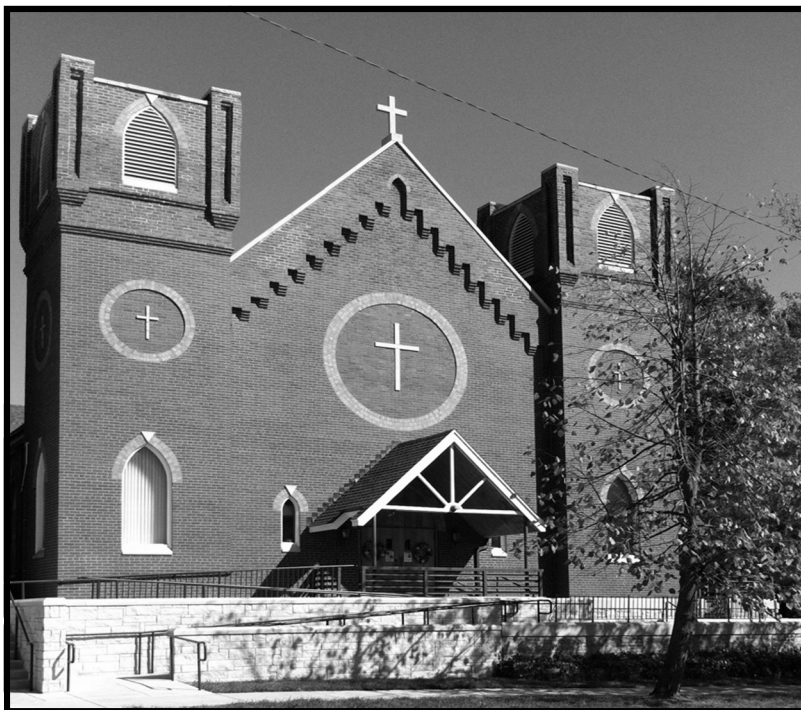




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Sunday Masses:

Saturday 5:30pm, English
Sunday 10:00am, English
Sunday 12:30pm, Spanish

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday-Thursday 8:15am, English
First Friday 10:00am, English

Sacrament of Penance (Confessions):

4:30-5:15pm Saturdays
For other times please call Father.

Weddings:

In accord with the policy of the Diocese of Springfield-Cape Girardeau, couples who are preparing for marriage must contact their parish priest at least six months in advance of the proposed wedding date.

Preparation for Baptism of Children :

Please call the parish office.

Baptism of Children:

Please call the Parish Office

Religious Education Classes:

Grades K through 6:
Sundays 11:00am-12:15pm
Grades 7 through 12:
Wednesdays 7:00pm

First Penance & First Communion:

Normally celebrated when a child is in the second grade. For children to celebrate First Penance and First Communion they must be enrolled in the Parish School or the Parish School of Religion in the first grade

Confirmation:

The Bishop visits our parish for Confirmation every two years.

RCIA:

Please call the Parish Office.

"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."

October 17, 2021

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time



Welcome to the Church of St. Lawrence Catholic Church. Our Church has helped to bring Jesus Christ to the city of Monett since 1892. We seek to foster the spiritual growth of our parishioners through the celebration of the Sacraments, catechists, community life, and personal prayer.

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

2021 SECOND COLLECTIONS

October 24th—World Mission Sunday

November 21st—Catholic Charities of Southern Missouri

December 25th—Seminararian and Diocesan Retired Clergy Collection

OCTOBER 11TH, 2021

ENVELOPES/LOOSE CHECKS	\$2870.00
LOOSE BILLS & COINS	\$788.25
MASS OFFERING	\$30.00
PSR	\$150.00
OUTREACH	\$25.00
SCHOOL SUPPORT	\$45.00
TOTAL	\$3908.25

**WE ARE ASKING FOR PHOTOS
OF OUR DECEASED FAMILY
MEMBERS FOR ALL SOULS DAY
PRAYER TABLE.**



Weekly Calendar

SUN. OCTOBER 17TH

8:00AM MASS VERONA

10:00AM MASS +FR. BILL HUGGINS

12:30PM MISA DE DOMINGO

5:00PM MISA DE DOMINGO VERONA

MON. OCTOBER 18TH

6:00PM HISPANIC PRAYER GROUP CHURCH

TUE. OCTOBER 19TH

8:15AM MASS +LOYD OSTERLOH

+SPIVY WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

WED. OCTOBER 20TH

8:00AM VERONA

THUR. OCTOBER 21ST

8:15AM +UNA FORCIER

+RICHARD WHITNEY METTLACH

6:00PM CHOIR PRACTICE

FRI. OCTOBER 22ST

8:00AM VERONA

SAT. OCTOBER 23RD

8:00AM CHURCH USED FOR ROSARY (SPANISH)

4:00PM CONFESSIONS

5:30PM MASS MONETT SPECIAL INTENTION

SUN. OCTOBER 24TH

8:00AM MASS VERONA

10:00AM MASS MONETT

12:30PM MISA DE DOMINGO MONETT

5:00PM MISA DE DOMINGO VERONA

**SAVE THE DATE
PCCW FALL FEAST
NOVEMBER 7, 2021**

October 24 is Council of Catholic Women Sunday. In honor of this, ladies will be serving in the Mass. PCCW will also serve coffee and sweet breads/donuts after Mass in Parish Hall.

Community



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



Knight of
Columbus Silver Rose Celebration
October 26th
8:15am—Mass

PCCW

PCCW WILL BE MEETING

NOVEMBER 15TH

PARISH HALL AT 6:30.

ALL LADIES ARE INVITED TO ATTEND.

WEEKLY CHURCH CLEANING

Please help maintain our beautiful church. We are looking for people to help us clean, sanitize and organize our song books and missals after all the masses.

If you are interested in helping out, please email stlawrence1892@gmail.com or call the office #417-235-3286.

Catholic Women's Conference



November 13th & 14th

Open to ALL women 13 and up!

St. Lawrence
Catholic Church
405 7th Street
Monett, MO 65708

Join us and fellow Catholic women in our area. Inspiration, encouragement, and concrete means to grow in peace are offered as our speakers consider how our thoughts and perceptions impact living in the present moment and recognizing that God is in charge. Make new friends and connect with old friends. Walk with our speakers as they guide you to a closer relationship with Christ, the Prince of Peace!

November 13, 2021 ~ Doors Open 7:30am

Sessions Start 8:00am

Day Ends with Mass at 5:30pm

November 14, 2021 ~ Doors Open 1:30pm

Sessions Start 2:00pm

Closing Prayer 8:00pm



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Dear Parents and Catechists:

May the Peace of Christ be with you!

October is the month for reflection on the beauty of the creation of nature, respect for life and prayer life.

Every month ICSC, (International Catholic Steward Council) sends out information or material on finding ways to rebuild a sense of community through liturgy, scripture, music and other gathering weekly. I find it interesting to read and know the church is struggling AND WHAT ARE WAYS TO better serve families as they return to church.

In listening to daily scripture this week, "The people of Nineveh believed God. (Jonah 3:5) and remembering that God's word is living in each one's heart and mind. It is challenging in day and age for many of us in finding time and ways to be light of this world.

We need your support for the following PSR events and activities this month.

On Sunday October 17, there will be a meeting for Sunday's Catechists after 12:30pm mass.

On Wednesday October 27th, youth are invited with permission of parents, to the Corn Maze.

Parent's we need your help. We would like to invite your child/ren to dress up as a saint for "All Saints Day" to be celebrated on Sunday, October 31st.

We are very grateful for all our volunteers and Catechists in assisting us in this year's PSR Program. Parent's are invited to volunteer and join us on Sunday mornings or Wednesday evenings. Please contact the Office or Sister Ophelia.

Be Safe, Blessings and in our prayers,

Sister Ophelia.

Our Insurance Company has informed us that we must repair our side walks. Please consider using your "Building Fund" envelope to contribute.



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.



Dear St. Lawrence Family,

Yesterday marked the end of the first quarter of school for us! The time is going by so quickly! The coming weeks are going to be very busy! We will be out of school on Monday for the Diocesan Teacher-Inservice and on Friday for Parent/Teacher conference day. We are planning another Trunk or Treat this year and would like to invite any parishioners who are interested to participate with us. It will be held on Friday, Oct. 29 from 5:30-6:30. The plan is to have it around the church parking lot, but if the weather isn't cooperating we'll have it inside the school. Please call or email us to let us know if you would like to participate!

Have a blessed week and God bless you!
Tracey

A STEWARDSHIP PRAYER

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Weekend of October 16/17, 2021

In today's Gospel Jesus teaches his disciples that whoever wishes to be great among them must be a servant, just as he came to be a servant. Good stewards know that their "greatness" is found in God, and is affirmed by a serving heart, a Spirit-filled life, a humble walk and a commitment to acting in ways that glorify God. The "greatness" we feel about ourselves is rooted in a proper view of God in our lives and a proper view of our place in creation. It is from here that we derive our sense of identity and our belief that human life is particularly valuable. Not to be a servant of the Gospel and others would be poor stewardship. In what ways do we serve the Gospel in our daily lives?

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The Son of Man
did not come
to be served
but to serve
and to give his life
as a ransom for many.

Mark 10:45



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TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY

in Ordinary Time

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).

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!

ANNUAL WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION MASS

The Office of Family Life is excited to celebrate the annual Diocesan Wedding Anniversary Celebrations in October. In the words of Pope Francis, "Marriage is the most beautiful thing that God has created." The event includes a Mass with Bishop Edward M. Rice, followed by a reception, in order to commemorate and affirm the great gift of married love within our families and communities. All married couples are cordially invited to attend with their family and friends.

*Sun., Oct. 17, 2021, at 2:30 p.m., in St. Agnes Cathedral, Springfield

GLOBAL CELEBRATION OF YOUTH AND
YOUNG ADULTS: ANNUAL CELEBRATION OF
WORLD YOUTH DAY

October 17, 2021

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

At the end of the Mass celebrating the 2020 Solemnity of Christ the King on Nov. 22, Pope Francis called for a renewal of the celebration of World Youth Day in the local churches. He also announced that beginning in 2021, he would "transfer the diocesan celebration of WYD from Palm Sunday to Christ the King Sunday. Parishes are encouraged to give special recognition to this day, celebrated this year on Nov. 21, 2021. The Vatican has released the "Pastoral Guidelines for the Celebration of World Youth Day in Particular Churches" as well as other resources in regard to this day.



CURSILLO RETREAT WEEKEND

"Where is God working in my life and in our world today?" The Cursillo retreat weekend is a wonderful opportunity to discover or rediscover the presence of God in your life today. Please

make the time to participate in this opportunity to encounter Christ and to grow in relationship with him.

October 21-24: Retreat center of the Congregation of the Mother of the Redeemer (CRM) in Carthage - Men's retreat

If you are interested feel free to contact our St. Lawrence church office 417-235-9436 for more information or Jim Haston at 417-393-0811.

Masses for the Year of St. Joseph

Dec. 8, 2020-Dec. 8, 2021

Bishop Rice will preside at the following Masses to celebrate the Year of St. Joseph in the Diocese of Springfield-Cape Girardeau:

St. Joseph Convent, Ava	Mon., Aug. 9	11:00 am
St. Peter the Apostle, Joplin	Tue., Sept. 7	6:00 pm
St. Joseph School, Scott City	Thu., Sept. 30	8:00 am
St. Mary Cathedral, Cape Girardeau	Wed., Oct. 20	7:00 pm
St. Joseph, Billings	Wed., Nov. 10	6:30 pm
St. Joseph Catholic Academy, Springfield	Fri., Dec. 3	8:30 am
Immaculate Conception, Springfield	Wed., Dec. 8	5:30 pm

Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Closing Mass for the Year of St. Joseph. Live-streamed on diocese Facebook page.



**"Show yourself a father, and
guide us in the path of life."**

Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer, Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary. To you God entrusted his only Son; in you Mary placed her trust; with you Christ became man.

Blessed Joseph, to us too, show yourself a father and guide us in the path of life. Obtain for us grace, mercy, and courage, and defend us from every evil.

October 17, 2021 Twenty-ninth
Sunday in Ordinary Time

THE HUMANITY OF JESUS CHRIST

All three readings today support—each in its own way, of course—a reflection on the humanity of Jesus Christ and how that humanity played a key role in the drama of our salvation. Although not chosen specifically to coordinate with the other two readings, today's second reading does in fact carry forward the theme of Christ's humanity in a remarkable way. The author of the Letter to the Hebrews highlights the solidarity that exists between Jesus and us, precisely because in his human nature Jesus has known the same sufferings and testing that are our own experience. Because he can "sympathize with our weaknesses," we can "approach the throne of grace to receive mercy." For the author of Hebrews, the humanity of Jesus was an essential requirement for his redemptive death, as well as an invitation to us to find in Jesus someone with whom we can identify in our daily struggles.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — My servant shall justify many, and their guilt he shall bear (Isaiah 53:10-11).

Psalms — Lord, let your mercy be on us, as we place our trust in you (Psalm 33).

Second Reading — Let us confidently approach the throne of grace to receive mercy and to find grace for timely help (Hebrews 4:14-16).

Gospel — Whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all (Mark 10:35-45 [42-45]).

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b; Ps 145:10-13, 17-18;
Lk 10:1-9

Tuesday: Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21;
Ps 40:7-10, 17; Lk 12:35-38

Wednesday: Rom 6:12-18; Ps 124:1b-8; Lk 12:39-48

Thursday: Rom 6:19-23; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 12:49-53

Friday: Rom 7:18-25a; Ps 119:66, 68, 76-77, 93-94;
Lk 12:54-59

Saturday: Rom 8:1-11; Ps 24:1b-4ab, 5-6; Lk 13:1-9

Sunday: Jer 31:7-9; Ps 126:1-6; Heb 5:1-6;
Mk 10:46-52

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Misas Semanales

8:15 AM ----- Martes y Jueves

10:00AM ----- Primer Viernes del Mes

Misas Dominicales

Sábados: ----- 5:30 PM Misa en Ingles

Domingo: ----- 10:00 AM Misa en Ingles

----- 12:30 PM Misa en Español

----- 5:00 PM Misa en Español en Verona

Confesiones

Sábados ----- 4:30PM - Tambien puede hablar a la oficina para hacer una cita.

Bautismos

Primer Sábado del Mes a las 11:00 AM (no hay Bautismos durante la cuaresma)

Grupo de Jóvenes/Doctrina- 11:00am Domingos para grados 1 al 6. 7:00pm Miércoles para grados 7 a 12.

Quinceañeras

Todos los arreglos tienen que hacer con 6 meses de anticipación y las jovencitas tienen que estar asistiendo al grupo de Jóvenes.

Bodas

Todos los arreglos tienen que hacerse con el sacerdote con seis meses de anticipación.

LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — Ya que él ofreció su vida como sacrificio por el pecado, el proyecto de Dios prosperará en sus manos (Isaías 53:10-11).

Salmo — Muéstrate bondadoso con nosotros, Señor (Salmo 33 [32]).

Segunda lectura — Acerquémonos con plena confianza al Dios de bondad (Hebreos 4:14-16).

Evangelio — El Hijo del Hombre ha venido a servir y a dar su vida como rescate por una muchedumbre (Marcos 10:35-45).

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LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Lunes: 2 Tim 4:10-17b; Sal 145 (144):10-13, 17-18; Lc 10:1-9

Martes: Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21; Sal 40 (39):7-10, 17; Lc 12:35-38

Miércoles: Rom 6:12-18; Sal 124 (123):1b-8; Lc 12:39-48

Jueves: Rom 6:19-23; Sal 1:1-4, 6; Lc 12:49-53

Viernes: Rom 7:18-25a; Sal 119 (118):66, 68, 76-77, 93-94; Lc 12:54-59

Sábado: Rom 8:1-11; Sal 24 (23):1b-4ab, 5-6; Lc 13:1-9

Domingo: Jer 31:7-9; Sal 126 (125):1-6; Heb 5:1-6; Mc 10:46-52



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**Vigésimo Noveno Domingo
del Tiempo Ordinario**

**El que quiera ser
grande entre ustedes,
que sea su servidor,
y el que quiera
ser el primero, que sea
el esclavo de todos.**

Marcos 10:43-44

BAUTISMOS

Para mas información o para registrarse, por favor de llamar a la oficina.

PRESENTACIONES

Las Presentaciones de Niños (as) se estarán llevando acabo durante la misa de 12:30pm. Por favor de avisar a la oficina de la iglesia con **un mes de anticipación**. Para mas detalles visítenos o márkuenos al 417-235-3286.

Intenciones para las Misas

Aquellos que deseen honrar a un ser querido con una celebración de la Misa pueden programar una intención de misa poniendo una nota en un sobre marcado "Intención de misas" con \$10.00 y dejarla en la cesta de la colección con la fecha que desea la misa. Las intenciones para la misa están disponibles para los vivos y los difuntos y proporcionan oportunidades para el recuerdo de oración de aniversarios, cumpleaños y otras intenciones especiales.

Calendario Ministros de la Palabra

1^{er} Domingo

1. Magdalena Hernandez
2. Norma Mendez

2^{do} Domingo

1. Adriana Duran
2. Maricela Aldaba

3^{er} Domingo

1. Ofelia Serrano
2. Veronica Diaz De Leon

4^{to} Domingo

1. Lupita De Leon
2. Gaby Ceceñas

5^{to} Domingo

1. Hugo Rodriguez
2. Mela Ceceñas

**Te invitamos al grupo de oracion Fuente de Agua
Viva los Lunes a la 6pm-8pm.**

**Tenemos meditacion sobre la palabra y charlas
por nuestros servidores.**

**Ven Espirity Santo, llena los Corazones de tus
fieles, y enciende en ellos el fuego de tu amor.**

**Te invitamos a meditar el Rosario Mariano
con los misterios Gozosos los Sabados a las
7:50am de la mañana.**

Para ser padrino o madrina de Bautismo o Confirmación se requiere:

- 1.-Haber cumplido al menos 16 años de edad.
- 2.-Haber recibido el Sacramento de la Confirmación.
- 3.-Llevar una vida congruente con la fe y la misión que se va asumir.
- a) No haber renunciado a su fe Católica.
- b) Si se es casado, haber recibido el sacramento del Matrimonio, (casado por la Iglesia, no sólo por lo civil, o simplemente unidos de mutuo acuerdo).**
- c) Ser cristiano practicante.
- d) Dar ejemplo de una vida honrada en su trabajo, o negocio, en la familia, etc.
- E) Ser miembro registrado y activo de alguna parroquia.
- 4.-Asistir a las Catequesis de preparación del bautismo que ofrece la Parroquia.

Requisitos de la Primera Comunión

- El estudiante debe estar en Segundo grado o mas y tener por lo menos 7años de edad.
- El estudiante debe haber estado matriculado en un programa de educacion religiosa por lo menos un año antes y no tener no mas de dos ausencias por semester.
- Los estudiantes deben participar en la Misa los domingos y mas a menudo si la oportunidad se presenta.
- El estudiante debe entregar una copia del certificado de Bautismo.
- La preparacion para la Primera Comunión es un proceso de dos años.

Los padres de los niños están en preparación para la Primera Comunión es necesario que asistan a sesiones cada domingo para que sus hijos/as estén adecuadamente preparados/as para recibir los Sacramentos.

Los niños y jovenes entre las edades de 7-17 que no son bautizados tendran que asistir a clases de religion regularmente durante el año. Buena asistencia es necesaria para comenzar la preparacion de los Sacramentos.

Vigésimo Noveno Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario Fin de semana del 16/17 de octubre de 2021

En el Evangelio de hoy Jesús enseña a sus discípulos que quien quiera ser grande entre ellos debe ser un servidor, así como él, que vino para ser un servidor. Los buenos corresponsables saben que su "grandeza" se encuentra en Dios, y es afirmada por un corazón que sirve, una vida llena del Espíritu, un caminar humilde y un compromiso de actuar de maneras que glorifican a Dios. La "grandeza" que sentimos acerca de nosotros mismos está enraizada en una visión adecuada de Dios en nuestras vidas y una visión adecuada de nuestro lugar en la creación. Es de aquí que derivamos nuestro sentido de identidad y nuestra creencia de que la vida humana es particularmente valiosa. No ser un servidor del Evangelio y de los demás sería una escasa corresponsabilidad. ¿De qué manera servimos al Evangelio en nuestra vida diaria



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