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May 4, 2025

Third Sunday of Easter

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Reconciliation
Tuesday 5:45 - 6:05pm
Saturday 4:00 - 4:45pm



FROM FATHER RANDY

Sunday - 1st Holy Communion at 12:00 PM

Monday - Teach at School

Tuesday - Teach at School

Wednesday - School Board Meeting at 6:00 PM

Thursday - 8th Grade Retreat

Sunday - May Crowning at the Grotto at 11:15 AM

****The aluminum can recycling bin/spot has been moved. It is now down by the dumpster behind school.**

****If you are parking in the gravel lot and are needing to come to the office or the Fellowship Room, come down all the stairs until you see the a/c unit. There is a door right by it that will be unlocked during office hours, for easier access to everything. Also, with space being limited, please be considerate when you park on this lot.**

*****Please note that the Youth Mass has been changed to the 3rd Saturday, May 17th. If you were down for any of the Liturgical Ministries that Saturday, please swap dates if you can and do your Ministry on May 10th instead! Thank You!**

Did You Know We Have A Parish Paid Subscription To Formed.org Which You Can Use For FREE?

Access this online platform via the Formed App <https://app.formed.org/app/browse> on your phone or go to www.formed.org on your computer. Formed has a wide range of Catholic videos (both children and adult), including Bible Studies, Faith Formation, Movies, Documentaries about Saints, etc. It also features eBooks and audio tapes, as well as classic Radio Theatre. Go to this source to find the documentary series **"Divine Mercy in The Second Greatest Story Ever Told."**

Mass Intentions

MONDAY, May 5th

8:00 AM † Vernon Huck

TUESDAY, May 6th

8:00 AM † Eula VanGennip & Loretta Arnzen

6:30 PM † Leonard Spooler

WEDNESDAY, May 7th

8:00 AM † Susan E. Hinkebein

THURSDAY, May 8th

8:00 AM † Tom Kohm

FRIDAY, May 9th

8:00 AM † Charlie Seyer

SATURDAY, May 10th

5:00 PM † Phyllis Helt

SUNDAY, May 11th

7:00 AM † Dorothy Summers

8:30 AM Parish Family

10:00 AM † Richard, Mary Ann &
Rick Weber

Weekend Holy Mass Schedule: Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 7:00, 8:30, 10:00 am

PARISH CALENDAR

MONDAY, May 5th

7:30 AM Rosary
8:00 AM Mass
6:00 - 8:30 PM LIFT Women's Fellowship - Fellowship Room

TUESDAY, May 6th

7:20 AM Mother of Perpetual Help
7:30 Rosary
8:00 AM Mass
8:30 - 6:15 PM Adoration
9:00 - 3:00 PM Quilting - *Rectory Basement*
5:45 PM Rosary, Confessions
6:05 PM Mother of Perpetual Help
6:10 PM Benediction
6:30 PM Mass

WEDNESDAY, May 7th

7:30 AM Rosary
8:00 AM All School Mass
8:45 - 12:00 PM Coffee, Talk & Tots - *Fellowship Room*
6:00 PM School Board Meeting - *Conference Room*

THURSDAY, May 8th

7:30 AM Rosary
8:00 AM Mass
8:45 AM Morning Bible Study - *Fellowship Room*
6:00 - 8:00 PM Men's Group - *Parish Center*
7:00 - 8:00 PM Cub Scout Committee Meeting - *Fellowship Room*

FRIDAY, May 9th

7:30 AM Rosary
8:00 AM Mass

SATURDAY, May 10th

7:00 - 8:30 AM Cursillo Small Groups - *Fellowship Room*
4:00 PM Confessions
4:30 PM Rosary
5:00 PM Mass

SUNDAY, May 11th - Fourth Sunday of Easter

Masses at 7:00, 8:30, 10:00 AM
11:15 - 12:15 PM SRE Classes - *School (This is the last SRE Class)*
11:15 AM May Crowning at the Grotto

COLLECTIONS

Regular Collection for 4/27/25 \$11,730.74
Capital Campaign \$132,761.00
Special Collections: Catholic Missions/Holy Land \$1,168.00

Numbers include online giving

If you are tithing online and want to cancel your envelopes, please email or call Karen at secretary@icjacksonmo.com or (573) 243-3182

Third Sunday of Easter

"It is the Lord!" (John 21:7)

Recognizing Jesus in your life opens the door to responding to His call. If you feel His presence prompting you toward a vocation, consider talking to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at 417-866-0841 or via email: icdeaconal@gmail.com.

Spiritual Reflections

Readings for the week of May 4th, 2025

Sunday: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41/Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11-12, 13 (2a)/Rv 5:11-14/ Jn 21:1-19 or 21:1-14

Monday: Acts 6:8-15/Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30/Jn 6:22-29

Tuesday: Acts 7:51—8:1a/Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 7b and 8a, 17 and 21ab/Jn 6:30-35

Wednesday: Acts 8:1b-8/Ps 66:1-3a, 4-5, 6-7a/Jn 6:35-40

Thursday: Acts 8:26-40/Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20/Jn 6:44-51

Friday: Acts 9:1-20/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Jn 6:52-59

Saturday: Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 16-17/Jn 6:60-69

Next Sunday: Acts 13:14, 43-52/Ps 100:1-2, 3, 5 (3c)/Rv 7:9, 14b-17/Jn 10:27-30

SICK AND HOSPITALIZED

Jeanne Greene

Jerome Ressel,
father of Brenda Lewis

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Emily Tessa & Laura Josephine,
daughter of Phi & Litha Tran

Jude Vipin,
son of Vipin & Linda Joseph

REST IN PEACE

NEW MEMBERS

PARISH NEWS

Diocese Development Fund Report

To date our parish has given \$12,710 toward our \$93,514 goal. Thank you! If you have not yet made your pledge, please add your gift, whatever the amount, in unity with those who have already given by returning a pledge card.

Military Photos

As a parish we would like to show our appreciation to all Military parish members past and present. We are starting a collection of photos that we will share for Memorial and Veteran's day. Please help by sending portrait photos and a brief description of any active, retired or deceased Military personnel who are/were Immaculate Conception Church parishioners to ICMilitaryphotos@gmail.com.

2025 KC Baby Bottle Campaign

Please plan to return your baby bottles to church before Mass on Mother's Day weekend, May 10th & 11th. You can also return them to the small cabinet inside the left entrance to the church any time the church is open. Thank you for your participation.

SCHOOL NEWS

IC Cash Winners

January - Charlotte Hogan, Mike Kirby, Kathy Arnzen, Ashley Howell, Andrea Beggs. **February** - Mason Hinkebein, Mike Hudson, Mason Hinkebein, Sharon Balsman. **March** - Lisa Cortez, Brianna Randich, Stan Crader, Cathy Prost. **April** - Patty Huber, Mason Hinkebein, Michele Williams, Karen Welker

Save the Date

The Aloha Dash - It's Time for a Mouse Race!

Get ready to hula and cheer as our speedy little racers dash to the finish line in the most tropical event of the season! Join us for an unforgettable evening filled with island vibes, friendly competition, and plenty of excitement! Mark your calendars for Sept. 5th, 2025, at the Jackson KC Hall, Lower Hall. Doors open at 5:30 PM and the games start at 6:30 PM. This is one night you definitely don't want to miss!

ICS Summer Care

is looking for a few adults to work. If you love kids, are over 18 yrs old, and are willing to complete the Virtus training, we would love to have your help. Please contact Mrs. Campbell at 573-243-5013 or email mcampbell@icsjackson.edu if you have questions or need more information.

ICS is also currently taking sign-ups for the Summer Care program for IC Parish students entering PK4 through those entering 5th grade for the 2025-2026 school year. Forms and registration fee, \$30 per student, are due to the school by April 11th. To enroll online go to <https://pdf.ac/29jLPX>. For questions, please call 573-243-5013 or email Ashley at aaufdenberg@icsjackson.edu

FAMILY MINISTRIES

St. Ann's Sodality Mother/Daughter Banquet

St. Ann's will host a mother/daughter banquet and meeting on Monday, May 12th at 6:30 PM in the Fellowship Room. Food and refreshments will be provided by St. Ann's Sodality.

Thank You and Welcome!

Thank you to Jason Cahill, Michelle Spooler and Roberta Feeney for their time serving on Parish Council. We'd also like to welcome Brad Blackman, Brian Niedbalski and Renee Peters to Parish Council.

Thank You! Thank You!

Thank you for your generous donations of food with your 40 Cans for 40 Days Lenten Food Drive for the Jackson Food Pantry. Your support is greatly appreciated. Your food donations will help us serve those in need in our community.

Sincerely, Rev. Samuel E Roethemeyer,
President of Jackson Ministerial Alliance Food Pantry

Cake Pan, Containers, etc.

Are you missing a cake pan, a to go container, etc? There are several "things" in the Fellowship Room. Stop by and see if you can find that item(s) that you've been looking for.

Bible in A Year/Catechism

Bible in a Year/Catechism in a Year 94.3 Catholic Radio 9 - 10 PM, Mon - Fri. Fr. Mike Schmitz walks you through the entire Bible in 365 episodes followed by The Catechism in a Year.

Bus Driver Still Needed

IC Youth Spirit is in need of a bus driver July 18th - 20th for the Steubenville Youth Conference in Springfield, MO. If you or someone you know would be interested in driving for this event, please contact Karen Engelen at icyouthspirit@gmail.com. You will have an amazing time!

YOUTH NEWS

"Be who God meant you to be and you will set the world on fire."
- St. Catherine of Siena

Youth Spirit - High school aged youth

May 4 - Life Night - Join us in the Fellowship Room. Doors open at 6pm, activities get underway at 6:30 until 8pm.

May 11 - NO YOUTH GROUP - It's Mother's Day! Spend time with your Mom showering her with affection.

May 18 - DTS - Come join us from 6:30-8:00 at the Old Convent at St. Vincent as we discuss the lives of the Saints. **Current 8th Graders**, you are welcome to start attending with this meeting!

Kaboom 6th - 8th grade students

Thank you for a great year! Kaboom will resume in the fall, but watch here for regional activities during the summer

Please contact Karen Engelen at icyouthspirit@gmail.com with questions or to volunteer.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

presents weekend experiences for married couples to rekindle romance, enhance meaningful communication, and deepen and renew commitment. For more info or to apply, go to wwme.org, or call Terry & Eric Engholm at 314-649-7317.

6/13/2025 - 6/15/2025, St. Peters, MO

8/1/2025 - 8/3/2025, Cape Girardeau, MO

The Marriage Encounter Community will meet the 2nd Sunday of every month at 2 PM at the KC Hall on Spanish Street in Cape.

Semo Area Ultreyas

are held the 3rd Saturday of each month. The next one is at St. Mary's Cathedral in Cape on May 17th. Morning prayers begin at 9:00 AM with grouping, refreshments, and socializing to follow. Come share the joy with fellow Cursillistas. De Colores!

St. Padre Pio Secular Franciscan Order

Meetings are from 1:00 - 3:00 PM at St. Francis Hospital, in the St. Agatha room every 4th Sunday of the month.

Jackson KC #6405

Knights meet at 7:00 PM in the Clubroom on the 2nd & 4th Wednesday of each month.
4th Degree meet at 7:00 PM in the Clubroom on the 2nd Monday of the even months.
Ladies Auxiliary meet at 6:30 PM in the Lower Hall on the 4th Wednesday of each month.

The Holy Rosary

will be prayed at 1:30 PM on the 3rd Sunday of the month at the St. John Henry Newman Center in Cape Girardeau.

Catholic Man Night

Tuesday, May 13th, 6:30 - 9:30 PM.

St. Catherine's, Piedmont, MO

An evening of Adoration, Confessions, & a manly meal with discussion to follow.

RSVP to: SEMOCatholicManNight@gmail.com

Parish Bulletin Inserts and Flyers

<https://www.icjacksonmo.com/bulletins/>



ND News and Events

Lots of updates about Notre Dame can be found at

<https://icjacksonmo.com/notredame> including: ND Job Openings for Head Girls Tennis Coach, Freshman Boys Basketball Coach & Freshman Girls Volleyball Coach; Summer Camps

Annual May Procession

Today, May 4th, at 1:00 PM, the National Shrine will host the annual May Procession. Starting from the Shrine Church, we will process to the historic grotto while praying and singing hymns to Our Lady along the Rosary Walk. You are encouraged to bring a chair or blanket, as there is limited seating at the grotto. If it rains, the procession will move inside the Shrine Church. There will be a Spanish Mass, with live music, in the Shrine Church at 3:00 PM. For any questions, please call 1-800-264-6279 or visit our website, www.amm.org.

Blood Drive at Guardian Angel School

on Monday, May 5th from 1:00 - 5:30 PM. Go to RedCrossBlood.org and enter: GuarduanAngelParish to schedule an appointment or contact Katrina Kluesner 573-934-4179 to set up an appointment. You will also be able to register with NMDP - National Marrow Donor Program. This is just a cheek swab. This is the registry where Tom Kluesner will get his donor. You must be between 18 - 40 years of age. KEEP CALM AND PRAY FOR TOM!

St. John's Leopold PCCW Rummage Sale

will be May 8th - 10th. Thursday & Friday (5/8 & 5/9) from 7 AM - 6 PM and Saturday (5/10) from 7 AM - 11 AM. This will take place at the Leopold KC Hall. There will be a little bit of everything for sale. All is reasonably priced! Come shop with them.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

A one-day marriage enrichment entitled, "God Chose You for Me." This experience is designed to deepen the spiritual connection between married couples. Dates and locations for this special enrichment in 2025 include:

- Saturday, May 10th - Cardinal Rigali Center in St. Louis, MO
- Saturday, August 16th - Sacred Heart Parish in Valley Park, MO
- Saturday, September 20th - St. Nicholas Parish in O'Fallon, IL

This special one-day enrichment is sponsored by Worldwide Marriage Encounter. To register, go to: stl-wwme.org/communitynews.php

Mississippi Mingle

Catholic Charities of Southern Missouri is excited to host the 4th annual Mississippi Mingle on Saturday, May 10th at the KC Hall (318 S. Spanish Street in Cape Girardeau. A partnership with Knights of Columbus Councils #1111 and #11205, Mississippi Mingle is an afternoon of fun for the whole family. Don't miss the Knights' famous barbeque and fried fish, live music, food trucks, kids' games, and so much more! Tickets are \$10 and can be purchased at the gate or online at <https://ccsomo.org/mississippi-mingle/>.

St. Vincent de Paul Parish Job Opening

They are seeking an Accounting Clerk/Administrative Assistant to join the parish staff. This full-time position plays an essential role in ensuring the smooth operation of the parish's financial and administrative functions. For more information and to obtain an application, please contact Cheryl Oberhaus at St. Vincent Parish, 1913 Ritter Drive, Cape Girardeau, MO 63701, email coberhaus@svparish.com, phone 573-335-7667.

Liturgical Ministers (May 10th & 11th) No Youth Mass this Saturday-using May 17th Schedule				
	Lectors	Usher/Greeters	Eucharistic Ministers (C) Cup	Mass Servers
5:00 pm	Lohn Litzelfelner Mary Anne Martin	Gary & Nancy Seyer Richard Knaup, Vickie Webb	Stephen Brands & David Coe - C Jane Fosse, Michael Martin, Volunteer	Abigail Litzelfelner Mia Litzelfelner Natalee Smith
7:00 am	Joe Bullinger	Joseph & Mona Nenninger Bob & Kathy Summers	Gary Beussink & David Coe - C Volunteer Needed	Volunteers Needed!
8:30 am	Layne Bergmark Liam Bergmark	Tim & Debbie Beussink Dennie & Vickie Ruch	Melody Ruch & Marlene Strieker - C Phillip Bess, Amy Brueckner, Marilyn Sievers	Abigail Niedbalski William Niedbalski Xavier Thomas
10:00 am	Pat Alsdorf Shelley Wilson	Carson, Kelly, Kolton and Ritchie Spies	Kenny Hotop & Josh Turner - C Cheryl Market, Wendy McCall, Tony Mier	Maci McCall Mia McCall Myli McCall

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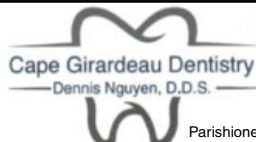


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