CLASSES AT ST. ANN

ST. ANN PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION - PSR

• 5/4 - 1st Holy Communion

Congratulations JozLynn & Celine!

Dear Lord, we thank You and praise You for the most precious gift of the Holy Eucharist. We ask You to bless JozLynn & Celine who are receiving Your Body and Blood for the first time. Help them to unite themselves more fully to You at every opportunity. Amen

• 5/18 Confirmation at St. Columbian

GRILLED ITALIAN SAUSAGE SANDWICHES Saturday, May 10th Noon to 6PM

\$14.00

includes:

1/3lb Grilled Scimecas Italian Sausage on 8" Roma Roll with Chips and a Soda

Dine-In or Carry-Out from our Knights of Columbus 816-539-2634 St. Ann Church Hall 700 W Maple St.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ADORATION WED, MAY 7TH - THURS, MAY 8TH

We will have overnight Adoration following 6 PM Mass on Wed, May 7th, beginning with Exposition and ending with Benediction on Thurs, May 8TH at 11:30 AM before noon Mass.

Novena Prayer for the Sacred College of Cardinals gathered for the Conclave to elect the Roman Pontiff

I kneel before you, O Virgin Mother of God, Our Lady of Guadalupe, the compassionate mother of all who love you, cry to you, seek you, and trust in you. I plead for the Church at a time of great trial and danger for her. As you came to the rescue of the Church at Tepeyac in 1531, please intercede for the Sacred College of Cardinals gathered in Rome to elect the Successor of Saint Peter, Vicar of Christ, Shepherd of the Universal Church. At this tumultuous time for the Church and for the world, plead with your Divine Son that the Cardinals of the Holy Roman Church, His Mystical Body, will humbly obey the promptings of the Holy Spirit. Through your intercession, may they choose the most worthy man to be Christ's Vicar on earth. With you, I place

> Heart of Jesus, salvation of those who trust in Thee, have mercy upon us!

all my trust in Him Who alone is our help and salvation. Amen.

Our Lady of Guadalupe, Virgin Mother of God and Mother of Divine Grace, pray for us!

> Raymond Leo Cardinal Burke April 24, 2025

SAINT ANN ACADEMY (EXCELSIOR SPRINGS) - ENROLLMENT OPEN FOR 2025/26 SCHOOL YEAR SERVING HOMESCHOOL CHILDREN FROM KINDERGARTEN - 8TH GRADE

Students attend school at St. Ann's in Excelsior Springs on Wednesdays from September thru April. For more information, please contact Courtney Champagne - saintannacademy.es@gmail.com

MIDDLE & HIGH SCHOOL SUMMER GAME NIGHTS **SUMMER GAME NIGHTS ARE BACK! JUNE 18TH**

Come join us for game nights this summer after Wednesday, 6PM Mass. Please bring frozen pizza and/or a snack to share. Bring your own board or card games! We will need two Virtus trained adults to chaperone. There will be a sign up sheet in the back of the church for chaperones.

If you have any questions, please email Shannon Hansen at hansenfamily1999@gmail.com

11-DAY PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA & THE CAMINO WITH FR. KEVIN DREW OCTOBER 15-25, 2025 / CALL 302.803.6400 OR 913.449.1806

Join Fr. Drew on an 11-Day pilgrimage to Fatima & the Camino Way. Featuring daily Mass & spiritual activities, 4-star hotels, breakfast & dinner, English speaking tour escort, local guides, wine tasting and much more! Land only \$4983 includes double room.

Airfare from MCI \$6533 includes double room.



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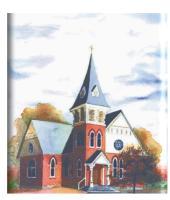
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The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combatting sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you observe or suspect sexual abuse: 1. Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.392.3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and 2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and If the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph. report the suspected abuse to the Diocesan Ombudsman,

Joe Crayon, at 816.812.2500 or crayon@ombudsmankcsj.org.
The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact the Victim Advocate, at 816.392.0011 or victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org for more information.



St. Ann Church

May 04, 2025

700 W. Maple St. Plattsburg, MO 64477

3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Pastor

Rev. Kevin Drew Phone: 816.539.2634 Email: kevindrew11@yahoo.com

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Amie Friedl

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Madelaine Adams - Director Teresa Koch Terry Miller - Adult Catechism

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HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

This is my body which is given for you. -- Luke 22:19

WEEKEND MASSES SATURDAY - 4 PM SUNDAY - 10:30 AM

WEEKDAY MASSES TUESDAY - NOON WEDNESDAY - 6 PM THURSDAY - NOON

CONFESSION

Repent, therefore and be converted, that your sins may be wiped away. Acts 3:19

> Wednesdays - 5:30 PM Saturdays - 3:00 PM

Contact Fr. Drew for Appts

ADORATION

The greatest love story of all time is contained in a tiny white host. - Sheen

Wed, May 7th @ 6:30 PM - Thurs, May 8th @ Noon

Please sign up in the narthex.





BAPTISM

Please contact the Pastor

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call the office 816-539-2634 follow instructions.

MATRIMONY

Please contact the Pastor 6-9 months before the proposed date.



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ALTAR SERVERS

SUN. MAY 4TH - 10:30 AM

MC - Mark Durando

- T Philip Richev A - Jonathan Friedl
- A Pierre Moraille
- S Tvler Walock R - Tyler Walock
- **TUES, MAY 6TH NOON** Frassati

THURS, MAY 8TH - NOON Frassati

SUN, MAY 11TH - 10:30 AM

- MC Angelo Moraille
- T Jonathan Friedl
- A Henry Richey
- A Samuel Richey
- S David Woody R - Dino Durando

SUN. MAY 4TH - 10:30 AM

MASS INTENTIONS

Larry Ogle + By: The O'Hanlon Family

TUES. MAY 6TH - NOON Sherri Plathe +

WED, MAY 7TH - 6 PM The Plathe Family

THURS, MAY 8TH - NOON Matthew Whitney Family By: K.K. Lathrop

SAT, MAY 10TH - 4 PM

Frances Blank + By: Matt & Jami James

MASS INTENTION REQUEST

Mass intention envelopes are in the narthex Place your Mass intention envelope with your \$10 stipend in the basket. Thank you!

Faith Comes by Mearing TRANSLATIONS FOR MASS SUNDAY, MAY 4TH

Introit - Ps. 65:1-3

Shout joyfully to God, all the earth, alleluia; sing a psalm to his name, alleluia; praise him with magnificence, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, Say to God: "How awesome are your deeds, O Lord! In the greatness of your power, your enemies will be convicted of lying to you".

Communion - Jo 21: 15, 17 V. Ps 33: [2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 18, 19, 23]

Simon son of John, lovest thou me more than these? Lord, thou knowest all things: thou knowest, Lord, that I love thee.

1. I will bless the Lord at all times, his praise shall be always in my mouth. 2. In the Lord shall my soul be praised; let the meek hear and rejoice. 3. O magnify the Lord with me; and let us extol his name together. 4. I sought the Lord, and he heard me: and he delivered me from all my troubles. 5. Come ve to him and be enlightened: and your faces shall not be confounded. 6. This poor man cried, and the Lord heard him: and saved him out of all his troubles. 7. The angel of the Lord shall encamp round about them that fear him; and shall deliver them. 8. The just cried, and the Lord heard them, and delivered them out of all their troubles.

Collection

APRIL 7, 2025 - APRIL 13, 2025

\$ 4,572.00 Offertory: Online: \$ 160.00 \$ 4,732.00

Cap. Campaign: \$2,262.00

Loan Balance as of 4/16/25: \$87,000.00

\$3718.56 needed weekly to meet our budget. The monthly operating budget is distinct from the capital campaign. Thank you for your generosity!



A MESSAGE FROM OUR PASTOR FR. KEVIN DREW

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The Spiritual Passover

From an ancient Easter homily by Pseudo-Chrysostom

The Passover we celebrate brings salvation to the whole human race beginning with the first man, who together with all the others is saved and given life.

In an imperfect and transitory way, the types and images of the past prefigured the perfect and eternal reality which has now been revealed. The presence of what is represented makes the symbol obsolete: when the king appears in person no one pays reverence to his statue.

How far the symbol falls short of the reality is seen from the fact that the symbolic Passover celebrated the brief life of the firstborn of the Jews, whereas the real Passover celebrates the eternal life of all mankind. It is a small gain to escape death for a short time, only to die soon afterward; it is a very different thing to escape death altogether as we do through the sacrifice of Christ, our Passover.

Correctly understood, its very name shows why this is our greatest feast. It is called the Passover because, when he was striking down the firstborn, the destroying angel passed over the houses of the Hebrews, but it is even more true to say that he passes over us, for he does so once and for all when we are raised up by Christ to eternal life. If we think only of the true Passover and ask why it is that the time of the Passover and the salvation of the firstborn is taken to be the beginning of the year, the answer must surely be that the sacrifice of the true Passover is for us the beginning of eternal life. Because it revolves in cycles and never comes to an end, the year is a symbol of eternity.

Christ, the sacrifice that was offered up for us, is the father of the world to come. He puts an end to our former life, and through the regenerating waters of baptism in which we imitate his death and resurrection, he gives us the beginning of a new life. The knowledge that Christ is the Passover lamb who was sacrificed for us should make us regard the moment of his immolation as the beginning of our own lives. As far as we are concerned, Christ's immolation on our behalf takes place when we become aware of this grace and understand the life conferred on us by this sacrifice. Having once understood it, we should enter upon this new life with all eagerness and never return to the old one, which is now at an end. As Scripture says: We have died to $\sin - how$ then can we continue to live in it?









CATHOLIC MONTH OF MAY

THE BI ESSED VIRGIN MARY

Hail Holy Queen (Salve Regina)

Hail, holy Queen, Mother of mercy, our life, our sweetness and our hope. To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve. To thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this valley of tears. Turn, then, most gracious advocate, thine eyes of mercy toward us, and after this, our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus. O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.

R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us prav.

Almighty and everlasting God, Who by the working of the Holy Spirit didst prepare both body and soul of the glorious Virgin Mother, Mary, that she might deserve to be made a worthy dwelling for Thy Son, grant that we who rejoice in her memory, may, by her loving intercession, be delivered from present evils and from lasting death, through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.



VIRTUE: MEEKNESS

BLESSED ARE THE MEEK, FOR THEY SHALL POSSESS THE EARTH.----MATT. 5:4

MEEKNESS AND MILDNESS OF HEART IS A VIRTUE RARER THAN CHASTITY, AND YET IT IS MORE EXCELLENT THAN THAT AND ALL OTHER VIRTUES, FOR IT IS THE END OF CHARITY, WHICH, AS ST. BERNARD SAYS, IS IN ITS PERFECTION WHEN WE ARE NOT ONLY PATIENT, BUT ALSO KIND. IT IS NECESSARY, HOWEVER, TO HAVE A GREAT ESTEEM FOR THIS VIRTUE, AND TO USE EVERY EFFORT TO ACQUIRE IT.---ST. FRANCIS DE SALES



Bishop Johnston's Prayer intentions for the month of May For all Veterans who carry wounds - physical, emotional, or spiritual - that they experience deep healing and renewed peace of soul.



We pray for our elderly, infirm, and home-bound:

O God, your Son accepted sufferings to teach us the virtue of patience in human illness. Hear the prayers we offer for our sick brothers and sisters. May all who suffer pain, illness or disease realize that they are chosen to be saints. and know that they are joined to Christ in his suffering for the salvation of the world, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

Vicki Anseume, Allen Bence, Kenneth Carey, Etta Mae Carlson, Carrol & Pat Clingan, Edward Cook, Paul Daily, Lori Echols, Janice Fristoe, Cindy Gaines-Walter, Martha Gerling, Jean Harris, Tom Kutz, Sylvia McCollester, Bill & Julie Petesch, Gloria Price, Lee & Barbara Schwery, Amy Spriesterbach, Bob Swope, Steve VanHorn, Marie VanHorn, Tonia Vigilante, William Wolford Jr, Meryle Young, Claudia Ziegler, Lindsay Plathe

To add or change a name please email - stannplattsburg@gmail.com.



UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY 10TH - ITALIAN SAUSAGE SANDWICH DINNER FEATURING SCIMECAS ITALIAN SAUSAGE.

For more info please contact:

Eric Niemann. Recruiter, at eniemann@1791.com



On behalf of the altar servers of St. Ann's, thank you to the K of C for sponsoring this fun gathering. It was a great opportunity to build friendships and fellowship!

VISITATION SODALITY

The Visitation Sodality is an organization made up of all age ladies, dedicated to serving the parish and our Priest. We strive to support the liturgy and the altar, social functions and funerals. Please consider joining us in our mission to serve our parish family.

UPCOMING EVENTS

DONUT SUNDAY - MAY 4TH - 11:30 AM PLANNING MEETING - MAY 21ST - 6:30 PM

Come check out our store located in the Parish Hall. We have sacramentals, gifts, books, veils, and more! All proceeds go to serving our Church and our Parish Family.

Contact Shannon Hansen for more info: hansenfamily1999@gmail.com



PLATTSBURG NURSING HOME APOSTOLATE Members of our parish are currently visiting residents at Oakridge and Nick's Healthcare Center here in Plattsburg.

If you would like to be a part of this ministry, contact Terry and Carleen Miller at (816) 930-2976

LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary is a world wide lay apostolic association of Catholics dedicated to praying and working for Mary for the salvation of souls.

The parish needs people willing to give a little of their time to Mary.

There's not a better person to pray and work for but Mary, and not a better reason to pray and work than for the salvation of souls.

Meetings are Sunday mornings at 9:00 AM in the Rectory.

Questions: call Sherry Kutz (217) 260-7338