# PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

ST. ANN PARISH SCHOOL OF RELICION -PSR There will be no PSR on December 24<sup>th</sup>, December 31<sup>st</sup>, January 7<sup>th</sup>

# Merry Christmasl

Contact Madeleine Adams, Director, if you have any questions or concerns at: MadeleineDesloge@gmail.com or 314 480-2750.

# FRASSATI ACADEMY



12<sup>th</sup> Night of Christmas Family Dance & Potluck Dinner **Community Courtyard** Plattsburg



Friday, January 5th, 2024 6:00PM - 10:00PM

The whole family is welcome! Fundraiser for the Frassati Academy, a classical, hybrid, boys high school, that holds class Tuesdays and Thursdays at St. Ann.

# WEEKEND COLLECTION

December 17th, 2023	December 10th, 2023	
Offertory: \$3225.00	Offertory:	\$1750.00
Plate: \$320.00	Plate :	\$542.00
Online Offertory: \$350.00	Online Offer:	\$400.00
Online Camp.: \$75.00	OnlineCampaign:	\$7719.00
$2^{nd}$ Collection:	Holy Day Collection:	
Mass Stipends:	Mass Stipends:	
Maintenance:	Maintenance:	
Vocation Fund:		
Cap. Campaign:	Cap. Campaign:	
Total Receipt: \$3,970.00	Total Receipts:	\$10,411.00

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



## 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 alvation of souls. The parish needs people willing to give a little of their time to Mary. 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 Friday Mornings after Mass in the Hall Questions call Sherry Kutz (217) 260-7338



PASTOR **Rev. Eric Schneider** Phone: 816.539.2634 Email: e.schneider.a@gmail.com

MUSIC DIRECTOR Amie Friedl

FAITH FORMATION Madeleine Adams, Director **Teresa Koch Terry Miller** 

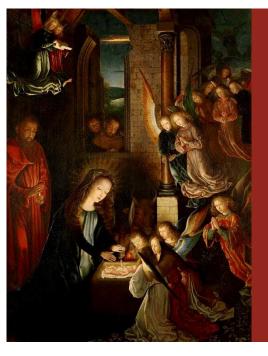
FINANCE COUNCIL **Randy Dalinghaus** Bill Lueckenotte **Tom Morgan Eric Niemann** CodyO'Connor

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Vince Benedetto, Grand Knight Frank Watton, Deputy Grand Knight Eric Niemann, Recruitment Chair

LEGION OF MARY Tom Kutz, President Sherry Kutz, Vice-President CarleenMiller, Treasurer **Terry Miller**, Secretary

**VISITATION SODALITY** Shannon Hansen, President **GinaWatton**, Vice-President MaryHale, Treasurer Sam Finley, Secretary

**DECEMBER 24 TH, 2023** 



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

Weekend Masses

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

Week Day Masses

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 7:15AM Wednesday 6:00PM

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.

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.

# ST. ANN CHURCH

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## FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

# Christmas Mass Schedule

The Nativity of Our Lord Sunday, December 24th 4:00PM Christmas Vigil Mass

Monday, December 25th 12:00ÅM Midnight Mass Carols at 11:30PM 10:00AM Christmas Day Mass

Christmas Octave Daily Masses Dec. 26th Tuesday -St. Štephen NOON Dec. 27th Wednesday- St. John 8:30AM Dec. 28th Thursday- Holy Innocents 8:30AM Dec. 29th Friday-St. Thomas Becket 8:30AM

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.

CONFESSION

stannplattsburg@gmail.com

#### MASS INTENTIONS ALTAR SERVERS

Sunday, December 24<sup>th</sup> Saturday, December 23<sup>rd</sup> 4th Sunday of Advent 9:00AM 4:00PM Pro Populo **BILLY LUECKENOTTE** Vigil-Nativity of the Lord 4:00PM Sunday, December 24th BEAU METCALF Fourth Sunday of Advent LEVI METCALF Monday, December 25th Midnight Mass JOËL MORAILLE-MC Angelo Moraille - T Jonathan Friedl -A GRANT SCHUSTER -A

9:000AM Lee Schwery by Eric Niemann Vigil of the Nativity 4:00PM Pro Populo

Mr. Friedl Christmas Day Mass 10:00AM Mark Durando - MC Philip Richey -T Brogan Noll- A Peter Morgan -A

Monday, December 25th **Christmas Masses** Midnight *†Lenora Detray* by Karlee Hansen **10:00AM** *†* Georgia O'Connor by Dan O'Connor

NOON† Rev. Michael Gillganon

Wednesday, December 27th

8:30AM Joe & Lisa Bartolo

Thursday, December 28th

8:30AMSpecial Intention

Friday. December 29th

Saturday, December 30th

4:00PM Cillian Powers

byTerry & Carleen Miller

Sunday, December 31st

10:00AM † Randy J. Hansen by Keith & Shannon Hansen Family

7:30AM Pro Populo

**8:30**ÅM Ella Holden

by Anne Friedl

Tuesday, December 26th 12:00 Joël Moraille **Tuesday, December 26th** ANGELO MORAILLE

Wednesday, December 27th 8:30A JOËL MORAILLE **Ångelo Moraille** 

Thursday, December 28th 8:30AM by Mike & Lindsay Plathe DAVEY SLIPKE

Friday, December 29th 8:30AM by Terry & Carleen Miller Family Davey Slipke

Sunday, December 31st10:00A Grant Schuster-MC Ionathan Friedl-T Henry Richey-A PIERRE MORAILLE-A

Monday, January 1<sup>st</sup> 8:30AM MaryMother of God Joël Moraille Davey Slipke

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 INTENTION 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 \_\_\_\_\_ basket. If you add your phone number or email address, we will confirm the date your mass is scheduled. Thank you!

#### 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. Thank you!



A very Blessed and Merry Christmas to all! I would like to thank everyone who made the Feast of Our Dedication one of great importance and memory for our parish. For all of you who sacrificed so much, I am

Dear Friends in Christ,

deeply moved and appreciative!

As we celebrate the birth of our Savior, we contemplate the meaning of God being made visible, so that we can be caught up in things invisible. Few know that the story of Christmas simply begins on December 25. The Church honors this great feast with an octave, or eight days of principle celebration. These eight days in which we celebrate a different saint everyday and relate him to the Nativity, represent a privileged time of rest. Please check the Mass schedule at St. Ann for this coming week, as it has changed so that we might more fully celebrate this sacred time. As there were 7 days in creation, the seventh representing a day of rest or an "8th day" of contemplation and eternal recreation, the theme of Christmas is extended as if the week were one whole day. After the 8 days in which we end with celebrating Mary, Mother of God or the Circumcision of the Lord and the reception of His Holy Name, we continue until day 12 to celebrate the Epiphany. From here, the Christmas cycle is extended all the way until February  $2^{nd}$  where we celebrate the Lord as "Light of the World" being presented in the Temple. Christmas is merely the beginning of our Redemption. For today, a Savior is born unto us, Christ the Lord. Mary and Joseph look on as the light shines forth from the crib on which our Savior lays. Come, let us adore Him!

Fr. Schneider



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

Vicki Anseume, Allen Bence, Kenneth Carey, Etta Mae Carlson, Carrol & Pat Clingan, Edward Cook, Paul Daily, Lori Echols, Janice Fristoe, Cindy Gaines-Walter, Pam Grady, Jean Harris, Sylvia McCollester, Lee & Barbara 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.

## CATHOLIC MONTH OF DECEMBER

## VIRTUE: UNION

Qui manet in caritate, 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



DECEMBER CATHOLIC MONTH OF: THE IMMACULATE HEART NOVENA TO THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION O Most Holy Virgin who wast pleasing to God and didst become His Mother! Immaculate in your body, in your soul, in your faith and in your love, we beseech thee to look graciously upon the wretched who implore thy powerful protection.

The wicked serpent, against whom the primal curse was hurled, continues nonetheless to wage war and to lay snares for the unhappy children of Eve.

Ah, do thou, our blessed Mother, our Queen and Advocate, who from the first instant of thy conception didst crush the head of our enemy, receive the prayers that we unite single-heartedly to thine and conjure thee to offer at the throne of God, that we may never fall into the snares that are laid for us, in such wise that we may all come to the haven of salvation; and in the midst of so many dangers may holy Church and the fellowship of Christians everywhere sing once more the hymn of deliverance, victory and peace. Amen.

Thanks to all who participated in our feast of the dedication of our church. It was an incredible celebration honoring our ancestors in the faith and giving greater glory to God!

## 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 1st

Saturday of the month. Interested? Please contact either the parish office at stannplattsburg@gmail.com or Eric Niemann, recruiter at eniemann@1791.com

> Saturday, January 6th 8:00AM Confession 8:30AM Mass Meeting to Follow

## VISITATION SODALITY

**VISITATION SODALITY FIRST SATURDAY** 

SATURDAY, JANUARY 6TH, 2023 Business Meeting Following 8:30AM Mass

Join us to help care for the altar, our church, campus, hall, and plan future events and care for our fellow parishioners. Contact Shannon Hansen at hansenfamily1999@gmail.com, if you have questions or would like to be added to our emails.

8:00AM Confession 8:30AM Mass Simple Breakfast Meeting to Follow



PLATTSBURG NURSING HOME APOSTOLATE

Members of our parish are currently visiting Catholic residents at Oakridge and Nick's Healthcare Center here in Plattsburg weekly, usually on Tuesdays mornings around 9:30am, the rosary starting around 10am with any residents who want to join them. If you would like to be a part of this ministry, once or often contact Emma Lunn by text at (281) 740-7597 or Lauren Atwell at Lvatwell@gmail.com.

# Thank You!