

CLASSES AT ST. ANN

ST. ANN PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION - PSR

- We are in search of a new High School teacher for PSR this year. If you feel called to volunteer please reach out to Madeleine Adams at madeleinedesloge@gmail.com

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.

Topics for Wednesday, November 6th:

- Nature and History of Sacrifice
- The New Sacrifice
- The Seven Sacraments

The class is open to all persons. *Registration is not required.*
Questions - please contact Terry Miller at miller832@gmail.com.

FRASSATI ACADEMY

Autumn Dance & Potluck Dinner

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15TH
Community Courtyard
117 W Maple Street
Plattsburg, MO 64477

- 6 PM: Potluck Harvest Dinner: Please bring a dish & side or dessert
 - 7 PM: Free Dance Lesson: Waltz Basic Step
 - Open Dancing for the Whole Family until 10 PM.
 - Parents are responsible for Children at All Times.
- SUGGESTED DONATION FOR FRASSATI ACADEMY:
\$10 / PER PERSON OR \$30 / PER FAMILY

QUESTIONS - CALL SARA 913-662-7200

Advent Wreath Workshop

Craft your own Fresh Pine Wreath!

Cost: \$50 per wreath

Saturday, November 23rd from 9 AM - 1 PM

Holy Trinity Catholic Church
407 Cherry St
Weston, MO

Register at frassatiacademykc.org

Questions: Call/Text Angie at 816.718.2418

October was the Month of the Rosary

During October, each person was asked to add St. Ann's parish to their intentions when saying the rosary.

183 rosaries were said for our parish in the month of October!

HANDMADE GOAT MILK SOAP



106 E Broadway St
Plattsburg, MO
Hours:
Tues - Fri 10-5
Sat 9-12

If you have reasonable cause to suspect sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult, you must call: The Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.392.3738, if the victim is under the age of 18. The Missouri Adult Abuse and Neglect Hotline at 1.800.392.0210, if the victim is a vulnerable adult. Local law enforcement or 911 if you believe the person is in immediate danger. If the suspected abuser is an employee, volunteer, priest or deacon in the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph, please report to the Independent Ombudsman at (816) 812-2500 or crayon@ombudsmankcsj.org.



Prayers for Our Parish Family

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 McColester, Gloria Price, Lee & Barbara Schwery, Amy Spriesterbach, Bob Swope, Steve VanHorn, Marie VanHorn, Tonia Vigilante, William Wolford Jr, Meryle Young, Claudia Ziegler

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

ALTAR FLOWERS AT ST. ANN

In Memory of the deceased members of the Richey & Marquez families.

Sponsored by:
Chris & Mary Richey



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.



VOTE
No 3

- NO to abortion all 9 months
- NO to ending parental rights
- NO to lower healthcare standards
- NO to miscarriage care myths

lifeandjusticekcsj.org/missouriaproabortionballot

PLEASE JOIN US

ROSARY & A POTLUCK HOSTED BY MATT & CARA GREEN
EVERY 1ST SATURDAY AT THEIR HOME @ 6 PM
CALL OR TXT CARA FOR MORE INFO:
816.752.1840

The Arm of ST. JUDE THE APOSTLE is visiting the United States

Known as the *Apostle of the Impossible*, Saint Jude is revered for his unwavering dedication and steadfast faith. Millions have experienced his intercession in times of adversity and need.



Wednesday, November 6, 2024
Veneration of Relics | 2:00-10:00 p.m.
Mass in Honor of St. Jude | 7:00 p.m.

Queen of the Holy Rosary
Catholic Church
7023 W. 71st St., Overland Park, Kansas

VISIT www.ApostleOfTheImpossible.com FOR COMPLETE DETAILS.



St. Ann Church

816.539.2634

November 3, 2024

700 W. Maple St. Plattsburg, MO 64477

Thirty first Sunday in Ordinary Time

ACCORDING TO TRADITION, THIS PRAYER WAS GIVEN TO ST. GERTRUDE THE GREAT
BY OUR LORD TO BE RECITED FOR THE HOLY SOULS IN PURGATORY:

Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Most Precious
Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union
with the masses said throughout the world
today, for all the holy souls in purgatory, for
sinners everywhere, for sinners in the
universal church, those in my own home and
within my family. Amen.

Pastor

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

Music Director

Amie Friedl

Faith Formation

Madeline Adams - Director
Teresa Koch
Terry Miller - Adult Catechism

Finance Council

Randy Dalinghaus
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Tom Morgan
Eric Niemann
Cody O'Connor

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Frank Watton, Deputy
Eric Niemann, Recruitment Chair

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Tom Kutz, President
Sherry Kutz, Vice President
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Terry Miller, Secretary

Visitation Sodality

Shannon Hansen, President
Gina Watton, Vice President
Mary Hale, Treasurer
Sam Finley, Secretary

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

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

WEEKEND MASSES

SATURDAY - 4 PM
SUNDAY - 10:30 AM

NOVEMBER 11TH & 12TH

40 HOURS HOLY MASS
MONDAY, 11/11 - 7 PM
TUESDAY, 11/12 - 7 PM

WEEKDAY MASSES

TUESDAY - NOON
WEDNESDAY - 6 PM
THURSDAY - NOON

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.

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 Appointments

ADORATION

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

40 HOURS DEVOTION

Sunday, November 10th
Monday, November 11th
Tuesday, November 12th

Please sign up in the back of the
church.



www.stannplattsburg.org

stannplattsburg@gmail.com

ALTAR SERVERS

SUN, NOV 3RD - 10:30 AM

Angelo Moraille - MC
Philip Richey - T
Pierre Moraille - A
Brogan Noll - A
Reader - Dino Durando

TUES, NOV 5TH - NOON

Frassati

THURS, NOV 7TH - NOON

Frassati

SUN, NOV 10TH - 10:30 AM

Mark Durando - MC
Grant Schuster - T
Levi Metcalf - A
Henry Richey - A
David Woody - Reader

TUES, NOV 12TH - 7 PM

Davy Slipke - MC
Angelo Moraille - T
Jonathan Friedl - A
Pierre Moraille - A
Andy Friedl - S

MASS INTENTIONS

SUN, NOV 3RD - 10:30 AM

Celine James
By: The Plathe Family

TUES, NOV 5TH - NOON

Leah Katherine Easley
By: The Plathe Family

WED, NOV 6TH - 6 PM

Patrick Vogel

THURS, NOV 7TH - NOON

Pro Populo

SAT, NOV 9TH - 4 PM

Joseph Domino
By: Cody O'Connor

SUN, NOV 10TH - 10:30 AM

Pro Populo

MON, NOV 11TH - 7 PM

Emily Grace Plathe
By: The Plathe Family

TUES, NOV 12TH - 7 PM

Logan Douglas Smith
By: The Plathe Family

MASS INTENTION REQUEST

If you have a Mass intention, please fill out one of the envelopes in the narthex. Place your Mass intention envelope with your \$10 stipend in the basket. If you add your phone number or email address, we will confirm the date your Mass is scheduled. Thank you!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

MONDAY, NOV 11TH - 40 HOURS

LOW MASS @ 7 PM

TUESDAY, NOV 12TH - 40 HOURS

MASS @ 7 PM

PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE BACK OF THE CHURCH

Our Annual 40 Hours adoration begins on Nov 10th. Please consider committing to at least one hour in adoration of our Lord.

"A Holy Hour in front of the Blessed Sacrament is worth more than a thousand years of human glory." (St. Padre Pio)

Weekend Collection

October 13, 2024

October 27, 2024

Offertory: \$ 3,760.00
Online: \$ 500.00
Holy Day: \$
2ndCollection: \$
Maintenance: \$

Offertory: \$ 2,284.00
Online: \$ 650.00
Holy Day: \$
2ndCollection: \$
Maintenance: \$ 210.00

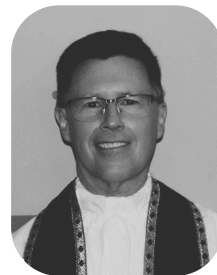
Cap. Campaign: \$ 556.00

Cap. Campaign: \$ 5,906.00

Total : \$ 4,816.00

Total : \$ 9,050.00

\$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. DREW

Why should I have a Mass offered for the dead or for someone else?

By Fr. Allain Caparas

When I was teaching high school a parent of one of my students passed away after a tragic and long illness.

Many of my students struggled with how to express their grief or condolences appropriately. I suggested to a few of my students that having a Mass offered for the dead is always a beautiful and appropriate way to express one's solidarity with the grieving.

Most, if not all, looked at me as if I had something growing out of my head. It occurred to me that many really did not understand the value of offering a Mass for the dead. And I would guess that there are many people out there - while they recognize the Mass as something important - do not fully understand why offering a Mass for someone, especially the dead, is so important, not only for those who grieve, but for the person who died.

First of all, we must never forget the infinite graces that flow from the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass - graces which are directed for the salvation of all humanity. After all, the Mass is the sacrifice of Christ Himself. It is Christ Himself through the ministerial priesthood, who makes the benefits of His Passion, Death, Resurrection, and Ascension present to us in the here and now. By our full and active participation in the Mass, we offer our own sacrifices and our very lives in union with Christ to the Father in the Holy Spirit. Therefore, something mystical and something extraordinary happens to us at every Mass!

But something extraordinary happens to the entire Church here on earth, in heaven, and in purgatory. Pope Leo XIII in his encyclical *Mirae caritatis* (1902) emphasized that there is a connection between the deceased and the living members of the Church (the Communion of Saints), and the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. He wrote:

Faith teaches that although the [Mass] can be offered to God alone, it can nevertheless be celebrated in honor of the saints now reigning in Heaven with God, who has crowned them, to obtain their intercession for us, and also, according to apostolic tradition, to wash away the stains of those who died in the Lord but without yet being wholly purified.

Hence the Mass is the means through which we, the church here on earth (the Church Militant), together with those in heaven (the Church Triumphant), offer our intercessions or prayers on behalf of the dead (the Church Suffering). Catholic teaching affirms that our prayers on behalf of the dead, particularly the offering of the Mass, actually are beneficial for the souls of the dead. As Pope Leo said, through the Mass we ask God to "wash away the stains [or sins] of those who died in the Lord." The Mass is also, as the Holy Father pointed out, a means for us to seek God's graces on our behalf and on behalf of others who are in need of God's graces (i.e. the sick and the suffering).

This tradition of offering Masses for others, particularly the dead, originates at the time of the apostles and in the history of the early Christian Church. We find evidence of this practice in inscriptions found on tombs in the Roman catacombs of the second century. For example, the epitaph on the tomb of Abercius (c.a. 180), Bishop of Hieropolis in Phrygia, asks for prayers for the repose of his soul. St. Hippolytus of Rome (c.a. 235) (to whom we attribute the second Eucharistic Prayer) mentions explicitly the offering of prayers for the dead during the Mass. St. Cyril of Jerusalem (c.a. 386), in his catechetical talks, explained how the living and dead are remembered at Mass, and how the Mass is a benefit to sinners, living and dead. St. Ambrose (c.a. 397) preached, "We have loved them during life; let us not abandon them in death, until we have conducted them by our prayers into the house of the Lord."

CATHOLIC MONTH OF NOVEMBER

NOVEMBER DEVOTION

THE HOLY SOULS

Let Your ears be attentive to my voice in supplication: If You, O Lord, mark iniquities, Lord, who can stand? But with You is forgiveness, that You may be revered. I trust in the Lord; my soul trusts in His word. My soul waits for the Lord more than sentinels wait for the dawn. More than sentinels wait for the dawn, let Israel wait for the Lord, For with the Lord is kindness and with Him is plenteous redemption; And He will redeem Israel from all their iniquities. Psalm 130

PRAYER FOR THE HOLY SOULS

O Lord, who art ever merciful and bounteous with Thy gifts, look down upon the suffering souls in purgatory. Remember not their offenses and negligence, but be mindful of Thy loving mercy, which is from all eternity. Cleanse them of their sins and fulfill their ardent desires that they may be made worthy to behold Thee face to face in Thy glory. May they soon be united with Thee and hear those blessed words which will call them to their heavenly home:

"Come, blessed of My Father, take possession of the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world."

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord; And let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.

Amen.

VIRTUE: CHARITY

ECCE EGO VOBISCUUM SUM---BEHOLD I AM WITH YOU.---MATT. 28:20

"SOME TORTURE THEMSELVES IN SEEKING MEANS TO DISCOVER THE ART OF LOVING GOD, AND DO NOT KNOW---POOR CREATURES---THAT THERE IS NO ART OR MEANS OF LOVING HIM BUT TO LOVE HIM---THAT IS, TO BEGIN TO PRACTICE THOSE THINGS WHICH ARE PLEASING TO HIM." ---ST. FRANCIS DE SALES

COMMANDMENT OF THE MONTH FOR NOVEMBER

THE 3RD COMMANDMENT

"REMEMBER TO KEEP HOLY THE LORD'S DAY."

To show us how generous He is, God created an extra day each week, the Lord's Day, to relax and enjoy the abundant blessings He has provided us. But what if God didn't create the extra day and just ended the creation story after six days, launching you straight from Saturday into Monday? How fun would that be? But, in His love He wanted to give us even more. A Divine Day of Vacation every week.

Do you take advantage of the Lord's Day as God intended? Or, does your Sunday get filled with chores, taking the kids to various activities, yard work and getting ready for a Monday morning meeting? Don't forfeit your Divine Day of Vacation. Let life slow down. Set aside the worries and busyness of life, turn off the TV, put Jesus front and center. Read a book, take a nap, play board games with the children, call a friend you haven't talked to in a while, go for a picnic and play at the park, invite a lonely neighbor for a glass of tea.

Then, when Monday comes, you will be refreshed and prepared to pick up where you left off. Sound good? If so, begin taking steps to free up your Sunday so you and your family can truly enjoy your Divine Day of Vacation on Sunday.

For a quick overview of the Gift of Sundays, go to www.ifuloveme.org/ten-commandments or scan the code.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

REV. DENIS KEILY COUNCIL #9401

A fraternal organization that seeks to serve our parish, assist the pastor in his ministry, and serve our wider community in a spirit of dedication to our Catholic Faith and to its mission.

For more info please contact :
Eric Niemann, Recruiter, at eniemann@1791.com

Knights of Columbus

CHILI SUPPER

NOVEMBER
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SATURDAY, 11 AM - 7 PM

ALL YOU CAN EAT CHILI
\$10 ADULTS - \$5 KIDS (12 & UNDER)
\$2 HOT DOGS

St. Ann's Parish Hall 700 W Maple St Plattsburg, MO 64477

VISITATION SODALITY

The Visitation Sodality is an organization made up of all age ladies, dedicated to serving St. Ann's 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.

**Soup Sunday Nov 3rd after 10:30 Mass
Please bring a soup, side or dessert to share.**

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