

# St Patrick Catholic Church



*AT THE BEAUTIFUL LAKE OF THE OZARKS*

*Welcome to all our visitors, our parishioners and guests, who have joined us at today's liturgy to share our faith and our joy in Our Lord Jesus Christ. Please enjoy the beauty of our spacious grounds and the Mother's Shrine dedicated to Mary Mother of the Church and to all Mothers.*

**THE NATIONAL SHRINE OF  
MARY, MOTHER OF GOD**



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## **MASS TIMES**

**MON.—FRI.**

**9:00 A.M. MASS**

**PRAY THE ROSARY**

**1/2 HOUR BEFORE MASS**

**CHAPEL OPEN FOR PRAYER**

**8:00— 4:00 MON.—FRI.**

**RECONCILIATION**

**3:00—3:45 SAT.**

**MASSES SAT. 4:00 P.M.**

**SUN. 9:00 A.M.**

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*HWY 5*

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## ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH

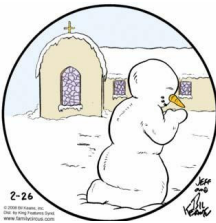
**JANUARY 15, 2017  
SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

### **OUR BAPTISM AND THE LORD'S**

For the fulfillment of all righteousness, Jesus was baptized to identify himself with all of us to be baptized and become members of his kingdom on earth ( the Church). Baptism washes away original and personal sins and makes us children of God, Christians and members of the Church.

Jesus has no sins and he is by nature, the only begotten Son of God. He needs no baptism, but for our sake he went to be baptized by John. By this act, he gave his signature to baptism as a sacrament of rebirth from sin. And so we have all been baptized. However, our baptism shall be meaningless unless we desire to walk on the path of righteousness by demonstrating our faith in Jesus through love and hope for eternal life. We live our faith by attending church service, listening to the word of God, living according to the teachings of Christ and his church, and loving one another as Jesus Christ has loved us. We do this in view of the everlasting life we hope for. Let us know that by our baptism we are called to be Christ like. Peace, Fr. Henry

### **WINTER WEATHER**



When the schools are closed for inclement weather, the parish office will be closed. Please use good judgement when making the decision to travel in for Sunday Mass or daily Mass. Age, illness, unsafe surfaces can be appropriate reasons to excuse oneself for attending Mass that day.

God Bless and be careful.

Father Schmitz and Father Henry

### **DOWN-HOME SOUP SUPPER**

*Enjoy a Meal Away from Home*

Following the 4:00 pm Mass

**Saturday February 18**

*Cake Raffle Music Bingo*

**St. Patrick Catholic Church  
Highway 5 – Laurie  
St. Leo's Hall**



*Sponsored by our  
Youth Faith Formation*

**Adults: Meal & Bingo Card - \$10.00 Meal  
only - \$6.00**

**Extra Bingo Card - \$5.00**

**Under Age 12: \$3.00**

**Menu**

***Home-Cooked Ham & Bean Soup***

***Ma and Pa's Coleslaw***

***Granny's Corn Bread***

***Assorted Desserts***

***Beverages***

***Thank You for Supporting Our Youth!***

### **STEWARDSHIP**

**WEEKEND COLLECTION \$7,642**

**JAN. 8th**

**\*includes electronic funds**

**Attendance 310**

**Average weekly collections needed for church \$6,800**

**Electronic fund transfer available for the 1st, 15th etc.  
available for weekly contribution, building & maintenance,  
Charitable Outreach, Christmas and Easter.**

**VIEW OUR BULLETIN ON  
OUR WEBSITE AT  
[WWW.SHRINEOFSTPATRICK.ORG](http://WWW.SHRINEOFSTPATRICK.ORG)**

## ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH

### MASS INTENTIONS JAN. 16-22

MON 9:00 PATRICIA NEW HEALING  
TUES. 9:00 KEVIN HUTTON FAMILY SPC.  
WED. 9:00 JULIE SWANK±  
THURS. 9:00 JIM KEMPF±  
FRI. 9:00 LINDA KEMPF SPC.  
SAT. 4:00 GREG PETERSEN±  
SUN. 9:00 PARISHIONERS

### ST. PHILIP BENIZI MASSES

FRI. 10:30 A.M. SUN. 10:30 A.M.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

#### PARISHIONERS -

Julia Curiale, Mike Kuse, Jim Eades, Bill Shortino, Ceil Bish, Rosemary Stoltz, Adam Steffen, Bud Raeker, Tom Mc Cann, Tom Costello, Lucy Macek, Carolyn Gentry, Clarence Smith, Mary Bogle, Jerry Petersen, Mitzi Chase, Groves Family, Al Vasey, Ralph Baracz, Joy Groves.

#### FRIENDS & FAMILY OF PARISHIONERS

Natalie Staffieri, Crystal Raeder, Elmer Henry, Chuck Behrens, Phil Whitworth, Louise Starzynski, Mackenzie Trost, Richard Dascher, Bill O'Bryan, Gay Brumagin, Cheryl Kerfeld, Oleta Jones, Jennifer McKinney, Carrie Sheeley, Rilie Johnson, Luke Brooks, Ron Larrington, Brianna and Brody Decker, Darren Bozich, Arianna Cooper, Tony Marie Rinella, Ann Reilly, Abby Kunneman, Dorothy Bos, Michael Switalwski, Hal Trokey Jr, Kathy Egan, Sue Dunn, Addison Nichols, Irma Webster, Sandra Poates, Haley Browning, Collette Moscato, Laura Keal, Anne Erola, Amy Schmitz, Elizabeth Gilreath, Ryllie Foust, Chris Kuse, Christopher Bonick, Alma Thompson, Jacob and Crystal Miller, Ann Reilly, Janet Lloyd, Bill Sonner, Billie Johnson, Steve Callahan, Kolton Melcher, Jackie Sinovic, Glen Noyes, Diantha Muzingo, Allan Kilburn, Wyatt Newman, Barbara Ott, Mary Groves, Kim Hamilton, Connie Hope, Leroy Berden, Lindsey Baracz, Henry Baracz, Marcella Hope, Rob Clarke, Bill Colby.

### SCRIPTURE READINGS JAN. 16-22

Mon. Heb 5:1-10/Mk 2:18-22  
Tue. **Saint Anthony** Heb 6:10-20/Mk 2:23-28  
Wed. Heb 7:1-3, 15-17/Mk 3:1-6  
Thu. Heb 7:25-8:6/Mk 3:7-12  
Fri. **Saints Fabian & Sebastian**  
Heb 8:6-13/Mk 3:13-19  
Sat. **Saint Agnes** Heb 9:2-3, 11-14/Mk 3:20-21  
Sun. **THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME** Is 8:23-9:3/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23

### THANK YOU

Oh behalf of my family, we wish to thank everyone for all the thoughts, prayers, cards, and Masses for my husband, Jim.

Thanks also for the help that was given to me at home in my time of need. Linda Kempf

### MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

*Get Away,  
Come Together  
A Weekend for your marriage.*

*February 11-12th*

**Register now at [www.jeffcityme.com](http://www.jeffcityme.com)  
or call 573-694-3292**

**Marriage Encounter**

**Jefferson City**

## ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH

### FAITH BUILDER

#### **Reflection on today's Gospel reading: (John1:29-34)**

Today we read the evangelist John's story of Christ's baptism, told from the perspective of John the Baptist. The task of John is to make Jesus known to Israel. He is the one who prepares the way for Jesus. John the Baptist was not interested in reaping glory for himself or getting people to follow him.

John recognizes Jesus as the Lamb of God when he sees the Holy Spirit descend on Jesus. Like those who waited for the Messiah, we hope for better things, but we do not know how to see. We will recognize Christ in the familiar and the unfamiliar if we look, listen, and pay attention to the Holy Spirit's movements in our own lives and in the lives of those around us.

***Like John the Baptist, we need to tell people clearly who Jesus is. How can I point others to Jesus?***

### SAINT OF THE WEEK



**St. Anthony of Egypt- January 17**

Saint Anthony the Great is known as the Father of monasticism. He was born in Egypt in 251. As a child he loved to attend church services and he listened to Scripture attentively. When he was about twenty, he lost his parents. After

hearing the Gospel passage where Jesus speaks to the rich man, Anthony sold his parent's property and distributed the money to the poor. Leaving his parental home, St. Anthony began to live a very simple, self-disciplined life. He would partake of food after sunset and he would spend all night praying until dawn. He was able to cast out demons and heal the sick. Crowds of people kept coming and interrupted his solitude so he went further into the desert. People from all walks of life loved the Saint and sought his advice. Anthony was not known for his writings nor for his worldly wisdom, nor any art, but simply for his reverence for God.

### RESPECT LIFE PERSPECTIVE

Remember, that with every Abortion there are actually two victims, the child that is killed and, in many cases, the mother. Please pray for these women. Additionally, if anyone knows of any women suffering from post abortion depression, there is an organization called Project Rachel comprised of women who have previously had abortions, and they provide counseling for women who are suffering because the abortion they had. And finally, remember, it's not who you are, but rather Whose you are...

### MIDWEST MARCH FOR LIFE IS COMING!

Sixth Annual **MidWest March for Life** will be held Saturday, February 4, 2017 with activities beginning at 8 am at the St Peter's Selinger Center which will house numerous life affirming booths, vendors and food. Pre Rally outside Selinger Center beginning at 9:30pm. March will begin from there at 10am. Rally inside Capitol rotunda beginning at 10:30am. Guest speakers, Ryan Bomberger of the Radiance Foundation, whose teen mom chose life for her child conceived in rape. Ryan is an incredible speaker and communication strategist. Dr. Vansen Wong, a former abortion provider, will deliver his story of conversion and how God has used him to save lives. Back to Selinger Center for lunch fundraiser by KOC Council St Peter's Fulton. Honor Guard, call for information. Stay tuned for more updates!  
Website: [www.midwestmarchforlife.com](http://www.midwestmarchforlife.com)  
Call for information: 573 340 8444



## ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



#### Knights of Columbus Council 10831

**JAN. 15** Knights' Sunday, please wear badges to Mass, breakfast at the Elks.  
**JAN. 19** Officers' meeting, 5:30 pm  
**JAN. 20** Fish Fry, 4:30—6:30 A Team  
**JAN. 24** Knights Council Meeting, 6:30 Rosary, 7:00 Meeting  
**JAN. 29** Knights' Fifth Sunday Rosary prior to Saturday and Sunday Masses Saturday

### SCHOLARSHIP

**ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS  
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIP  
APPLICATIONS ARE IN THE BACK OF  
CHURCH. ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE  
RECEIVED BY APRIL 1ST.  
TWO STUDENTS WILL WIN \$250 EACH  
SEMESTER FOR THE NEXT FOUR YEARS.**

### TV MASS FOR THE HOMEBOUND

When you cannot get to church because of illness or bad weather, "My Sunday Mass on TV" offers spiritual comfort and hope. Compassionate homilies, an inspirational prayer for spiritual communion during distribution of the Eucharist, and closed-captioning for the hearing impaired enable the homebound to experience the blessings of Sunday Mass. Heart of the Nation, a nonprofit Catholic ministry, provides weekly TV Mass on broadcast, cable, and satellite channels. For a complete channel guide, visit [www.HeartoftheNation.org](http://www.HeartoftheNation.org) or call toll-free 1-(855) 855-MASS (6277).

### COMMUNION

If you or someone you know is sick, hospitalized or homebound, please call David or Mitzi Chase at 374-5077 to arrange for Communion to those who cannot come to Mass. Please indicate your Catholic religion upon admittance to the hospital or care center.

### YOUTH FAITH FORMATION



Hooray, we are back together again!! It seems like ages since the Youth Faith Formation families have been together. Well, it was last year after all! Last Sunday we were short a few families due to illness and choir concerts. Those families were missed and offered up in prayer. I'm not sure, but I think that I may have been most excited to see everyone!

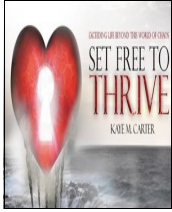
After 9:00 Mass we all went down to St. Leo's Hall for the Pancake Breakfast. The Knights most graciously treated our YFF students to all they could eat pancakes, sausage, biscuits and gravy. This will be our new YFF tradition for the monthly Pancake Breakfast Sundays from September through May. After all had their fill, Father Schmitz gathered the families together for a New Year's blessing. The children ran up to class in the Education Center and the parents helped the Arts and Environment Committee, led by Pat Wheeler and Mary Steinkamp, take down the Christmas decorations. Many hands make light work of the process.

The Catechists reported that the children were energized and eager to get back into the mode of learning more and sharing with one another about their faith. I am sure that it was the perfect combination of sugar and the Holy Spirit moving through the entire group!

Questions/Comments... you can reach me at my NEW office phone number – Michele Haggerty (573) 372-8594.

**MOTHER'S SHRINE**

*The National Shrine of Mary, Mother of the Church*



You Are Invited

**This Sunday**

**RESCHEDULED DUE TO WEATHER**

**January 15, 2017 3:00 to 5:00 pm.**

**St. Joe's Hall**

To A

**BOOK SIGNING AND CELEBRATION**

**“SET FREE TO THRIVE”**

And meet the author Kaye Carter

**NEW GRANITE FOR**

**THE MOTHERS' WALL OF LIFE**

You may sponsor a slab of granite, which will be approximately 46 inches wide, for \$6,000.00. It will be located on the long side walls leading down to the altar. This donation will give you the top line of on your sponsored slab. There will be a total of 30 slabs, 15 slabs per side. It is a tax deductible contribution.

The new granite will provide an opportunity for more mothers' names to be engraved on the Mothers' Wall of Life as well as honor the Blessed Mother by beautifying her Shrine.

Support the Mother's Shrine with pre-tax dollars. Become a member of the Heritage Fund.

Call 573-374-MARY for a brochure or addi-

**Please remember -  
The Mothers' Shrine**

## ST. PATRICK CATHOLIC CHURCH

### LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR JANUARY 21st-22nd

SATURDAY, January 21 4:00

**Lector:** Jerry Dechant

**Greeters:** Ellen Lovell, Mary Jane Gorbet

**Communion Ministers:** Mary Jo Eye, Pat Wheeler, Marilyn & Al Vasey

**Directors of Worship:** Jim Troia & Jim Klein



SUNDAY, January 22 9:00

**Lectors:** Mari Pat Brooks, Mary Noyes

**Greeters:** John & Diane Pilla, Mari Pat Brooks

**Communion Ministers:** Eric Tichy, Cindy & Marcus Long, Donna Griffith

**Directors of Worship:**

Paul Van Evercooren & Jerry Unrein

**Servers:** Hunter Deters, Cooper Deters

Pew Angel for the week of January 22: Pat Wheeler

*Each of the ministries you are involved with is important to the vitality, prayerfulness and beauty of our liturgical celebrations. We are always looking for dedicated people to fill these roles. Think about, pray over, consider the ministry that is calling you. Contact:*

*Eucharistic Ministers—Deacon Dave Lovell,  
Lectors—Ellen Lovell, Liturgical scheduler—Michele Haggerty*

### OFFERTORY GIFT BEARER

It is an honor to be an offertory gift bearer. If you are interested, please let the Director of Worship know when you arrive at Mass. Three people are needed to carry the bread, the wine, and the offertory collection. If you have a special event and would like you or your family to be gift bearers, please call the parish office.