

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

ST. ANN PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION -PSR  
There will be no PSR on  
December 24<sup>th</sup>, December 31<sup>st</sup>, January 7<sup>th</sup>  
PSR students will be attending Confession on the following  
dates:  
**3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Grade-December 3rd**  
**5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade-December 10th**  
**7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade-December 17th**  
  
Contact Madeleine Adams, Director, if you have any  
questions or concerns at: MadeleineDesloge@gmail.com or  
314 480-2750.

FRASSATI ACADEMY

CHRISTMAS DANCE

12<sup>th</sup> Night of Christmas  
Dance and Potluck Dinner

Friday, January 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024

6:00PM - 10:00PM

The whole family is welcome!

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. 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

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.

WEEKEND COLLECTION

NOVEMBER 26 <sup>TH</sup> , 2023	NOVEMBER 19 <sup>TH</sup> , 2023
Offertory: \$1820.00	Offertory: \$3109.00
Plate : \$388.70	Plate : \$432.00
Online Offertory: \$1170.00	Online Offer: \$560.00
Online Camp.: \$3427.54	Online Campaign: \$964.00
2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection:	Holy Day Collection:
Mass Stipends:	Mass Stipends:
Maintenance: \$210.00	Maintenance:
Vocation Fund:	
Cap. Campaign: \$208.00	Cap. Campaign:
<b>Total Receipt: \$7,224.24</b>	<b>Total Receipts: \$5,065.00</b>

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



St. Nicholas Party

The Knights of Columbus are hosting a St. Nicholas day  
party for the children of St. Ann after 10:00AM mass on  
December 10<sup>th</sup> in the parish hall. There will be hot  
breakfast for a free will offering for the knights and St.  
Nicholas Day cards and chocolates for the children. The  
Frassati Academy have graciously donated some St.  
Nicholas gingerbread cookies for our kiddos.



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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
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LEGION OF MARY  
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ST. ANN CHURCH

816.539.2634

DECEMBER 3RD, 2023

700 W. Maple St. Plattsburg, MO 64477

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT



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

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

Saturday, December 2nd  
ANGELO MORAILLE -A1  
JOËL MORAILLE-A2

Sunday, December 3rd  
DAVEY SLIPKE-MC  
BROGAN NOLL-T  
GRANT SCHUSTER-A  
AMBROSE GREEN-A

Wednesday, December 6th  
ANGELO MORAILLE -A1  
JOËL MORAILLE-A2

Sunday, December 10th  
MARK DURANDO-MC  
PHILIP RICHEY-T  
GRANT SCHUSTER-A  
PETER MORGAN-A

Sunday, December 17th  
JOËL MORAILLE -MC  
LEVI METCALF-T  
BEAU METCALF-A  
PIERRE MORAILLE-A

Monday, December 18th  
135<sup>th</sup> Dedication Mass  
FR. BENJAMIN ARMENTROUT -MC  
REV. MR. SAM HORAN -DEACON  
DAVEY SLIPKE -T  
ANGELO MORAILLE-A1  
JONATHAN FRIEDL -A2  
HENRY RICHEY -V1  
BROGAN NOLL -V2  
BEAU METCALF-CROSS BEARER  
MR. FRIEDL

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*



**Bulletin Deadline:  
Noon Wednesday**

ALTAR FLOWERS AT ST. ANN  
You can sponsor our altar flowers. It is \$40 to sponsor 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 and then please add this to your contribution envelope as well as your email/phone to get it scheduled. Thank you for your generosity!



MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, December 2nd  
8:30AM *Marianne Elizabeth Reiter*  
by Mike & Lindsay Plathe  
4:00PM *Stan & Penny Shewmaker*  
by Terry & Carleen Miller  
Sunday, December 3rd  
7:30AM *Pro Populo*  
10:00AM † *Fr. Philip Luebbert*  
by Terry & Carleen Miller  
Tuesday, December 5th  
7:15AM *Ryan Steinhäus*  
by Dana Steinhäus & Children  
Wednesday, December 6th  
6:00PM Taleln Robert Gibson  
by Mike & Lindsay Plathe  
Thursday, December 7th  
7:15AM † John Joseph McCormack  
by Mike & Lindsay Plathe  
Vigil Mass  
6:00PM  
Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup> HDO  
Feast of the Immaculate  
Conception  
7:15AM † *Msrgr William Blacet*  
7:00PM Pro Populo  
Saturday, December 9th  
4:00PM *Pro Populo*  
Sunday, December 10th  
7:30AM † *Bishop Hubert Hart*  
10:00AM *Deceased Members of  
the Legion of Mary*

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!



*Dear Friends in Christ,*

This weekend, we celebrate the First Sunday in Advent, the beginning of the liturgical year. Advent, although not as penitential as Lent, is an opportunity to reflect upon the coming of the Lord not only into the world in the flesh, in time, but also His coming in glory to judge the living and the dead. It is especially in the beginning of this season that these two themes elide. The Lord reminds us today to be vigilant lest we get dragged down into the mundane. To experience the sublime, that is the Lord's Presence among us, we must cultivate a spirit of silence that we experience His coming at Christmas.

As a reminder, this week, we celebrate the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. This is a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses will be at the following times:

Thursday, December 7 6pm (Vigil Mass)

Friday, December 8 7:15AM

Friday, December 8 7pm Mass w/ Choir and Music

*Fr. Schneider*

FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

All are invited to celebrate the Feast of the Immaculate Conception on Dec. 8th, at 11 AM with the Legion of Mary. Masses that day are 7:15AM and 7PM. In addition, the Legion will lead the rosary and Legion of Mary prayers. You will learn more about the Legion and their part in the diocesan "Behold Eucharistic Pilgrimage". A light lunch will be served in the hall after the celebration. RSVP Requested call or text Sherry Kutz at (217)260-7338.

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 McColester, Lee & Barbara Schwery, Amy Spriesterbach, Bob Swope, Steve VanHorn, Marie Van 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 charitate, in Deo manet, et Deus in eo—Who abideth in charity, abideth in God, and God in him.—1 John 4:16

The object of all virtues is to bring us into union with God, in which alone is laid up all the happiness that can be enjoyed in this world. Now, in what does this union properly consist? In nothing save a perfect conformity and resemblance between our will and the will of God, so that these these two wills are absolutely alike—there is nothing in one repugnant to the other; all that one wishes and loves, the other wishes and loves; whatever pleases or displeases one, pleases or displeases the other. -St. JOHN OF THE CROSS



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.

Monday, December 18<sup>th</sup> , 2023

135<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEDICATION OF ST. ANN

Holy Mass at 6:00pm  
*Celebrant - Most Rev. James Vann Johnston Jr.*  
Bishop of the Diocese of Kansas City -St. Joseph

Program and Hor D'Oeuvres to Follow in the Hall

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

CHRISTMAS COLLECTION  
NICK'S HEALTHCARE CENTER



This Advent, the Visitation Sodality is collecting items for our brothers and sisters in Christ at Nick's Healthcare Center, here in Plattsburg. Please begin bringing your gifts next weekend thru Sunday, December 10<sup>th</sup>. There is a basket in the narthex for your donations. **Needed:** 2-3x Women's and Men's Sweaters & Sweatshirts, Women's Lotion, Colored Pencils, Markers, Soaps & Shampoos for Men & Women

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.