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WHO ASKS OF YOU**



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Mass Schedule

Weekend Masses are 5:00 p.m. Saturday and 7:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., and 12:00 Noon on Sundays.

Weekday Masses are at 8:00 a.m. except on National Holidays, when the time is 9:00 a.m.

Holy Days are celebrated at 7:30 p.m. the eve of the day and 8:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. on the day unless noted.

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.

Sunday 7:00 - 7:15 a.m. and 9:30 - 9:45 A.M.

Adoration

Adoration begins after 8:00 a.m. mass on **Tuesdays**. It concludes at 8:45 p.m. with Perpetual Help Devotions and Benediction. In case school is closed because of inclement weather, adoration will also be cancelled.

Prayer Requests

To have your intention placed on our Parish Prayer Tree, call Jean Wilmes: 332-6831, or e-mail Kim Dyer at kadye@centurytel.net.



Parish School of Religion (PSR)

Director: Jen Walkup, Ext: 283

Email: sttheodorepsr@yahoo.com

BEST

Angie Mutert sttheobest@yahoo.com

St. Theodore Catholic Church

"As a faith-filled community, we grow in spirituality through prayer, respect for family, support of education and acceptance of all. By the wisdom of our past and the energy of God's Spirit for our future, we demonstrate being alive in Christ."

www.sainttheodore.org

Rev. Gary L. Vollmer, Pastor

E-mail: padrefrog@yahoo.com

Deacons:

Rev. Mr. Pat Rankin - patrankin@baue.com

Rev. Mr. Tom Rothermich - trothermich@gmail.com

Church Location:

5051 Highway P - Wentzville, MO 63385

Mailing Address:

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Phone Numbers:

332-9269 Main Campus;

639-1385 School office (also, parish office fax),

327-5115 (also, school fax)

The Parish Office is located at 5085 Hwy P and is open
Monday—Thursday 7:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. and
Friday 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 Noon.

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5059 Highway P - Wentzville, MO 63385

Principal: Ms. Clare Ortmeier, extension 222

E-mail: sttheodore.school@centurytel.net

School Secretary: Mrs. Rosemarie Friederich, ext. 221 or

E-mail: sttedoa@yahoo.com

Renting or Scheduling

Facilities Coordinator: Trish Dickherber, extension 223

E-mail: sttedfc@yahoo.com

To rent or schedule use of the Parish Center/gym, school cafeteria, Fr. Schmidt Room, or the Teacher Work Room, you may send Trish an e-mail or call her.

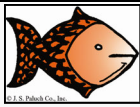
Welcome to our parish! If you are visiting, we hope you enjoy your time with us. If you are new to our community and would like to join our parish, you may ask Fr. Vollmer for a registration packet or come by the Parish Office during the week to pick one up. You may also call or e-mail us and we can e-mail the information to you.

February 23, 2014

7th Sunday of Ordinary Time

March 2014



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
FSR: Fr. Schmidt Rm PO; Parish Office TRW: Teachers Work Rm PC: Parish Center						1 K of C Euchre Tournament for Mexico Missions
2 K of C BB gun Shoot 	3 Girl Scouts FSR 6-7 4-H Café 7-8:30	4 Quilting FSR 9-2:00/ 6-10:00 SVDP PO 7-9:00	5 Mass 8:00 AM or 7:30 PM 	6	7  Fish Fry 5:30-7:00	8
9 Lent I  Donut Sunday	10 Town Hall Mtg 7:00	11 Quilting FSR 9-2:00/ 6-10:00 Finance Board PO 7:00  FSR 7:00	12 REAP FSR all day Student Quilting FSR 3-5:00 PSR 6:15-7:30	13 K of C mtg	14  Fish Fry 5:30-7:00	15 K of C Co-Ed Dartball
16 Lent II	17 Happy St. Patrick's Day 	18 Steering Committee Mtg FSR all-day School Board Mtg TRW 7:00	19 Steering Committee Mtg FSR all-day Student Quilting FSR 3-5:00 PSR 6:15-7:30 	20	21  Fish Fry 5:30-7:00	22
23 Lent III	24	25 Quilting FSR 9-2:00/ 6-10:00 Parish Council PO 7:00	26 Student Quilting FSR 3-5:00 PSR 6:15-7:30 RCIA PO 7-8:30	27	28  Confirmation 7:00 Fish  5:30-7:00	29 K of C Golfaganza 
30 Lent IV Mexico Mission Fashion Show and Tea	31					

March 1 & 2, 2014				
	5:00 PM	7:30 AM	10:00 AM	12:00 PM
Lectors	Pat Sachs	Sharon Eisenbath	Patti Ballmann	Volunteers Needed
Gift Bearers	Jo Juergensmeyer	David Eisenbath	Eric Wilmes	
Eucharistic Ministers	Rosemary Hakenwerth Pat Sachs	Pat Koch Karen Moore	Lee Cliff Mike Polman	
Servers	Karlie Orf Sophia Brinker Erin Bodine	Evan Eisenbath Ben Von Wolfseck Nathan Hakenwerth	Aiden O'Leary Grant O'Leary Ray Wilmes	
Ushers	Doug Orf Daryl Dickherber	Kenny Eisenbath Marvin Eisenbath	Mitch Rackers Ben Rackers	



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General Funds Actual Contributions Received (2/16):

Envelopes:	8,613.00
Loose Plate:	277.98
Total Contributions:	8,890.98
Weekly Target Amount:	10,433.00
Under Weekly Target:	-1,542.02

Needed YTD (33):	344,589.00
Received YTD:	302,011.15
Total Over/Under Target YTD:	-33,384.25
Plus Holy Day Offerings YTD:	8,642.00

Other Revenues:

Building Fund	95.00
Children's Offering	41.77
First Offering	10.00
Maintenance Fund	19,685.00
School Support	25.00
St. Louis Review Subscription	30.00

BEST	309.00
Concessions	506.00

Thank you for your Generosity!!!



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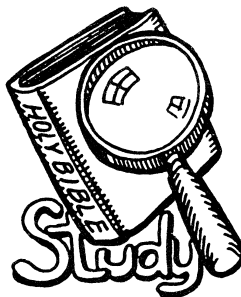
Our prayers of sympathy to Pat & Geneva Dawson for the passing of Geneva's mother, Euna Mae Shepherd, on 14Feb14.

May Geneva and family be comforted by their faith, as well as, the shared prayers and memories with friends and family.

Thank You

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The family of Ruby Orf would like to thank everyone at St. Theodore for your prayers, concerns and thoughtfulness after the passing of their mother.



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A Bible that's falling apart usually belongs to someone who isn't!!

St. Theodore will once again have a **Lenten Bible Study** that will meet for six sessions leading up to Easter. **The theme for this session is the book of Job.** This theme helps us work through one of the most difficult questions that

confronts us in life: Why do bad things happen to good people? In *Job: A Good Man Asks Why*, author Kevin Perrotta walks us through the key points in the book of Job and helps us understand suffering, justice, and love in a new light.

We will meet on Sunday mornings and WEDNESDAY evenings starting March 9 and 12. The Sunday morning group meets from 8:30 until 10:00 so it is convenient to attend after or before Mass. The Wednesday evening group meets at Deacon Tom and Kathy Rothermich's house, from 7 to 8:30. The cost for materials is \$10.00. All are welcome. If you would like to sign up, please call the Rothermichs at (636) 327-4674 or email krotherm@gmail.com. Please sign up by March 2 even if you attended prior sessions.

Vacation Bible School 2014

Our first adult planning meeting is Monday, February 24th in the Father Schmidt Room at 6:30.

All are invited to be a part of this fantastic spiritual event. Please consider volunteering this year! We are in need of a number of adults to help spread God's love and His Word to the youth of our parish. If you've volunteered before, we'd love to have you back! We can't have VBS without your help.

Katie Grau at kag.twinmama@gmail.com or (901) 734-9819



From Fr. Gary's pen...

This weekend we have our Parish Dinner Auction (Feb. 22) which is also my dad's birthday so I already know that the Dinner Auction will be a success. I find it hard to believe that it is already seven years since my dad passed away. Where does the time go? One of the meditation songs that we requested for dad's funeral which will also be sung at my funeral is Josh Groban's "You Raise Me Up." I thought the refrain of that song reflects my gratitude to all of you for making our F.A.S.T. Campaign for the new boilers an overwhelming success:

"You raise me up, so I can stand on mountains; You raise me up, to walk on stormy seas; I am strong, when I am on your shoulders; You raise me up...To more than I can be."

Special thanks to all of you for renewing my faith. How could I have ever doubted you?! This emergency financial crisis has also reminded me of the poem that was on the back of my dad's holy card for the funeral. I think it's good advice for all of us:

Today I let go and I let God take charge of this life of mine. Now in the dark corners of my soul, His light is beginning to shine. All of the cares and worries that I have carried around for so long, He has lifted them from my shoulders, and filled my heart with love. Problems that were overwhelming suddenly seem very small, and come what may, starting today I know I can handle them all. If you are troubled, 'Let Go and Let God' take charge of your life for you, and however dark life's shadows seem, His light will come shining through!! My mantra is F.R.O.G....Fully Rely On God!!!

May God bless you again and again and again for being faithful stewards of God's gifts!!! Deo Gratus! Deo Gratus!! Halleluiah!!!!



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Prepare for LENT

All women are invited to an evening of Recollection.

Wednesday, February 26th

7:30-9:30

St. Gianna Church

450 Hwy N

Includes Benediction, meditations by two priests and confessions. For more info: 636.926.9290 or 314.822.3627.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jas 3:13-18; Ps 19:8-10, 15; Mk 9:14-29

Tuesday: Jas 4:1-10; Ps 55:7-11a, 23; Mk 9:30-37

Wednesday: Jas 4:13-17; Ps 49:2-3, 6-11; Mk 9:38-40

Thursday: Jas 5:1-6; Ps 49:14-20; Mk 9:41-50

Friday: Jas 5:9-12; Ps 103:1-4, 8-9, 11-12; Mk 10:1-12

Saturday: Jas 5:13-20; Ps 141:1-3, 8; Mk 10:13-16

Sunday: Is 49:14-15; Ps 62:2-3, 6-9; 1 Cor 4:1-5; Mt 6:24-34



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Clark Gafke-sponsor-
Joan Schellert

Brittany Weeks-
sponsor-Kim Wilson

Jordan Weeks-
sponsor-Dion Wilson

Kyle Richardson-sponsor-Curt Heisserer

George Bassett-sponsor-Ruth Bassett
(wife)

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary; First Saturday

Love your enemies, easier said than done, no doubt. But, remember, the foundation of stewardship is prayer. When we are in close communication with God, it opens our heart and it turns our attention away from "me" and moves it towards God and others. It allows us to have a little more empathy for "our enemy". When we pray for others, even "our enemies", maybe it softens their hearts as well.



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Mass Intentions For the coming week

Monday 2/24

John Wilke

Tuesday 2/25

Living & Deceased

Members of the

Herman Dietrich Family

Wednesday 2/26

Richard Feldewerth

Thursday 2/27

Mary Jane Dickherber

Friday 2/28

Vernon Pieper

Saturday 3/1

5:00 PM

Pete Hemmer

Sunday 3/2

7:30 AM

Mildred Shellert

10:00 AM

Geraldine Peine

12:00 PM

People of the Parish



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"But I say to you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you..." Matthew 5:44

QUILTING FRAME

Quilting Schedule: 2013-14 Quilt Committee:

Diane Sachs -636.327.6369

Theresa Rainey -636.887.4234

Karen Richter -636.327.8365

Pam Hepperman -636.673.2390 or 314-749-6143

Please call if you have a quilt top ready, if you want info on donating a quilt or quilt top, or if you would like to learn the fine art of quilting.

Quilting Schedule:

Every Tuesday, unless otherwise noted.

9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. or 6-10:00 p.m.

Quilting after school with students: Wednesday, 3-5:00.



Knights of Columbus

Hall Rental: Contact Tom Daues at 636-332-0588

Council Email: council@sttheodorekofc.org

Home Board Email: homeboard@sttheodorekofc.org

K of C MTG:(2nd Thursday) 7:30 @ K of C Hall;

Homeboard MTG:(3rd Thursday)

UPCOMING EVENTS

March 1st: Euchre Tournament, Bar Area, 7:00 benefits Mexico Missions

March 2nd: BB Gun Shoot Kids & Adults have fun all day! Target BB Gun provided. Call Brian 636.262.1202

March 7th- April 11: Fish Frys 5-7:30; benefiting Pro-life and FHAA

March 15th: Dartball Tournament. Last Co-Ed.

Call Jeff at 314.560.4861

March 29th: Golfaganza an all day event.

Call Jim 636.299.7232

Preview of Coming Attractions!!

Mark your calendars for the next two Mexico Mission Trip Fun-raisers.

The first is "The Luck of the Green" Super Frog Raffle just before St. Patrick's Celebration. The raffle (where everyone is a winner) will be held on the weekend of March 8/9 after all masses. For a \$10 raffle ticket you are guaranteed to win a prize valued at \$10 or more plus your ticket will be entered into the Grand Prizes drawing where you could win the most beautiful quilt ever (made by our own quilters), a beautiful afghan with pastel Spring colors, or \$50 in Wal-mart gift certificates. If that isn't enough, there will also be free homemade cookies and candy!! Also, mark your calendars for Monday, April 21 for the Easter Eggstravaganza with All-You-Can-Eat Tacos and Nachos Dinner from 5 to 7 p.m. followed by the Easter Egg Hunt that will include over 1000 eggs with 8 golden eggs good for a \$25 Wal-mart gift card for each golden winner (better than Willy Wonka)!!! Spring cannot come too soon!!!

PLEASE PRAY

For: Anne Happe, Jacob McGilvray, Sandra Ficken, Josh, Brooke & William Boyer, Ron Candrl, Charlotte Tarrant, and Nancy (Iffrig) Brown .

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protections, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession, was left unaided. Inspired with this confidence, we fly to thee, O Virgin of Virgins my Mother; before thee I come; before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful; O Mother if the Word Incarnate, despise not our petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer us. AMEN.

To have your Parish Prayer Tree intention in the bulletin:

Call: Jean Wilmes: 332-6831, or email:

Kim Dyer at kadye@centurytel.net.

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Thank
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Pontifical Mission Societies:

World Mission Sunday: our donation of \$425 enables the society of the Propagation of Faith to assist Sister Clara, a Salesian Missionary, to serve the children at risk in Chennai, India.

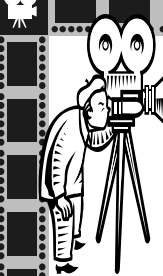
Missionary Cooperation Appeal: our very generous donation of \$1,455.88 to the Society of the Propagation of Faith has been forwarded to the St. Francis Xavier Missionaries.

Birthright of Wentzville:

Thank you for the generous response of baby items for our mothers and their babies in crisis pregnancies!

FORGIVENESS

People who cannot forgive others break the bridge over which they must pass if they are to reach heaven; for everyone has a need to be forgiven.



Dinner Auction Thank You

The Dinner Auction Committee would like to thank all of our parish and school families who contributed their time, talent, and treasure to the success of our 26th dinner auction celebration!

Without your donation and support this event could not have been possible! THANK YOU, THANK YOU, THANK YOU!

St. Dominic HS Middle School Trivia Night

March 7, 2014

7:00– 9:45

Who: 6th, 7th & 8th grade Students

Cost: \$10 per person & up to 8 people per table

~Soda, water & 1-pizza provided per table

Where: St. Dominic Fallon Family Center (new gym)

Prizes award to 1st & 2nd place teams

To reserve your table:

Tom & Shelley Lang 636-300-1661;

sdhpalstrivia@hotmail.com



Mens senior softball for men age 55 and up in St. Charles is now accepting applications for the 2014 season. If you would like to play slow pitch softball, call Mark Palermo at 636-281-0891

This is a terrific series and offered so much closer to us than the Rigali Center!!!

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR

St. Anselm Parish Centre

530 So. Mason Rd.

7:00 PM in the Parish Centre

Mar. 3 *God's Love*

Bishop Robert Hermann/Katie Fiese

Mar. 10 *God Saves Us*

Cathy Whitlock/Jeff Barczewski

Mar. 24 *New Life*

Rev. John Horn, S.J., President & Rector of Kenrick of Glennon Seminary/ Cheryl Nelson

Mar. 31 *Receiving God's Gifts*

Dr. John Gresham/Anne Hruz

Apr. 7 *Receive the Holy Spirit*

Rev. Michael Brunner/Deacon Charles Durban

Apr. 14 *Growth/Transformation*

Jane Guenther/Pat Golden

To register contact the Catholic Renewal Center at 314-427-7786 or janeguenther@archstl.org, Linda Borchardt at 314-878-2120 or lborchardt@stanselmstl.org or the Parish Website at www.stanselmstl.org. Please bring your Bible to the Seminar.

GRIEF SUPPORT

St. Patrick begins a series on grief support to anyone 18yrs or older, beginning February 27th ending in April with an evening of remembrance. Meetings will be held at 7:00p.m. on Thursday in the rectory conference room. A loved one's death is one of life's most significant losses and often painful beyond words. Those of us who have been through it have learned that grieving is "hard work," but effective grief work is not done alone--thus, the purpose of these meetings. For more information call: **Darlene Bauman 327-4537 or 448-7590.**

Children's Grief Camp

On Saturday, March 1, the Center for Hope & Healing is hosting their 1st Children's Grief Camp. This complimentary program is designed to help children express their grief through artistic expression.

This is a great opportunity for children to have fun while remembering their loved one in their own special way. Our hope is that they will learn that grieving and memories, although painful at times, are a natural part of the process of grief.

Children are often forgotten mourners. The Counselors from the Center for Hope & Healing understand this, and will provide your child with enrichment activities to facilitate their grief process and to honor the life of their loved one.

The Children's Grief Camp program is separated into two sessions; 10:30am – 12:00pm kindergarten to 4th grade, and 1:00pm – 2:30pm 5th grade to 8th grade. Each session is limited to 15 children.

When making reservations, or requesting more information please contact Kelly Karavousanos, LPC, CT at 636-328-0878 or email kellyk@baue.com

Please feel free to extend this information onto friends or family members you think will benefit from our program.

Immaculate Heart of Mary Church



Spring Pork Sausage Dinner

Sunday, March 2, 2014.

The festivities include:

- heated beer and wine garden with live music;
- craft fair;
- raffles including a beautiful hand-made quilt,
- Event for Everyone drawing and the \$6000 Cash drawing (details may be found on the raffle tickets);
- pull-tabs;
- livers and gizzards;
- frozen soft serve custard;
- handicap parking and free shuttle service on the premises.

St. Paul Church Spring Quilt Social

Saturday, March 1, 2014

St. Paul

Knights of Columbus Hall

- Doors open at 11:00 am - Bingo begins at 12:00
- Lunch and refreshments available
- Handmade Quilts, Raffles and Prizes!



St Patrick Parish of Wentzville will be serving it's Sausage & Pancake Breakfast on

Sunday February

23rd from 7am - 1pm. Also serving, biscuits, sausage gravy, scrambled eggs, juice & coffee. Proceeds will benefit the Spirit of ACTS Retreat Fund. Adults \$7, Children 5-12 \$3, Children under 5 Free.

March 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 Hannah Clark Isabelle Kersting Nicholas Haggard Rosemary Boland Stephen Heady
2 Donna Wilson David Ilardi Evan Bruigenhemke Lynn Bodine Martin Hassett Matt Schlipp Becky Heppermann Ricky Schwendemann Casey Koch Ron Candri	3 Andy Ballmann Cindi Buls Jimmy Peanick Molly House Bobby Bross Tony Diepenbrock	4  Judy Sherman Kaye Sachs Lara Rivolta Reagan Shelton Riley Shelton	5 Janie Jungermann Jason Orf	6 JoAnn Wilmes Karen Bross Marisa Monday Nora Knipping Paula Bross Bob Balser Samuel Rowen Torey Bruns	7 Eva Walker Heather Vehige	8 Cole Hussey Joshua Petty Leanne Johns Tucker Murray Walter Reschke
9 Jay Stratman Laura Blechle Lilian Von Wolseck Raychel Blattel Dick Wilmes	10	11 Chad Sherman Cody Molitor Dana Gilbert Dylan Molitor Hudson Schlipp Melissa Schlipp	12 Agnes Peine Catherine Carapella Jenn Osterholt Joe Durand Loretta Mayberry	13 Brian Kelsch Kyle Anderson Mike Baker Ryan Wurth	14 Alan Carter Amanda Moore Darlene Kruse Doris Miller Lucille Rothermich Melvin Hakenewerth	15 Katie Wilmes Nayomi Hynes Piper Hynes
16 Austin Pruitt Cindy Beilman Cole Pruitt Luke Wilmes Mallori Smith Steven Workman	17  Joey Wilmes David Hakenewerth Donald Hakenewerth Justin Blechle Kelly Shelton Marcey Watkins Matt Osterholt McKayla Schlipp	18 Charlie Wilmes Gavin Simpson Greg Meyer Lauren Basse Martin Lenk Matthew Schlipp	19 Caleb Costephens Dottie McCormack Jack Burle Dan Blattel Marilynn Gafke	20  Ben Eusterbrock Jeanne Hutson Miranda Kirchoff Ryan Wilmes Sophia Bent-Blattel Susie Phelps	21 Michael Boehmer Patricia DuFrenne	22 Connie Molitor Emily Heying Frank Hankenewerth Sandy Sachs
23 Erin Potter Leilah Mense Michael Schlipp Jean Dickherber Tori Triplett	24 Adel Schulte Vic Basse Jim Rowan Joni Biehl Kristin Bross Bill Childs	25 Brooke Boyer Jackson Creech Ginny Gianella	26 Allison Heying Kelly Allensworth Mike Caros Tom Smith Ryan House	27 Addison Watkins Conner Thompson Ken Mosley Melissa Hakenewerth	28 Cliff Lee Jahn Schulz Kelsey Eck	29 Austin Roettger Brayden Giebe Carly Thompson Rosemary Demling
30 Abigail Baker Paul Strunk Phillip Janowski	31 Colby Hutson Hollie Koewing Kayla Eisenbath Patty Luedecke					