

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mon.	03	8:00 a.m.	Theodore Gouin, Jr.
Tue.	04	8:00 a.m.	Shirley AuBuchon
Wed.	05	8:00 a.m.	Geoffrey Pratte
Thur.	06	8:00 a.m.	Pauline Pratte
Fri.	07	8:00 a.m.	Communion Service
Sat.	08	5:00 p.m.	Bill Corum
Sun.	09	10:00 a.m.	Parish Family
(SA)		8:00 a.m.	Bill Seyfarth

LITURGICAL ASSISTANTS

SATURDAY MASS: APRIL 08 AT 5:00 P.M.

Lector-----	Patti Norton
Special Ministers-----	Ken Dalaviras Carolyn Rhodes Volunteer
Servers-----	Paula Pace Volunteer
Ushers-----	M/M Matt Haug Carl Cash Suzanne Mullins
Cross Bearer-----	Volunteer

SUNDAY MASS: APRIL 09 AT 10:00 A.M.

Lector-----	Pamela Schwartz
Special Ministers-----	Deacon Don Schmitt Gretchen Pratte Patricia Vessel Volunteer
Servers-----	Deborah Pace Theresa Pace
Ushers-----	Larry Lappe Lindell Hoelzel Kyle Krus Paulette DeGonia
Cross Bearer-----	Tom Willette

ST. ANNE MASS: APRIL 09 AT 8:00 A.M.

Lector-----	Ron Schmidt
Special Ministers-----	Jean Hejlek Delores Brawley Volunteer
Gift Bearers-----	M/M Randal Govero
Servers-----	Bethany Govero Joseph Govero
Ushers-----	Steve Folle Jerry Rokan
Cross Bearer-----	Volunteer

“The Ninth Hour”

Our St. Joseph Choir will perform “The Ninth Hour” before the 10:00 a.m. Mass on Palm Sunday. It is a replay of Jesus’ Passion set to music. It is very powerful. The performance starts at 9:30 a.m. on April 9, 2017.

Catholic Home Missions

This weekend we will take up the Catholic Home Missions Appeal. Right now, over 40 percent of dioceses in the US are considered home missions because they are unable to fund essential pastoral work needed in their communities.

Ladies of St. Joseph & St. Anne

Please join us for our regular meeting on Tuesday, April 11, 2017, after the 8:00 a.m. Mass. We will be planning our 3rd Annual Barbecue Family Picnic which is scheduled for June 25, 2017.

Donut Sunday

We invite you to come and enjoy fellowship with your Church family this morning.

Eucharistic Adoration

The celebration of the Eucharistic Adoration will begin at 8:30 a.m. on Thursday, April 6, 2017, and conclude with Benediction at 4:00 p.m.

Bingo

Bingo figures from March 23, 2017 - No Bingo

Church Cleaning

April 4: Jina and Mike Jennings
April 7: Becky O’Neill (Week 2)

Your Gift to God

March 25 & 26, 2017

	St. Joseph	St. Anne
Envelopes	\$ 2,485.00	\$ 490.00
Loose	280.00	47.00
St. Vincent de Paul	25.00	-0-
Votive	46.05	23.00
Catholic Relief	560.27	56.00
Catholic Home Miss.	10.00	-0-
Holy Land/Good Frid.	10.00	-0-
Retired Priests	35.00	-0-
Easter Flowers	341.00	10.00

Fifth Sunday of Lent

**ST. ANNE CHURCH
FRENCH VILLAGE, MISSOURI**

Parish Picnic - Country Store

Please remember that we will need handcrafted gifts, books, homemade jellies, jams, relishes, homemade breads, and gently used items for our Country Store.

Church Cleaning Team #1—S. Byington, L. Johnson

Easter Egg Hunt

Please join us after Mass on Easter Sunday for an Easter Egg Hunt! Weather permitting we will set up the coffee pot outside and enjoy some breakfast goodies and fellowship in the sunshine while the children hunt eggs.

If you would like to donate a dozen or two plastic filled eggs for the hunt, please place them in the box at the back of Church on or before Sunday, April 9 (Palm Sunday).

Knights of Columbus Fish Fry

The Knights of Columbus are hosting a fish fry dinner at their meeting hall every Friday in Lent, 4:00 - 7:00. The \$8 meal (\$4 for children) includes catfish, walleye, jack salmon, mac & cheese, green beans, stewed tomatoes, slaw, and dessert, and the proceeds help our parishioners offset the costs of Catholic education. Last year the parish had 7 students distributed among Catholic schools in our area, this year there are 11. Please come out to enjoy a good meal and help support these families.

St. Joseph Parish Yard Sale

Get a head start on your spring cleaning and help your parish at the same time. We are accepting donations for our parish yard sale which will be held on Friday and Saturday, May 5th and May 6th between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Please drop off saleable items at the pavilion.

Parish Youth Easter Egg Hunt

Sunday, April 9, 2017, at 1:00 p.m.

Knights of Columbus

7897 Berry Road

Bonne Terre, MO

There will be four age groups: 0-3 years; 4-6 years; 7-9 years; 10 and over will participate in a scavenger hunt. Prizes in each egg!

***From the Pastor's Pen
Love and Live Your Faith***

Faith in God is not a passive virtue resting in the background of our lives. Belief and love for God compels us to an active life of serving, sharing, and living our faith daily.

Embrace excellence – All that we do becomes a prayer when we give our employers, communities, neighborhoods and families our best abilities in God's name.

Celebrate the Eucharist – No Catholic life is complete without weekly Mass attendance. Do what is necessary so you can receive Communion.

Become family – Register in your parish and look for ways to get involved in a parish ministry, such as lecturing, ushering, singing, or becoming a Eucharistic minister.

Be joyful – Scripture comforts us with the assurance that God will not rest until we find our way home to him. Reject earthly worry and live with joy. God is in control.

Forgive often – Learn to practice this critical skill – and to ask for it when needed.

Flee temptation – St. Peter tells us to “escape the corruption in the world caused by evil desires” (2 Peter 1:4). Ask God often to protect you from sin, to give you the wisdom and courage to make good choices.

Listen to God – Be sensitive to the promptings of the Holy Spirit. God will reveal when you've messed up, and rejoice with you when you get it right.

Welcome

Please welcome into our Faith community through Baptism Carson Clifford, son of Waylon and Ashley Clifford. *“May the Lord give His angels charge over you, to guide you in all your ways.” Psalm 91:11*

St. Vincent DePaul

St. Vincent DePaul Society thanks parishioners for their donations. During April, please bring pork & beans, pasta sauce, and jiffy mix. Thank you.

April 2, 2017