

ST. MARTIN CHURCH



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September 2, 2018 22nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

LITURGY SCHEDULE AND MASS INTENTIONS

Mon., September 3	No Mass
Tues., September 4	5:30 p.m. — Living and deceased members of the Fred A. Distler Family
Wed., September 5	7:50 a.m. — Rich Samson
Thur., September 6	7:50 a.m. — Rosemary and Francis Grothoff
Fri., September 7	7:50 a.m. — Poor Souls in Purgatory
Sat., September 8	5:30 p.m. — Tony, Pauline and Junior Yanskey
Sun., September 9	7:30 a.m. — People of the Parish 10:30 a.m. — Francka and Birkes Families

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

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

August 26, 2018

Envelopes	\$9,521.00		
ACH	\$3,664.00	It takes an average weekly envelope contributions of \$19,314 to meet our parish budget.	
Loose	\$392.40	Average Envelope Contribution Budget July 1 – August 26	\$173,826
Total	\$13,577.40	Actual Envelope Contributions July 1, 2018 – August 26	<u>\$165,017</u>
		Shortage	(\$8,809)

September depositors: 5:30 p.m. – Alfred & Clara Schulte; 7:30 a.m. – Kaye & Ken Meller; 10:30 a.m. – John Powell

ORDINATION BANNIS

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.

Bishop Shawn McKnight's monthly intention for us to consider during prayer, adoration hour etc. during September is:

“For all those serving as first responders; may God protect them as they face danger with courage and provide healing assistance to those in need.”

ATTENTION BULLETIN ADVERTISERS – Beginning in October, Liturgical Press (LPI) will be managing the printing and advertisements for our bulletin. As a result, current advertisers will be contacted by LPI the week of September 11-14 to make arrangements for continuing your advertisements. Also, if you are interested in advertising in the bulletin, please contact the parish office to make arrangements for LPI to contact you. Thank you for your support during this transition.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sun., September 2 DONUT SUNDAY – hosted by the Student Council
Mon., September 3
 K OF C BINGO ~ 537 Route T ~ 584-3200 ~ Bingo 6:30 ~ Doors open 3:30. Progressive #1 is \$3,500 in 18 numbers. Progressive #2 is \$900 in 18 numbers. Raffle - \$1,348. Spaghetti dinner special.
 7pm Boy Scouts – cafeteria
 Scripture Group – cry room
Tues., September 4
 9am QUILTING - altar room.
 5:10pm Rosary for vocations before Mass
Wed., September 5
 6pm VOCATION COMMITTEE – Multipurpose Room
 7pm SCHOOL BOARD MEETING – Sunshine Room
Thurs., September 6
 6pm RCIA INQUIRY SESSION – Multipurpose Room
Sat., September 8 & SCRIP SALES – after all masses
Sun., September 9
 6pm RCIA INQUIRY SESSION – Multipurpose Room



Happy Birthday To:

- 9/3 – Jacob Distler, John Gentges, Skylar Howard, McKenna Lehman, Victoria McElwaine, Mitch Vaughan, Mark Whittle
- 9/4 – Fr. Mark Porterfield
- 9/5 – Kim Dennis, Lon J. Gates, Patrick Hart, Mary Hentges
- 9/6 – Anthony Berendzen, Paige Fairchild, Arica Ketcherside, Tyler Krieger
- 9/7 – Thomas Distler, Rita Holtmeyer, Diana Lueckenotte, Brice McDonald, Harold Raithe
- 9/8 – Claire Bybee, Robert Haslag
- 9/9 – Kathy Fritz, Lilly Paul, Jessica Porting, Tori Schulte

EL PUENTE – HISPANIC MINISTRY SPECIAL COLLECTION – There will be a second collection on September 8-9 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.

VOCATION CORNER In a hurry can't wait, need to get things done? Stop- pray- listen. God has perfect timing, never early, never late. It takes a little patience and a whole lot of faith...but it's worth the wait! Help others, come and pray the rosary for vocations this Tuesday at 5:10 before the evening mass.

Your prayers and support make a difference.

ATTENTION QUILTERS: Quilters are invited to join us on Tuesdays at 9am in the altar room. It is a great time for fellowship and quilting to help benefit the parish.



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.

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.

VIRTUS *Protecting God's Children Classes* - The Diocese of Jefferson City will hold VIRTUS®*Protecting God's Children* classes on Sunday, September 16, 2018 at the Alphonse J. Schwartze Catholic Center, Jefferson City. The Catholic Center is located behind the Cathedral of St. Joseph. The classes will be held in Room 306 and will begin at 1:00 p.m. **Participants must 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>.

INFORMATION FROM OUR PASTORAL MINISTER

ST. MARTIN PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION (PSR) will start on **Wednesday, September 12, 2018** from 6-7pm 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 meets 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.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) –

ARE YOU SOMEONE OR DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE WHO...

- Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic?
- Has a child over the age of seven who has not been baptized?
- Was baptized Catholic as a child, but has not celebrated the Sacraments of Confirmation and Eucharist?
- Is interested in learning more about our faith?

Our parish of St. Martin will be starting a RCIA group to help those wanting to come into the faith, receive Sacraments, or just learn more about the faith very soon. We will have two inquiry sessions for those who would like some more information about the process of becoming Catholic and setting up further meeting times on **Thursday September 6th and Sunday September 9th at 6pm in the School meeting room** (only need to attend one). If you or someone you know would like more information please feel free to contact Mark McGuire at brpiomaria@gmail.com or the parish office.

SCHOOL NEWS

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

STUDENT COUNCIL: Congratulations to the 2018-2019 Student Council. President - Makayla Luebbert, Vice-President - Hayley Fender, Secretary - Colten Pecher. Logan Hancock and Zoe Hebenhiemer (8th), Ben Winge, Elizabeth Smith (7th), Ashlynn Wolken, Ian Benne (6th), Gavin Reece, Hadley Brendel (5th), Cohen Pecher, McKenna Lehman (4th), Grant Ivy, Aubrie Bernskoetter (3rd), Hallie Fife (2nd), Jordan Schubert (1st), Jessica Koenigsfeld (K)

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

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 7 **Missouri Right to Life Education Fund "Fore Life" Golf Tournament** – 4-person Scramble - \$125 per person at The Links at Dardenne, O'Fallon, MO. For more information contact mrl.eastern@yahoo.com.

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 **Memorial Mass for Aborted Children** – will be held at St. Andrew Church in Holts Summit at 10 a.m. For more information, contact Kathy Forck at 573-821-5130 or kathythebo@hotmail.com.

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 8 **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.

Sept 9 **St. Anthony, Folk, Fall Festival** – serving roast beef and sausage dinners 11am – 6:30pm. Adults \$12, Children \$5, under 5 free. Quilt auction at 5 p.m.

Sept 14 **Solemn High Mass** - A solemn high Mass (sung in Latin in the older form) will be celebrated Sept. 14 at 7 p.m. at St. Peter in Jefferson City. A pot luck dinner will follow. The Mass will be offered for priestly vocations to the Diocese of Jefferson City, and a collection for our diocesan Catholic Charities will be taken up. More information can be found at: www.diojeffcity.org/our-church/worship-and-prayer/extraordinary-form/

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.

Sept 16 **St. Louis of France, Bonnot's Mill, Fall Festival**, serving German pot roast & bone-in ham, from 11 a.m. – 6:30 p.m. Adults \$12. Children \$8, under 5 free. Pie and dessert auction at 4 p.m.

Sept 23 **Our Lady of Help, Frankenstein, Fall Festival**, serving baked turkey and country dinners from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Sept 22 **OSAGE COUNTY LIBRARY 14TH ANNUAL USED BOOK SALE:** The Osage County Library is hosting their 15th Annual Used Book Sales on **Sat., Sept. 22 - 8 A.M. to 4 P.M. and Sun., Sept. 23 - 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.** at the Osage County Community Center, Linn. Sponsored by FOCL, Friends of the Osage County Library. For more information, contact the Osage County Library at 573.897.2951. See flyer in back of church.

Sept 30 **Visitation Parish, Vienna, Fall Festival**, serving sausage and fried chicken, 11am-6pm. Adults \$11, Children \$5, under 5 free.

~~~~ **MISCELLANEOUS** ~~~~

**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.

**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 visit <http://stmartinjc.org/images/god-love-ya.html>

**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](http://www.mocatholic.org).

**Catholic Charities of Central and Northern Missouri** is hosting a **Stop Human Trafficking Conference** on September 21st and 22nd. Some scholarships available. For questions or to register please contact Jake Seifert at 573-635-7719 or [jseifert@cccnmo.org](mailto:jseifert@cccnmo.org)

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**Spiritual Journey to Israel** – Join us for a “Presentation Meeting” on a spiritual journey to Israel – Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, October 23-31, 2019 with Fr. Mark Porterfield. **The meeting will be at 2:00PM, Sunday, September 30, 2018 at St. Martin Catholic Church.** RSVP to Travel Answers (573)893-5262 for meeting and a detailed itinerary.

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The **Local Ultreya**s for the Jefferson City Metro Area scheduled for the rest of this calendar year are:

October 2: St Peter, Jefferson City (Tuesday)

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**Seeking Christ for our Nation:** Upcoming dates:

- September 4- 6:30 p.m. St. George, Linn
- September 18 – 6:00 p.m. Our Lady of Snows, Mary's home
- October 2 – 6:30 p.m. St. George, Linn
- October 16 - 6:00 p.m. Our Lady of Snows, Mary's home

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St. Martin, helper of those in need,  
your strength was trust.  
You gave until you had only your necessities  
and you shared them.  
You allowed the Holy Spirit to guide you  
in your sacrificial giving  
because you trusted God in you.  
You trusted that your work was Holy  
you lived your trust.  
We ask your intercession before Jesus  
that we may have  
Vision to See  
Faith to Believe  
and the  
Courage to Do. Amen

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