

April 8, 2018

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St. Joseph Parish

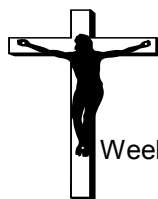
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Parish Council Candidates are needed! Candidates for a three year term are needed with the election taking place on the weekend of May 5 & 6. Service begins in July. For more information or to volunteer contact Dana Robnett—573-473-8207. **THANKS to Dana Robnett for serving on the Council for the past six years including serving as President!!**

Save the date: for the celebration of **Father P. Gregory Oligschlaeger's 25th Anniversary** of his ordination to the Holy Priesthood. It will be held on Sunday, June 10, 2018 at the Cathedral of St. Joseph beginning at 3:00 pm.

Saturday, April 14, 2018-5:30 pm
Servers Jordyn Oligschlaeger, Jenna Eikel
Lectors Betty Mendonsa
Greeters Charles Fleming
Offertory Gifts Bob & Nancy Mette
Eucharistic Ministers Sherri Deimeke, Sharon Welschmeyer

Sunday, April 15, 2018-10:00 am
Servers Abbi & Libby Kleinsorge
Lector Kristan Kleinsorge
Greeters Steve & Carol Rohan Family
Offertory Gifts Jeff & Patty Fennewald Family
Eucharistic Ministers Kevin & Rhonda Kestler

Weekday Servers Peyton Schafer, Abbi Kleinsorge 4/11-13
Children's Liturgy Dawn Miller, Gina Sachs
Ushers—Saturday William R. Fennewald, Kent Buckman, Pat Arens
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American Red Cross

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Items suitable for Confirmation & First Communion Gifts are available from the Show Me Shoppe in Wellsville.

ST JOSEPH SCHOOL-Mrs. Michelle Hombs:

Congratulations...Two students from each grade 4-8 will participate next Tuesday, April 10th in the Diocesan Spelling Bee held at St. Martin School. These candidates were top in their class in our school wide Spelling Bee back in January.

The spellers we will be sending are:

- 4th grade: Jace Norris, Cooper Rohan
- 5th grade: Kate Robnett, Baylie Windmann
- 6th grade: Nick Haines, Mason Rohan
- 7th grade: Olivia Kuda, Tucker Robnett
- 8th grade: Kaitlyn Bohr, Jolene Hollensteiner

An Update...I wanted to let you know that we have had 9 applications turned in thus far for our teacher vacancies for the 2018-2019 school year. We have conducted 3 interviews and hope to do a few more in the upcoming days. We are still accepting applications so please continue to spread the word.

Wanted: Our next and final Home & School Meeting for this school year will be this Tuesday, April 10th at 6:30pm in the basement of Father Arens Hall. During this meeting the officers for the 2018-2019 school year will sworn in. We are still in need of a Vice-President which will be President the following school year. Please consider fulfilling this role as this organization is vital to our school

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To schedule a drop-off or pick-up of your items, contact Mark Wax, Sustainability Coordinator at 573-999-4732 or mwax@cccno.org.

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Happy Birthday to:

Apr 8-Kenny & Audrey Schafer (46); Abbi Kleinsorge

Apr 10-Ken Robnett, Tayler Cope

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CRS-RICE BOWL-THANK YOU- We changed lives this Lent, Thanks to YOU! So far \$761.32 was collected. **There's still time TO TURN IN YOUR RICE BOWLS—**Envelopes are available to make your donation. Remember 25% of our collection will go to St. John's Food Pantry.

Come celebrate the inspiring life of Father Augustus Tolton at St. Thomas More Newman Center, Columbia on April 22, 2018. Mass will be at 11 am and will include a guest pastor and choir. A limited number of luncheon tickets will be available beginning on April 10 through the Newman Center website.

Attention! Tolton Catholic 2018-19 students! Exciting scholarship opportunity! McGivney Catholic Education Fund will be awarding up to \$4000 in scholarships to students for the 2018-19 school year. **Deadline to apply is April 15th.** Application and details can be found on the Tolton Catholic website. www.toltoncatholic.org Click on the admissions tab then financial aid and payment plan.

Communications Survey-The Diocese of Jefferson City is conducting a survey to assist in the development of a communication strategy that will better serve the Catholic community in central and northeast Missouri. We would like to hear from you! The survey takes about 7 minutes to complete and is available online in English at www.surveymonkey.com/r/JC_CatholicComm and in Spanish at www.surveymonkey.com/r/JC_Comm_Espanol. You may also use the camera of your smartphone to take a picture of this QR code and access via mobile device. Your answers are confidential and will only be seen by consultants outside the Diocese of Jefferson City. Your participation is appreciated, and the feedback received will be used to shape the future of this diocese.



Easter collection for Infirm Priests is an assessed collection which means the parish forwards the assessed amount of \$3,349 to the diocese to care for priests who have cared for us!. Please be generous in this collection. **\$1,273.75 is still needed to meet our obligation!**

Financial Report:	Expense	Income	Difference
January 2018	\$ 49,839.26	\$ 49,433.75	(\$405.51)
Fiscal Year—58.3%	\$389,810.62	\$429,342.02	\$39,531.40
Week:	Actual:	Goal:	Difference:
March Collection	\$ 22,918.02	\$26,000	(\$3,081.98)
April 1st	\$ 9,984.25	\$6,500	\$3,484.25
Building Campaign	\$ 83,758.69	\$70,000	\$13,758.69
Catholic Missourian	\$ 1,145.00	\$2,450	(\$1,305.00)
Rice Bowl	\$ 761.32		
Infirm Priest Collection	\$ 2,075.25	\$3,349	(\$1,273.75)

Parish Council Meeting—Tuesday, April 10 following 5:30 pm Mass

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Rachel's Vineyard: Healing the Pain of Abortion, One Weekend at a Time

There are many post-abortive women and men in our churches today who live in silent torment. They are slowly self-destructing. They believe that if their friends knew what they had done they would be rejected and condemned. Yet, Jesus' heart is moved and He has pity upon them as they suffer in pain and grief. If you or someone you know is suffering from an abortion decision, discover Jesus' merciful heart which brings peace and comfort. Rachel's Vineyard retreats are all about healing the pain of abortion one weekend at a time. The first of three 2018 Kansas City retreats takes place on April 20-22. Please call (816) 679-4973 or email rvkcmo@gmail.com for confidential information and to start the healing.

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beginning at 10 am in the American Family Insurance Parking Lot. Serving Davis Meats Pork Steaks, Pork Burgers, & Brats with sides and Joe's Funnel Cakes. All proceeds benefit Project Prom!

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The Image: Jesus appeared to St. Faustina in a vision, with his right hand raised in a blessing and his left touching his garment above his heart. Red and white rays emanate from his heart, symbolizing the blood and water that was poured out for our salvation and our sanctification. The Lord requested that "Jesus, I trust in You" be inscribed under his image. Jesus asked that his image be painted and venerated throughout the world: "I promise that the soul that will venerate this image will not perish" (Diary, no. 48) and "By means of this image I will grant many graces to souls" (Diary, no. 742).

Liturgical Roles For Next Week:

Easter Sunday, April 15, 2018—8:00 am

Ushers	Rodney Shramek, Allen Sommer
Servers-Candles	Jace & Layne Norris
Offertory Gifts	Bob & Caroline Nation
Lector	George Jacobi
Eucharistic Ministers	Margaret Nilges, Rita Oliver
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Collection Counter	Jim Gooch & Doug Shramek
Musician	Mary Kay Thomas
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Missouri Veterans Home, 1 Veterans Drive, Mexico, MO 65265—Kathleen Fennewald and Norb Arens
Golden Living Center Pin Oaks, 1525 W Monroe, Mexico, MO 65265—Mary Lou Schafer
Contact the parish office if you would like someone added!