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



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August 31, 2025 Twenty-Second Sunday In Ordinary Time

FROM FATHER RANDY

Sunday - 2nd Collection for Gaza

Tuesday - Teach at School

Wednesday - School Board Meeting at 6:00 PM

Thursday - Parent Meeting for First Reconciliation & Holy Communion at 6:30 PM in the Fellowship Room

Friday - Adoration 7:00 - 8:00 AM, Confessions 7:00 - 7:30 AM; ICS Aloha Dash/Mouse Races at KC Hall

OCIA - Order of Christian Initiation of Adults

will begin Tuesday, September 9th at 7:15 PM. If you know of anyone interested in the Catholic Church or if you would like to learn more about the Catholic faith, please call Fr. to register.

Thank you to all who made the IC Parish Picnic such a great success!

To the Parish Council, the KC Cooks for the food & the musical entertainment of Sound Attraction & the Fr. Kelly Band & everyone else who helped in any way!

Church Building Update

Updated architectural renderings of the new church are mounted in the vestibule. The high altar acquired by Bishop Rice from a closed church in St. Louis - St. Ann's/Visitation Parish - is solid marble. It was given to us at no cost to the parish. The Altar of Sacrifice, Ambo, Cantor Stand, and Communion Rail are all being donated in solid marble as well. Flooring will be ceramic tile in the sanctuary and the main body of the church (Nave) and is shown in the color and patterns currently planned. The large entry area (Narthex) flooring will be a high grade, easily maintained carpet tile. All of the wood for the pews is being donated as an in-kind gift. The pews are patterned after the Newman Center design.

Mass Intentions

MONDAY, September 1st

8:00 AM † Michael Johnson

TUESDAY, September 2nd

8:00 AM † Gary & Harold Kielhofner 6:30 PM † Berniece Ziegler

WEDNESDAY, September 3rd

8:00 AM † Bob Beussink

THURSDAY, September 4th

8:00 AM † Tom Kohm

FRIDAY, September 5th

8:00 AM † Leonard Spooler

SATURDAY, September 6th

5:00 PM † Albert Beussink

SUNDAY, September 7th

7:00 AM † Teresa Welter 8:30 AM Parish Family 10:00 AM † Richard, Mary Anne & Rick Weber

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

PARISH CALENDAR

MONDAY, September 1st

Office Closed/No School

7:30 AM Rosary

8:00 AM Mass

6:00 - 8:30 PM NO LIFT Meeting - Fellowship Room

TUESDAY, September 2nd

7:20 AM Mother of Perpetual Help

7:30 AM Rosary

8:00 AM Mass

8:30 - 6:15 PM Adoration

9:00 - 3:00 PM Quilting - Rectory Basement

5:45 PM Rosary, Confessions

6:00 - 7:00 PM Cub Scout Den Meeting - Parish Center

6:05 PM Mother of Perpetual Help

6:10 PM Benediction

6:30 PM Mass

6:30 PM Life Teen - Fellowship Room

WEDNESDAY, September 3rd

7:30 AM Rosary

8:00 AM All School Mass

6:45 - 12:00 PM Coffee, Talk & Tots - Fellowship Room

6:00 PM School Board Meeting - Conference Room

THURSDAY, September 4th

7:30 AM Rosary

8:00 AM Mass

8:45 AM Morning Bible Study - Fellowship Room

6:30 PM 1st Rec./1st Com. Parent Meeting - Fellowship Room

7:00 - 8:00 PM Cub Scout Committee Meeting - Parish Office

FRIDAY, September 5th

7:00 - 8:00 AM Adoration

7:00 - 7:30 AM Confessions

7:30 AM Rosary

8:00 AM Mass

2:00 PM Grandparent Bingo - Parish Center

SATURDAY, September 6th

7:00 - 8:30 AM Cursillo Small Groups - KC Hall, Jackson

4:00 PM Confessions

4:30 PM Rosary

5:00 PM Mass

SUNDAY, September 7th

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Masses at 7:00, 8:30, 10:00 AM

11:15 - 12:15 PM SRE Classes - School

6:00 - 8:00 PM Youth Spirit - Fellowship Room

COLLECTIONS

\$17,467.98

Regular Collection for 8/24/25
Capital Campaign:

Capital Campaign: \$54,098.50 Special Collections: Gaza \$1,536.00

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

Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

"For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted." (Luke 14:11)

Humility is at the heart of every vocation. Could God be calling you to humble service as a religious brother or sister?

Talk to your priest or reach out to the Vocation Office at 417-866-0841 or via email at: icdeaconal@gmail.com.

Spiritual Reflections

Readings for the week of August 31st, 2025

Sunday: Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5 (1a)/Heb

12:18-19, 22-24a/Lk 14:1, 7-14

Monday: 1 Thes 4:13-18/Ps 96:1 and 3, 4-5, 11-12, 13/Lk 4:16-

30

Tuesday: 1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday: Col 1:1-8/Ps 52:10, 11/Lk 4:38-44

Thursday: Col 1:9-14/Ps 98:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6/Lk 5:1-11

Friday: Col 1:15-20/Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4, 5/Lk 5:33-39

Saturday: Col 1:21-23/Ps 54:3-4, 6 and 8/Lk 6:1-5

Next Sunday: Wis 9:13-18b/Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14-17 (1)/Phlm 9-

10, 12-17/Lk 14:25-33

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Dorothy Kluesner

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Carol Kuhlmann,

sister of Cathy Boyd

BAPTISMS

PARISH NEWS

Kaboom Needs Your Help

Kaboom is in need of volunteers to provide a meal for about 25-30 junior high students once a month from September through April. Please consider gathering a group of friends and preparing a simple meal for these young members of the Church. For more information contact Karen Engelen at icyouthspirit@gmail.com or call the church office.

Choristers Bake Sale

Our chorister performing group, Sound Attraction, will have their next bake sale to help pay for their November performances in Branson, the weekend of Sept. 13th-14th.

SRE - Sunday Religious Education - Classes begin 9/7

SRE is for all Immaculate Conception Parish youth grades K thru 8th especially students not currently participating in a religious education program. Our dedicated teachers are here to help further our students' knowledge of the Catholic faith and walk with them as they grow closer to God through the sacraments. Registration forms are in the vestibule and can be returned to the parish office or placed in the collection basket. For more information call Donna at (573) 833-6508 or email donnamclain32091@gmail.com.

Coffee, Talk and Tots

Come chat with us and let your kids play. We meet every Wednesday in the Fellowship Room after 8:00 AM Mass when school is in session. We will start up again in September. Coffee and a light breakfast is provided.

SCHOOL NEWS

ICS Book Fair

Will be going on September 15th -18th. More info to come!

The Aloha Dash Mouse Races

Aloha, IC families! We're excited to announce that VIP tables for The Aloha Dash Mouse Races are officially on sale! A VIP Table is \$300 and includes: seating for 8; name your own racing mouse; special snacks at your table; a reserved spot in all the fun! But here's the catch—only 10 VIP tables are available! Individual tickets at \$25 per ticket. Friday, September 5th, 2025 at the Jackson Knights of Columbus, Lower Hall. Doors Open: 5:30 PM | Races Begin: 6:30 PM. You must be 21 or older. There will be a variety of games and raffles as well as betting on each mouse race if you choose. Cash, check, and Venmo will be accepted. Proceeds benefit IC School Capital Expenses – major maintenance repairs/replacement. Join us for an unforgettable evening filled with island vibes, friendly competition, and plenty of excitement! This is one night you definitely don't want to miss! Have a Mai Tai good time as the kids head back to school. Buy your VIP tables here. We'll see you at The Aloha Dash!

FAMILY MINISTRIES

L.I.F.T. Women's Fellowship

invites all women to join us this fall in viewing and discussing The Chosen, Season 5: The Last Supper. We begin on September 8th at 6:00 PM in the Parish Center. There is a potluck dinner, an episode of The Chosen and a discussion following each episode. We alternate the main series with the "Bible Roundtable" episodes to take a deeper look at various biblical vs. artistic elements. It is a moving, illuminating and encouraging experience. Please, join us! Call/text Sarah at 573-529-0722 if you have any questions. Bring your own drink for dinner.

St. Ann's Sodality

St. Ann's Salad and Dessert Supper/Installation of Officers/Meeting will be held on Monday September 8th, 2025, at 6:30 PM in the Church Fellowship Room. Last names beginning A - L bring a salad and M - Z bring a dessert.

Deanery 6 Council of Catholic Women

will have their quarterly meeting Tuesday, September 16th, at the Jackson Knights of Columbus Lower Hall, 3305 N. High St., Jackson, hosted by Immaculate Conception Parish. Rosary starts at 6:00 PM at the KC Hall followed by refreshments and the meeting. We will have our Silent Auction fundraiser, so please bring a donation to place in the auction. Every lady from the parish is welcome to attend! Please contact Ruth Ann Hester at 573-270-4844 if you have any questions.

St. Ann's Kitchen Ministry

Is in need of donations. Items can be brought to the parish office during office hours, and the needs list includes: toasters, 5-cup coffee makers, glasses, medium size mixing bowls, small baking pans & sheets, hand mixers & can openers, bakeware, measuring cups & spoons, spatulas, dish towels & cloths, and small paring knives. Thank you for your donations to help this needed ministry!

YOUTH NEWS

"Be who God meant you to be and you will set the world on fire."

- St. Catherine of Siena

<u>Youth Spirit</u> - High school aged youth

August 31 - No Youth Spirit - Karen will be out of town.

September 7 - Youth Night - Doors open at 6pm with things getting underway from 6:30-8:00pm.

September 14 - Holy Door Pilgrimage - More information to come! **September 21 - DTS** - Join us as we learn about the lives of a Saint at the Old Convent at St. Vincent's from 6:30-8:00pm.

<u>Kaboom</u> 6th - 8th grade students

September 13th - Our first Kaboom of the school year! Open to 6th-8th graders. We will meet in the Fellowship Room from 6:00-7:30pm. A meal will be provided.

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.

10/10/2025 - 10/12/2025, Springfield, IL 12/5/2025 - 12/7/2025, St. Peters, 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 at different locations. 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

Thursday, September 18th, 6:30 - 9:00 PM.
Sacred Hear, Poplar Bluff, MO.
It's an evening of Adoration, Confessions, & a manly meal with discussion to follow.
To help plan for the food, please RSVP to:
SEMOCatholicManNight@gmail.com.

Parish Bulletin Inserts and Flyers

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



Marian Day of Reflection

Father Clay Kilburn, C.M., and the Association of the Miraculous Medal invites you to a Marian Day of Reflection at the National Shrine of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal in Perryville, Missouri, on Saturday, September 6th beginning at 9:00 AM. The Marian Day of Reflection will include a breakfast of Hoeckele's Doughnuts, a talk on Mary's apparitions, an opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation, 12:10 PM Mass, lunch, a talk on Mary's gifts (the Rosary, the Brown Scapular, and the Miraculous Medal), adoration, the Rite of Investiture into the Brown Scapular and the Miraculous Medal, and a tour of the Shrine Church. Tickets are available at a cost of \$45 per ticket. **Register by Sept. 1st.** For more information, please contact 1-800-264-6279.

Carlo Acutis Display at the National Shrine

There will be a display featuring images of the newly canonized saint, Carlo Acutis, along with a first- and third-class relic on display at the National Shrine of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal in Perryville, MO, on Sunday, September 7th, from 12:00 - 4:00 PM. For more information, please contact us at 1-800-264-6279.

Annual Fall Dinner at St. Joseph Parish in Scott City

Join us for the St. Joseph Catholic Church Annual Fall Dinner happening Sunday, September 7th, from 10:30 AM to 1:00 PM in the School Gym. The menu will consist of Kettle Beef, Chicken & Dumplings, Chicken & Dressing, Mashed Potatoes, Served buffet style. Adults \$15 Children 6-12 \$7 Children 5 & Under Free. There will be walkin and drive-up carry-outs available. Bulk orders available at noon.

Immaculate Conception/American Red Cross Blood Drive

On Thursday, September 11th from 12:30 - 5:30 PM at the Knights of Columbus Hall, Lower Level, Jackson. Please call 1-800-RED-CROSS or visit redcrossblood.org.

Immaculate Conception, Park Hills, presents Fr. Dan Reehil, VF

Fr. Dan is an Exorcist Priest & Spiritual Warfare Director. This will take place on Saturday, September 13th starting at 8:30 AM at 1020 W. Main St., Park Hills, MO. There is a flyer on the bulletin board in the back of church with more details.

St. Maurus Breakfast Buffet Style in Biehle, MO

Is on Sunday, September 14th from 7:30 AM until noon. We will be serving pancakes, ham, sausage, scrambled eggs, fried potatoes, milk gravy, biscuits, and homemade coffee cake. Cost of meal is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children ages 6-12 yrs. Children 5 yrs and under eat for free. Carry outs are available.

Jackson Knights of Columbus Fish & Chicken Fry

On Friday, September 19th from 4:30 - 7:00 PM in the lower hall. You can Dine-in or Carry-Out - they are both available. Fish, chicken and all the sides!

Marriage on Tap STL

Join us on Wednesday, September 24th, at 6:00 PM for an evening of dinner and marriage enrichment at Syberg's on Dorsett in Maryland Heights, MO. Our guest speaker will be Father Charlie Archer. His presentation is entitled, "Speaking the Language of Faith in Ordinary Family Life." The evening is sponsored by Worldwide Marriage Encounter. Dinner is \$66 per couple/\$33 per person. Cash bar will be available. Advanced registration is required and must be postmarked by September 15th, and received by September 17th. For more information, check out Marriage on Tap STL on Facebook or email us at marriageontapstl@gmail.com.

Liturgical Ministers (September 6th & 7th)				
	Lectors	Usher/Greeters	Eucharistic Ministers (C) Cup	Mass Servers
5:00 pm	Mary Anne Martin Berkley Rosenquist	Katy Liley, Linda Martin, Amy Moore, Vickie Webb	Kenny & Joyce Loos - C Jack Martin, Andrea Sachse, Nancy Strange	Noah Collier Caroline Rosenquist Ryan Rosenquist
7:00 am	Mona Nenninger	Keith & Angie Holt James & Susan Stoverink	David Coe & Gerald Stoverink - C Gary Beussink	Volunteers Needed!
8:30 am	John DiStefano Susie Kohm	Travis Bruenderman, James Trankler Tom & Susan Krydynski	Brian Bauknecht & Phillip Bess - C Kim Baker, Amy Brueckner, Brad Deken	Finley Essner Paxton Essner Zavier Thomas
10:00 am	Mary Fieser Judy Heitman	Kyle Garvey , Margie Schwent Joe & Betty Starke	Ann Knaup & Josh Koehler - C Bonnie Feeney, Cheryl Market, Shelly Meier	Maci McCall Mia McCall Myli McCall



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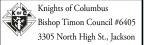












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