Announcements



St. Ann Car Decals

St. Ann Catholic Church decals have been made and they are now available. There is a display and donation can on the small table at the back of the church. We are asking for a $5.00 donation for each sticker.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
REV. DENIS KEILY COUNCIL #9401

Business meetings -
1st Saturdays - 8:30AM
For more info please contact:
Eric Niemann, Recruiter,
at eniemann@1791.com

Visitation Sodality

The Visitation Sodality is an organization made up of all age ladies, dedicated to serving the 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.

Meetings:
No Meetings thru end of year

Come check out our store located in the Parish Hall. We have sacramentals, gifts, books, veils, and more! All proceeds go to serving our Church and our

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

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.

If you have questions call:
Sherry Kutz (217) 260-7338

Tootsie Roll Drive

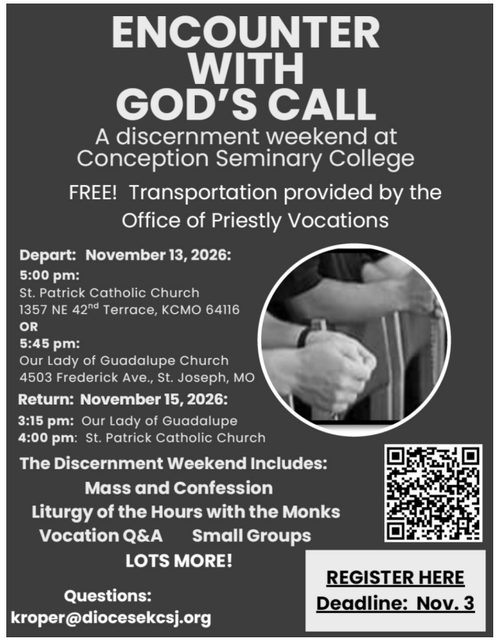
The Knights will be handing out Tootsie Rolls after Masses this weekend. Donations benefit Persons with Developmental Disabilities. Please support this worthy cause.

Festa Frassati Thank You

Thanks be to God, the giver of all good gifts! The inaugural Festa Frassati was a wonderful success, welcoming over 160 guests to the Community Courtyard. Frassati Academy faculty & families are deeply grateful to the St. Ann parishioners who have prayerful supported the Academy for the past 5 years. St. Pier Giorgio Frassati, pray for us!

Donut Sunday

Next Sunday, October 11th following the 9:00 am Mass. There will be coffee after Mass every Sunday.



The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combatting sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you observe or suspect sexual abuse: 1. Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.392.3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and 2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and If the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph. report the suspected abuse to the Diocesan Ombudsman, ombudsman@ombudsmankcsj.org 816-213-6024. The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact the Victim Advocate, at 816-714-2357 or victimadvocate@diocesekcsj.org for more information.



October 11, 2026

St. Ann Catholic Church

(816) 539.2634
700 W. Maple St. Plattsburg, MO 64477

Twenty-eighth Sunday of Ordinary Time

Prayer to St. Ann

Good St. Ann, you were especially favored by God to be the mother of the most Holy Virgin Mary and the grandmother of our Lord Jesus Christ. By your power with your most pure daughter and her Divine Son, kindly obtain for us the grace of the favor we now seek. Please also secure for us the forgiveness of our past sins, the help our family needs to persevere in the love of Jesus and Mary, and for us all someday to be with them and you and all the saints. Amen



"The Great Banquet" - Matthew 22: 1-14
Brunswick Monogrammist (circa 1525)

Pastor

Fr. Charles Rowe
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Baptism

Please contact the Parish Office to schedule a baptism

Holy Matrimony

Please contact Father Fenlon immediately after engagement.

Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

This is my body which is given for you. - Luke 22:19
Saturday 4:00 pm
Sunday 9:00 am

Confession

Repent, therefore and be converted, that your sins may be wiped away. - Acts 3:19
Tuesday 6:00 - 9:00 pm
Saturday 3:00 pm
Confessions always available upon request.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Could you not watch one hour with me? - Matthew 26:40
Tuesday 6:00 - 9:00 pm

New Parishioners: Welcome! Please see Father Fenlon to register.

Altar Servers & Lectors

Give virtue to my hands, O Lord, that being cleansed from all stain I might serve Thee with purity of mind and body.

O Lord, the portion of my inheritance and my chalice, Thou art He who will restore my inheritance.

Invest me, O Lord, as a new man, who was created by God in justice and the holiness of truth. Amen.

Sunday, October 11, 9:00 am

S	Tyler Walock
R	Terry Miller
MC	Jon Friedl
T	Brogan Noll
A1	Pierre Moraille
A2	Harlen Watton

Sunday, October 18, 9:00 am

S	David Woody
R	David Woody
MC	Angelo Moraille
T	Pierre Moraille
A1	Mark Durando
A2	Justin Friedl

Altar Flower Sponsorship

Joe & Micki Trotter

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." You may sign up for a specific date in the back of the church, or we will assign you the next available date.

Calvary Cemetery

Contact Cody O'Connor
(816) 835-8108

Collection Totals for October 3-4

Offertory: $ 3,324.00

Online: $ 555.00

Total: $ 3,879.00

$4,038.46 needed weekly to meet our budget. Thank you for your generosity!

Please scan the QR code for online giving.

Prayers

Mass Intentions

Mass intention envelopes are in the narthex. Place your Mass intention envelope with your $10 stipend in the basket. Sunday Masses will be reserved "for the people".

Saturday, October 10, 4:00 pm

Dennis Nelson +

Sunday, October 11, 9:00 am

Pro populo

Tuesday, October 13

An intention kept confidential

Wednesday, October 14

An intention kept confidential

Thursday, October 15

Christopher Krysak

Saturday, October 17, 4:00 pm

Cole Thrasher

Sunday, October 18, 9:00 am

Pro populo

Prayer Requests

Vicki Anseume, Allen Bence, Kenneth Carey, Etta Mae Carlson, Pat Clingan, Edward Cook, Nancy Conley, Paul Daily, Janice Fristoe, Cindy Gaines-Walker, Martha Gerling, Cara Green, Tom Kutz, **Della Mallen,** Sylvia McCollester, Lindsay Plathe, Don Price, Lee & Barbara Schwery, Amy Spriesterbach, Bob Swope, Steve VanHorn, Marie VanHorn, Tonia Vigilante, William Wolford Jr, Meryle Young, Claudia Ziegler

Please update the parish via email of any changes.

In Loving Memory

Herman Gillotte

Eternal Rest Grant unto them, O Lord. and let Your perpetual light shine upon them. May their souls and all the souls of the faithfully deported rest in peace.

October Prayer Intentions

Bishop Johnston: *For those who have hardened their hearts against the Holy Spirit.*

Pope Leo: *Let us pray that the mental health ministry be established throughout the Church, helping to overcome the stigma and discrimination of persons with mental illnesses.*

Religious Education

OCIA

Wednesday, October 14 @ **7:30 pm**

This Week's Topics:

- Foundation of the Church
- Primacy of Peter
- Marks of the True Church
- The One True Church

Walk-ins are welcome at anytime!

Contact:
Terry Miller at *millert832@gmail.com or 816-217-9712*

Parish School of Religion

Meets **10:20 am - 11:15 am** in the parish hall.

Contact Madeleine Adams at (314) 480-2750

Catholic Virtue for October

Confidence

Ecce ego vobiscum sum-

Behold I am with you.--Matt. 28:20

Do you desire security? Here you have it. The Lord says to thee, "I will never abandon thee, I will always be with thee!" If a good man made you such a promise, you would trust him. God makes it, and do you doubt? Do you seek a support more sure than the word of God, which is infallible? Surely, He has made the promise, He has written it, He has pledged His word for it, it is most certain.----St. Augustine

When one puts all his care on God, and rests wholly upon Him, being careful, meanwhile, to serve Him faithfully, God takes care of him; and the greater the confidence of such a one, the more the care of God extends over him; neither is there any danger of its failing, for God has an infinite love for those souls that repose in Him.----St. Francis de Sales

Thoughts from The Pastor

Principle and Foundation (Conclusion)

Man is to use the things on the face of the earth as much as they help him on to his end, and ought to rid himself of them so far as they hinder him as to it.

'Tanto, quanto' – the Latin words for '**as much as**' and '**so far as**' – provide an excellent rule of thumb for us to use to determine how we should relate to the things of this world. 'As much as' they help us in our path to salvation.

It is comfortable to think that we are in control, that we own property, have rights, etc. But nothing on earth is ours to keep - we will lose it all upon death. Nothing is deserved, because we have received life as a gift. Since nothing is deserved, nothing is reserved for us. Is there anything you would be afraid of giving up for God?

'**Rid yourself of them**': decluttering a room is not easy. Decluttering your mind is harder. Decluttering your heart is so difficult, most people, don't ever begin to do so. Yet we all know that to have a gigantic, open heart, like Padre Pio, St. John Paul II, Mother Theresa, would be amazing! Well if they could do it, then so can I.

For this it is necessary to make ourselves indifferent to all created things in all that is allowed to the choice of our free will and is not prohibited to it…

Holy Indifference, to make ourselves indifferent to all created things for love of God, is perfect sanctity. It is not an 'I don't care' about the world, but an 'I care about the world, each and every thing, in God, and not outside of God'.

…so that, on our part, we want not health rather than sickness, riches rather than poverty, honor rather than dishonor, long rather than short life, and so in all the rest; desiring and choosing only what leads us to the end for which we are created.

Holy Indifference runs far deeper than we would like to imagine. It is not just giving up physical possessions, but attitudes, beliefs and desires. I remember the day when one of my superiors in Rome suffered a terrible knee injury in a soccer game. It was his turn for sickness, not health. The next day he was on crutches, and would use them for six months more. During the homily that day he recalled this point of St. Ignatius. It's a big deal to say: "Lord, I'm open to anything, although the idea scares me". But when something happens to you, unexpected, unwanted, out of your control, and you accept it in Holy Indifference out of love for God… you have reached Christian perfection.