

ST. MARTIN PARISH

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Parish Mission

- Proclaim the message of Jesus Christ to all
- Build up, in unity, the community of Jesus Christ
- Serve the needs of the community with the love of Jesus Christ
- Celebrate, as a community, the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

Parish Office hours are: Tues-Friday from after the morning Mass to 4pm.

August 19, 2018 20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

LITURGY SCHEDULE AND MASS INTENTIONS

Mon., August 20	No Mass	
Tues., August 21	5:30 p.m.	— Ray Kauffman
Wed., August 22	7:50 a.m.	— Antionette and Kenneth Lazarz
Thur., August 23	7:50 a.m.	— Special Intention
Fri., August 24	7:50 a.m.	— Joe, Veronica, Robert and John Veit
Sat., August 25	4:00–5:15 p.m.	CONFESSIONS
Sat., August 26	5:30 p.m.	— People of the Parish
Sun., August 27	7:30 a.m.	— Wanda Lehman
	10:30 a.m.	— Joe Herigon



"I am the living bread that came down from heaven; whoever eats this bread will live forever." - John 6:51

CONFESSIONS 30 minutes prior to all Masses except Saturday when Confessions will be from 4 – 5:15 p.m.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

August 12, 2018					
Envelopes	\$16,426.00	Samaritan	\$159.00	Votive Candles	\$38.26
Plate	\$244.00	Cemetery	\$25.00		\$0.00
Children	\$10.85	Feast of the Assumption	\$85.00		\$0.00
Donations	\$243.00	Religious Retirement	\$90.00	Total	\$17,321.11
				Maintenance & Repair Acct.	
				Cash on Hand	\$10,799.21

August depositors: 5:30 p.m. – Greg Brauner; 7:30 a.m. – Jerry Lueckenotte; 10:30 a.m. – Dana Southard

ORDINATION BANNS

Mr. Brad T. Berhorst, of this parish and currently a seminarian at The Pontifical North American College in Rome, will be ordained to the Transitional Diaconate in the Basilica of St. Peter, Rome on Thursday, September 27, 2018.

From The Office Of The Bishop – Bishop Shawn McKnight's monthly intention for us to consider during prayer, adoration hour etc. during the month of August is:

"May the beginning of another school year

be a moment of grace for students, teachers, administrators, parents, and supporting parishes and communities to grow in knowledge of all that God provides for our good and the good of all."

PHOTOGRAPHERS AND WRITERS NEEDED



We are forming a team of photographers and writers to cover parish events and share the information on our social media pages and with the *Catholic Missourian*. For more information or to join the team, please contact the parish office at 893-2923 and/or smartinparishoffice@gmail.com. Please consider sharing your talents with your parish family.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sat., August 11 and Sun., August 12 SECOND COLLECTION: Retirement Fund for Religious

Mon., August 20

K OF C BINGO ~ 537 Route T ~ 584-3200 ~ Bingo 6:30 ~ Doors open 4:30. Progressive #1 is \$3,000 in 18 numbers. Progressive #2 is \$1,100 in 18 numbers. All games pay \$120 or more. Raffle - \$1,271.

Beef stroganoff dinner special.

7pm Boy Scouts – cafeteria

Scripture Group – cry room

Tues., August 21

6pm KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS LADIES AUXILIARY MEETING – K of C Hall

Wed., August 22

4-6PM MOBILE FOOD BANK – Cafeteria parking lot

6pm PSR CATECHIST TRAINING – Please consider helping as a catechist.

Sat. August 18

1pm MILLAYNA DENNIS AND RICHARD HAYES WEDDING

Sat., August 25 and Sun., August 26 SCRIP SALES AFTER ALL MASSES

INFORMATION FROM OUR PASTORAL MINISTER

St. Martin PSR will start on **Wednesday, September 12, 2018** from 6-7 in the School Multipurpose Room (MPR). It is open to all parishioner children but is especially for those children who do not go to the Parish School. It is a way the parish reaches out to help families with the teachings of Jesus Christ and His Church. It is a wonderful opportunity for the children to be catechized in a systematic way to help know and understand the fullness of the Catholic faith. PSR has classes for 1st - High School and meet on Wednesdays from 6-7pm three times a month. To register please fill out a registration form in the back of Church or contact Mark McGuire at: brpiomaria@gmail.com for more information. We are looking for catechists and helpers as well. So if you feel the call to help teach others the faith, let us know we would like hear from you, same contact as above. We will have a catechist meeting on Wednesday August 22, 2018 in the MPR from 6-7pm.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) - St. Martin parish is setting up a team to help with RCIA. If you are interested in helping with this program please contact Mark McGuire at brpiomaria@gmail.com or the parish office.

Happy Birthday To:

- 8/20 – Karen Hentges, William Kirkweg, Dennis Noring, Gina Rackers, Cindy Remmert, Ryan Sturm, Erica Volmert, A.J. Walkenbach
- 8/21 – Kay Bode, Marcella Crocker, Connor George, Cash Luebbert, Carter Patterson, Eric Schulte, Chloe Till
- 8/22 – Darrell Everett, Beth Fife, Brayden Holt, Marshall Macormic, Barbara Rackers
- 8/23 – Ambrose Bungart, Steve Dennis, Kenneth Farris, Jennifer Fife, Danielle Kroll, Dorothy Kroll, Julie Porting, Sharon Procter, Khristy Schepers, David Schulte
- 8/24 – Baylee Francka, Ellie Rockers, Juliann Rockers, Ralph Schaefer, Evan Schaffer
- 8/25 – Kim Brandt, Donald Carel, Bonnie Keilholz, Amy Lehman, Linda Schroer, Grant Straub
- 8/26 – Stacey Blomberg, Caleb Cook, Dana Fairchild, Rob Henderson, Kaylene Krieger, Carolyn Lueckenotte, Donna Meller, Shirley Schwarzer, Blaine Toebben, Rob Verslues, Cameron Vocks

THANK YOU! – Thank you to the family of Albert and Alma Boeckman for purchasing and installing the outdoor Stations of the Cross along the east parking lot. It will be a treasured resource for deepening our spiritual life.

FUNERAL DINNER COORDINATOR NEEDED



After many years of excellent leadership, Pam Brauner is leaving the funeral dinner coordinator position. Except for the meat, our parish family provides a meal for every funeral held in our parish if the family desires one. Each family is asked to provide food for the meals on a rotating basis. The coordinator works with the family to plan the meal, arranges for the food donations, and coordinates the dinner itself. If interested in helping with this important service, please contact the parish office.

VOCATION CORNER – One of the greatest gifts that we can give to another is to help discover the gifts and talents God has given them, and then to support them as God lives in them and works through them in their creative work. We need communities of faith that help each individual discern the calling of God within her, that helps encourage and nurture it. Every good and perfect gift comes from God. It is not simply that we have talents and skills and passions, but God has gifted us with them for his glory.

Please pray for all seminarians, especially St. Martin graduates, Brad Berhorst and Matt Lorang.
Your prayers and support make a difference.

PICNIC MEETING – Join us on Tuesday August 28th at 6:30 p.m. in the cafeteria to wrap up the 2018 picnic business. Everyone is invited to share their thoughts on the picnic operations.

El Puente- Hispanic Ministry Special Collection –There will be a special collection to support the services of the El Puente – Hispanic Ministry in our diocese. El Puente services include pastoral ministry activities at St. Peter Church in Jefferson City and Annunciation Church in California, medical interpretation and transportation. The staff is a “bridge” connecting those they serve to needed resources. Please support them in sustaining this important ministry within our diocese.

VIRTUS *Protecting God's Children* Classes - The Diocese of Jefferson City will hold three VIRTUS®*Protecting God's Children* classes in Columbia on the following dates:

- Monday, August 27, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. at Our Lady of Lourdes parish. Class will be held in Flanagan Hall.
- Thursday, September 6, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. at St. Thomas Moore Newman Center. Class will be held in the Disciples Room.
- Sunday, September 16, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. at St. Thomas Moore Newman Center. Class will be held in the Disciples Room.

Participants should register in advance at www.virtus.org. Please arrive early so that the class may begin on time. Due to the nature of the subject, children are discouraged from attending.

This program is one component of the overall effort to protect God's children and vulnerable adults. **All employees and volunteers with ongoing and unsupervised contact with children and youth are required to attend a *Protecting God's Children* session. All parents, grandparents and other adults in the parish community are encouraged to attend.** To view valuable resources regarding the protection of children and vulnerable adults, please go to <https://diojeffcity.org/child-and-youth-protection-2/>, www.virtus.org or the USCCB's website at <http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/child-and-youth-protection/index.cfm>.

SCHOOL NEWS

The mission of St. Martin School is to teach a life of prayer, leadership, love, service, and kindness through Catholic education.

SCHOOL OPENINGS - If you are interested in enrolling in our school, contact the school office or Eddie Mulholland (EMulholland@stmartin.eduk12.net).

GUEST EDUCATORS NEEDED - We have employment opportunities for substitute teachers during the school day and during after school care hours. To apply, please contact Andrea Fender at 893-3519 or afender@stmartin.eduk12.net.

SCHOOL CAFETERIA VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - If you like to prepare food, serve in the lunch line or do dishes, we would love to have you as a cafeteria volunteer! Please contact Cara Carel at 573-539-0067 for more information.

JAGUAR CLUB VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - The Jaguar club provides greeters to spread cheer to our amazing disciples. If you can volunteer in the morning, please call Jeff Brondel at 893-5045 or email brondel3@embarqmail.com.

PLAY LIKE A CHAMPION TRAINING - A training session for coaches will be held in the school multipurpose room at 6 p.m. on August 23.

AUGUST 28 - CANDY BAR FUNDRAISER KICKOFF ASSEMBLY

Diocesan High School Youth Rally 2018 - "Called for Greatness: Made for More" will be held on Saturday, September 8 from 10 am-6pm at Helias High School Cost is \$10 per participant. The day will include a keynote and concert with Cooper Ray, Mass, adoration and reconciliation. For more information visit: www.oymdiojeffcity.com/youthrally.



Upcoming Events

Aug 24 **Senior Nutrition Center Lunch and Dinner Charity Fundraiser** – Serving Eagles famous fried chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, slaw, homemade pies, coffee and tea from 11-1:30 pm and 4:30-7 pm. Adults \$10, Children 6-12 \$5. For deliveries of 5 or more, call 636-2440 before 10:30 am.

Sept 2 **Our Lady of the Snows, Mary's Home, Parish Picnic**, serving fried chicken and roast beef from 11 a.m. – 7:30 p.m. Adults \$12. Children \$5. Quilt Fortune Wheel and Homemade pastry auction.

Sept 8 **Memorial Mass** celebrating the life of Fr. Fred Barnett, founder of the National Shrine of Mary, Mother of the Church will be at 7 p.m. outside at the Shrine, Laurie, MO.

Sept 8 **35th Osage Ducks Unlimited Banquet** – The banquet will be held on Saturday, Sept. 8th at the Loose Creek Community Center. Prime Rib dinner, doors open at 5 p.m. with dinner at 6:30pm. \$60/couple, \$40/single tickets available from Jeff Mertens 573-680-2205 or Dale Williams 573-690-9676 or at www.ducks.org/events to purchase online.

Sept 9 **Blood Drive** – September 9 hosted by the K of C Ladies Auxiliary from 7am-noon in the cafeteria.

Sept 15 **Recycling Drive** sponsored by St. Stanislaus Parish and New World Recycling. The event will be Saturday, Sept 15 from 9 a.m. to noon at the parking lot across from St. Stanislaus School. Accepting hardbound and paperback books, phone books, computer-related equipment, printers, cell phones, VCRs, clothing and shoes. NO TELEVISIONS.

Our local AmeriGas Propane office is pleased to offer our school the opportunity to participate in the **School Days** Fundraiser. We have the opportunity to earn up to \$2,000 per school year simply by collecting AmeriGas Propane receipts. We earn 2 cents for every gallon shown on the receipt. Please submit propane receipt originals and don't forget to talk to local business users you visit. You might be surprised at how quickly these gallons will add up. Please put the receipts in the envelope on the bulletin board in church or deliver to the office in school. Thank you.

Catholic Charities of Central and Northern Missouri is hosting a **Stop Human Trafficking Conference** on September 21st and 22nd. We do have some scholarships available to help cover the cost of the \$25 registration fee. For questions or to register please contact Jake Seifert at 573-635-7719 or jseifert@ccnmo.org

God Love Ya Emissaries – Lindenbusch Accounting & Tax Service is sponsoring a fundraiser for our Education Foundation. We love seeing our community visiting other states and countries and you can help earn money for the Foundation by wearing your **God Love Ya shirts!** To learn more go to <http://stmartinjc.org/images/god-love-ya.html>



30th Annual Helias Foundation Golf Tournament – deadline to register is Monday, August 27, 2018. The traditional tournament will be held on Sept. 10 at JC Country Club, Meadow Lake Acres Country Club, and Osage National Golf Club, while the Young Crusaders tournament (ages 21-31) will be held on Friday, Sept. 7 at Oak Hills Golf Center. There will be a FREE Sunday afternoon family event on Sept 9, from 4-7:30pm for all tournament participants and their families at Turkey Creek Golf Center. For more information on participating or sponsoring the event, please contact the Foundation at 573-635-3808, stop by our office inside Helias Catholic High School, or visit us online at www.heliasfoundation.org.

For inspiration and encouragement in your spiritual life, listen to **88.1 FM KHJR, Catholic radio**. Programs include Called to Communion, Catholic Answers, and The Journey Home, plus, the daily Holy Mass, the Holy Rosary, and the Divine Mercy Chaplet. For a program schedule and a free CD, please call (314) 752-7000 or toll free 1-877-305-1234.

Memorial Service for Aborted Children – On Saturday, September 8, pro-life Americans throughout the country will gather at the gravesites of aborted babies and other memorial sites dedicated in their honor for the sixth annual National Day of Remembrance for Aborted Children. Solemn vigils will be held at these sites to commemorate the more than 59 million children who have lost their lives to legal abortion since 1973, and to remind our society of the humanity of the unborn child. Please join us for the memorial service in our community at **St. Andrew's Parish in Holts Summit**. For more information, call Kathy Forek 573-821-5130 or kathythebo@hotmail.com

Seeking Christ for our Nation Mass Schedule

August 21 – 6 p.m. Our Lady of Snows, Mary's Home



The Foundation for the Benefit of Helias Catholic High School's "*Continue the Legacy: One Gift, One Goal*" fund drive is now in the home stretch with the deadline for contributing to the goal fast approaching on Friday, August 31.

Thank you to those who have already given. If you haven't, please consider making a charitable contribution to this year's fund drive. Your charitable gift will directly support current and future generations of Helias students, strengthen the school's endowment, and help sustain the viability of an affordable, quality Catholic education in Jefferson City.

For more information, please contact the Foundation at (573) 635-3808, stop by our office inside Helias Catholic High School, or visit us online at www.heliasfoundation.org.

Missouri Catholic Conference Annual Assembly will take place on Saturday, October 6 at Helias Catholic High School. This year's Annual Assembly will celebrate Pope Francis at Five Years: The Church at the Peripheries. The keynote speaker will be Bishop Joseph Perry of the Archdiocese of Chicago. For more information visit www.mocatholic.org.

Word of Life

"Never tire of firmly speaking out in defense of life from its conception and do not be deterred from the commitment to defend the dignity of every human person with courageous determination. Christ is with you: be not afraid!"

Address of John Paul II to the Bishops and Apostolic Administrators of Albania on their "Ad Limina" Visit, February 3, 2001 © 2001 Libreria Editrice Vaticana. Used with permission. All rights reserved.