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**MASS SCHEDULE
HORARIO DE MISAS****Saturday/Sábado**

5:30 pm English

Sunday/Domingo

10:00 am English
12:30 pm Español

Tuesday-Thursday / Martes-Jueves

8:15 am English

First Friday/Primer Viernes

10:00 am English

CONFESSION/CONFESIÓN:**Saturday/Sábado**

4:30-5:15 pm or by appointment. *O con cita*

**SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY/
SACRAMENTO DEL MATRIMONIO**

Please call the Parish Office for appointment (6 months marriage preparation required). *Favor de hablar a la oficina para cita (6 meses de preparacion requerida).*

BAPTISM/BAUTISMOS

Please call the parish office. *Favor de hablar a la oficina.*

MASS INTENTIONS/INTENCIONES PARA LAS MISAS

Please visit the parish office. *Favor de hablar a la oficina.*

CONFIRMATION/CONFIRMACIÓN

The Bishop visits our parish for Confirmation every two years. *El Obispo visita nuestra parroquia cada 2 años.*

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION/EDUCACIÓN RELIGIOSA

Grades K-6/Grados K-6:
Sundays/Sábados 11:00 am -12:15 pm
Grades 7-12/Grados 7-12:
Wednesdays/Miércoles 7:00 pm

FIRST RECONCILIATION & FIRST COMMUNION/PRIMERA RECONCILIACIÓN Y PRIMERA COMUNIÓN

Children in first grade must be enrolled in the Parish School/Parish School of Religion (PSR) to receive the sacrament in second grade. Los niños en primer grado deben estar inscritos en la Escuela Parroquial/Escuela Parroquial de Religión (PSR) para recibir el sacramento en segundo grado.

EMAUS: Invites you to pray the Holy Rosary every Saturday at 7:50 am. *Se les invita a rezar el Santo Rosario cada sábado a las 7:50 am.*

Welcome to the Catholic Community of

*Founded
1892*

St. Lawrence Catholic Church



*Diocese of
Springfield-Cape
Girardeau*

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Office Hours/Horas de Oficina: Monday-Friday/Lunes-Viernes 8:00 am-12:00 pm

Parish Mission Statement/ Misión Parroquial

"We children of God and the Catholic community of St. Lawrence parish are committed to the worship of God and the spreading of the Gospel of Jesus Christ through education and our living example of love and concern for all the people of our area."

"Los hijos de Dios y la comunidad Católica de la parroquia de San Lorenzo estamos comprometidos con la adoración a Dios y la difusión del Evangelio de Jesucristo a través de la educación y nuestro ejemplo vivo de amor y preocupación por todas las personas de nuestra área".

Weekly Collection

JANUARY 9TH DONATIONS

ENVELOPES/LOOSE CHECKS	\$6,944.00
LOOSE BILLS & COINS	\$840.51
VOTIVE CANDLES	\$22.50
MASS OFFERING	\$290.00
BAPTISM DONATION	\$25.00
SCHOOL SUPPORT	\$130.00
BUILDING FUND	\$524.00
OUT REACH	\$51.00
SOLEMNITY OF MARY	\$40.00
SEMINARY/RETIRED PRIESTS	\$100.00
CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA	\$10.00
CATHOLIC CHARITIES	\$100.00

TOTAL **\$ 9,077.01**

**Fr. Rahab would like to thank everyone for your generous contributions to our Parish.
God Bless You!**



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Our Insurance Company has informed us that we must repair our side walks. Please consider using your "Building Fund" envelope to contribute. We have received \$ 2,500.00 so far.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS FOR 2022

- ♦ **FEBRUARY 6, 2022**
THE MIRROR
- ♦ **FEBRUARY 20, 2022**
CHURCH IN CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPE
- ♦ **MARCH 27, 2022**
CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES
- ♦ **APRIL 15, 2022**
HOLY LAND—GOOD FRIDAY
- ♦ **APRIL 24, 2022**
CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS APPEAL
- ♦ **JUNE 12, 2022**
CATHOLIC COMMUNICATION CAMPAIGN
- ♦ **JUNE 26, 2022**
PETER'S PENCE
- ♦ **SEPTEMBER 18, 2022**
RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS
- ♦ **OCTOBER 23, 2022**
WORLD MISSION SUNDAY
- ♦ **NOVEMBER 6, 2022**
ARCHDIOCESE FOR THE MILITARY SERVICES
- ♦ **NOVEMBER 20, 2022**
CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF SOUTHERN MISSOURI
- ♦ **DECEMBER 25, 2022**
SEMINARIAN AND DIOCESAN RETIRED CLERGY COLLECTION

Sick and Homebound

Please contact the parish office, if you know of any one that is homebound, in a nursing home or in a caring facility. Fr. Rahab would like to visit them on a regular basis. Thank you for your help.

Prayer Chain

If you have a prayer request please call Joan McNerney (417-235-3836) or Marlene Hayes (417-235-5524) to make the request. If you wish to place a name in the parish bulletin please call the parish office (417-235-3286).

HELP WANTED!

Male or female worker for window cleaning at Stay Clear. Please call the office for more information.

Weekly Calendar

SAT. JANUARY 29TH

4:30 pm Confessions

5:30 pm Mass Monett for +Camila Cervantez Hernandez & Amparo Cervantez Leos

SUN. JANUARY 30TH: 4TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME; CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

8:00 am Mass Verona

10:00 am Mass Monett for +Jerry Monto

11:00 am PSR

12:30 pm Misa de Domingo Monett

5:00 pm Misa de Domingo Verona

MON. JANUARY 31ST

No Mass

TUE. FEBRUARY 1ST

8:15 am Mass Monett

WED. FEBRUARY 2ND: THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

8:00 am Mass Verona

7:00 pm PSR

THURS. FEBRUARY 3RD

8:15 am Mass Monett

FRI. FEBRUARY 4TH

8:00 am Mass Verona

SAT. FEBRUARY 5TH

4:30 pm Confessions

5:30 pm Mass Monett for +Barbara & Vernal (Pooch) Caldwell

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Grant us, Lord our God,
that we may honor you with all our mind,
and love everyone in truth of heart.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever.
Amen.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

January 30th, 2022 Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

TO BE A PROPHET

Today's readings show us what it is like to be a prophet. As Jeremiah recounts his call, God warns him that he will need strength and perseverance to withstand the hostility he will face from "Judah's kings and princes" and "its priests and people" (Jeremiah 1:18b). God also assures him that they "will not prevail over you, for I am with you" (1:19). The psalm reflects both of these struggles as well as deliverance from them ("salvation").

This is exactly what Jesus experiences in today's Gospel. After he claims that his own mission is the same as what Isaiah proclaimed, at first the people marvel at his "gracious words" (Luke 4:22). Soon, however, they become suspicious, skeptical, and hostile, even threatening to kill him. But just as God promised to deliver Jeremiah, so Jesus "passed through the midst of them and went away" (4:30).

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — God appoints Jeremiah as prophet to the nations (Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19).

Psalm — I will sing of your salvation (Psalm 71).

Second Reading — Love with its many facets is the most important of the virtues (1 Corinthians 12:31 — 13:13 [13:4-13]).

Gospel — When Jesus claims his salvific mission is for all people, not just the Jews, he is expelled by the enraged members of the Nazarean synagogue (Luke 4:21-30).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time; Catholic Schools Week

Jer 1:4-5, 17-19; Ps 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17; 1 Cor 12:31 -- 13:13 [13:4-13]; Lk 4:21-30

Monday: St. John Bosco, Priest

2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13; Ps 3:2-7; Mk 5:1-20

Tuesday: Tuesday of the Fourth Week in Ordinary Time

2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30 — 19:3; Ps 86:1-6; Mk 5:21-43

Wednesday: Feast of the Presentation of the Lord; World Day for Consecrated Life; Groundhog Day

Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10; Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40 [22-32]

Thursday: St. Blaise, Bishop & Martyr & St. Ansgar, Bishop; Blessing of Throats

1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12; 1 Chr 29:10-12; Mk 6:7-13

Friday: First Friday

Sir 47:2-11; Ps 18:31, 47, 50, 51; Mk 6:14-29

Saturday: St. Agatha, Virgin & Martyr; First Saturday

1 Kgs 3:4-13; Ps 119:9-14; Mk 6:30-34

Sunday: Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 6:1-2a, 3-8; Ps 138:1-5, 7-8; 1 Cor 15:1-11 [3-8, 11]; Lk 5:1-11

Diocesan News

FRANCISCAN UNIVERSITY ONLINE CATECHETICAL INSTITUTE:

offers a track of workshops Entitled, "First Proclamation and Evangelization" which features workshops such as:

Conversion in Modern Culture
Giving Counsel and Pastoral Care
Teaching Catechesis for Conversion

The Kerygma: Delivering the Gospel Proclamation

*A financial gift from the Missouri State Knights of Columbus has made it possible for every Catholic school and parish in the diocese to have access to the Online Catechetical Institute FREE of cost! Please share this REGISTRATION INFORMATION with everyone in your parish so that they may be able to open their individual free account and begin using this wonderful resource!

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND

Build your marriage on solid rock ... How well can your marriage withstand the storms of this life? A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is an opportunity to strengthen the foundation of your marriage. Grounded in the love of Jesus Christ, the weekend will provide you the tools and the time necessary to go deeper into the Sacrament so that you can live more intimately and responsibly as a couple of God. Make plans now to attend the weekend of March 18-20, 2022 at the Congregation of the Mother of the Redeemer in Carthage, MO. For more information, or to register for a weekend, visit www.wwme.org, or call/Email Kim Brayman at (417) 866-0841/ kbrayman@dioscg.org.

VOICE FOR LIFE COLORING CONTEST 2021-2022

Attention all Schools, PSR, Youth Groups, and Home School Groups. It's that time of year to share your talents by entering this year's Voice for Life Coloring Contest and conducting your own Voice for Life Contest by using the saint and drawing provided by Voice for Life. All work is to high-light and expand on the pro-life message illustrated in the lives of St. Joseph and Jesus. Entries are due by Fri., Feb. 11, 2022. For all the details.

CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE

All men of the diocese are invited to participate in the **third annual Catholic Men's Conference** to be held on **Sat., Feb. 26**, at Springfield Catholic High School. For more information and to register to attend, visit <https://dioscg.org/men/>.

PRINCIPAL SOUGHT FOR CATHEDRAL SCHOOL

St. Mary Grade School in Cape Girardeau is looking for a Principal for the 2022-2023 School Year. Applicant should be a practicing Catholic in good standing with the church and with experience in Catholic Elementary Education, preferably with a Masters in School Administration. For more information or an application, please contact Fr. Allan Saunders at (573) 335-0649 or FrSaunders@stmarycathedral.net.

TOTUS TUUS SUMMER MISSIONARY OPPORTUNITY

The Diocese is taking applications for missionary team members for the Totus Tuus Summer Youth Program. Totus Tuus is a summer youth program dedicated to sharing the Gospel and promoting the Catholic Faith through evangelization, catechesis, Christian witness, and Eucharistic worship. We are looking for young adult Catholics who want to share their love of Christ and his Church with the youth of our diocese. They will spend the months of June and July traveling to various parishes to share their faith through teaching, leading games and skits, prayer, and more. Please share this opportunity!



Jan. 10 (7:00-8:00pm) [Online Informational Session about World Youth Day](#)

Jan. 19-22 [March for Life](#) in Washington DC

Feb 24 - 27 [Cursillo Men's Weekend](#) at Pinecrest Camp and Conference Center in Fredericktown, MO

Feb. 26 [Catholic Men's Conference](#) in Springfield (featuring Dcn. Harold Burke-Sivers)

March 6 Rite of Election, Springfield

March 13 Rite of Election, Cape Girardeau

March 24 - 27 [Cursillo Women's Weekend](#) at Pinecrest Camp and Conference Center in Fredericktown, MO

March 26 [Diocesan Youth Conference, Carthage](#)

March 27 [Diocesan Youth Conference, West Plains](#)

April 2 [Diocesan Youth Conference, Cape Girardeau](#)

April 24 - 27 [Cursillo Men's Weekend](#) at Congregation of the Mother of the Redeemer Monastery in Carthage, MO

July 8-10 [Steubenville Youth Conference](#)
July 15-17 [Steubenville Youth Conference](#)

BULLETIN DEADLINE

If you would like to have something in the bulletin, please send it via email to the

parish office no later than 12:00 noon on Monday.

Please email:
stlawrence1892@gmail.com
Thank you!

News and Upcoming Events



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

K of C Meetings will be held every 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7:30 pm.

Knights of Columbus

Everyone is invited to participate on every 5th weekend of the month to pray the rosary.

5th Saturday of the month before mass—5:00pm

5th Sunday of the month before mass—9:30am

- ♦ **Mouse Races**—Saturday, Feb. 12th Doors open at 5:30 pm in the basement.
- ♦ **St. Joseph Icon** will be in the area for the next three weeks. For details contact Ed Velten.



Parish Council of Catholic Women (PCCW)

The next PCCW meeting will be held on Monday, February 7th at 6:30 pm.



Encounter With God's Call

Vocation Retreat

Conception Seminary College

February 26-28, 2022

11th, 12th, College Students or Young Men up to 25 Years of Age

Contact Information

417-847-4140 or 760-250-4143

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School News

Dear St. Lawrence Family,

Today starts the beginning of Catholic Schools Week! This is a time where we recognize the gifts that our Catholic School has been given and thank God for our School! We are truly blessed to be part of the St. Lawrence community! The support, prayers, and love you provide us help us every day and in every way in our ministry to our families and precious children.

Thank you from the bottom of our hearts!

God bless you!

Tracey

Religious Education News

"In his presence are majesty and splendor, strength, and honor in his holy place." (Ps 96: 1, 6)

Dear Parents, Guardians & Catechists,

In difficult situations or circumstances in our lives things happen and our feelings of emotions can be provoked, although, we still have to go to work, church or visit someone, becomes challenging at times. In listening to the Gospel readings, God speaks to us to listen and respond in "his presence of majesty, splendor, strength and honor in his holy place." No matter what we are living or where we are, God is present and knows all things. We are challenged to stay positive, focused, and listen to the people around us by responding to the present need. God is present.

Confirmation News: Confirmation Retreat will be held on Saturday, February 12 for Confirmation students receiving the sacrament on Wednesday, March 16. It is important for students to fill out paperwork application, sponsor Sheet and name of saint and return as soon as possible. Volunteers are needed for the retreat. Please check or call Sister Ophelia on Wednesday's to sign up.

Volunteers are needed for our Confirmation retreat. Please check or call Sister Ophelia on Wednesdays to sign up.

Blessings!

Sr. Ophelia Cervantez, MCM
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Yo les aseguro
que nadie es profeta
en su tierra.

Lucas 4:24

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2022

LECTURAS DE HOY— 30 DE ENERO DE 2022

Primera Lectura	Dios destina a Jeremías a ser profeta de las naciones. (Jeremías 1:4-5, 17-19)
Salmo	Mi boca contará tu salvación, Señor. (Salmo 71 [70])
Segunda Lectura	El amor con todas sus muchas facetas es la más importante de las virtudes. (1 Corintios 12:31 — 13:13 [13:4-13])
Evangelio	Cuando Jesús reclama que su misión salvífica es para todos los pueblos, los miembros de la sinagoga de Nazaret enfurecidos lo echan fuera (Lucas 4:21-30)

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LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lecturas de la Semana del 30 de Enero de 2022

Domingo	Cuarto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario Jer 1:4-5, 17-19; Sal 71 (70):1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15-17; 1 Cor 12:31 -- 13:13 [13:4-13]; Lc 4:21-30
Lunes	Memoria de San Juan Bosco, presbítero 2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13; Sal 3:2-7; Mc 5:1-20
Martes	Martes de la Cuarta Semana del Tiempo Ordinario 2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30 — 19:3; Sal 86 (85):1-6; Mc 5:21-43
Miércoles	Fiesta de la Presentación del Señor Mal 3:1-4; Sal 24 (23):7-10; Heb 2:14-18; Lc 2:22-40 [22-32]
Jueves	Memoria de San Óscar, obispo y San Blas, obispo y mártir 1 Re 2:1-4, 10-12; 1 Cr 29:10-12; Mc 6:7-13
Viernes	Viernes de la Cuarta Semana del Tiempo Ordinario; Primer viernes Ecl 47:2-11; Sal 18 (17):31, 47, 50, 51; Mc 6:14-29
Sábado	Memoria de Santa Águeda, virgen y mártir 1 Re 3:4-13; Sal 119 (118):9-14; Mc 6:30-34
Domingo	Quinto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario Is 6:1-2a, 3-8; Sal 138 (137):1-5, 7-8; 1 Cor 15:1-11 [3-8, 11]; Lc 5:1-11

LOS SANTOS Y OTRAS CELEBRACIONES

Domingo: Cuarto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario; Semana de las Escuelas Católicas

Lunes: San Juan Bosco

Martes: Martes de la Cuarta Semana del Tiempo Ordinario

Miércoles: La Presentación del Señor; Jornada Mundial de la Vida Consagrada; Día de la Marmota

Jueves: San Blas; San Óscar; Bendición de las Gargantas

Viernes: Primer viernes

Sábado: Santa Águeda; Primer sábado

CUARTO DOMINGO
DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO

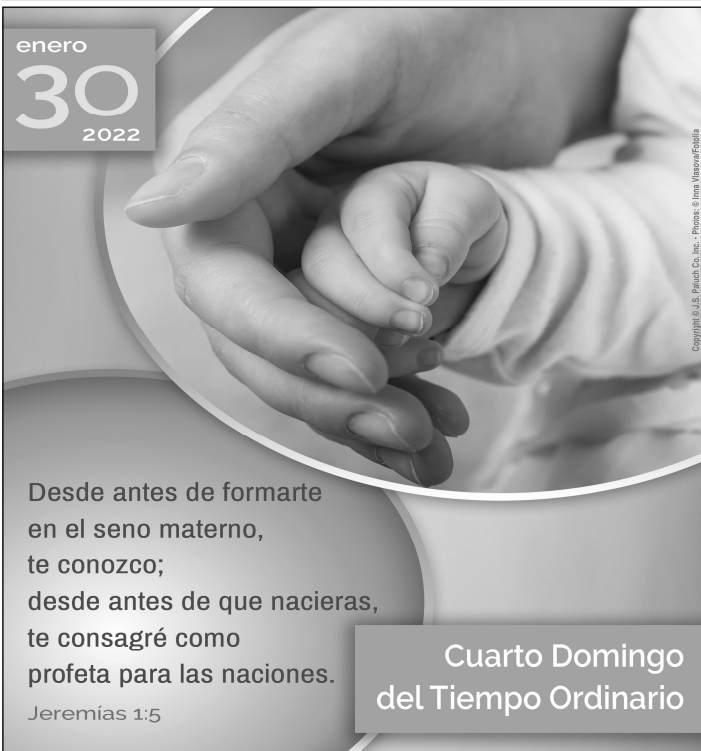


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ORACIÓN DE LA SEMANA*Cuarto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario*

Concédenos, Señor Dios nuestro,
adorarte con toda el alma
y amar a todos los hombres con afecto espiritual.
Por nuestro Señor Jesucristo, tu Hijo,
que vive y reina contigo en la unidad del Espíritu Santo
y es Dios por los siglos de los siglos.

Amén.



Desde antes de formarte
en el seno materno,
te conozco;
desde antes de que nacieras,
te consagré como
profeta para las naciones.

Jeremías 1:5

Cuarto Domingo
del Tiempo Ordinario

Noticias de Educación Religiosa

“En su presencia están la majestad y el esplendor, la fuerza y el honor en su lugar santo”. (Sal 96: 1, 6)

Estimados padres, tutores y catequistas,

En situaciones o circunstancias difíciles en nuestras vidas suceden cosas y nuestros sentimientos o emociones pueden ser provocados, aunque todavía tenemos que ir al trabajo, a la iglesia o visitar a alguien, se vuelve desafiante a veces. Al escuchar las lecturas del Evangelio, Dios nos habla para que escuchemos y respondamos en “su presencia de majestad, esplendor, fuerza y honor en su lugar santo”. No importa lo que estemos viviendo o donde estemos, Dios está presente y sabe todas las cosas. Tenemos el desafío de mantenernos positivos, enfocados y escuchar a las personas que nos rodean respondiendo a la necesidad actual. Dios está presente.

Noticias de Confirmación: El Retiro de Confirmación se llevará a cabo el sábado 12 de febrero para los estudiantes de Confirmación que reciban el sacramento el miércoles 16 de marzo. Es importante que los estudiantes llenen la solicitud de papeleo, la hoja del patrocinador y el nombre del santo y regresen lo antes posible. Se necesitan voluntarios para el retiro. Verifique o llame a Sister Ophelia los miércoles para inscribirse.

Se necesitan voluntarios para nuestro retiro de Confirmación. Consulte o llame a Sister Ophelia los miércoles para inscribirse.

¡Bendiciones!

Sr. Ophelia Cervantez, MCM
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La Comunidad de Oración Católica
Fuente de Agua Viva
Les hace la cordial invitación el **lunes, enero 31** a las
6:00 pm—8:00 pm
Iniciamos con el Santo Rosario y tendremos
expuesto a Jesús Eucaristía.

¡SE BUSCA AYUDANTE!
Trabajador masculino o femenino para la limpieza
de ventanas en Stay Clear. Por favor llame a la
oficina para más información.

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