

*St. Bridget of
Kildare
111 West Union Street
Pacific, MO*

*St. James
Catholic Church
1107 Summit Drive
Catawissa, MO*

*St. Mary of
Perpetual Help
1587 Hwy A.M
Villa Ridge, MO*

November 10, 2024



32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Amen, I say to you,
this poor widow put in
more than all the other
contributors to the treasury."
- Mk 12:43

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass ©2001, 1998, 1970 CCD. ©LPI

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Bulletin Article Submission Deadline: Monday 2:00PM

Mass Schedule				Mass Intentions
Monday	11/11	SBK	8:00am	<i>Michael & Angela Brant</i>
Tuesday	11/12	STJ	8:00am	<i>Frances Hogan</i>
Wednesday	11/13	STM	8:00am	Leaner Bax
Thursday	11/14	SBK	8:00am	Deacon Mike Suden
Friday	11/15	SBK	8:00am	John Meyers
Saturday	11/16	SBK	4:00pm	<i>St. Vincent de Paul Beneficiaries</i>
Sunday	11/17	STM	7:30am	<i>Pro Populo</i>
Sunday	11/17	SBK	9:15am	Stephanie Goden
Sunday	11/17	STJ	11:00am	Sylvester & Helen Murphy

2024 HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

Monday, December 9th - Immaculate Conception

Wednesday, December 25th - Christmas Day

Holy Mass times will be announced closer to the dates.

Mass Times:

Saturday	4:00PM	St. Bridget
Sunday	7:30AM	St. Mary
	9:15AM	St. Bridget
	11:00AM	St. James
Monday	8:00AM	St. Bridget
Tuesday	8:00AM	St. James
Wednesday	8:00AM	St. Mary
Thursday	8:00AM	St. Bridget
Friday	8:00AM	St. Bridget
1st Saturday	8:00AM	St. James

Confession Times:

Sunday	6:30 - 7:15AM	St. Mary
Tuesday	6:00 - 6:50PM	St. Bridget
Saturday	7:00 - 7:45AM	St. James
Saturday	2:30 - 3:30PM	St. Bridget

Eucharistic Exposition:

Tuesday	11:00AM - 7:00PM	St. Bridget
Benediction at 6:55PM		St. Bridget

Adoration Chapel at St. Mary:

Call Parish Office for code.

Baptism, Marriage, to become Catholic:

Please contact the Parish Office.

Sacramental Emergency:

Call 636-257-4533 Option 4

St. Bridget Parish Office:

Hours: Mon - Thurs 8:00AM - 4:00PM

636-271-3993 ext. 201

Website: www.sbkparish.org

St. James & St. Mary's Parish Office:

Hours: Mon, Tues, & Fri 9:00AM - 2:00PM

636-451-4685

Website: www.stmarys-moselle.com

Liturgical Ministers

SAT	November 16, 2024	4:00pm	SBK
	Lector:	Wayne & Renee Myers	
SUN	November 17, 2024	7:30am	STM
	Lector:	Stan Eden	
SUN	November 17, 2024	9:15am	SBK
	Lector:	Ginger Beck	
SUN	November 17, 2024	11:00am	STJ
	Lector:	Ed Tenny	

St. Bridget Stewardship

11/3/2024

Collection Envelopes

Our weekly need is \$8,000.00

Offertory received: \$5,173.35

Online donation: \$3,734.99

Total received: \$8,908.34

All Saints: \$428.00

All Souls: \$155.00

Parish Improvements: \$60.00

Candle: \$26.00

Hurricane Helene Relief: \$891.00

St. Vincent de Paul: \$495.00

St. James Stewardship

11/3/2024

Collection Envelopes

Offertory received: \$3,334.00

Parish Improvements: \$30.00

All Saints: \$166.00

Purgatory/All Souls: \$58.00

Hurricane Helene Relief: \$1,242.25

St. Mary's Stewardship

11/3/2024

Collection Envelopes

Offertory received: \$1,880.00

Parish Improvements: \$50.00

Purgatory/All Souls: \$230.00

All Saints: \$280.00

ANNOUNCEMENT

With the upcoming holiday season the bulletins will need to be submitted early in order to be delivered on time. If you want to submit an article or notice I will need to receive the information 2 weeks prior of when you are wanting the notice to appear. Thank you.

Sunday, Nov. 10	Monday, Nov. 11	Tuesday, Nov. 12	Wednesday, Nov. 13
10:15am - Donut Sunday, Gym	8:00am - Piecemakers Quilters, Hall 11:00am - Altar Ladies Meeting, School 6:30pm - Home and School Meeting, Cafeteria	11:00am - Exposition, Church 6:30pm - RCIA/RCIC, Cafeteria 6:45pm - Benediction, Church	6:00pm - Family Encounter Night, School
Thursday, Nov 14	Friday, Nov. 15	Saturday, Nov. 16	
7:00pm - All School/Parish Meeting, Gym			Green Font - Event held at St. Bridget Orange Font - Event held at St. James Blue Font - Event held at St. Mary's

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I am greatly saddened at the passing of Amendment 3. The amendment passed with a narrow margin and with the pro-abortion side outspending us about 20 to 1. We should not stand for this, I hope this prompts at least some of you to work with me on crafting a new amendment and promoting it to our legislature, for example: no abortions by dismemberments, chemical burning, or poisoning.

We need to pray for our newly elected leaders that they keep their moral campaign promises but that they change their minds and do not keep their immoral commitments, especially regarding abortion of the preborn.

In our moral lives we are never obliged to keep an immoral promise. Immoral promises like "I'll never forgive," or "I'll help you cheat," or "I'll keep abortion legal" are wrong to make in the first place and it is not more wrong to break those promises; it is actually a good thing to change one's mind.

Reminder that St. Bridget has an All School / Parish meeting in the Gym at 7PM on Thursday (November 14th.)

Yours in Christ,
Fr. Nord

Scriptural References for this Sunday's Hymns

Offertory: Where Charity and Love Prevail
See the Gospel, Mark 12: 38-44

Communion: O Breathe on Me, O Breath of God
See the Gospel Acclamation, Matthew 5: 3

Recessional: The Church's One Foundation
See the Second Reading, Hebrews 9: 24-28



Baptized in Christ

Rosemary Eila Stultz

Daughter of Gunnar and Carolyn Stultz
November 2nd at St. Bridget of Kildare



Rest in Peace

Linda Bromeier

Parishioner of St. Bridget of Kildare
recently passed away
our sympathies to the Bromeier family.

★ GOD BLESS ★
OUR VETERANS! ©LPI

ANNOUNCEMENT

There will be no Parents of Prodigals meeting in November due to the All School and Parish meeting.

The next meeting will be December 12th at 6:00pm
in the Knights of Columbus Hall.

Advent by Candlelight

SAT, DEC 7
6-8 PM



GUEST SPEAKER
Fr. Donald Morris
MUSIC BY
Ryan Murphy
THEME
A Mary Christmas

5 PM - Doors Open
5-6 PM - Cocktail Hour
6 PM - Program Begins
8 PM - Evening Ends

St. Bridget of Kildare Gym
223 W. Union St. Pacific, MO 63069

ALL WOMEN ARE WELCOME!

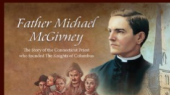
Register as an individual, or register your table of up to 8 women. Bring soup or salad for shared buffet dinner, plus snacks & drinks to share with your table. Sandwiches, water, & coffee will be provided. A free will offering will be accepted.

Paper Registration Forms available at each parish. Or register online: bit.ly/adventwithmary

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

GROWING IN FAITH CLUB

3-PART VIDEO SERIES PRESENTED BY DEACON DEAN & KITTY MANDIS
FOCUSED ON THE SAINTS OF OUR CHURCH:
BLESSED SOLANUS CASEY, VENERABLE MICHAEL MCGIVNEY, & ST. RITA OF CASCIA
(SUBJECT TO CHANGE)



MONDAYS, 6:00 - 7:00 PM
NOV 18, NOV 25, & DEC 2
ST. BRIDGET SCHOOL CAFETERIA
In Memory of Deacon Mike Suden

St. James Money Counter Volunteers Needed.

Please contact the St. Mary and St. James Parish Office if you would like to volunteer.

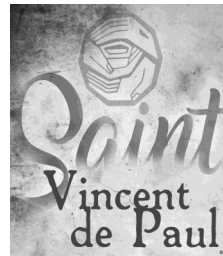
More information will be provided upon contacting the office.

stm.stj.vr@gmail.com or 636-451-4685

St. Mary's Altar Ladies Meeting

Monday, November 11th @ 11 am
in the school building

All ladies are welcome to join us.



SVDP IMMEDIATE NEEDS!!

St. Bridget's Only!

- ⇒ Canned Meat
- ⇒ Canned Fruit
- ⇒ Deodorant

We have a neighbor in great need. We are looking for a Contractor, Attorney, and a Plumber, who will graciously donate their Time and Talent. Please call Sue Riemann at 314-308-0779.

THANK YOU!

We would like to thank everyone for your support at our event Walk For The Poor, in September.

A special thank you to preschooler, Malachi Inman, who raised \$85.00 for the walk. He won the pizza party for his preschool class.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul - St. Bridget Conference

DONUT SUNDAY!

November 10th, 2024

SBK will be serving DONUTS after the 9:15am Holy Mass, in the SBK School Gym. Join fellow parishioners and visitors for some Faith, Fellowship and delicious donuts.



Through daily reflections on the Sunday Holy Mass & guided meditation videos, Rejoice! will help you build a daily, sustainable habit of prayer that you can carry with you into the new year.

JOIN US FOR A 3-WEEK BOOK STUDY ON THURSDAYS FOLLOWING THE 8:00 A.M. HOLY MASS AT ST. BRIDGET.

December 5th, 12th, & 19th
Location TBD



Please register to
dbrickler@sbkschool.org for a discounted book. The cost is \$7.



Quilt Raffle Winner

CONGRATULATIONS TO

Karen Bradshaw,

WINNER OF THE QUILT RAFFLE AT THE ST. BRIDGET FALL FESTIVAL!





ST. BRIDGET OF KILDARE CATHOLIC SCHOOL

223 W. Union St, Pacific, MO 63069
ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE * SMALL CLASS SIZES * FAITH COMMUNITY

SCHOOL NEWS



All-School & Parish Meeting

**ALL SCHOOL FAMILIES & ST. BRIDGET
PARISHIONERS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND.**

Thursday, November 14th at 7PM

ST. BRIDGET OF KILDARE GYM

Fr. Nord will present on stewardship & evangelization at
St. Bridget Parish & School. Fr. Nord will explain:

- **The school's mission**
- **The spiritual & financial strengths
of St. Bridget Parish & School**
- **The ways in which growth is
required**



Important Dates:

Mon. Nov 11: 6:30pm - Home and School
Meeting, Cafeteria

Thurs. Nov. 14: 7:00pm - All School/
Parish meeting, Gym

Wed. Nov. 20 - Picture Retake Day

100%
STATE TAX CREDITS

AVAILABLE TO INDIVIDUALS AND BUSINESSES

Make your
reservation today!

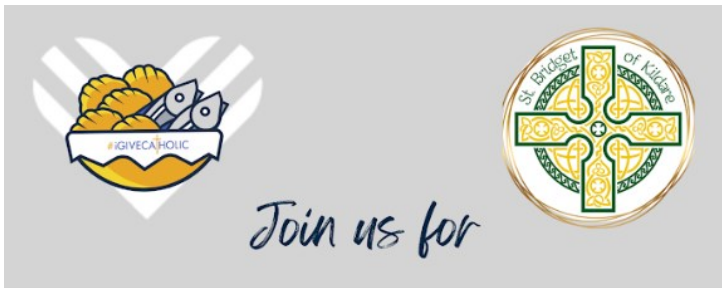
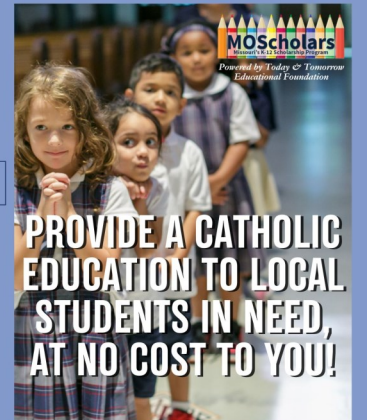


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Questions?
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#iGIVECATHOLIC
ON GIVING TUESDAY

DECEMBER 3, 2024

**ADVANCED GIVING STARTS NOVEMBER 18! HELP SUPPORT
ST. BRIDGET SCHOOL'S TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM!**

SCAN THE QR CODE OR SEARCH FOR US
AT STL.IGIVECATHOLIC.ORG

dbrickler@sbkschool.org

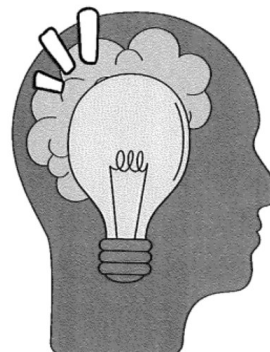
314-780-8898 or 636-271-3993



MIDDLE SCHOOL TRIVIA NIGHT

GRADES 5-8 WELCOME
TABLES OF 8-10

CONTACT LAURA TO
REGISTER A TABLE
CALL OR TEXT
314-604-2920
LPAGE@SBKSCHOOL.ORG
OR CALL THE SCHOOL OFFICE
636-271-4533 EXT 100
CONCESSION AVAILABLE OR
BRING YOUR OWN SNACKS



**TICKETS
\$10/
person**

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22

St. Bridget's Gym
Doors open at 6:30, Trivia starts at 7.
Proceeds go to 8th grade Pro-Life Trip

Fall Festival T-Shirts for Sale





**XL
AVAILABLE**

\$15

**L, XL, & 2XL
AVAILABLE**

**Limited Quantity! To purchase, visit: bit.ly/sbkffshirt
OR call Parish Office, 636-271-3993 x201**



Immaculate Conception/Dardenne
TOUR OF THE RELICS OF

SAINT JUDE


THE APOSTLE OF THE IMPOSSIBLE


DATE: Sunday, November 10, 2024

LOCATION: Immaculate Conception Dardenne Church


ADDRESS: 7707 Town Square Ave,
Dardenne Prairie, MO 63368
636-561-6661

VENERATION OF THE RELIC
Times: 3:00pm-4:30pm,
followed by 5:00 pm Mass
Continuing @ 6:30pm-9:00pm





THE APOSTLE OF THE IMPOSSIBLE
TOUR OF THE RELICS OF
ST. JUDE THE APOSTLE



Archdiocese of St. Louis
Monthly Pro-Life Mass & Rosary

Immaculate Conception (Dardenne Prairie)

The next prayer event is November 16, starting at 8:00am.

Participants will then pray a pro-life Rosary following Mass for the following intentions: that all will recognize the dignity of preborn human life, for the end of legalized abortion in the U.S.; for all those facing unplanned pregnancies; for those caught up in the abortion industry, and that all those wounded by abortion will accept God's love and mercy.

Contact prolife@archstl.org or 314-792-7555 for additional information.

Catholic Retreat Experience a CURSILLO Weekend

What if you could spend a weekend that helps you experience your Catholic faith more fully & encourages you to engage in a spiritual life filled with love, joy, & enthusiasm? You CAN by participating in a Cursillo Weekend.

The St. Louis Archdiocese Cursillo will host the following upcoming weekends:

Men's Fall Weekend-DEC 5-8, 2024
Women's Spring Weekend-MAR 27-30, 2025

The weekends are held at the Manresa Retreat Center near the campus of St. Louis University. Transportation is provided. Take advantage of a powerful experience that will enhance your relationship with God & others.

Register to Attend:
Please contact
Denise Brickler @ 314-780-8898
dbrickler@sbkschool.org



Divine Mercy Yard Sign Ministry

Nativity Signs



**To order, call Bill Gegg
at 636-667-7867**

Also available in Spanish

O Come Let Us Adore Him

BIRTHRIGHT DONATION NEEDS:

Baby Wash & Lotions	Thermometers
Shampoo, Conditioner & Body Wash for Moms	Baby Nail Clippers
Size 12/18/24 month PJ's	Baby Spoons
Large (8oz) Baby Bottles	Size NB, 4, 5, 6, 7 Diapers
New Clothing Items, 0-2T	Pull-ups in 2, 3, 4T
Pacifiers	



JMJ Sacred Family Resource Store

Shop local at JMJ Sacred Family Store for your Advent/Christmas gifts this year.

Hours open: Wed. - Fri. 10:00am - 4:00pm
Sat. 10:00am - 2:00pm

Located at 121 W. Main St. Washington

"The Grotto at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish will have a Rosary on the 13th of each month at 6:30pm. In the event of inclement weather, the Rosary will be in the Church. Bring a lawn chair or kneeling pad. Join us!"

1014 Madison Avenue
Washington, MO 63090

MASS Intentions

Wanting Prayers for a Loved One - Living or Deceased?

Mass Intentions are a great way to do that.

The St. Bridget parish office keeps the schedule for St. Bridget Holy Masses and the St. Mary/St. James parish office keeps the schedule for both St. Mary and St. James Holy Masses.

For Masses at St Bridget please contact the office
@ 636-271-3993 ext 201,

Please make checks out to St. Bridget

For Masses at either St. Mary or St. James please call the office @
636-451-4685,

Please make checks out to St. Mary

Typical donations are \$10 per Mass Intention.

UPCOMING AREA EVENTS

Come & See Retreat - Kenrick-Glennon Seminary; Nov. 15-17, arrive Friday at 5:00pm and depart Sunday after 9:00 Mass, Designed for men in high school who are interested in learning more about seminary life. Business dress (long pants & collared shirt) is required. Bring athletic clothes. **Retreat is free!** Register at <https://www.stlvocations.org/retreat>

No Mercy Movie Premiere - Chaminade High School; Nov. 16, Reception 2pm, Premiere Screening 3pm, Chuck Neff's *No Mercy* documentary featuring Sr. Dede Byrne on euthanasia in our hospitals and nursing homes, Skip Viragh Center - Chaminade High School, for more information: call 314-322-0337 or visit <https://tinyurl.com/NoMercyPremiere>

Chicken & Fish Fry - St. Vincent (Dutzow); Fri. Nov. 22, Serving 4:00pm - 7:00pm, Chicken, Cod & Swai fish, Dine In: Adults \$15, Kids (6-11) \$6, Under 6 Free, Carry-outs: \$15, Benefits: Adopt a Family & Terry Lee Glosemeyer Scholarship

BB Gun Shoot - Family Event - Union KC Hall; Sun. Dec. 1, 1:00pm, Food and Drinks available, assorted meat prizes, win a BB Gun - age 7-12 (parent or guardian must be present), Women's round, Off Hand only, no rests or supports, guns provided, safety glasses recommended and available, safety glasses required for anyone 16 years or younger.



PRAYERS FOR OUR LOVED ONES MAY GOD PROVIDE HEALING AND COMFORT

Please remember the sick in your daily prayers and devotions:

Lisa Barker, Marsha Barrak, Linda Bromeier, Thomas Bub, Monica Dabbs, Daryl Denu, Bev Duncan, Glenn Dunham, Marie Dunham, Amy Frazier, Patricia Goodman, Gabriel Gregory, Connie Hagedorn, Sally Hanneken, Natalie Henik, Patricia Hunter, Deacon Brian Knight, Doug Knight, Robert Livell, Nicole Lundak, Sallie Mark, Tonya Marsala, Ramon Martinez, Troy McCart, Steve Morton, David Mueller, Paul Mueller, Roseanne Mueller, Mary Reeves, Eric Rogers, Martin Sahn, Nicholas Sahn, Jeremiah Santhuff, Bob Smiley, Toni Strothkamp, Bernie Trentmann, Sharon Trentmann, Eddie Wassell, Becky Whelan, Wiersma Family, Dan Witte, Emily Ziegler, Jessie Ziegler, Home Bound and Nursing Home Patients

Also, those who serve our country.

Andrew Bornholdt, Jennings Casey, Alex Churchill, Aaron Cooley, Corey Dorsey, Brandon Ell, Wade Iliff Jr., Mike Murphy, Jeremy Ross, Jonathon Savala & Steven Sutterer.