

✠ 23rd Sunday of Ordinary Time ✠

MASS INTENTIONS

WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 5 - 11

Tue, Sep 6	6:30pm	Paul H. Meyer
Wed, Sep 7	8:00am	Frank & Johana Thoenen
Thu, Sep 8	9:30am	Kurt Hackmann; Hugo Brandt -Frankenstein
Fri, Sep 9	8:00am	John & Pat Oidtmann
Sat, Sep 10	6:00pm	Bill & Clara Marie Kirsch, Judy Rustemeyer; Matt & Rosie Voss
Sun, Sep 11	8:00am	George & Generose Dudenhoeffer - Frankenstein
	10:00am	Parishioners

The Saturday evening Mass and Holy Days of Obligation will be streamed at www.facebook.com/stgeorgeparishlinn/.

EVENTS

Sun, Sep 4 – Holy Family Freeburg Picnic – serving fried chicken and roast beef carry out dinners 11:30am – 7pm, \$15/plate; quilt auction at 5pm

Sun, Sep 4 – Mary’s Home Parish Picnic- fried chicken & roast beef dinner served all you can eat cafeteria style & carry outs available. Adults \$15, children \$7, 11am-7:30pm

Tue, Sep 6–Catholic Financial Life Breakfast Meeting – Bjs at 8am

Tue, Sep 6 – Divine Mercy Chaplet – 3pm in the Chapel

Tue, Sep 6 – Seeking Christ For Our Nation Mass – 6:30pm, sponsored by Linn K of C. All are welcome.

Tue, Sep 6 – Linn Knights of Columbus Meeting-7:30pm

Thu, Sep 8–Cub Scout Pack 17 Recruitment Night– Linn Lions Club Fairgrounds, 6–7:30pm, Contact Lori Greer (573-263-1917) or Debbie Backes (573-680-0033) with questions

Sat, Sep 10–Ducks Unlimited Annual Banquet –Loose Creek Community Center, \$80/couple, \$55/person, \$25/youth (under 18), Doors open at 5pm, dinner at 6:30pm. For tickets, contact Jeff Mertens at 573-680-2205 or visit www.ducks.org/events.

Sun, Sep 11 –Folk Fall Festival – Serving roast beef & whole hog sausage carryout & drive thru, 11am-6:30pm, \$15/plate. Quilt auction at 5pm, Raffle at 6:30pm, Classic Car Cruise-In 11am - 6:30pm.

Mon, Sep 12 – Pews & Brews – St. Martins Church is hosting a Catholic Young Adult Night (20-30 year olds). Begins at 5:30pm with Adoration & Confessions, Mass at 6pm. After Mass, food will be provided at Last Flight Brewery with drink specials available.

Sat, Sep 17 – Sr. Bernita Wasinger 70th Jubilee Celebration –Immaculate Conception, Loose Creek, 4pm Mass with reception immediately following in the school cafeteria.

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

SEPTEMBER 10 & 11

USHERS

(will need to complete Mass Counts of all attendees)

6pm Kenny Balkenbusch, David Bish, Gabe Bish, Richard Bish

10am Tim Bower, Rich Dudenhoeffer, Ronnie Frank, Ethan Grellner

LECTORS

6pm Joan Bish, Arlene Broeker

10am Rich Dudenhoeffer, Pat Brandt

COMMUNION MINISTERS

6pm Deacon Bob, Tom Wilson, Melanie Wilson

10am Deacon Bob, Randy Williams, Emma Williams

SERVERS

6pm Jake Bish, Lydia Kaullen, Jordyn Bish

10am Elli Dudenhoeffer, Charli Lenger, Adalee Dudenhoeffer

ROSARY LEADERS

6pm Edna Kliethermes

10am Pat Brandt

GREETERS

6pm Ben & Kim Sallin Family

10am Randy & Emma Williams

MUSIC

6pm Monica Schmitz, Sarah Brandt & Choir

10am Melissa Massman, Amy Bowden, & Choir

STREAMING

6pm Sharon Sprenger

COLLECTION COUNTERS

Susie Gelven, Corliss Griffin

CALL TO PRAYER

Please pray for: Kim Kliethermes Backes, Mary Berhorst, Vince Boillot, Holly Eynard, Nick Eynard, Mike Fowler, Elmo Hamburg, Kennedy Hartmann, Gary & Rosie Huckstep, BJ Kaullen, Sr. Dorothy Lauberth, Donnie Linnenbrink, Heather Manfreddie, Darlene Mengwasser, Don Mengwasser, Don Meyer, Wyatt Niemann, Bruce Nilges, Terry Eugene Nilges, John Painter, Bridget & Mike Parkhurst, Sam Price, Tricia Rehagen, Loretta Rustemeyer, Eleanor Scheulen, Frank Schroeder, Judith Schroeder, SSND, Eloise Taulbee, Larry & Sharon Thomas, Deacon Tony Valdes, Marilyn McDaniel Vaughn, & James Voss. *Please contact the parish office to have someone added to our prayer list.*

BISHOP’S SEPTEMBER PRAYER INTENTION

For all who serve in our community as first responders: that God may protect them from all harm, and that we be grateful for the sacrifices they make for the common good.

WEEKEND COLLECTION – August 28, 2022

Votives	\$95	Assumption	\$5
Fall Festival Meat	\$40	Catholic Missourian	\$15

	Total collection	Goal	Net income/(loss)
August 7	\$19,374	\$15,000	\$4,374
August 14	\$14,920	\$15,000	(\$80)
August 21	\$13,438	\$15,000	(\$1,562)
August 28	\$7,207	\$15,000	(\$7,793)

SCHOOL NEWS FROM THE PRINCIPAL

The Home and School Raffle is going on now. If you would like to purchase a raffle, please get in touch with a school family or the school office. The money raised will go directly to benefit St. George School students.

Students from St. George had the opportunity to sing "Take Me Out to the Ballgame" at the St. Louis Cardinals game. They did a great job! Many thanks to Stacey Dudenhoeffer for organizing this event. It was a fun-filled night with a large St. George community presence and fellowship at the game. It was a great night to be a Warrior!

CONGRATULATIONS!!!

Congratulations to Ali Russell, daughter of Craig & Megan Russell, one of our 8th grade students at St. George! She threw the first pitch at the Cardinal game last Saturday as an award for her winning essay entry in the Vitae Foundation's Essay Contest on Life Issues. This contest was open to students in Osage County. Congratulations also to Evan Grellner, son of Kevin & Lisa Grellner, and Elizabeth Sprenger, daughter of Bruce & Sharon Sprenger who also had winning entries that scored 4 tickets to the Osage County Vitae night at the Cardinal-Cubs game earlier in August.

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS

The feast of Our Lady of Sorrows is Thursday, September 15. To honor Our Lady, the Legion of Mary will pray the Rosary of the Seven Sorrows of Mary on Friday September 16, following the 8am Mass. Copies of the prayers (and rosaries) will be available. If you have the rosary of Our Lady of Sorrows, please bring it and join us.

THE FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY

The feast of Divine Mercy, or Divine Mercy Sunday, is the Second Sunday of Easter. It is celebrated on the last day of the Octave of Easter. Jesus promised to give great graces on Divine Mercy Sunday when He told St. Faustina "On that day, the very depths of My tender mercy are opened. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of My mercy.... On that day, all the divine floodgates through which graces flow are opened.... The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment."(Diary, 699). The grace of Divine Mercy Sunday forgives all sins and provides for the removal of all punishment due to sin (even for sins forgotten to be confessed) and is fully effective even if our contrition is less than perfect. To receive the grace of Divine Mercy Sunday, you simply need to go to Confession before or on the day of the feast (during Lent suffices); be in a state of grace on Divine Mercy Sunday itself (no mortal sin); and receive Holy Communion with the intention of obtaining the promised grace. The Church gives us the opportunity to receive a plenary indulgence attached to an act of worship of the Divine Mercy or participation in a Divine Mercy service on the same day that we can offer for ourselves or for a Holy Soul in Purgatory.

MASS CHANGES BEGINNING IN SEPTEMBER

Beginning in September the First Saturday Mass will be moved to 8am and alternating locations between St. George, Linn and St. Joseph, Westphalia. First Saturday Mass September 3 will be in Westphalia at 8am and the following First Saturday Mass October 1 will be in Linn at 8am. Also in September we will start reciting the Divine Mercy Chaplet before Mass on the Saturday and Sunday Mass on the first weekend of the month instead of the Rosary. All other weekends we will continue to recite the Rosary before Masses.

CATHOLIC MEN'S FORMATION – SIGNUM CRUCIS

A group of Catholic men in our area are excited to introduce a new interparish, multi-generational men's formation group in Jefferson City called the "Men of Signum Crucis." This group will focus on areas of Study, Devotion, and Service. Men in this group are strongly encouraged to bring their sons, nephews, or grandsons in grade school or high school to monthly gatherings. By doing this, adult men will be able to model how to be a true Catholic man seeking a deeper faith to the boys and young men that look up to them. Gatherings are the third Wednesday of the month at Helias 6:30 -8pm. Our first gathering is September 21. With an opening Mass in the Chapel of St. Pius X at Helias at 6:30pm. More details will be available after the Mass or you can contact Mark Rehagen at 573-680-2520. Informational sheets are available in the back of church for those interested.

SHRINE PILGRIMAGE

The pilgrimage on Saturday, September 17 includes guest speaker Kathleen Lindemann as she presents two talks: Mary's "Yes" can be our Yes, Too and Unlocking the Virtues to a Joyous Life. Pilgrimages to the National Shrine of Mary, Mother of the Church in Laurie, MO begin with registration at 8:30am and a closing Mass at 4:30pm. The day also includes Reconciliation, Eucharistic Adoration, Benediction, Rosary, and the Divine Mercy Chaplet. To register email shrinemothers@gmail.com or call 573-374-6279.

STEWARDSHIP



Living the stewardship way of life means putting God above all. When we live with a grateful heart we recognize that all we have is from God and that we must return those gifts in gratitude through hospitality, prayer, formation and service to others.



In the same way, everyone of you who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple.

Luke 14:33

