

CLASSES AT ST. ANN

ST. ANN PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION - PSR

- **Registration for the 2025–2026 PSR year has begun!**
Madeleine Adams will be contacting each current family via email to confirm registration details. New families can register by completing the form available on the back table of the church and emailing it to madeleine.desloge@gmail.com.
- The first day of PSR classes will be **Sunday, September 7 from 9:00–10:15 a.m.** in the Parish Hall.

ADULT CATECHISM CLASSES

If you are interested in the Catholic Faith, joining the Catholic Church or learning more about your Faith, please join us on Wednesday nights after the 6 pm Mass.

CLASSES START WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

The class is open to all persons. *Registration is **not** required.*
Questions - please contact Terry Miller at millert832@gmail.com.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

SCAM ALERT

I had a parishioner alert me this past week that they received an email from a “Fr Kevin Drew” who asked them to buy gift cards. THIS IS NOT ME. The email is not my kevdraw11@yahoo.com address as it appears in the bulletin. This kind of scam is becoming more and more common in our sad day. Remember: I will never ask you for money or gift cards in such a manner. Tell other people to be on guard as well. In Christ, Fr. Drew.

WELCOME ABOARD

Please welcome Sharon Ousley as our new parish secretary. Sharon is a parishioner at St. Ann in Excelsior Springs and resides in Kearney. She and her husband Jeff have four adult children, three grandchildren (and one on the way!). Sharon will be responsible for keeping track of all of the activities here at St. Ann Plattsburg. You can reach her at the parish email, stannplattsburg@gmail.com or her cell, 816-507-2171. Please introduce yourselves when your paths cross!

TENDERLOIN DINNER

The St. Rose of Lima Knights of Columbus (Savannah, MO) is having their Annual DELICIOUS Tenderloin Dinner, *Saturday, September 13th, 5:00pm - 7:00pm*. Dine In or Carry Out!
Menu: Tenderloin Sandwich, Fires, & Lots of Desserts! Tell your friends and family and come enjoy some good food and great family fellowship! (Good Will Donations Greatly Appreciated)

LISTEN TO FR. DREW’S DAILY MASS ON CATHOLIC RADIO - 1090 AM

MONDAY - FRIDAY 11:00 AM

FR. DREW’S HOMILIES AIR AT 3:50 PM

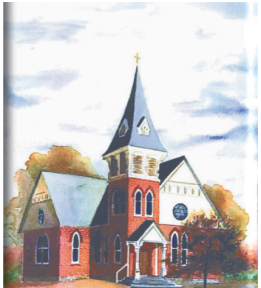
Tune into Catholic Radio at 1090 AM or go catholicradio.com and click on “Listen Live”.

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, ombudsman@ombudsmankcsj.org 6024 816-213
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 816-714-2357 or victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org for more information

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ST. ANN CATHOLIC CHURCH



20TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 17, 2025

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VISITATION SODALITY

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Gina Watton
Mary Hale
Sam Finley



The Assumption of Mary

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

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

WEEKEND MASSES

Sunday - 10:30 AM
Saturday - 4 PM

DAILY MASS

Wednesday - 6 PM

There will be no Noon daily Mass during the Summer months.

CONFESSION

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

WEDNESDAY
5:30 PM

SATURDAY
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, Sept 3rd @ 6:30 PM - Thurs, Sept 4^h @ 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

MASS INTENTIONS

SUN, AUG 17TH - 10:30 AM
MC - Jonathan Friedl
T - Grant Schuster
A - Ambrose Green
A - Pierre Moraille
S - Tyler Walock
R - Dino Durando

SUN, AUG 24RD - 10:30 AM
MC - Angelo Moraille
T - Mark Durando
A - Ambrose Green
A - Brogan Noll
S - David Woody
R - David Woody

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

PRAYERS FOR OUR PARISH FAMILY
We pray for our elderly, infirm, and homebound:

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, forever and ever. Amen

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

In Loving Memory
Eternal Rest Grant unto them, O Lord, and let Your perpetual light shine upon them.
May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.

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

COLLECTION	
AUG 1, 2025 - AUG 4, 2025	
Offertory:	\$ 4,279.00
Online:	\$ 335.00
Total:	\$ 4,614.00
\$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



Christ abolished the sacrifices of the old law. He did not abolish sacrifice. Friends, as we read from Christ’s Bread of Life Discourse (John 6) this summer at Mass, let us remember that wheat has to die; it has to be sacrificed before it can nourish and give life. Below is an excerpt of a letter attributed to St Barnabas, the man who introduced St Paul to the Apostles. Note his sacrificial language. Note that Barnabas assumes no one is saved by faith alone. Note his warning not to die in a state of sin. We can clearly deduce from letters like this and many others like it that the “primitive” Church was and is the Catholic Church.

From a letter attributed to Barnabas
The new law of our Lord

God has abolished the sacrifices of the old law so that the new law of our Lord Jesus Christ, which does not bind by slavish compulsion, might have an offering not made by man. On another occasion he says to them: *When I brought your forefathers out of Egypt, I gave them no commands about burnt offerings and sacrifices. I said not a word about them. What I did command was this: Do not contrive any evil against one another, and do not love perjury.*

We are not stupid; surely we ought to understand our Father’s kindly purpose in this. He does not want us to go astray as they did, nor to ask how we are to approach him. Here is what he says to us: *The sacrifice acceptable to God is a broken heart; the fragrance pleasing to the Lord is a soul that gives glory to its Maker.* You see, my brothers, we must carefully seek after our own salvation; otherwise, one who is bent on deceiving us will insinuate himself and turn us aside from the path that leads to life.

Accordingly, we must flee from all vanity and show an utter hatred for the deeds of the evil way. Do not turn inward and live only for yourselves as though already assured of salvation; join together rather and seek the common good. For, as Scripture says: *Shame on those who are wise in their own judgment and think themselves clever.*

Rather, let us become spiritual; let us be a perfect dwelling place for God. As far as we can, we should dwell upon the fear of God and strive to keep his commandments, finding our delight in his observances. *The Lord will judge the world without respect to persons*; everyone will receive his just deserts; if he has been good, his good works will go before him; if wicked, the wages of sin will lie in wait for him. We must never relax our efforts as though our calling were already realized. Never let us fall asleep in a state of sin, lest the prince of wickedness gain power over us and snatch us away from the kingdom of the Lord.

My brothers, grasp this further point: You see the Israelites rejected, even after the many signs and wonders worked among them; let us then see to it that we are not found among those of whom Scripture says: Many are called, but few are chosen.

CATHOLIC MONTH OF AUGUST

A SOLEMN ACT OF CONSECRATION TO THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY


Most Holy Virgin Mary, tender Mother of men, to fulfill the desires of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the request of the Vicar of Your Son on earth, we consecrate ourselves and our families to your Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart, O Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, and we recommend to You, all the people of our country and all the world.

Please accept our consecration, dearest Mother, and use us as You wish to accomplish Your designs in the world.

O Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, and Queen of the World, rule over us, together with the Sacred Heart of Jesus Christ, Our King. Save us from the spreading flood of modern paganism; kindle in our hearts and homes the love of purity, the practice of a virtuous life, an ardent zeal for souls, and a desire to pray the Rosary more faithfully.

We come with confidence to You, O Throne of Grace and Mother of Fair Love. Inflamm us with the same Divine Fire which has inflamed Your own Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart. Make our hearts and homes Your shrine, and through us, make the Heart of Jesus, together with your rule, triumph in every heart and home.

Amen.



VIRTUE: DILIGENCE

ALL THINGS WHATSOEVER THAT THEY COMMAND YOU, OBSERVE AND DO.---MATT. 23:3
NEVER ALLOW YOURSELF TO BELIEVE THAT TIME LOST WHICH IS SPENT IN PERFORMING YOUR CHARGE WELL. FOR THIS IS A THING SO ACCEPTABLE TO THE LORD THAT HE GIVES IN A LITTLE TIME WHAT HE WOULD OTHERWISE BE MUCH LONGER IN GIVING, AND EVEN DOUBLES WHAT HAS BEEN ABANDONED IN HIS SERVICE.---ST. TERESA

Bishop Johnston’s Prayer intentions for the month of August
For the families who lost loved ones in the Texas flooding disaster. That they may be consoled and strengthened by the Holy Spirit and the goodness of others in their time of grief.

The Holy Father’s Prayer intentions for the month of August
Let us pray that societies where coexistence seems more difficult might not succumb to the temptation of confrontation for ethnic, political, religious, or ideological reasons.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**
REV. DENIS KEILY COUNCIL #9401

Upcoming Events:

Business meetings:
2nd Saturday of each month - 9AM
For more info please contact :
Eric Niemann, Recruiter, at eniemann@1791.com

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

THIS SUNDAY - DONUT SUNDAY

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

ALTAR FLOWERS AT ST. ANN

You can sponsor flowers for \$40 a week in honor or memorial of a loved one. Their name and yours will be listed in the bulletin. Please make your checks payable to the Visitation Sodality and in the memo write flowers. Your gift will be assigned the next available week, unless you have a specific week in mind. Envelopes for flowers are in the back of the church and can be placed in the collection basket.

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