

Classes at St. Ann

St. Ann Parish School of Religion - PSR

- Sunday, September 29th - Please plan to come to the Knights of Columbus breakfast after the 10:30AM Mass in the parish hall for a short parent meeting and to pick up your PSR packets. There is paperwork in this packet that will need to be filled out in turned into Madeleine Adams.
- 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
- Sunday, October 20th - Confirmation (Chillicothe)

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, September 25th:

- Creation
- The Dignity of the Human Person
- Science, and Evolution

If you would like to join the class, go to our website, select "Our Parish", then use the "Become Catholic" tab to fill out the "Adult Catechism Form". *Registration is not required.* Questions - please contact Terry Miller at millert832@gmail.com.

Fertility Care Introductory Session

Lindsay Plathe, RN, BSN, Fertility Care KC Practitioner and parishioner, will be hosting an introductory session, October 10th @ 7:00PM in the parish hall.

Pre-Registration is REQUIRED. You can register at FertilityCareKC.com under the "Introductory Sessions" tab.

The class will only be held if there are people registered. If you have questions, you can contact Lindsay at Lplathe@fertilitycarekc.com or 605 651-3743.

www.fertilitycarekc.com/introductory-sessions.html



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

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

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

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Michael J Russell, 75. Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him. May the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen. Mass of Christian Burial will be held 10:30AM Tuesday, 9/24.

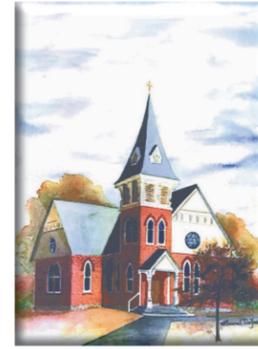
ALTAR FLOWERS AT ST. ANN

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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.



St. Ann Church

816.539.2634

September 22, 2024

700 W. Maple St. Plattsburg, MO 64477

Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Jesus teaches the disciples about fraternal correction - Jerome Nadal (1507 - 1580)

Pastor

Rev. Kevin Drew

Phone: 816.539.2634

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Music Director

Amie Friedl

Faith Formation

Madelaine Adams - Director

Teresa Koch

Terry Miller - Adult Catechism

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HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

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

Weekend Masses

Saturday - 4:00 PM

Sunday - 10:30 AM

There will be no noon

Mass on Tuesday 9/24

Weekday Masses

Tuesday Noon

Wednesday 6:00pm

Thursday Noon

1st Saturday Mass

(Fr. James Carlyle)

October 5th - 9 AM

Confession to follow Mass

CONFESSION

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

Wednesday 5:30pm

Saturday 3:00pm

1st Saturdays after 9:00am Mass

Contact Fr. Drew for appointments.

ADORATION

Sign-Up in the Narthex

BAPTISM

Please contact the Pastor

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

Please call the rectory 816-539-2634 follow instructions.

MATRIMONY

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

stannplattsburg@gmail.com

Altar Servers

Sun, Sep 22nd - 10:30 AM
 Beau Metcalf - MC
 Brogan Noll - T
 Henry Richey - A
 Ambrose Green - A
 Reader - Tyler Walock

Tues, Sep 24th - 10:30 AM
Funeral Mass
 Servers - Frassati

Thurs, Sep 26th - Noon
 Servers - Frassati

Sun, Sep 29th - 10:30 AM
 Grant Schuster - MC
 Levi Metcalf - T
 Philip Richey - A
 Pierre Moraille - A
 Reader - Terry Miller

**Altar Server
 training will be
 next Sunday
 9/29 after Mass.**

Mass Intentions

Sun, Sep 22nd - 10:30 AM
 Marissa Southards
 By: Matt & Jami James

Tues, Sep 24th - 10:30 AM
 † Michael J. Russell

Wed, Sep 25th - 6 PM
 † Wyatt Steidel
 By: Jason Sten

Thurs, Sep 26th - Noon
 Cindy & Daughter
 By: Emily Friedl

Sat, Sep 28th - 4 PM
 Pro Populo

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!

40 HOURS ADORATION

**Begins Sunday, October 6th
 Ends Tuesday, October 8th with
 Mass at 7PM**

**Sign Ups for Adoration will be in
 the back of the church.**

Weekend Collection

September 1, 2024

September 15, 2024

Offertory: \$ 4,010.00
 Plate: \$ 209.00
 Online: \$ 500.00
 Holy Day: \$
 2ndCollection: \$
 Maintenance: \$
 Cap. Campaign: \$ 2,496.67

Offertory: \$ 1,200.00
 Plate: \$ 2,252.00
 Online: \$ 330.00
 Holy Day: \$
 2ndCollection: \$
 Maintenance: \$ 10.00
 Cap. Campaign: \$ 606.00

Total : \$ 7,215.67

Total : \$ 4,398.00

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

Catholic Month of September

September Devotion



Our Lady of Sorrows

V. O God, come to my assistance;
 R. O Lord, make haste to help me
 V. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.
 R. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.
 Amen. (The Hail Mary is said after each verse.)

1. The Prophecy of Simeon (Luke 2:34-35)
 I grieve for you, O Mary, most sorrowful, in the affliction of your tender heart at the prophecy of the holy and aged Simeon. Dear Mother, by your heart so afflicted, obtain for me the virtue of humility and the gift of the holy fear of God. Hail Mary....

2. The Flight into Egypt (Matthew 2:13-21)
 I grieve for you, O Mary most sorrowful, in the anguish of your most affectionate heart during the flight into Egypt and your sojourn there. Dear Mother, by your heart so troubled, obtain for me the virtue of generosity, especially toward the poor, and the gift of piety. Hail Mary....

3. The Loss of Jesus for Three Days (Luke 2:41-50)
 I grieve for you, O Mary most sorrowful, in those anxieties which tried your troubled heart at the loss of your dear Jesus. Dear Mother, by your heart so full of anguish, obtain for me the virtue of chastity and the gift of knowledge. Hail Mary....

4. The Carrying of the Cross (John 19:17)
 I grieve for you, O Mary most sorrowful, in the consternation of your heart at meeting Jesus as He carried His cross. Dear Mother, by your heart so troubled, obtain for me the virtue of patience and the gift of fortitude. Hail Mary....

5. The Crucifixion of Jesus (John 19:18-30)
 I grieve for you, O Mary most sorrowful, in the martyrdom which your generous heart endured in standing near Jesus in His agony. Dear Mother, by your afflicted heart, obtain for me the virtue of temperance and the gift of counsel. Hail Mary....

6. Jesus Taken Down from the Cross (John 19:39-40)
 I grieve for you, O Mary most sorrowful, in the wounding of your compassionate heart, when the side of Jesus was struck by the lance before His Body was removed from the cross. Dear Mother, by your heart thus transfixed, obtain for me the virtue of fraternal charity and the gift of understanding. Hail Mary....

7. Jesus Laid in the Tomb (John 19:39-42)
 I grieve for you, O Mary most sorrowful, for the pangs that wrenched your most loving heart at the burial of Jesus. Dear Mother, by your heart sunk in the bitterness of desolation, obtain for me the virtue of diligence and the gift of wisdom. Hail Mary....

Let Us Pray: Let intercession be made for us, we beseech You, O Lord Jesus Christ, now and at the Hour of our death, before the throne of Your mercy, by the Blessed Virgin Mary, Your Mother, whose most holy soul was pierced by a sword of sorrow in the hour of Your bitter Passion. Through You, O Jesus Christ, Savior of the world, Who with the Father and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns world without end. Amen.

Virtue: Prayer

We must always pray, and not faint.----Luke 18:1
 Whoever wishes to profit by prayers should not take account of spiritual consolations. I know by experience that the soul which has started on this road with a full determination not to consider whether the Lord gives or denies him consolations and tenderness, and really acts on this determination, has already made a great part of the journey.----St. Teresa



SAINTS CORNELIUS AND CYPRIAN, SEPTEMBER 16

The Roman Emperor Decius, who ruled from 249-251 AD started a vast sweeping reform to bring uniformity and cohesion throughout the Empire. He thought the best way to accomplish that was to look to the abandoned paganism of old Rome.

But the emperor had a problem. That problem was the growing prominence and power of the Church. Christians saw any attempts to enforce pagan absolutism on them as futile. Too many citizens were now professing the Christian creed and were not about to sell out their consciences for a great political re-set. The emperor hated Christianity because it clashed with his culture-of-death worldview. And the scope of his anti-Christian legislation was much larger than any of his predecessors had been. The emperor's object was not the extermination of Christians, but the complete extinction of Christianity itself. Bishops and priests were unconditionally punished with death. All others were given an opportunity to recant, to abandon their Christian faith and to show their loyalty to paganism by offering sacrifice to the pagan idols (Catholic Encyclopedia).

This persecution came on quickly. Coupled with the appalling amount of laxity and corruption in the Church, a result of the long peace the Church was enjoying, it produced a most deplorable effect in the Christian fold. Multitudes presented themselves to the government to express their compliance in the mandate. They offered sacrifice and then were issued a ticket that attested to the fact that they performed the sacrificial rite. Others simply just purchased their ticket. They paid off the public official who then attested to their renunciation of their Christian faith. Butler's Lives of the Saints states: These defections, though numerous were more than counterbalanced by the multitudes who suffered death, exile, confiscation or torture in all parts of the empire.

But heavy damage was done. The Decian persecution was the severest trial the Church up to that time had been subjected, and the loss suffered by people selling out their faith was almost as damaging as the losses of martyrdom. Cornelius, the 21st bishop of Rome, was the pope during this period. He suffered martyrdom in 253. Cyprian was the bishop in Carthage, North Africa. Cyprian was a staunch defender of Pope Cornelius, who not only had his hands full with the Roman government, he also had to contend with numerous enemies inside the Church.

We have an actual account of St Cyprian's death. The Roman governor Galerius Maximus publicly commanded, mandated Bishop Cyprian to perform the pagan sacrificial rites. Cyprian said no. The governor declared: You have set yourself up as an enemy of the gods of Rome ... You have been discovered as the author and leader of these heinous crimes and will be held forth as an example for all those who have followed you in your crime. By your blood the law shall be confirmed. He then read Cyprian's sentence from a tablet: It is decided that Thascius Cyprian should die by the sword.

Cyprian responded: *Thanks be to God.*

---Fr. Drew

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

Knights of Columbus Breakfast

Next Sunday 9/29 after 10:30AM Mass

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.

1st Saturday Meetings following Mass.

Contact Shannon Hansen for more info :
 hansenfamily1999@gmail.com

Plattsburg Nursing Home Apostolate
 Members of our parish are currently visiting Catholic residents at Oakridge and Nick's Healthcare Center here in Plattsburg. If you would like to be a part of this ministry, contact Lauren Atwell at Lvatwell@gmail.com

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