

*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*



May 11, 2025



4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

**"My sheep hear my voice; I know them,
and they follow me." - Jn 10:27**

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St. James & St. Mary's

Parish Secretary:

Mrs. Julie Busch
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**Bulletin Article Submission
Deadline: Monday 2:00PM**

Mass Schedule				Mass Intentions
Monday	5/12	SBK	8:00am	<i>Michael & Angela Brant</i>
Tuesday	5/13	STJ	8:00am	Agnes Conner
Wednesday	5/14	STM	8:00am	James (Jim) Hagedorn
Thursday	5/15	SBK	8:00am	LaVerne Meyers
Friday	5/16	SBK	8:00am	Harlan & Barbara Bruns
Saturday	5/17	SBK	4:00pm	Paula Dailey
Sunday	5/18	STM	7:30am	James Eckelkamp
Sunday	5/18	SBK	9:15am	<i>Pro Populo</i>
Sunday	5/18	STJ	11:00am	Harold & Agnes Conner

2025 HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

Friday, August 15th - Assumption of The Blessed Virgin Mary
Monday, December 8th - Immaculate Conception
Thursday, December 25th - Christmas

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	May 17, 2025 4:00pm SBK
	Lector: Jan Brokaw
SUN	May 18, 2025 7:30 am STM
	Lector: Stan Eden
SUN	May 18, 2025 9:15am SBK
	Lector: Chris Brickler
SUN	May 18, 2025 11:00am STJ
	Lector: Ed Tenny

St. Bridget Stewardship

5/4/2025

Collection Envelopes

Our weekly need is \$8,000.00

Offertory received: \$4,817.00

Online donation: \$3,932.94

Total collected: \$8,749.94

Parish Improvements: \$200.00

Candle: \$11.00

St. Vincent de Paul: \$418.00

St. James Stewardship

5/4/2025

Collection Envelopes

Offertory received: \$1,354.00

Parish Improvements: \$30.00

St. Mary's Stewardship

5/4/2025

Collection Envelopes

Offertory received: \$3,155.00

Parish Improvements: \$250.00

Parish Cemetery: \$100.00

Easter Offering: \$25.00

Candles: \$47.00

Scriptural References for this Sunday's Hymns
Since our three parishes use different music resources, hymn selections may vary

The King of Love My Shepherd Is
See the Gospel, John 10: 27-30

Gift of Finest Wheat - 426
See the Gospel Acclamation, John 10: 14

Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones
See the Second Reading, Revelation 7: 9, 14b-17

Sunday, May 11	Monday, May 12	Tuesday, May 13	Wednesday, May 14
7:30am - May Crowning 10:15am - Rosary Procession	8:00am - Piecemakers Quilters, Hall 11:00am - Altar Ladies Meeting, School	11:00am - Exposition, Church 6:30pm - Benediction, Church	
Thursday, May 15	Friday, May 16	Saturday, May 17	
5:30pm - Combined Choir Practice, Church			Green Font - Event held at St. Bridget Orange Font - Event held at St. James Blue Font - Event held at St. Mary's

Dear Parishioners,

Our secret confession times have gone well these past two weeks, so I intend to continue them. I love that sacrament, both receiving it myself and providing it for you!

Thank you for your response to the Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA.) Even a small gift can help us make our participation goals.

Yours in Christ,
Fr. Alex Nord

P.S. With all of the information that is out on the internet, there will always be scammers out there pretending to me via email. You can check the actual email it was sent from (not just the name which anyone can make up, but the one with the "@" and that usually makes it obvious if it was not already clearly a scam. There is never anything so urgent via email (despite the lies of the scammers) that you cannot double check with the office if you are unsure, even if it is a couple of days until the office is open. I will not ask you to get gift cards via email. I might ask Julie or Renee in person to do that, but not via email alone! This sort of scamming can also happen via text.

2nd Annual Progressive Dinner



Sunday, May 18

Sign-Up: bit.ly/progressivedinnerRSVP

Pies & Cakes Needed

for our
2nd Annual Progressive Dinner
for our 3 parishes

Sunday, May 18

Donate a cake or pie to the Progressive Dinner on May 18th.
Please contact Barb Lagermann at 314-640-3481



Baptized in Christ

Isaras Galvan
Alan Galvan

Sons of Isaras Rodriquez and Alma Coronilla
April 26th at St. Bridget of Kildare



Kenneth Schmidt

Recently passed away,
our sympathies to the Schmidt family.

May he rest in peace.

JOIN US FOR A
SUMMER RELIGION
Catholic Faith
PROGRAM

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Summer Religion Program

June 2 – June 6, 2025
8:30 AM – 11:30 AM

OPEN TO PRE-K TO HIGH SCHOOL
\$50 per family

One Week of Fun Taught by the
Sisters of St. Francis of the Martyr St. George
Meet Friends and Deepening Your Spiritual Faith and
Relationship with God

Send enrollment form to:
St. Mary's of Perpetual Help
1587 Hwy AM
Villa Ridge, Mo. 63089
Office number (636)-451-4685

PRINTABLE ENROLLMENT FORM AT WEBSITE
<https://www.stmarys-moselle.com/>

**ST. MARY ALTAR LADIES SOCIETY
MEETING**

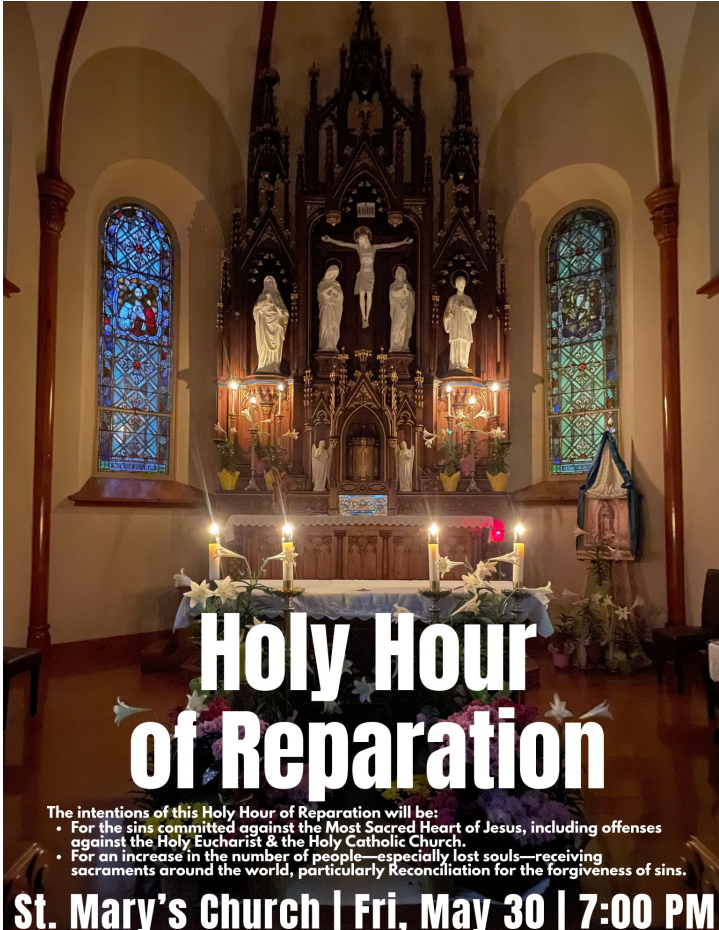
Monday, May 12th at 11:00am
School Building

**St. Mary's Altar Ladies
Bake Sale**

Friday, May 23rd; 12:00pm
Villa Ridge Wayside
3302 Mo-100, Villa Ridge MO

THANK YOU!

The Pacific Knights of Columbus report that donations from the 2024 Advent Baby Bottle donations from our three Parishes totaled \$2,220.00! Checks were issued to Tricounty Birthright (Eureka) for \$1,110.00, and to Your Other Mother (Union) for \$1,110.00, both local organizations providing Pro-Life support for expectant mothers. The Knights of Columbus thank you for your generous contributions!



Holy Hour of Reparation

The intentions of this Holy Hour of Reparation will be:

- For the sins committed against the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, including offenses against the Holy Eucharist & the Holy Catholic Church.
- For an increase in the number of people—especially lost souls—receiving sacraments around the world, particularly Reconciliation for the forgiveness of sins.

St. Mary's Church | Fri, May 30 | 7:00 PM



Cleaning Service Needed

Fr. Nord is looking for a cleaning service to clean the St. Bridget Parish Office & Rectory, 1x/week, rotating between the 2 buildings.

Please call the St. Bridget Parish Office if interested, 636-271-3993 ext. 1201.



FISH FRY CATFISH FOR SALE

St. Bridget has 11 - 15 lb. boxes of catfish for sale.
\$38.50/box
Call Parish Office, 636-271-4533, to purchase.

Now Hiring!

Communications Specialist/Secretary (full-time)

3-Parish Combined Office



Full Job Description

Full Job Description at:
bit.ly/secretaryjobposting

APPLY NOW:

Send resume & cover letter to Fr. Alexander Nord, Pastor:
frnord@sbkschool.org

And apply online at link found at:
bit.ly/secretaryjobposting

SCHOOL NEWS



Important Dates:

Wed, May 14: Gr 6-7 Field Trip - Top Golf

Wed, May 14: Gr 8 Trip to Camila's for their Spanish Final

Fri, May 16: Gr 3-5 Field Trip-Main Event

Fri, May 16: PreK Field Trip to Brookdale Farms



St. Bridget Faith Formation Registration (previously "PSR")

Sunday Mornings
9:15-11:45 AM
Grades PK3-8th

2025-2026

New for 25/26:

- **New Name** = Faith Formation
- **Day & Time** = SUNDAY MORNINGS beginning with 9:15 AM Holy Mass
- **Age Levels** = 3 YEARS to 8th GRADE
- **Family Faith Formation** = On 2nd SUNDAYS, ALL FAMILIES MUST ATTEND TOGETHER. Breakfast will be provided!

ENROLL NOW

(Registration is all online this year.)

New Families:

bit.ly/2526faithformationnew

Returning Families:

bit.ly/2526faithformation

Important Dates:

- Open House / Meet the Teacher = SUN, AUG 31
- Classes Start = SUN, SEPT 14



Save the Date ST. MARY'S PARISH PICNIC



SUNDAY, AUGUST 3
11:00 AM - 5:30 PM



Save the Date ST. JAMES PARISH PICNIC



SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12
11:00 AM - 5:30 PM

Save the Date St. Bridget FALL FESTIVAL



SUNDAY,
OCT 19, 2025



TOTUS TUUS 2025

Parish Summer Catechetical Program
(like Vacation Bible School)

July 28th-August 1st, 2025

Monday - Friday
9am-3pm

Grades
Rising 1st-6th graders
(school year 2025-2026)

Sack Lunch

Please send a sack lunch & water bottle with your student.
Snacks will be provided.

Location

St. Bridget of Kildare Catholic School

COST:

\$50/FAMILY

(PARISHIONER RATE -
ST. BRIDGET, ST. JAMES, ST. MARY'S)

\$100/FAMILY

(NON-PARISHIONER RATE)

REGISTER:

bit.ly/sbktotustuus



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

Immaculate Conception (Park Hills)

The next prayer event May 17th, starting at 9:00 am.
Rosary at 8:30am

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.



GROTTO ROSARY

WHEN:
The 13th of each month
6:30pm

WHERE:
Our Lady of Lourdes Grotto

INCLEMENT WEATHER LOCATION:
Our Lady of Lourdes Church

Bring a kneeling pad or lawn chair!

St. Patrick's Old Rock Church Preservation Society invites you to St. Patrick's Old Rock Church for our annual

Memorial Day Holy Mass


MON, MAY 26 @ 11:00 AM



Archbishop Rozanski will celebrate Holy Mass.


St. Patrick's Old Rock Church | 150 Rock Church Road | Catawissa, MO 63015

KENRICK GLENNON DAYS
2025



June 9-14 | Catholic Summer Camp for Boys
Kenrick-Glennon Seminary

Grade 6th & 7th (6/9-6/11)
Grade 8th & 9th (6/12-6/14)



www.stlvocations.org/kgd



ST. BRIDGET OF KILDARE

GOLF TOURNAMENT

SATURDAY, JUNE 7, 2025
LUNCH - 11:30 AM
TEE OFF - 12:30 PM

WOLF HOLLOW GOLF CLUB

4504 HIGHWAY 100, LABADIE, MO

REGISTRATION FEE: \$125 / PLAYER
INCLUDES GOLF, CART, & LUNCH

ATTENDANCE PRIZES - SPECIALTY HOLES - AND MORE!

FOR MORE INFORMATION - OR TO SPONSOR A HOLE - Contact
Kenny Payne: 314-276-0811, kmkapayne@yahoo.com

