



ST. PIUS X
MOBERLY, MO



THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

"Peace be with you."

April 14, 2024

We the members of St. Pius X are a people of the land who are on a pilgrimage to the Father. Guided by the Holy Spirit, God's Word, and our Catholic tradition, we reach out to others with love and service.

PARISH STAFF

Fr. Louis M. Nelen Pastor
 Email lnelen@diojeffcity.org
 John Hill Permanent Deacon
 Chris Sago Permanent Deacon
 Sarah Mefford Parish Secretary
 Evan Schumann Director of Religious Education
 Audrey Harris Bookkeeper
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 Marla Yowell Director of Stewardship
 Cassie Schmidt Director of PSR
 Amanda Brown Youth Minister
 Melanie Holtzclaw RCIA Coordinator
 Mike Aulbur School Principal
 Johnna Schumann Early Childhood Center Director

OFFICE HOURS

Tue-Wed-Thurs - 9:00am to 4:00pm

PARISH REGISTRATION

Please call or visit the Parish Office during regular office hours.

MARRIAGES

Contact the pastor six months in advance.

BAPTISMS

Parents should contact the Parish Office for instructions.

BECOMING CATHOLIC / RCIA

Anyone interested in becoming Catholic, contact Parish office.

TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Parish Office263-5243
 St. Pius X School263-5500
 Undercroft.....263-9168
 Early Childhood Center263-1840
 St. Vincent de Paul660-651-2366

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5:15pm
 Sunday 8:00am & 11:00am

RECONCILIATION/PENANCE

Saturday4:30pm
 Sunday.....7:30am & 10:30am
 Anytime by appointment.

THE BULLETIN DEADLINE IS TUESDAY AT NOON

PSR KIDS' FAITH FOUNDATIONS

September-May from 9:30am-10:45am at the school.
 Call the Parish office for information.

ROSARY

A rosary will be said 25 minutes before each Mass on the weekend.

VISITATION OF THE SICK

Please keep us informed that we might minister to those who are ill at home, in the hospital, or nursing care facility.

For death or spiritual emergency, please call the parish office and press 7 for the Pastor.

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MASS INTENTIONS



Tue 4/16	5:30pm	†Addalynn Rose
Wed 4/17	8:00am	†Allen Roth
Thu 4/18	8:00am	Anniversary Blessing for Kyley & Sarah Mefford
Fri 4/19	8:00am	†Herb & Lucille Schmidt
Sat 4/20	5:15pm	†Bud & Dolly Mae Welker
Sun 4/21	8:00am	Baptism Blessings for Easton Roth
Sun 4/21	11:00am	People of the Parish

We are streaming live on Facebook for All Daily Masses & the 5:15 pm Weekend Mass!

MARTHAS

April 20th

Vicki Ritter 660-263-7118
Liz Schopp 660-833-7375

April 27th

Clarice Shriver 660-998-6689
Ronda Stoecklein 660-651-3697

The first person on the list calls other to set up a time to clean, and pick up the key at the Parish Office. If you are unable to be there, please find your own sub.



ROSARY LEADERS FOR WEEKEND April 20th & 21st Masses

5:15pm Mass Apr 20th - Cole Davis
8:00am Mass Apr 21st - Pete Koenig
11:00 am Mass Apr 21st - Ann Phelps

St. Pius X Weekly Mass Counts

4/6/24 - 5:15pm Mass = 113
4/7/24 - 8:00am Mass = 161
4/7/24 - 11:00am Mass = 236



Repose of the Soul

*Please pray for the repose of the soul of
Dr. Randy Foster, and for the comfort and
consolation of his family.*



PRAY FOR THE SICK

Father of Love, hear our prayer for the sick members of our community and for all who are in need. Amid their suffering may they find consolation in your healing presence. Show your mercy as You cure illness and make broken bodies whole. We ask this through the Lord Jesus who healed those who believe. Amen.

Amy Denton
Aunt Noma
Bella Rader
Bert Dooley
Bill Bentley
Brian Herrin
Brittney McGinness
Brooks Burton
Carole Hays
Charles Cahill
Charles Mitchell

Charles Stutsman
Cheryl Frost
Connie Gulick
Darla Craig
Deborah Procopio
Dorothy Turner
Doug Edwards
Elizabeth Harbal
Evelynn Statesel
Evie Keene
Greg Prange

H. Gayle Wolf
Jason Tindle
Jayden Pearman
Jenna Ross Nutz
Joe Bussen
Joyce Hunter
Karen Boss
Karen Powell
Kathryn Rae
Kristy Ellison
Laney Cleavinger

Lawrence Dale
Linda Wilkins
MaryBeth Carver
Mary Ellen Wolf
Michelle Hollingsworth
Nichole Lawson
Pat Bush
Paul Gingrich
Ralph Hunter
Robert Mitchell
Ronda Blakley

Sandy Stuart
Shirley Thieman
Tammy Mattox
Theresa Smith
Tom Boss
Valerie Nicholas
Zara Lear
Zeke Price

WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS



Mon 4/15	1:30pm	Church Directory Photo Sessions 2pm—8:30pm, Undercroft
Tue 4/16	1:30pm	Church Directory Photo Sessions 2pm—8:30pm, Undercroft
Wed 4/17	1:30pm	Church Directory Photo Sessions 2pm—8:30pm, Undercroft
Wed 4/17	6:00pm	Liturgy Council Meeting, Ed Building
Thu 4/18	12:00pm	Finance Committee Meeting, Ed Building
Fri 4/19	1:30pm	Church Directory Photo Sessions 1:30pm—9:00pm, Undercroft
Sat 4/20	9:30am	Church Directory Photo Sessions 9:30am—4:30pm, Undercroft
Sat 4/20	10:00am	Stitch, Pray, Love, Ed Building
Sun 4/21	9:00am	Coffee Bar, Undercroft
Sun 4/21	12:00pm	First Communion Workshop, School Gym

PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEMBERS

Let us pray for our brothers and sisters as they go forth with courage and determination to face the forces of violence, weapons of destruction,



Jordan Ruiz
Rick Coffman
Samuel Peterson
Rico Hernandez

Michael Willard
Natalie Ruiz
Joshua Howard
Jayden Pearman



Church Doors - The key pads have been installed this past week. Parishioners who have keys, please return them to the Church office. Letters with personal codes to use to enter the church and instructions on how to use them will be sent out as soon as possible!



So grateful and appreciative to all of you for your kindness, prayers, calls, texts, donations and thoughtfulness during the loss of our loved one, Tom Frost. Also many thanks to all who brought food and all those who served at the funeral dinner and at Mass. It was a beautiful day and a great celebration of life for Tom. God bless you all!

Cheryl Frost and Family

Keep these and all of St. Pius X family members and friends in your prayers. **Call the Parish Office with updates.**

KNIGHT'S KORNER

Apr 23rd 7:00pm Meeting
Knights of Columbus Hall

May 14th 7:00pm Meeting
Knights of Columbus Hall

*Stop Abortions • Pray the Rosary
Support & Join the Knights*



Now I know, brothers, that you acted out of ignorance, just as your leaders did; but God has thus brought to fulfillment what he had announced beforehand through the mouth of all the prophets, that his Christ would suffer. Repent, therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be wiped away.

Acts 3:17-19

Our faith journey begins with a relationship with Christ, and it is through that relationship that we are able to experience true conversion of our hearts and minds. We grow in relationship with Christ through the sacraments and prayer, especially the Holy Mass, where we receive Jesus in the Eucharist. When Jesus becomes the center of our lives, we begin to see Christ in everyone we meet.



Stewardship
GROWING OUR FAITH



DIOCESE OF
Jefferson City

"Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest awhile." Mark 6:31



presents **a Morning of Retreat for Music Ministers**

You've worked hard, held numerous rehearsals, and served for Holy Week & Easter. Take a morning during this Easter season to rest and pray.

**Presenter: Fr. Matthew Flatley,
Diocesan Moderator for Spiritual Formation**

Lunch to follow

Saturday, April 27, 2024, 9am-noon

St. Pius X Catholic Church, 209 S Williams St.

Moberly, Missouri 65270

Registration: NPM members: \$10 nonmembers: \$15

Email JeffersonCityMO@npm.org to register

CHRISTOS CENTER REPORT MARCH 2024

Last month several truckers that showed up. One brought us mushrooms, another brought orange juice and the next truck had more mushrooms. Then came a truck with five pallets of green beans. One more truck with mushrooms. We are grateful.

The Great River Council, BSA partner with the Food Banks to collect peanut butter. They collected Peanut Butter, canned proteins, boxed meals, canned veggies and fruit and cereal and dry goods. Scouts for Pack MRMC also collected a lot of Peanut Butter for the Christos Center. Thank you so very much for thinking of us.

Gardeners, please as you plant your gardens this year consider putting in some extra plants for us. Our neighbors love fresh vegetables.

New Flash: We are moving April 8 - April 12 so we will be closed. We will reopen April 16th at 500 West Rollins. Please come up North 5th Street to the Christos Center.

Thanks, Carma



April 14, 2024 | Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 3:13-15, 17-19 | 1 Jn 2:1-5a | Lk 24:35-48

Written by
THE
FAITHFUL
DISCIPLE

GROW AS A DISCIPLE | PRAY, STUDY, ENGAGE, SERVE

It's only been two weeks since Easter, but already the holiday can seem like another item checked off our to-do lists. It's easy to get complacent as we go about our busy lives - marking celebrations, important dates and gatherings on the calendar. Today's readings remind us that the Resurrection is not just a story or a metaphor about something ordinary that happened more than 2,000 years ago. It was so different and so shocking that it trembled the very earth, and nothing has been the same since! Luke describes the confusion the disciples felt when they first saw Jesus in his resurrected body. Here was their Lord and teacher, back from the dead, but not as a ghost or spirit as they might have expected: He was just as real as before. He was eating, speaking, touching, and interacting. And yet he was different. He could arrive in a locked room without using the door, pass among people unnoticed (as on the way to Emmaus), and give gifts of wisdom and insight directly to the disciples. Today's Gospel offers Jesus' explanation that these things were done to fulfill the promises God made to the prophets.

ACCOMPANY How can we imitate Christ in the way he reached out to his disciples who were wracked with fear and doubt? Perhaps we know somebody who feels trapped by sin, or unworthy of good things, or a constant failure. Let's be honest, sometimes that person is us! We all need encouragement and accompaniment from time to time. Find a way to be that encouragement for someone this week who's having a tough time. You don't have to fix their problems; just listen, let them know you care, and offer a sincere and hopeful encouragement that brighter days lie ahead.

GO EVANGELIZE

PRAYER, INVITATION, WITNESS, ACCOMPANIMENT

The fulfillment of God's promises in Jesus, and his death and resurrection, was not meant to benefit only a few people. We, as his disciples, must spread the Good News that sin and death don't have the last word. St. Peter gives us an inspiring example today when he speaks to the people. Look at how different he is from the man who denied Jesus three times! He boldly goes into the crowd - the same crowd that condemned Jesus to death - and preaches on what a gift we all have been given by Jesus' sacrifice. Peter knows, and we know, that Jesus' defeat of death means everything. We are freely offered salvation through Christ's saving action. Like the members of that crowd, we're invited to be witnesses to this great act of love, and to re-align our lives with God's will. Like Peter, we can speak the Good News without fear.



UPCOMING EVENTS

- April 17th: Kindergarten Round Up @ 4:30 pm
- April 19th: 4th Quarter Mid-Term
- April 24th: 8th Trip to Basilica & St. Louis Cardinals Game
- April 30th: Sketch Day

*Be Respectful,
Be Responsible,
Be Safe,
and Live Your
Faith*

First Communion
Sunday, May 5th, 2024
during 11am Mass

* Sunday, April 21st and Sunday, April 28th
Sacramental Workshops from 12pm-2pm in
school gymnasium

Venerable Fr. Tolton's Annual Celebration Mass
April 21st at the 11 AM Mass

St. Thomas More Newman Center
602 Turner Ave. | Columbia, MO

Come Celebrate with Us!!

DECLINE TO SIGN

Don't sign your rights and freedom away by signing an abortion initiative petition that would alter Missouri's Constitution!

Don't let lobbying groups and out-of-state special interests inject abortion politics where it doesn't belong and where it isn't wanted.

This petition goes too far for Missouri.

This extreme initiative petition could:

- Legalize abortion as a method of birth control and abortion after a baby can survive outside the womb.
- Allow unlicensed abortion clinics in your neighborhood - even near schools and churches.
- Give power to judges and the government to force Missouri taxpayers to fund abortions.
- Permit governmental intrusion in health care decisions made by parents with their children.

Don't be fooled! Signature collectors might tell you that it's for "women's health" or "reproductive rights" or "to restore Roe" —or that it's "pro-life" or "pro-choice"—or say *anything* to get you to sign. **Don't believe them!**

DECLINE TO SIGN any petition that lets lobbying groups and the government take away your rights and freedom! Tell family, friends, neighbors, coworkers and everybody to **DECLINE TO SIGN**.

The future of Missouri is counting on you!

For more information on **Decline to Sign**, contact Missouri Stands with Women at moissw.org

Missouri Stands with Women

SAVE THE DATE

THE PARISH PICNIC IS SCHEDULED FOR AUGUST 18, 2024. MARK YOUR CALENDARS AND BE WATCHING FOR INFO AND UPDATES FOR THE PICNIC. ANY QUESTIONS OR TO VOLUNTEER AND HELP PLAN, PLEASE CONTACT MARLA YOWELL AT 660-651-2721!

SCUBA
giving into friendship with God

June 10th-14th
For Pre-K (Age 4) - 5th Grade

Contact Evan Schumann or the parish office for details on signing up or volunteering opportunities!

We will begin each day with Mass at 8 am. After, we will make our way to the school. We will end by 12 noon each day.

ATTENTION PARENTS OF YOUTH - Please use this QR to complete an important, short survey for our Youth Group - thanking you in advance for your participation.

St. Pius X Church Collection Report

Yearly Budget: Income	Weekly Income	Weekly Goal	Mar. 31 - Apr. 6 YTD	Yearly Budget
#1 ECC Income	\$5,494	\$10,146	\$204,764	\$527,610
#2 School Income	\$5,080	\$3,778	\$93,779	\$196,431
#3 Sunday Collections	\$10,951	\$27,667	\$726,575	\$1,438,669
Total Expenses (Church & School)				
Jan 2024	\$135,368			
Feb 2024	\$220,038			
Mar 2024	\$238,400			

YOUTH

Next Youth Group meeting will be on April 24th, so mark your calendars.

Amanda Brown
Youth Minister

April 20 - April 21: Fourth Sunday of Easter

	Saturday, Apr 20, 5:15 PM Fourth Sunday of Easter (Sunday Vigil Mass)	Sunday, Apr 21, 8:00 AM Fourth Sunday of Easter (Sunday Mass)	Sunday, Apr 21, 11:00 AM Fourth Sunday of Easter (Sunday Mass)
Director of Worship	Cole Davis	Ken Schroeder	Pat Bush
Lector	Mary Carver Ellen Miller	Elizabeth Schroeder Andrea Schumann	Abigail Hillen Cathy Kroner
Mass Attendance Recorder	NOT FILLED	Mike Mattox	Marty Wortmann
Eucharistic Minister	Sharon Crawford Travis Ginter Arnold Hoch Denis Jeffries Kathy Sasek Mary Wideman	Shelly Borges Russ Kennison Mike Mattox Theodore Sander Edward Schmidt Jackson Schumann	Sandra Aulbur Jerry Fleming Bridgett Martin Jeremy Skinner Fred Stephenson Ann Wortmann
Usher	Tony Carver Hollie Dennis (sub req.) Brett Dennis (sub req.) Colby J. Fusselman	Linda Flaspohler Vicki Ritter Helen Skinner Raymond Skinner	Mary Brink Bill O'Brien Granger Sedore NOT FILLED
Greeter	Carter Knaebel Dorothy Dawn Schmidt Joe. W. Schmidt	Carol Gerhard Helen Skinner Raymond Skinner	Nancy Conley Suzanne O'Donnell Nannette Sago
Altar Server	Mason Carver Emily Conley Kennedy Vestal	McKenna Hulett Andrea Hulett Henry Lees	Piper Knazik Ryan Miller Grant Miller
Gift Bearer	Ed Miller	Cassie Schmidt	Tempy Holman
Videographer	Lylah Shannon		
Musician	Denise Caldarello	Andy Rowland Paula Heath	Andy Rowland Melanie Holtzclaw Ann Phelps

April 27 - April 28: Fifth Sunday of Easter

	Saturday, Apr 27, 5:15 PM Fifth Sunday of Easter (Sunday Vigil Mass)	Sunday, Apr 28, 8:00 AM Fifth Sunday of Easter (Sunday Mass)	Sunday, Apr 28, 11:00 AM Fifth Sunday of Easter (Sunday Mass)
Director of Worship	Bill Hagedorn	Tara Link	Annette Schulte
Lector	Schila Hudson Cathy Kroner	Vicki Ritter Elizabeth Schopp	Ann Phelps Alex Westhues
Mass Attendance Recorder	NOT FILLED	Mike Mattox	Cliff Ancell
Eucharistic Minister	Jim Finnigan Sandy Gamble Robert Ross Kathy Sasek NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Libby Mattox Wayne Murphy Becky Murphy Chuck Schumann Bob Thieman NOT FILLED	Linda Ancell Bridgett Martin Craig Mattox Tammy Mattox Annette Schulte Geeneen Wilhite
Usher	Susan Miller Clarice Shriver NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Alan Borges Adam G Ritter Jim Whelan Doris Whelan	Mallori N. Bennett Xander Bennett Holly M. Bennett Shay L. Bennett
Greeter	Susan Miller Reese Vestal NOT FILLED	Tinsley Stapleton Taygen Stapleton Holden Stapleton Erin Stapleton- Johanningmeier	Hannah Knaebel Angeia Ritter Lynley Turnbough
Altar Server	Oscar Flores Kennedy Vestal NOT FILLED	Leland Boss Henry Boss Anthony Ritter	Piper Knazik Owen O'Brien Aiden O'Brien
Gift Bearer	Christine Vestal	NOT FILLED	Monica Kirkendoll
Videographer	Bella Shannon		
Musician	Brian Knaebel Amy K Turner Denise Caldarello	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Marsha Schmidt Caroline Donnell Molly Foster Kailyn Kirkendoll Kellie O'Brien

Save the Date

MidWest March for Life



WEDNESDAY
MAY 1, 2024



*To honor and glorify Jesus Christ
and defend innocent life.*

MISSOURI STATE CAPITOL LAWN

Jefferson City, Missouri

**Activities starting at 8:00 a.m. • Rally starting at 9:15 a.m.
March Immediately Following**

Speakers:

Bishop Edward Rice — Diocese of Springfield - Cape Girardeau

Melissa Ohden — Abortion Survivors Network

Reagan Barklage — Students for Life

Brandy Meeks — Vitae Foundation

Ivy Almon — Support After Abortion

Dr. Wes Fowler — Missouri Baptist Convention

Bridget VanMeans — CEO Vision Leader, Thrive Nation

(More speakers to be announced)

Break-out Sessions:

12:15 p.m. Youth Rally — Capitol Steps South Lawn
Ballot Initiative Update — Capitol Rotunda

1:30 p.m. Holy Mass — Saint Peter Church
Ecumenical Prayer Session — Capitol Rotunda



Bus Info:

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Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph: sheppard@diocesekc-sj.org

Archdiocese of St. Louis: prolife@archstl.org

Diocese of Jefferson City: kathy@midwestmarchforlife.com

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