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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 of marriage preparation required).  
*Favor de hablar a la oficina para una 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/Domingo 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

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**St. Lawrence Catholic Church**



Diocese of  
Springfield-Cape  
Girardeau

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Office Hours/Horas de Oficina: Monday-Friday/Lunes-Viernes 9:00 am-4:00 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

November 6, 2022

Envelopes /Loose Checks	\$6,465.00
Loose Bills/ Change	\$1,503.16
Outreach	\$40.00
School Support	\$189.00
Mass offering	\$50.00
Religious Store	\$36.00
DDF	\$250.00
Sacred Heart Reimbursement	\$2,041.17
All Saints Day	\$355.00
All Souls Day	\$249.00
Building Fund	\$45.00
Retirement Fund	\$30.00
World Mission	\$23.23
2nd Collection Military	\$500.17
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$11,439.85</b>

**Fr. Rahab would like to thank everyone for your generous contributions to our Parish.**

Second Collection

November 20,2022 for Catholic Charities of Southern Missouri

Please pick up your bowl from the Fall Feast in the church office as soon as possible. Thank you  
**The church office will be closed Thursday, Nov. 24 for Thanksgiving and Friday, Nov. 25 the day after.**

## 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).

## 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.*



**NEED YOUR ROSARIES REPAIRED?**  
 Please call Al Fiffe for Rosary repair at (417) 236-6220.

## Weekly Calendar Los Santos Y Otras Celebraciones

**SAT. NOVEMBER 12TH: ST. JOSAPHAT**

**SÁBADO: SAN JOSAFAT**

4:30 pm Confessions

5:30 pm Mass Monett for + Deceased members for the Apostol and Montellano Family

**SUN. NOVEMBER 13TH: 33RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**Domingo: Trigésimo Tercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario**

8:00 am Mass Verona

10:00am Mass Monett +Charles and Anna Velten

11:00am PSR Class

12:30pm Misa de Domingo Monett

5:00pm Misa de Domingo Verona

**MON. NOVEMBER 14TH**

6:00PM PRAYER GROUP

**TUE. NOVEMBER 15TH: ST. ALBERT THE GREAT**

**MARTES: SAN ALBERTO MAGNO**

8:15am Mass Monett +Carolyn McCaffrey

**WED. NOVEMBER 16TH: ST. MARGARET OF SCOTLAND; ST. GERTRUDE**

**MIÉRCOLES: SANTA MARGARITA DE ESCOCIA; SANTA GERTRUDIS**

8:00am Mass Verona

6:00pm PSR Family Movie Night, (OL of Fatima)

**THUR. NOVEMBER 17TH: ST. ELIZABETH OF HUNGARY**

**JUEVES: SANTA ISABEL DE HUNGRÍA**

8:15am Mass Monett + Michael Schmidt (Birthday)

**FRI. NOVEMBER 18TH: THE DEDICATION OF THE**

**BASILICAS OF SS. PETER AND PAUL, APOSTLES; ST.**

**ROSE PHILIPPINE DUCHESNE**

**VIERNES: DEDICACIÓN DE LAS BASILÍCAS DE LOS SANTOS**

**PEDRO Y PABLO; ST. ROSE PHILIPPINE DUCHESNE**

8:00AM MASS VERONA

**SAT. NOVEMBER 19TH: BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**

**SÁBADO: SANTA MARÍA VIRGEN**

8:30AM PRAYER GROUP RETREAT

4:30 CONFESSIONS

5:30 pm Mass Monett for + Joan Blanchard

**SUN. NOVEMBER 20H: OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST; KING OF THE UNIVERSE**

8:00 am Mass Verona

10:00 am Mass Monett + Joe Bill and Kaye Birkenbach

12:30 pm Misa de Domingo Monett—Spanish Mass

5:00 pm Misa de Domingo Verona –Spanish Mass

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Nov. 13, 2022 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
THE END OF DAYS

As we prepare for next Sunday’s feast of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe, we hear descriptions of dire and catastrophic events. Sometimes it seems as though we ourselves are living in the end times, when life as we currently know it will cease for everyone. In answer to what must have been a fearful question, Jesus does not sugarcoat his foretelling of future days. Nor does the Old Testament prophet Malachi flinch from his pronouncements upon an evil world. Saint Paul, still writing to the Thessalonians, warns them prophetically against succumbing to “The End Is Near” syndrome—indolence in the face of the final days. However, both Jesus and Malachi speak of the recompense for living a just life— healing and vindication. Our Psalm 98, typically associated with Christmastime, helps us to rejoice for the King who is coming to rule with justice.  
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**First Reading** — There will arise the sun of justice with its healing rays (Malachi 3:19-20a).

**Psalm** — The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice (Psalm 98).

**Second Reading** — Paul speaks of his hard work among the Thessalonians (2 Thessalonians 3:7-12).

**Gospel** — Jesus foretells the destruction of Jerusalem, the persecution of his followers. But their perseverance will be their salvation (Luke 21:5-19).

The English translation of the Psalm Responses from the Lectionary for Mass © 1969, 1981, 1997, International Commission on English in the Liturgy

**School News**

Dear St. Lawrence Family,  
We were happy to be able to celebrate our Veterans and active duty military this past week at Mass and with Drive through Donuts! We truly appreciate your sacrifice and are grateful for what you have done for us.

We are selling Krispy Kreme donuts for a fall fundraiser. Donuts can be purchased for \$12/dozen and can be picked up at the school on Friday, Nov. 18 between 7:45-11am. If you would like to order some, please contact the school office and we’ll order some for you!

Thank you to the following people who have contributed to the school recently through the monthly envelopes: Bu Reh, Patricia Monto, Mr. & Mrs. G. Raucsch, Mr. & Mrs. Maurice Rosebaugh, Marilyn Roetto, Mary Mael, Anna Marie Green, and Julia Fritz. Your gifts help support our ministry and are very much appreciated!

I pray that each of you have a blessed and happy week!  
God Bless you,  
Tracey

**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!

**A Prayer for November**

Thank you, Lord For all the beautiful and wonderful things we experience in our life; for the beauty of the earth and its amazing colors; for crisp autumn morning and sparkling winter nights; for mountains and forests, rivers and seashores.

Thank you, Lord for all the beautiful and wonderful things we experience in our life; for the water that cleanses, the clothes that bring warmth, the food that nourishes and the home that gives comfort.

Thank you, Lord for all the beautiful and wonderful things we experience in our life; for those who love us and car for us; for those who value us for who we are; for those we call family, friends, neighbors.

Thank you, Lord for all the beautiful and wonderful things we experience in our life; for the gift of Christ, your son; for his life, his gospel, his cross, and his Church; for his Eucharistic meal and the promise to be with us always.

Thank you, Lord for all the beautiful and wonderful things we experience in our life; for the time you’ve allotted us, the life you’ve offered us, the opportunities you’ve afforded us, and the miracles you’ve worked for us.

Thank you, Lord for all the beautiful and wonderful things we experience in our life; and for your infinite love that meets our daily needs. May our love, too, be known for its abundance, its readiness to bless and heal, to offer peace and promote justice, and to serve in Jesus’ name

Amen  
International Catholic Stewardship Council  
November 2022

**PCCW**

Thank you to all the PCCW women who helped with the Fall Feast. We enjoyed it and had a lot of people to make it successful. Next Meeting is Dec. 5th at Big Baldy’s. Thank you and have a blessed week.

Neva Welters  
PCCW President



## Diocesan News

### Save the Dates

#### 2022 National Night of Prayer for Life

Bishop Rice will preside at the National Night of Prayer for Life at Holy Trinity Parish, Springfield, on Thu. Dec. 08, 11:30pm-Fri. Dec. 09, 12:30am. All parishes are invited to host a Night of Prayer in your parish to pray through the intercession of Mary, the Immaculate Conception, to save and protect our nation and the world from the culture of death; end abortion, and restore God’s blessings and peace.

#### Bishop Rice’s November Prayer Intention

During November, let us remember our family and friends who have died: may they rest in the peace of Christ.

#### Women’s and Men’s Cursillo Retreat Weekends

The Women’s Cursillo weekend will be held November 17-20 and the Men’s weekend will be held December 1-4. Both retreats take place at Pinecrest Camp and Conference Center in Fredericktown, MO

#### Pastors and Ministry Leaders, Please Consider Participating and Inviting Other Parish Council Members and Ministry Volunteers

In this wonderful formation and training opportunity being held close o home. Seek 2023 is a conference typically designed for college students and campus ministry leaders. However, the conference which will be held on January 2-6,2023 in St. Louis, MO has opened the doors to All Adults and added a special “Making Missionary Disciples Track.” Join parishioners, FOCUS Alumni, mission partners, parish priests, and ordinary Catholics from around the country, who want to make a difference in their community. Register by November 15 to receive the “Early Bird” discounted pricing.



**November 17-20 Women's Cursillo Retreat**  
Pinecrest Camp, Fredericktown

**December 1-4 Men's Cursillo Retreat**

**January 18-23, 2023 March for Life**  
Washington D.C.

**February 5 Wedding Anniversaries Celebration -**  
Cape Girardeau

**February 19 Wedding Anniversaries Celebration -** Springfield

**February 25 Catholic Men's Conference**  
Springfield

**February 26 Rite of Election -** Springfield

**March 5 Rite of Election -** Cape Girardeau

**March 24-25 Diocesan Youth Conference** Cape Girardeau

**March 31-April 1 Diocesan Youth Conference** Carthage

#### St. Lawrence Lectors for Mass Saturdays

- Nov. 5th.....Dayannara Ibarra
- Nov. 12th.....Nikki Pierce
- Nov. 19th.....Patricia Randall
- Nov. 26th.....Jim Ceselski
  - Alternates
- Al Dohmen and Thomas Kump

#### Sundays

- Nov. 6th.....Lynda Velten
- Nov. 13th.....Youth Group
- Nov. 20th.....Sandy Jastal
- Nov. 27th.....Sara Schad
  - Alternates
- Jayden Apostol, Sonie Probstfield, Daniel Navarro, Isaias Salas



## News and Upcoming Events

### Parish School of Religion (PSR)

During this time of the year, I am motivated by the readings of the lives of the saints and reflecting on Thanksgiving. Also thinking of ways to start preparing for our Advent season pretty soon. What is significant in our lives for the moment?

“The Holy Spirit calls us into being and bonding us together in Communion and mission with God and each other.”  
(www.Catholicstewardship.com)

We are called to journey in faith with prayer to follow Jesus together as one church. Let us give thanks to God for our church family, pray for our priests and continue to say yes in our commitment and participation. Church speaks to us of the “Real Presence” of Christ in the Eucharist.

**Thanksgiving Break** - No PSR on Wednesday, November 23, & Sunday, November 27, 2022. We will resume classes on Wednesday, Nov. 30 and Sunday, December 4, 2022.

We are looking forward to our Guadalupe Novena, Dec. 3- 11, Celebration on December 12 with Mañanitas and Posadas. We will keep you posted.

May you have a blessed weekend and enjoy this beautiful weather.

In the Heart of Mary, Be our Company,

Sister Ophelia



## Activities



### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS & LADIES AUXILIARY NEWS

- ◆ Meetings held every 1st Thursday of the month at 7:00p.m in the church basement.
- ◆ Join us in praying the rosary, every Saturday before Mass at 5:00pm and before Mass on the 5th Sunday at 9:30am.
- ◆ **FOR EVERYONE:** We are selling Butter Braid Pastry. If you would like to order some call Suzie Velten her cell 4173936200 or visit her at the office or Lynda Velten at 4173544228 or Ed Velten at 4172359638 ask for more info.

The Ladies Auxiliary has finally been able to elect offices. We had members nominate and then 2nd the nomination. Here are the offices:

- President: Lynda Velten
- Vice President: Barbara Alvarez
- Secretary: Suzie Velten
- Treasurer: Cathy Velten

Any female over the age of 17 1/2 years of age can still join Ladies Auxiliary, as long as you are a practicing catholic.

### The Benedictine Sisters of Perpetual Adoration

Join us in running the way of love! The Benedictine Sisters of Perpetual Adoration invite single women, ages 18-40, who are considering religious life to our Monastic Experience December 17-22, 2022, in Clyde, Missouri. It’s a chance to experience the daily rhythm of our life where you can join us in singing the divine office, attend daily Mass, spend time in personal prayer, and open your heart to God’s call by learning about discernment and prayer. There is no cost to attend and more details can be found at [www.benedictinesisters.org](http://www.benedictinesisters.org). To register contact Sister Maria Victoria at (660) 944-2221 ex. 127 or email [vocation@benedictinesisters.org](mailto:vocation@benedictinesisters.org)

## La Comunidad de Oracion Catolica Fuente de Agua Viva

Les hace la cordial invitacion para el dia 19 de Noviembre 2022

Se invita a vivir este retiro de sanacion y tener un encuentro personal con el Espiritu Santo con nuestro invitado Diacono Misionero Fernando Marin de España

**Entrada gratis**

**Inscribir: 7:30 a.m.**

**Retiro: 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.**

**Finalizamos con la Santa Misa a las 5:30 p.m.**

**Lugar: Iglesia Catolica San Lorenzo  
405 7th. St. Monett, MO 65708**



**Juan 19,34**

**sino que uno de los soldados le abrió el costado con la lanza, y al instante salió sangre y agua.**

### From the Desk of St. Mary's

The St. Mary's 7th and 8th grade students are selling tickets for a spaghetti takeout dinner as a fundraiser for Hurricane Ian victims in Florida.

The to-go dinner is \$10 for adults and \$7 for children. Tickets can be purchased at the St. Mary's School Office. The dinners will be ready for pick up on November 18th between 5:30-7:00pm. Questions please call 417-476-2824.  
Thank You.

## Noticias de Educación Religiosa

“El Espíritu Santo nos llama a la existencia y nos une en comunión y misión con Dios y Entre nosotros.”

(www.catholicstewardship.com)

Estamos llamados a participar en Comunión como una iglesia seguir a Jesús en sus pasos juntos.

Damos gracias por nuestra iglesia como familia, para nuestro párroco, y dar gracias por nuestro llamado en la iglesia sea compromisos y participación.

En este tiempo del año, Que es significativo en nuestra vida para el momento?

**Recordatorio:** Descanso de Acción de Gracias: **No habrá clases** de PSR el miércoles, 23 de noviembre y el domingo 27 de noviembre de 2022.

Esperamos un mes, para celebrar el 12 de diciembre con Mañanitas y Posadas. Los mantendremos informados.

Una bendecida semana y disfrutes de este hermoso clima.

En el Corazón de María, Sea nuestra compañía,

Hermana Ophelia



# 13 noviembre 2022

“Ya viene el día del Señor, ardiente como un horno, y todos los soberbios y malvados serán como la paja”

-Malachi 3:19

## Trigésimo Tercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

**LECTURAS DE HOY**— 13 de noviembre de 2022 Trigésimo Tercer Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

### EL FIN DE LOS DÍAS

Mientras nos preparamos para el próximo domingo para la fiesta de Nuestro Señor Jesucristo, Rey del Universo, escuchamos descripciones de acontecimientos funestos y catastróficos. A veces parece que nosotros mismos estamos viviendo el final de los tiempos, cuando la vida, así como actualmente la conocemos terminará para todos. En respuesta a lo que debe haber sido una pregunta temerosa, Jesús no endulza su predicción para los días futuros. Ni el profeta Malaquías del Antiguo Testamento flaquea de sus declaraciones sobre un mundo malvado. San Pablo, todavía escribiendo a los tesalonicenses, les advierte proféticamente en contra de caer en el síndrome de “El final se acerca”, es decir, a la pereza ante los últimos días. Sin embargo, tanto Jesús como Malaquías hablan de la recompensa por llevar una vida justa, curación y reivindicación. Nuestro salmo 98, típicamente asociado con la Navidad, nos ayuda a alegrarnos por el Rey que ya viene a gobernar con justicia.

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**Primera Lectura** — Para ellos que temen al Señor, brillará el sol de justicia con sus rayos de salud (Malaquías 3:19-20a).

**Salmo** — El Señor llega para regir la tierra con rectitude (Salmo 98 [97]).

**Segunda Lectura** — Pablo habla de su trabajo duro entre los tesalonicenses (2 Tesalonicenses 3:7-12).

**Evangelio** — Pero su perseverancia será su salvación (Lucas 21:5-19).

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La Comunidad de Oración  
Católica

**Fuente de Agua Viva**

Les hace la cordial invitación los lunes a las  
6:00pm—8:00pm

Iniciamos con el Santo Rosario y tendremos  
meditación sobre la palabra



### Oración de Corresponsabilidad

Gracias, Señor por todas las cosas bellas y maravillosas que experimentamos en nuestra vida; por la belleza de la tierra y sus increíbles colores; por las frescas mañanas de otoño y las brillantes noches de invierno; por las montañas y bosques, ríos y costas.

Gracias, Señor por todas las cosas bellas y maravillosas que experimentamos en nuestra vida; por el agua que limpia, la ropa que trae calor, el alimento que nutre y el hogar que da confort.

Gracias, Señor por todas las cosas bellas y maravillosas que experimentamos en nuestra vida; por aquellos que nos aman y nos cuidan; por aquellos que nos valoran por lo que somos; por aquellos a quienes llamamos familia, amigos, vecinos

Gracias, Señor por todas las cosas bellas y maravillosas que experimentamos en nuestra vida; por el don de Cristo tu hijo; por su ida, su evangelio, su cruz y su Iglesia; por su alimento

Eucarístico y la promesa de estar siempre con nosotros  
Gracias, Señor por todas las cosas bellas y maravillosas que experimentamos en nuestra vida; por el tiempo que nos has brindado, y los Milagros que has obrado para nosotros.

Gracias, Señor por todas las cosas bellas y maravillosas que experimentamos en nuestra vida; y por tu infinito amor que satisface nuestras necesidades diarias. Que nuestro amor sea también conocido por su abundancia, su disposición a bendecir y sanar, ofrecer paz y promover la justicia, y servir en el nombre de Jesús.

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