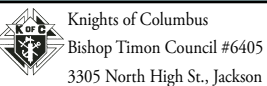
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