

ST. ANN LUX

No Class: December 25, 2022
Merry Christmas!

No Class: January 1, 2023
Happy New Year!

Classes Resume: January 8, 2023

Questions/Concerns Contact
Roxanne Ratzloff at 816-560-0010
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PRAYERS FOR OUR PARISH FAMILY

We pray for our elderly, infirm and homebound:

Vicki Anseume, Msgr Bill Caldwell, Kenneth Carey, Etta Mae Carlson, Carrol & Pat Clingan, Edward Cook, Mary DeWert, Lori Echols, Cindy Gaines-Walter, Pam Grady, Jean Harris, Sylvia McColleston, Lee Schwery, Amy Spriesterbach, Bob Swope, Steve VanHorn, MarieVan Horn, Tonia Vigilante, Meryle Young

Please email the names of those who need to be added to this list, or changes to stannplattsburg@gmail.com.

Knights of Columbus & Visitation Sodality

ST. NICHOLAS DAY CELEBRATION Gaudete Sunday, December 11th After 10:00AM Mass

The Knights of Columbus will be hosting a 5th Sunday breakfast for a free will offering. And the ladies will be hosting a bake sale. Please plan to join us for this joyful event! Ladies of the parish, the Sodality is looking for people to donate goods for the bake sale! Please contact Heather Boddicker at 319 541-3750 or Mary Richey 816 215-0373 at if you have any questions or plan to donate.

WEEKEND COLLECTION

NOVEMBER 25TH, 2022

Envelopes: \$3850.00
Plate : \$170.00
Online Offertory: \$310.00
Online Campaign: \$25.00
Holy Day:
2nd Collection:
Mass Stipends:
Maintenance:
Memorials:
Cap. Campaign:
Total Receipt: \$4355.00

NOVEMBER 30TH, 2022

Envelopes: \$2570.00
Plate : \$237.00
Online Offertory: \$310.00
Online Campaign: \$125.00
Holy Day:
2nd Collection:
Mass Stipends:
Maintenance:
Memorials:
Fundraising:
Total Receipts: \$3242.00

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

CAMPAIGN PLEDGES

Please either return your pledge letters to the collection basket or by US Mail! Even if you cannot pay a portion of your pledge at the moment, I'd like to remind you that the commitment is over 3 years. **Please turn in your pledge form, if you have not already.** Thank you to all 46 families who have committed from our parish. Not including verbal pledges, we have collected \$700,500. That is incredible! Please prayerfully consider the number you have been asked. And as always, please feel free to have a conversation with me about it. *—Fr. Schneider*

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.



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ST. ANN CHURCH

816.539.2634

DECEMBER 11TH, 2022

700 W. Maple St. Plattsburg, MO 64477

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT



John the Baptist in Prison
by Veit Dietrich 1792

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

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

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4:00pm
1st Saturday: 8:30 a.m.
Sunday: 7:30am & 10:00am

Weekday Masses

Tuesday-Friday: 7:15 a.m.
Wednesday: 6:00 p.m.

CONFESSION

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

Wednesday 5:30pm
Saturday 3:00pm
1st Saturday 8:00am
Sunday 9:15am-9:45am
Contact Fr. Schneider for appointments.

ADORATION

Exposition at 4 p.m. on the
Thursday before First Friday
thru
First Friday Benediction before
7:15 a.m. Mass
Sign-Up in the Narthex

BAPTISM

Please contact the pastor.

ANointing of the Sick

Please contact the rectory at
816-539-2634
& follow the instructions.

MATRIMONY

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

ALTAR SERVERS

RORATE MASS 6:30AM
Saturday Dec 10th
CARTER WATTON -MC
MARK DURANDO -T
DAVEY SLIPKE -AI
GRANT SCHUSTER -A2

Sunday Dec 11th
GRANT SCHUSTER-MC
PETER MORGAN-T
JONATHAN FRIEDL-A
BROGAN NOLL-A

Sunday Dec 18th
MARK DURANDO -MC
DAVEY SLIPKE-T
PHILIP RICHEY -A
HENRY RICHEY -A

CHRISTMAS VIGIL
4:00PM
Saturday Dec 24th
SETH METCALF -T
BEAU METCALF -A
LEVI METCALF -A

MIDNIGHT MASS
12:00AM
Sunday Dec 25th
CARTER WATTON -MC
MARK DURANDO -T
DAVEY SLIPKE-AI
GRANT SCHUSTER -A2

CHRISTMAS DAY MASS
Sunday Dec 25th
10:00AM
MARK DURANDO -T
PHILIP RICHEY -A
HENRY RICHEY -A

Sunday Jan 1st
CARTER WATTON -MC
GUS JAMES-T
BEAU METCALF -A
LEVI METCALF -A

Sunday Jan 8th
MR. FRIEDL -MC
PETER MORGAN-T
JONATHAN FRIEDL-A
EMMET ATWELL-A

Sunday Jan 15th
JOËL MORAILLE -MC
ANGELO MORAILLE-T
BROGAN NOLL -A
SAMUEL RICHEY-A

We bless the faithful altar boy
And hail his happy face with joy;
Clean hands, clean mind and upright heart,
Chosen from all the rest apart,
To stand before the King of Kings,
To touch and handle holy things.
-Anonymous

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, December 10th
Rorate Mass
6:30AM † *Deceased Members of the Marquez & Richey Families*
by Chris and Mary Richey

4:00PM *Tom & Anna Christopher*
by The Friedl Family

Sunday, December 11th
7:30AM *Pro Populo*
10:00AM † *Deceased Members of the Marquez & Richey Families*
by The Chris & Mary Richey

Tuesday, December 13th
7:15AM NO MASS

Wednesday, December 14th
7:15AM NO MASS
6:00PM NO MASS

Thursday, December 15th
7:15AM NO MASS

Friday, December 16th
7:15AM NO MASS

Saturday, December 17th
4:00PM † *Virginia Estrada*
by Peter Estrada

Sunday, December 18th
7:30AM *Pro Populo*
10:00AM *Jill Lehr*
by Michael Lehr

MASS INTENTIONS REQUESTS

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



Bulletin Deadline:
5:00PM Wednesday



Dear Friends In Christ,


This Sunday, called Gaudete Sunday, from the word “rejoice” and is from St. Paul’s letter to the Philippians. It is on this Sunday that we experience two themes which are common to both this Sunday and to the Fourth Sunday in Lent—hope and joy at the coming flourishing of the Christian mystery.

The Church, before any joyful season, always posits to us penance and a readying of both body and spirit before the celebration. It is in this way that we see the contrast between fast and feast. The Church uses rose-colored vestments, adorns the altar once again with flowers, and permits the organ to play on its own as a reminder that Christmas is almost here.

In the Middle Ages and up until the last century, this Sunday was sometimes known as Rose Sunday because the pope would present to various dignitaries of Catholic countries a rose hewn out of gold and blessed as a symbol of paternal solicitude. As we approach Christmas, we meditate upon this theme of both joy and hope. What must we do to prepare the way of the Lord to receive the graces from the crib at Bethlehem? This week, would’ve fallen the Ember Days as well on Wednesday, Friday and Saturday on which new priests would be ordained and the faithful would fast and abstain in thanksgiving for the harvest and for the clergy of the Church. Even in the 1940s in our diocese of St. Joseph, priests were ordained on this Saturday in December for that reason. Perhaps we, too might take up the mantel of penance as we approach Christmas. In the midst of waiting with the Virgin, we experience the anticipation which comes with the coming mystery to be unfolded.

-*Fr. Schneider*

CATHOLIC MONTH OF DECEMBER



VIRTUE: UNION

Qui manet in charitate, in Deo manet, et Deus in eo----Who abideth in charity, abideth in God, and God in him.----1 John 4:16

So great is the delight which the Angels take in executing the will of God, that if it were His will that one of them should come upon earth to pull up weeds and root out nettles from a field, he would leave Paradise immediately and set himself to work with all his heart, and with infinite pleasure.

-BL. HENRY SUSO

MONTH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

MOST Holy Mary, Virgin Mother of God, I N____, most unworthy though I am to be thy servant, yet encouraged by thy motherly care for me and longing to serve thee, do, in the presence of my guardian angel and all the court of heaven, choose thee this day to be my queen, my advocate and my mother, and I firmly purpose to serve thee evermore myself and to do what I can that all may render faithful service to thee.

Therefore, most devoted Mother, through the Precious Blood thy Son poured out for me, I beg thee and beseech thee, deign to take me among thy clients and receive me as thy servant forever.

Aid me in my every action, and beg for me the grace never, by word or by deed or thought, to be displeasing in thy sight and that of thy most holy Son.

Think of me, my dearest Mother, and desert me not at the hour of death. Amen.


ALTAR FLOWERS AT ST. ANN

You can sponsor our altar flowers. It is \$40 to sponsor a week in honor or memoriam 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 and then please add this to your contribution envelope as well as your email/phone to get it scheduled. Than you for your generosity!

BY: THE VISITATION SODALITY

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

REV. DENIS KEILY COUNCIL #9401



The **Knights of Columbus** is a fraternal men’s 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. Meetings take place on the 3rd Tuesday of the month. Interested? Please contact either the parish office at stannplattsburg@gmail.com or Eric Niemann, recruiter at eniemann@1791.com.

Saturday January 11th
8:00AM Confession - 8:30AM Mass - Meeting to Follow Mass

VISITATION SODALITY

MEETING

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 11TH, 2023

6:45PM IN THE HALL

Join us to help plan future events and organize to care for members of our parish! Contact Shannon Hansen at hansenfamily1999@gmail.com, if you have questions or would like to be added to our communication emails.

VISITATION SODALITY FIRST SATURDAY

SATURDAY JANUARY 7TH

8:00 Confession -8:30AM -Mass

Then we will be heading to the Divine Mercy Chapel and lunch. Join us for prayer and fellowship. We can carpool.

CHRISTMAS COLLECTION

NICK’S HEALTHCARE CENTER

The Visitation Sodality is collecting items for Christmas for the residents at Nick’s Healthcare Center. Please bring your items by Sunday December 18th. There will be a collection basket in the narthex. Please bring them unwrapped, with wrapping supplies. Questions? Please contact Lauren Atwell at 816-585-3930.

List of Ideas from Nick’s:

- Large Print Bibles or Holy Books
- Old Spice Sets or AX Sets for Men
- Shampoo/Lotion Sets for Women
- 6-8 Packs Soda Pop
- Sleep Bottoms for Men & Women Especially 3x & 4x

