

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saturday 5:00 pm Sunday 9:00 am Weekdays: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 8:30 am

HOLY DAYS: See Schedule in Bulletin

RECONCILIATION: Sat. 4:00 pm - 4:45 pm and by appointment

BAPTISM:

Parent preparation session is required. Please call church office prior to the birth of the child.

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: First Thursday of the month from 2:00 pm until 7:00 pm

ANOINTING OF SICK: As requested after Mass and by appointment.

MARRIAGE:

Please call when engaged. A ninemonth preparation period is required (diocesan policy). One party should be a registered, attending parishioner.

CONFIRMATION:

Program for High-School students. according to Diocesan guidelines.

PRAYER CHAIN REQUEST:

If you wish to be added to the prayer chain, please contact Roberta Klein at 540-5980

NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome!

Please register after Mass or stop by the Parish office for more information.

STAFF:

Monsignor A. Robert Murphy, Pastor Gary Kappler, Deacon 540-4156 Tim Long, Business Manager Melissa Thornsberry, Director of Youth Religious Education Laurie Himmelberg, Administrative Assistant, Director of Stewardship & Development I.himm@embargmail.com Lisa Thomas. High School Youth Director **Diocesan Victim Advocate:** Mary Bultmann - (816)714-2387 Ombudsman: Jenifer Valenti - (816)812-2500 JeniferValenti@att.net





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9:00 am	Greg Dustman, Laura Long
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5:00 pm	Ross & Charleen Dale, *Cindy Glass
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To Shut-ins:	Eileen Henke
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DIOCESAN NEWS & EVENTS

Married Couples



It has been said that the greatest gift you can give your children is two parents very much in love with each other. Polish up this gift and put a bow on it at a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. You deserve the best and your children need to see you reaching for it. The next Weekend in the Kansas City area is June 26-28, 2015. For more information about a Weekend, please visit our website: www.me4vouand me.org

or call Tony & Barb Zimmerman, 816-741-4066 or email tonybarbz@prodigy.net

CFCA is Now "UNBOUND", learn about the program to "help people around the world is without limits." Presentation by Paco' Wertin Church Outreach Director for UNBOUND.

The Serra Club of SEKC, MO is host for this opportunity. Register for dinner catered by Meissen's by calling 816-524-8572-Roger Tilling. Dinner at 6:30 p.m. at Coronation of Our Lady Parish, 13000 Bennington Ave, Grandview, MO.

online giving

Online Giving is here at St. Bridget Parish. You can easily access the web page by going to the parish website or by scanning the QR code. Electronic giving allows you the freedom to set up a regular monthly donation transaction, change your current transactions, or give a one-time gift to St Bridget. We have 42 families who currently utilize electronic giving every month via a checking or savings account or by using their credit card. Electronic giving is an easy and consistent method of donating to St. Bridget. Now, you can have more control of your donating activity.

All transactions are administered by a secure provider, Vanco Systems which then integrates with our church census software to account for donations. Your transactions are secure and your data protection is very important. If you have any questions, please contact the parish office.



The Pleasant Hill Lay Clergy's community partner, the **Optimist Club** is meeting a huge need for children this summer with the ABC backpacks. During summer school no breakfast or lunch is provided because, it is a half day of school. The Optimist club is going to provide sack lunches to children that gualify for free or reduced lunches. This will be approximately 600 lunches and breakfast for the next day. Needs: 600 brown lunch bags, granola bars, individual fruit cups, puddings, bags of chips, juice boxes, cup a noodle, microwaveable macaroni and cheese, soup or ravioli or ramen noodles. Take donations to your church and mark bag ABC. Program begins Memorial Day. We will get them to the Optimist Club. If you have any guestions, call Gwen Fulton: 816-853-5737

The Chancery has two open positions to announce.

Administrative Assistant: Full-Time

This position serves the administrative needs of the Intergenerational Ministry area by providing professional support to each of the directors in the area of communication (written and verbal), organization, record keeping, and general office tasks. The person who holds this position is supervised by the Director of the Office of Family Life and the Director of Young Adult and Campus Ministry. For more information, or to apply:http://app.hireology.com/s/46207.

Program Coordinator: Part-Time

This is a part-time position, averaging 20-24 hours per week. The position coordinates the daily operations of the Diocesan Human Rights Office and facilitates the development, implementation and maintenance of diocesan social justice programs. The position will represent the Church in state and local activities regarding social justice legislation and community issues. For more information, or to apply: http://app.hireology.com/s/46230.

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combatting sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you observe or suspect sexual abuse:

1) Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1-800-392-3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and 2) Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and 3) After reporting to these civil and law enforcement authorities, report suspected sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult to Diocesan Ombudsman, Jenifer Valenti, at 816-812-2500 or JeniferValenti@att.net, if the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph.

The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families.

Please contact Victim Advocate Mary Bultmann at 816-392-0011 or bultmann@diocesekcsj.org for more information.

MSGR. MURPHY

From Msgr. Murphy

Happy Father's Day to all of our fathers. St. Pope John the 23rd wrote: "It is easier for a father to have children than for children to have a father"

Thanks to all of you who pledged of your Time, Talent, ant Tithe to the work of Jesus Christ here at St. Bridget. Although last Sunday was Pledge Sunday, there is still time to send your pledge in. Let's kick the debt out of the park!

Some people set science and religion at odds. When they could not figure out cures for illnesses, the management of My niece, Mary Kate Hamilton, had the first great-grandchild energy, or the translation of languages, people assigned last week. She and her husband Jim live in Chicago. Mary Kate these mysteries to the wisdom of God. But in time, the is the younger sister of Fr. Murphy, the pastor of Our Lady of mysteries became less mysterious. Human wisdom Lourdes in Harrisonville. He heads up to Chicago this week for advanced. To some, it seemed that God was not as the baptism. responsible as they once thought. To others, explanations for the mysteries of the universe strengthened their belief in God, who created and rules over all.

Let's take the words of our Lord in this week's Gospel and apply them to whatever worries us: "Why are you terrified? Do you not yet have faith?"

Msgr. Robert Murphy

Job didn't get the answer he wanted. God basically told (During the great windstorm). Jesus was in the stern. him, "I could explain it, but you wouldn't understand it." asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to Instead he heard how God gave birth to the sea, wrapping it him, "Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?" with clouds and darkness, and keeping it from spilling over Mark 4:38 the land. God set limits for the sea and fastened the bar of its door. Job could only conclude that God must know what Clearly Jesus' whole life was concerned with the lives of is best. Job may never know the reasons, but he trusts that others. Despite his apparent sleep during the storm, he God does.

was profoundly interested in the welfare of his disciples. As followers of Christ, we want to be same, profoundly interested in the welfare of others.

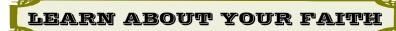
"A special thank you to all parishioners for supporting Outpace poverty! We are constantly asked to support many projects. The youth group and those who walked to assist the needy appreciate the donations with Christ's blessings."

Deacon Gary Kappler

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

WELCOME TO NEW PARISHIONERS AND VISITORS

Welcome to St. Bridget Parish! If you are just visiting, we pray that you have a wonderful visit and a safe return journey. If you are new to our parish, please take a moment to introduce yourselves and register with us. Forms are available in the vestibule, parish office or online at www.stbridgetcatholicchurch.org



Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time B 1 Job 38:1, 8-11

The Mystery of Suffering

As one generation passes to the next, we figure out more and more about life. Technological advances continue at record pace. Teenagers communicate through mediums their parents could only have dreamed about. The mysteries of the world are being unlocked.

Job wanted an explanation. He didn't want algebra, calculus or engineering. He just wanted to know why so many catastrophes had befallen him. He lost his family, his property, and his health. He wanted to know why.

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ALTAR & ROSARY SOCIETY ANNUAL GARAGE & BAKE SALE COMING July 30 - August 2:::

With the Altar & Rosary Society's Annual Garage & Bake Sale just around the corner, they would like to let you know ahead of time a list of items that they will NOT accept.

- 1. Computers and peripherals
- 2. Old style non-flat panel TVs
- 3. Mattresses
- 4. Adult Clothes
- 5. Non-working appliances
- 6. Worn out upholstered furniture
- 7. ALL infant car seats
- 8. **ALL** drop-side cribs



If you have any questions about any of the above listed items, please contact Jane Fry for more information.

Gently used household treasures needed. We will once again accept and sell new and gently used infant and children's clothing.

Did you have a garage sale last weekend during the citywide garage sale? Do you still have items left over and not sure what to do with them? Why not donate your left over items to the Altar & Rosary Society's upcoming Garage sale.

NOTE: Please call the parish office <u>before</u> you drop off any items for the Altar & Rosary Society Garage Sale Thank you!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, June 21

Father's Day 8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am Mass-2nd Collection

> Monday, June 22 8:30 am Mass

Tuesday, June 23 8:30 am Mass 9:00 am Prayer & Rosary Group

> Wednesday, June 24 8:30 am Mass

Thursday, June 25 8:30 am Mass

Friday, June 26 8:30 am Communion Service 9 am Bible Study 1pm Deadline for July 5th Bulletin

> Saturday, June 27 4-4:45 pm Reconciliation 5:00 pm Mass

> > Sunday, June 28 8:30 am Rosary 9:00 am Mass

DYNAMIC CATHOLIC QUOTES FROM MATTHEW KELLY

Living holy lives is a goal of the Christian life and our essential purpose. As you journey toward your destiny, God intertwines your talents with the needs of others to allow you privilege of touching, serving, and inspiring them as they make their own journey.



Sign-ups are encouraged and will begin June 6th. The forms will be available on the oak table in the vestibule. We are also need of lots of volunteers to make this work!! Please contact Mel if you have any questions or want to volunteer.



WE NEED YOU!: Our 3rd Annual Autumn Fest is scheduled for Sunday, September 20th, which is only 3 months away! Several committees are still needed to help with this big event. Chair/Co-Chair's & volunteers are needed for the following committees:

Tickets/Flyers/Advertising Committee, Silent Auction & Raffle Prize Committee, Event Set-up Committee, Cleanup Committee, & Entertainment Committee. If you would like to Chair/Co-Chair or just be a helper on any of these committees contact Laurie Himmelberg at the parish office or by email at I.himm@embargmail.com #

LAY CLERGY NEWS

Food Pantry – The food pantry is seeing record numbers of people in addition to assisting with the ABC backpack program to try to ensure that no children in Pleasant Hill go hungry this summer. Items that we are of, SALTINE CRACKERS, SOUP, CANNED BEANS & JELLO. We will gladly accept any other items also.

As garden harvest begins, please do not forget the food pantry. We gladly accept any garden produce. We have had donations of eggs and broccoli, which are so appreciated by our clients. If you have questions call Jane Fry(816)540-4487.

The food pantry continues to be a drop off locations for the Optimist Club ABC backpack program. Their highest needs right now are single serving mac n cheese and single serving sweets.

Love Fund: Thank you to everyone that participated, helped, and prayed for our graduates for another successful Baccalaureate service.

School Supplies: Applications for those needing school supplies for their children in Pleasant Hill or Strasburg school districts, the applications are available at the Thrift Store and food Pantry. They are due back by July 15, 2015.

School supply purchases may be taken to "Stuff the Bus" at Pleasant Hill Community Bank and will be distributed at School Registration August 5th and 6th.

AMAZON SMILE

The Lay Clergy is registered with Amazon Smile. It is very easy to use. There is no cap on the amount back to The Lay Clergy.

1) Go to smile.amazon.com

2) Chose the Pleasant Hill Lay Clergy Inc.

3) When you want to order from amazon go to smile.amazon.com order as usual, if you have Amazon Prime, etc... it will still work, everything is the same.

4) The money guarterly will be deposited into The Lay Clergy account.

5) It is not added on to your bill - it is from Amazon.



STUFF THE BUS



Community Bank of Pleasant Hill's 5th Annual School Supply Drive **STUFF THE BUS** July 13th – July 27th

Please join Community Bank of Pleasant Hill in helping local families in the Pleasant Hill School District this school year by donating school supplies.

With your help a BUS will be "Stuffed" with donated supplies and then delivered to families that need assistance this year. Items can be dropped off between the hours of 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and Saturday 9 a.m. - noon.

THANK YOU

Thank you to Msgr. Murphy, Deacon Gary and all who attended my goodbye luncheon, the gift certificate and all the warm wishes. St. Bridget is the friendliest and most caring parish I have ever been blessed to attend. It will always have a special place in my heart. God bless you and you are always in my prayers.

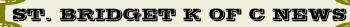
Mary Zubeck

A huge THANK YOU to everyone who donated food and volunteered to help at the Food Pantry during the month of June.

> Jane Fry & The Pleasant Hill Food Pantry



WOMEN OF FAITH begins September 9. Do you want to pray, but maybe not know how to begin? Or maybe you've started already, wondering if prayer is a gift within reach. Possibly you are busy, over-busy, with far too many commitments and obligation. For you, we want to open up the treasure box of Catholic Tradition, to describe a few of the riches offered by a long history of Catholic Christian Prayer. For more information, please contact Linda Ochs (816) 809-8088 or Laurie Jo Holmes (816) 820-0656.





June: 21 – Father's Day TBD – Youth Fishing Derby



Amazon will donate and almost every physical product sold by the company is eligible, which means tens of millions of items that .5% will come

GORK WHAT'S GOING ON AT ST. BRIDGET!

SOR NEWS

If you would like to be a VBS volunteer Please contact Melissa. We are in DESPERATE need for the program to work!!





St. Bridget's Vacation Bible School needs your help. We need men's long sleeved white buttoned down shirts (these will not be returned). Please contact Melissa Thornsberry if you can help with this item.

VBS is July 20-24 and there is limited space available. If your child would like to join in the fun, please contact Melissa as soon as possible.

