



### On the Calendar...

**July 17** – 5K Run Walk & Golf Tournament Fundraiser  
**July 18** – Swinkey Picnic  
**July 19** - Rosary at St. Stephen 12:00 noon  
**July 25** - World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly  
**July 26** – Monroe City Blood Drive  
**August 10** – Ice Cream Social 5:00 – 7:00 pm  
**August 22** – Prayer Walk for schools 6:00 pm



### Liturgical Ministries

**July 24 – 5:30 p.m. Mass**

**Rosary:** Henrietta Hughes  
**Servers:** Jaxyn Helm, Wyatt DeGrave  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Dorothy Moss, Betty Yager, Courtney Smith, Dennis Moss, Gary Yager, Ruth Ann Lorenson  
**Lector:** Dorothy Ritter  
**Ushers:** John Ritter, Jerry Durbin, Ron Dean  
**Cross Bearer:** Jeff Albus  
**Gift Bearer:** Joe & Linda Gass  
**Greeters:** Mark & Jane Vollrath

**July 25 – 9:30 a.m. Mass**

**Rosary:** Paula Karr  
**Servers:** Ava Potterfield, Collin Potterfield  
**Eucharistic Ministers:** Kay Elliott, Dennis Long, Ed Born, Steve DeLaporte, David Wilson, Michelle Wilson  
**Lector:** Steve Kendrick  
**Ushers:** Brett Shively, Rodney Yager, John Long  
**Cross Bearer:** Connor Pfaff  
**Gift Bearer:** Heath Greiman Family  
**Greeters:** Carl & Charlotte Thompson

**Marriage and Family conference**, Saturday, July 24 from 10:00 a.m. till 2:00 p.m. – Get your tickets today!

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1pa4fty-PJxMkhD-h9cvgKfh1eXTwAYyca1\\_FTfm5po/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1pa4fty-PJxMkhD-h9cvgKfh1eXTwAYyca1_FTfm5po/edit?usp=sharing)

Payment accepted through PayPal

<https://PayPal.me/JoyfulLoveMinistries> or mail. Contact Lori Watson for tickets at:

[JoyfulLoveMinistries@gmail.com](mailto:JoyfulLoveMinistries@gmail.com)

### Readings for July 25, 2021

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading – 2 Kings 4:42-44** Elisha was brought twenty barley loaves, which he set before a crowd of one hundred. All ate, and there was plenty of food left over.

**Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 145:10-11, 15-18** The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Reading – Ephesians 4:1-6** Paul called the Ephesians to a life of humility, patience and gentleness. He said, “Preserve the unity of the spirit through the bond of peace; one body and one Spirit.”

**Gospel – John 6:1-15** Many people pressed around Jesus, seeing they were hungry, he took bread and fish, blessed them, and gave them out. When all had eaten, the fragments filled twelve baskets.

**Monroe City Community Blood Drive** – Monday, July 26 at the Knights of Columbus Hall from 12:45 – 6:00 p.m. RedCrossBlood.org or 1-800-RED CROSS Share the vibe. Give blood to help save lives.

Holy Family School in Hannibal, MO is accepting applications for a kindergarten teacher for the coming school year. Please contact the principal, Sarah Hooley at [myhollyfamily.com/the](http://myhollyfamily.com/the) school or at 573-221-0456.

**15<sup>th</sup> Annual Holy Rosary School Fundraiser**, sponsored by the Holy Rosary Knights of Columbus, will be held Saturday, July 17 at the Mosswood Golf Course. The 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Mosswood 5k Run/Walk will kick off at 7:00 a.m. Entry fee for adults is \$20; 12 & under \$10.00 and includes a t-shirt. For more information, please contact Mark Yager at 573-719-6403 or Buz Shaver at 573-406-4170. The 15<sup>th</sup> annual golf tournament will begin at 9:30 a.m. Entry fee of \$125.00 per person includes green fees, cart rental and door prizes. Contact Aaron Benson at 573-231-1132 or Ryan Watson at 573-406-2472 for more information.

### Following God's Lead along with Donna

**Parish-Wide Study coming soon! I have purchased *Parousia: The Bible and the Mass* by Dr. Scott Hahn.** I had the opportunity to watch the videos in this study during Lent and am excited to share them with you. The study is 10 weeks with multiple opportunities each week to participate. Please take the survey you will find on each of the parish websites:

<https://holyroary.diojeffcity.org/>

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<https://ststephenic.diojeffcity.org/>

Find the Parish Life tab; Select Faith Formation; then click the button “Faith Formation Parish-Wide Study Survey”.

There is a paper version available, call Melody if you prefer a paper copy and put it in the basket at either church.

The survey will help me with further planning. Thank you for taking the time to share your input.

**2021 High School Graduates** – Stay connected with your faith through your campus ministry. You can sign up today at <https://signupnc.newmanministry.com/>

It will be a great way to make new friends and practice your faith with other college students.

Want to look up your campus? Go to <http://www.newmanconnection.com/locations/find>

**FORMED.org** – It's summer and vacation time is upon us. Are you looking for a place to visit? *The Faith Traveler in the United States: East Coast Shrines* explores some of the Catholic shrines and places of pilgrimage in Pennsylvania, Maryland, New York, and New Jersey. <https://watch.formed.org/the-faithful-traveler-in-the-united-states-east-coast-shrines>

To inquire about faith formation/religious education contact Donna Long anytime at [donnalong.hrss@gmail.com](mailto:donnalong.hrss@gmail.com) or call me at the rectory, 735-4718, my office hours are 8:00 am to Noon, Monday through Friday.

Holy Rosary Altar Society is partnering with BB's Ice Cream to celebrate Missouri's Bicentennial with an old fashion ice cream social on Tuesday, August 10, from 5-7 pm at BB's. In case of rain, the social will be held at the Knights of Columbus Hall. All are welcome.

