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SUNDAY & WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

SUNDAY MASSES

Sunday: 7:00AM; 9:00AM; & 11:00AM Saturday (Vigil): 4:00PM

(Drive-through Holy Communion after the Saturday 4PM Mass & Sunday 9AM Mass)

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 6:30AM Wednesday: 6:30PM Monday – Friday: 8:30AM

LIVESTREAMED MASSES

Accessible on Facebook and YouTube 9:00 AM Sunday Mass 8:30 AM Weekday Masses

SACRAMENTAL LIFE

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call the Parish Office.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Scheduled on Saturdays: 2:30PM—3:15PM & or 7:00PM—7:30PM
Also available by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Call the Parish Office at least six months prior to intended wedding date.

Do not schedule a venue before securing the wedding date.

SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

To request the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick please contact the parish office.

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY

In case of emergency or if you have experienced the death of a family member, please call the Parish Office number at any time. If the office is closed, menu option #2 will connect you with a priest immediately.

PRAYER CHAIN: (417)-887-0600

Prompt #3 will connect you to the mailbox where you may leave a prayer request.

Please leave contact information with the request.

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

President: Mr. James Weissler Vice-President: Mr. Bruce Horine Secretary: Mrs. Casey Hunt

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President: Mr. David Moffis



IMMACULATE CONCEPTION PARISH

THIRTIETH WEEK OF ORDINARY TIME · OCTOBER 24, 2021

PARISHIONERS WHO NEED SPECIAL PRAYERS

Tony Giglio, Catherine Jolivette, Deborah Rivers, Joanne Gamba, George Garza, Emilia Dellegrazio, Kevin Sides, Lillian Kinion, Richard Brekken, Shirley Hale, Theresa Lassen, Elizabeth Tomelleri, Matt Rosebrough, Mike Wilkinson, Susan Craig, Dan Comoroski, Cheryl Haik, Mark Stark, George Preisinger, Stephen Kiely, Donald Borneman, Sherri Hawkins, Janice Hill, Sophia Griesbaum, Cora Gumucio, Nick, Angie, Laura Seemuth, Gerald Martin, Eloise Fetter, George Klesel, Gerri Klesel, Tony Klesel, Corine Larson, Mary Miller, Jan Royster, Nicole Zangrilli, Tom Johnson, Pat Bauer, Dana Stuhlsatz, Steve Kronberger & those not listed in need.

We also remember in prayer all healthcare professionals, all who are battling chronic illnesses, COVID-19 victims, those struggling with COVID-19, the homebound, and all in isolation.

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR ...

THE 32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME NOVEMBER 7, 2021

1 KINGS: 17:10-16 Psalm 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 Hebrews 9:24-28/Mark 12:38-44 or 12:41-44

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Please remember in prayers our faithful departed: Charles Robert Storie, husband of Paulette, and all of his friends and family members who mourn his passing.



May his soul, and the souls of all of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace!

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Monday, November 1st—All Saints

Parish Offices Closed

6:30AM Daily Mass David Smith Family (Int.)

8:30AM Daily Mass + Flor Rivera

5:30PM Daily Mass + Marjorie Baughman

Tuesday, November 2nd—All Souls Day

6:30AM Daily Mass + Michael Coleman

8:30AM Daily Mass + Thomas James

Wednesday, November 3rd-St. Martin De Porres, Religious

8:30AM Daily Mass + Jim Haynes

6:30PM Daily Mass Purgatorial Society

Thursday, November 4th—Saint Charles Borromeo, Bishop

6:30AM Daily Mass + Robert Zucchini

8:30AM Daily Mass + Earl Straus

Friday, November 5th

6:30AM Daily Mass + Robert Lawrence

8:30AM Daily Mass + Alfred Westrich

Saturday, November 6th

4:00PM Vigil Mass Parish Family

Sunday, November 7th - 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:00AM Sunday Mass + Patricia Scherer 9:00AM Sunday Mass Parish Family

11:00AM Sunday Mass + Marguerite Ewing

PARISH ROSARY ON SUNDAYS AT 8:30AM

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ALL MASSES ARE LOCATED IN THE MAIN CHURCH

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YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 24, 2021

Envelopes:	\$	7,291.32	Sponsor-A-Child	\$ 35.00
Plate:	\$	1,697.77	St. Vincent de Paul	\$ 190.00
Weekly Total:	\$	8,989.09	Parish Repair & Maintenance	\$.00
Annual Budgeted Collection:	\$	1,142,355.00	Votives	\$ 149.00
Year-to-Date Budget:	\$	373,462.29	Masses	\$ 0.00
Year-to-Date Collection:	\$	253,523.36	World Missions	\$ 390.00
	(32.12% below budget)		All Souls	\$ 100.00
DONATE ONLINE:			SCS Annual Fund	\$ 100.00
			Poor	\$ 25.00

Retired Religious

WHITE ELEPHANT SALE

Do you have any white elephants hiding in your closets, drawers, or attic? We will begin collecting items on Saturday Oct. 23. Please place items in the deck box by the double doors of Community Room A. Large items cannot be brought until Friday Nov. 12. PLEASE DO NOT BRING TV'S, COMPUTERS, OR CLOTHING!! Call Sandie DeFrank at 417-300-1930 for more information or if you would like to volunteer to work.



Sale will be held on November 13 & 14, 2021

Start your Christmas shopping at our Holiday Sale (huge White Elephant & Bake Sale) in Community Room A & B. Saturday Nov. 13 from 8:00 to 6:00 & Sunday Nov.14 from 8:00 to 1:00. There will be breakfast items & lunch served!

Baked Goods are needed for Bake Sale!

Ladies and gentlemen of the parish, start your baking now for the PCCW bake sale and White Elephant sale on Saturday and Sunday, November 13th and 14th! We need the help of all I.C. households participate by baking or with donations to help support our Seminarians, our parish, community and International projects. This is our only fund raising project for the year, and we appreciate your home baked goodies! Items may be dropped off on Friday from 8:00-5:00 or Saturday 8:00-6:00 in Community room B.

Call Karen Soetaert at 887-7929 for any questions or to volunteer to

THE BOOK OF REMEMBERANCE

The Book of Remembrance will be present in the gathering area of our parish for the next few weeks. This book offers us a chance to name our loved ones who have passed on, and to pray for them with the aid of your parish family. Please feel free to add any deceased loved ones that you would like to pray for!



ALL SAINTS DAY AND ALL SOULS DAY



This year, **All Saints Day**, which is celebrated on November 1st each year, falls on a Monday, which means that it will not be a holy day of obligation this year.

However, we will still be having Mass that day at 6:30am, 8:30am, and 5:30am. We encourage all to join

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Our celebrations of Holy Mass on **All Souls Day** on November 2nd will be at 6:30am and 8:30am.

SCRIPTURE STUDY GROUP

Every Thursday through November 4, 2021

10:15am-12:00pm or 7:15pm-9:00pm
If you would like to sign up, please scan the QR code to the to view and print out the flyer for this series!





Starting this Thursday, November 4, 2021, we will be providing the opportunity for Eucharistic Adoration every Thursday, starting immediately with the 8:30am Mass, and concluding at 7:00pm.

There will be a **Solemn Holy Hour** from 6:00pm-7:00pm each Thursday, during which both Fr. Shoby and Fr. Belken will be available for the Sacrament of Confession.

To ensure the Blessed Sacrament is never left unattended, we are asking that two individuals (or families) sign up to adore weekly for each hour throughout the day. You may sign up on the gathering space table, or via the QR Code here.



Come, let us adore Him!

TRUNK OR TREAT

Join us for an evening of fun, food, and festivity at our annual Trunk or Treat October 31, 2021, from 3:30-5:00pm, in the parish parking lot! Kids of all ages are welcome to dress up in their favorite costume and come for plenty of treats, food and fun activities! Yes, it is all free! Adults: we need volunteers for trunks! Not only can you participate in the fun, there are prizes for the best decorated trunks as well! If



you have a trunk to volunteer, please help us and scan the QR code to sign-up!



Men's Prayer Group Meeting

Our next meeting will be Sunday night, October 31st, at 7:00PM. The Rosary will be prayed at 6:30PM in Community Room B.

Contact Bruce Horine at 417.833.7913 with

SUNDAY MORNING ROSARY

The Rosary is always prayed before the 9:00am Sunday Mass, beginning at 8:30am in the church. All are welcome to join us!



Springfield Catholic Schools Immaculate Conception, 417.881.7000 St. Elizabeth Ann Seton 417.887.6056 St. Agnes Cathedral School 417.866.5038. Springfield Catholic High School 417.887.8817

Springfield Catholic Schools System is accepting applications for Substitute Teachers and substitute paraprofessionals (teacher's aide) for the 2021-2022 school year.

This is a great opportunity for parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles to help out at their child(ren) school.

60+ credit hours, VIRTUS certification (the school provides) and a background check is required for employment.

To submit an application, go to scspk12.org click "About" and "Employment Opportunities" and then select substitute.

Catch the excitement and make an appointment to tour our schools today! Springfield Catholic Schools are open for five-day seated instructions, from 8:00 to 3:00. Although space is limited, there are still openings in select classes. One of these openings could be for you! Come and be a part of the Irish Tradition! Go to our website at SpringfieldCatholicSchools.org to submit an inquiry form, select "Admissions" and "New Families" or you can call our schools:

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton 417-887-6056, St. Agnes 417-866-5038, Immaculate Conception 417-881-7000, Springfield Catholic High School 417-887-8817.

IMMACULATE SCHOOL NEWS

We are so thankful that we are able to start gathering as a community again. Volunteers and parents are again roaming our hallways, and our in-person parent teacher conferences made all the difference this past week!

IC School will celebrate All Saints' Day on Monday during an All-School 8:30 Mass. Please join us if you are able.

Having the Irish Children's Choir leading us in song, the IC Tech Ninjas and lectors guiding us in prayer, and the IC Middle School servers assisting Father Shoby and Father Belken are signs of good times ahead for

IC Parish and School.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION SCHOOL

Continue to Help us Show SOUL! (Serving Others Under Love)

WE NEED HELP IN THE IC CAFÉ!

Do you or does someone you know need a part-time job? Immaculate Conception School Cafeteria is seeking a kitchen helper. (8:30-1:00 Monday-Friday) Food service experience is helpful, but it is not a requirement. Please contact Mary McClain at (417) 581-3164 if interested!

PARISH ROOFING REPAIRS

We are currently planning to replace and repair parts of the parish roof which has age and leaking issues and will cost \$395,379.00. The documentation related to this project was reviewed with the parish finance council and parish pastoral council at their respective meetings. Both consultative groups shared their opinions openly and recommended proceeding with the project. After carefully weighing the information received from these consultations and other sources, I requested permission of Most Reverend Edward M. Rice, our Bishop, to proceed with project. After reviewing the



documents, he approved and signed the contract with Delta Roofing Inc. With Fr. Belken and the staff, I want to thank you every member of our parish for your support and generosity!

-Fr. Shoby

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHOIRS

We are looking for new members who love music to participate in the musical life of our parish. The ability to read music is not necessary. We're offering the 9:00 A.M. Choir, the Resurrection Choir for funerals, a Children's Choir and a Hand Bell Choir; a sign-up sheet is on the round table in the gathering area. We'd love to have you!!



DIRECTOR POSITION OPEN FOR SPRINGFIELD CATHOLIC CEMETERIES

The Catholic Cemeteries of Springfield, MO seeks qualified applicants to fill a position as Director. Applicant must have management experience, ability to work unsupervised, be proficient in computer skills, especially database management, will be comfortable meeting with persons experiencing grief. The Director functions as manager of both St. Mary's and Resurrection Cemeteries. Maintains database records, prepares financial reports, manages sales, supervises maintenance and repair work, and authorizes expenditures, among other duties performed in a manner consistent with the established standards and goals of the Catholic Churches of Springfield. This position is part-time. The director must be available to answer the phone. There will be training during the transition To request an application packet, including a detailed position description, please contact John McAlear at 417-887-1699 or email johnmcalear77@gmail.com.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Are you looking for a volunteer opportunity to support our parish? We are in need of "Heavenly Dusters," who clean the parish on Saturday mornings, as well as helpers who can work serving or cooking for funeral luncheons. Please contact Dianne

Hendley at 208-400-0762!

Theology of the Body

What is it all about? It is more than you think!

Join us as we discover the fundamental truth of our innate dignity firmly rooted in God's image, as male and female, called to love one another as God loves.

Springfield Catholic Schools and the Diocese of Springfield-Cape Girardeau is unrolling Theology of the Body in the school and PSR curriculum. All parents, catechists, and adult members of the schools and parishes are invited to an information session to learn more.

Tuesday, November 9, 2021 7:00 p.m. Springfield Catholic High School

Our priests, school staff, and parents will share the answers to the following questions:

- → What is Theology of the Body (TOB)?
- Why was TOB chosen as one of the two new initiatives to be implemented in the 21-22 school year?
- What have our diocese and schools done in the past and what is new for this year?
- How is this relevant to our lives right now?
- + How can I learn more?

Please RSVP to michelleadt@scspk12.org. RSVP is not required, but appreciated!



HOLY TRINITY FALL BAZAAR



November 13 & 14, 2021

Holy Trinity's PCCW will hold their annual Fall Bazaar on Saturday, November 13, and Sunday, November 14, 2021 at the Parish Center, 2818 E. Bennett in Springfield. Bazaar hours

on Saturday will be 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and on Sunday, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Vendors from Springfield and surrounding communities will offer a wide variety of items, including unique home décor, hand-knitted children and baby hats, blankets, and clothing, Christmas gifts and decor, handmade kitchen towels, jewelry, skin care, handmade cards, candles & scents, and much more! Featuring home baked goods, homemade candies, and hand-crafted items.

Visit our Huge White Elephant Sale and Gardening Booth with lots of houseplants!

The Knights of Columbus will serve lunch on Saturday (smoked meat sandwich, coleslaw, chips, beverage, and dessert) and a full breakfast on Sunday (pancakes, scrambled eggs, biscuits & gravy, bacon, fruit, coffee, and juice).

All Are Welcome... stop in and browse!

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL ADOPT-A-TURKEY

St. Vincent de Paul will once again be helping 300 families with the groceries needed to prepare a family meal.

The families include those who visit our pantry, or call the Church, in need of help. We also include Lifehouse, Pregnancy Care Center, and some families from Sacred Heart Parish



If you would like to help this ministry, there will be Adopt a turkey envelopes on the round table in the gathering area very soon.

We will provide an update of help needed and times, closer to the November 20th distribution.

Thanks and God Bless!

-Immaculate Conception St. Vincent de Paul

SEAS FALL BAZAAR

SEAS 13th Annual Fall Bazaar-2021 Held at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church 2200 W. Republic Rd Springfield MO Sponsored by SEAS Parish Council of Catholic Women

Saturday November 6th from 9:00 am to 6:00 pm Sunday November 7th from 8:00 am to 2:00 pm

Be sure to save the date to attend the bazaar where there will be many vendors with a variety of crafts, bake sale, raffle tickets, lunch items and much more. The SEAS women have planned a great event that you do not want to miss. This is a great place to purchase Christmas gifts



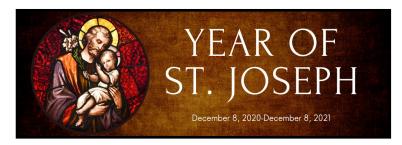
ST. AGNES FALL BAZAAR

St. Agnes is holding our Fall Bazaar the weekend of Nov. 6 & 7. It will be held in the gym from 9:00-3:00 on Saturday and 8:30-1:00 on Sunday. This is going to be our best yet with so many crafts to browse and an abundance of great raffle items. This year we are including a table just for the kiddos with \$1 items they can choose from for Christmas gifts or to keep. Come and enjoy the day with us!

Bring your family...bring your friends!

MEN & WOMEN'S CONTEMPLATIVE
PRAYER GROUP

Men and Women's Contemplative Prayer Group meets the first and third Fridays of the month in Community Room B following the 8:30 am Mass. The next meetings in November are November 5 and November 19.





OCTOBER IS RESPECT LIFE MONTH

Want to know why Life is such an important issue to the Church? Scan the QR Code to learn more!





Bishop Rice's October Prayer Intention

May Our Lady of the Rosary intercede for all the spiritual and temporal needs of the Diocese. from east to west.



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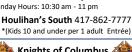
Kids Eat Free on Sundays!

Sunday Hours: 10:30 am - 11 pm

*(Kids 10 and under per 1 adult Entrée)



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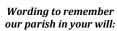
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