

On the Calendar...

September 20 – Rosary at St. Stephen / 12:00 noon

September 30 - October 2 – Pro Life Garage Sale

October 2 – 1st Saturday Rosary – 10:00

October 24 – Mass at St. Peter in Brush Creek

October 31 – Holy Rosary Fall Dinner

Blessed Sacrament available hours: **Sunday:** 2-3 pm; **Monday:** 2-3 am; **Tuesday:** 1-2 am, 2-3 am, 11-noon, 3-4 pm; **Wednesday:** 1-2 am, 2-3 am; **Thursday:** 3-4 am; **Friday:** 8-9 pm, 9-10 pm; **Saturday:** 7-8 am. Please contact Marie Purol, (573) 881-1918 or Pat Kendrick, (573) 735-2541 if you would like to take one of these hours or volunteer as a substitute.

For all who are ill, especially those who are awaiting, or recovering from, surgery, or seriously ill and for their caretakers & their families; and for those who have died.
~ We pray to the Lord.

Phyllis Campbell	Geoffrey Preckshot	Trent Zeiger	
Kayla Benson McAndrews	Jeff Thomas	Phyllis Taylor	
Lakian Lehenbauer	Janice Kendrick	Richard Elliott	
Rusty Adam	Regina Hays	Tim Quinn	John Kendrick
Deacon Mike Long	Hazel Smith	Sue Gilbert	
Natalee Amos	Rosemary Evans	Deanna Buckman	
Jackie Ryan	Logan Maher	Mark Leake	
Daniel Patrick Mudd	Bonnie Ess	Barbara Kendrick	
Connie Kendrick	Nick Mudd	Bill Smith	Teresa Ritter Toland
Frankie Maddox	Michael Kellerman		

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PSR

K – 6th grades meet on Wednesdays after school – 4:30 pm
7 – 12th grades meet on Sunday 10:30 am – 12:00 pm

Youth Ministry support – Our Youth Ministry, PSR & Youth Groups, are beginning again. We provide meals/snacks for our students. If you would like to help by providing food or funds, please contact the following:

K-6 PSR Wednesdays after school– Donna Long, (573)406-4494 (after school snacks & drinks)

Chosen HS Youth Group/Wednesday evenings – Sally Lemongelli, (573)231-6980

7-12 PSR Breakfast on Sundays – Jane Vollrath, (573)406-8889

SEC MS Youth Group/TBD – Nancy Shively (573)248-9752

Parish-Wide Study – *Parousia: The Bible and the Mass*
–We meet Monday at 5:00 pm, Wednesday at 7:00 pm, or Thursday at 1:30 pm. Choose the day and time that fits your schedule. This week will be lesson 7 – *The Mass as Heaven on Earth: Hebrews and Revelation.*

RCIA Sessions – meet on Wednesdays at 6:30 in Holy Rosary Church basement. If you or someone you know someone is interested in inquiring about the Catholic faith contact Donna at the parish office.
This week's RCIA topic is *Who is Jesus Christ?*

FORMED.org – Picks of the Week include *Padre Pio Between Heaven and Earth*. This true-story film is based on historical records and the personal testimony of his fellow friars. St. Padre Pio is a contemporary saint who had incredible spiritual gifts. It is a long film - 3hours.
<https://watch.formed.org/padre-pio-between-heaven-and-earth/videos/padre-pio-between-heaven-and-earth-2>.

For children check out *Lukas Storyteller: Padre Pio*. A short, animated story of Padre Pio.
<https://watch.formed.org/lukas-storyteller/season:1/videos/lukas-storyteller-padre-pio>.

I will be out of the office Tuesday-Thursday, September 21-23. I will be on retreat and would appreciate your prayers.

School News

- ∫ Classes not held on Monday, September 20, as all teachers attend a professional development day.
- ∫ Softball games - Monday, September 20 at home vs. Louisiana, beginning at 5:00; Wednesday, September 22, AT Mark Twain.
- ∫ Mass at 8:20 on Friday, September. 24, will be led by the fifth grade students.

Liturgical Ministries

September 25 – 5:30 p.m. Mass

Rosary: Audrey Fuemmeler
Servers: Natalee Amos, Keegan Hunter
Eucharistic Ministers: Betty Yager, Gary Yager, Ruth Ann Shaver, Dennis Moss, Dorothy Moss, Bob Kendrick, Dorothy Ritter
Lector: Debbie Watson
Ushers: Ron Dean, Ruth Ann Lorensen, John Ritter
Cross Bearer: Jeff Albus
Gift Bearer: Audrey Fuemmeler, Mary Davis
Greeters: Betty Buckman, Susie Buckman

September 26 – 9:30 a.m. Mass

Rosary: Phil & Donna Thompson
Servers: Austin Shinn, Marah Greiman
Eucharistic Ministers: Dennis Long, Ed Born, Zachary Jones, Kay Elliott, Marie Little, David Little, Steve DeLaporte, Jerry Copenhaver, Phyllis Campbell
Lector: Brenda Benson
Ushers: Kaleb Thompson, Carl Thompson, Kenny St. Clair
Cross Bearer: Aiden Hunter
Gift Bearer: Paula Karr Family
Greeters: Greg & Sue Drebes

“The more I reflect on the graces I have received, the more they astonish me.” ~ St. Rose Philippine Duchesne

Readings for September 26, 2021

1st Reading – Numbers 11:25-29 Moses said to Joshua, “Are you jealous for my sake? Would that all the people of the Lord were prophets!”

Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 19:8, 10, 12-13, 14
The precepts of the Lord give joy to the heart.

2nd Reading – James 5:1-6 “Come now, you rich, weep and wail over your impending miseries. Your wealth has rotted away.”

Gospel – Mark 9:38-43, 45, 47-48 Jesus reassured the disciples, “Whoever is not against us is for us... If your hand causes you to sin, cut it off.”



Volunteers Needed for the Pro-Life Garage Sale
The annual Pro-Life garage sale will be held in conjunction with the city-wide sale September 30th - October 2nd. Volunteers would be appreciated to help with sorting, pricing and checkouts from Monday, September 27 at 9:00 am daily until Saturday, October 2. Just an hour or two makes a great difference. We will not be accepting adult clothing for this year only. Masks will be provided.

