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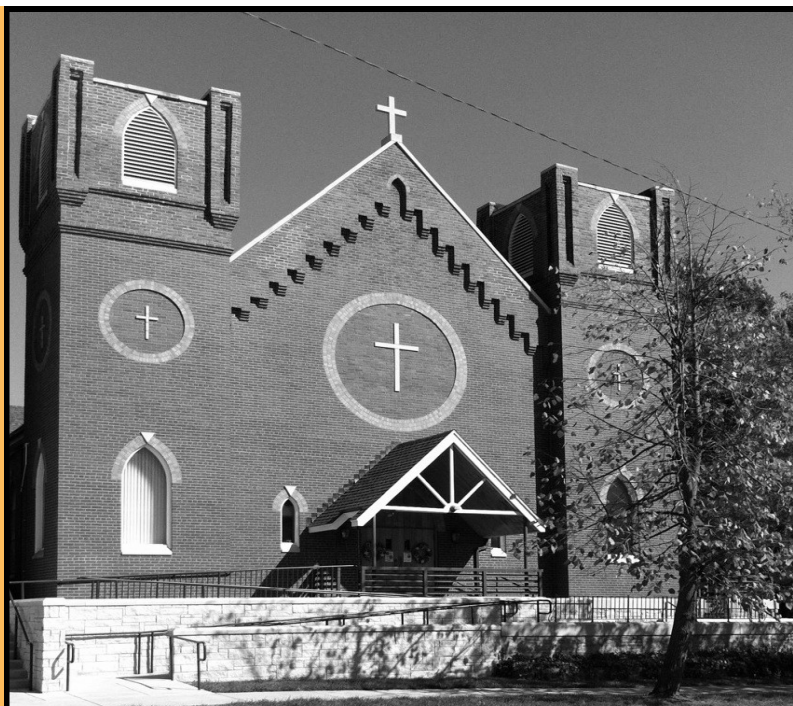
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**MASS SCHEDULE  
HORARIO DE MISAS****Saturday/Sábado**

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

October 2, 2022

Envelopes /Loose Checks	\$4,592.00
Loose Bills/ Change	\$788.90
Outreach	\$66.00
School Support	\$154.00
PSR	\$110.00
Religious Goods	\$3.00
Building Fund	\$15.00
Mass offering	\$220.00
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$5,997.15</b>

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

There will be a second collection October 8th and 9th for Crosslines.



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## 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. OCTOBER 8TH: BLESSED VIRGEN MARY**

**SÁBADO: SANTA MARIA VIRGEN**

4:30 pm Confessions

5:30 pm Mass Monett for + Michael Schmidt

**SUN. OCTOBER 9TH: 28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**Domingo: Vigésimo Octavo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario;**

8:00 am Mass Verona

10:00am Mass Monett Thanksgiving for wedding anniversary of Dr and Terry Montellano

12:30pm Misa de Domingo Monett

5:00pm Misa de Domingo Verona

**MON. OCTOBER 10TH: COLUMBUS DAY (OBSERVED) AND THANKSGIVING DAY (CANADA)**

**Lunes: Día de Acción de Gracias en Canadá; Día de la Raza; Día de los Pueblos Indigenas**

**TUE. OCTOBER 11TH: ST. JOHN XXIII, POPE**

**Martes: San Juan XXIII**

No Mass Today

7:00 pm Bible Study

**WED. OCTOBER 12TH: COLUMBUS DAY**

No Mass Today

7:00pm PSR Class

**THUR. OCTOBER 13TH:**

No Mass Today

**FRI. OCTOBER 14TH: ST. CALLISTUS I**

**VIERNES: San Calixto I**

No MASS TODAY

**SAT. OCTOBER 15TH: ST. TERESA OF JESUS, SWEETEST DAY**

**SÁBADO: Santa Teresa de Jesús; El Día más Dulce**

4:30 CONFESSIONS

5:30 pm Mass Monett for +Frank and Ellen Schmidt

**SUN. OCTOBER 16TH: 29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

8:00 am Mass Verona

10:00 am Mass Monett + Carolyn McCaffrey

12:30 pm Misa de Domingo Monett

5:00 pm Misa de Domingo Verona

Mr. Ed Laning has

Bible Study every Tuesday at

7:00 pm in the conference room.

Everyone is welcome to attend!



**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**October 9, 2022 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**THE GIFT OF SALVATION**

Naaman and the leper who returned to Jesus saw God’s hand in their healing. Only through God’s intervention could they have been cured. Through this recognition of God’s presence and action in their lives, they grew in faith. For what are you grateful? Pause for a moment to reflect on all of the blessings in your life. God is the source of these many blessings—life, love, gifts, and so much more. Of all the gifts for which we must be grateful, none is as great, or as astounding, as the gift of salvation offered to us through Jesus Christ. Let this sink in, not only in your mind but in your heart. Like Naaman and the leper who returned, allow yourself to be touched by the immense love of God for you.  
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**TODAY’S READINGS**

**First Reading** — Naaman, cleansed from his leprosy, returns to Elisha and pledges his belief in and allegiance to the LORD (2 Kings 5:14-17).

**Psalm** — The Lord has revealed to the nations his saving power (Psalm 98).

**Second Reading** — Remember Jesus Christ, who was raised from the dead. If we persevere, we shall reign with him (2 Timothy 2:8-13).

**Gospel** — After ten lepers are cleansed by Jesus, only one, a Samaritan, returns to give him thanks (Luke 17:11-19).

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**School News**

Dear St. Lawrence Family,

We’ve had a busy week! We were able to enjoy the pumpkin patch on Monday and had Pet Blessing on Tuesday. Picture Days were Tuesday and Wednesday, then we were able to celebrate Mass and Adoration on First Friday!

We want to thank the following folks who have been made donations to St. Lawrence School through your envelopes: Marilyn Roetto, Mr. and Mrs. George Rausch, Patricia Monto, Patricia Randall, Bu Reh, Koo Reh, Ann Kennedy, Mike Freiberger, Mary Mael, AnnaMarie Green, Mr. and Mrs. Israel Patino and Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Barchak.

Have a most beautiful and blessed weekend!  
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!

**130 Years as a Parish!**

Gracious God, you have blessed us abundantly. We thank you for the gifts of our faith, our families, and our community.

As we approach 130 years as a parish, we reflect on the commitment and love of those who came before us. Their scarifies continue to bless our parish, our school and our lives. Pour out your Spirit upon us. Give us hearts like those of our ancestors, full of determination, humanity, love and gratitude. We humbly ask you to send your Spirit upon our parish community during this crucial time as we are called to grow in holiness, form intentional disciples and witness to others the beauty of our faith.

Give us courage to follow you and guide us through the uncertainty of life.

We ask all this through Christ our Lord.

Amen

**PCCW NEWS**

**Join us in our Outreach Ministry!**

The PCCW is hosting food drive for crosslines on the weekend masses of October 8th and 9th. Monetary donations can be made at the 8th and 9th masses in the 2nd collection. Crosslines has 2 categories of needs when it comes to food. First, are the poor families whose needs are: canned veggies, canned fruit, canned meats (Vienna sausages, chicken, tuna) & stove top stuffing, which they can run out of this time of year. The 2nd group is the homeless whose needs are different. Items needed are: canned soups with pull top, can opener, meals in a can, healthy snacks and ramen noodles, which are very popular. Also hygiene items in the smaller sizes such as: laundry soap, dish soap, and shampoo. Thank you for helping our ministry to the poor and needy in our community.

Neva Welters  
PCCW President

## Diocesan News

### Save the Dates

**Evangelization and Discipleship Summit**  
-Saturday, October 15, 9am-3:30pm at the Drury Hotel and Conference Center, Cape Girardeau

**First Catholic Women’s Conference**—Holy Trinity Catholic Church, located at 2818 E Bennett, Springfield, will host the first Catholic Women’s Conference, Sat. Oct. 15.

### 2022 Clergy Institute

The Clergy Institute will take place from Monday, October 10 (afternoon) to Friday, October 14 (noon) at Drury Plaza Hotel and Conference Center, 3351 Percy Drive, Cape Girardeau

### Diocesan Liturgy Conference

All current and potential parish Music Leaders, Choir Members, Musicians, Readers, Server Trainers, Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion, Liturgical Coordinators, Sacristans and those interested in the liturgical life of the parish are invited to the Diocesan Liturgy Conferences on:

- Sat. Nov. 5, 9am-2:30pm at Holy Trinity Parish, Springfield
- Cost \$10 per person and includes lunch. Advance registration is required. For more information contact Katie Newton at 417-866-0841 or [knewton@dioscg.org](mailto:knewton@dioscg.org)

### Fall Faculty Meeting

“Introduction to Theology of the Body”  
All day meeting includes lunch. Cost \$10 (pay at check in) RSVP to Debra Owensby at [dkowensby@dioscg.org](mailto:dkowensby@dioscg.org)  
October 19– Notre Dame High School, Cape Girardeau  
October 20– St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Springfield  
Approximate time 8:30am-3:00pm



**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

### **Activate your God-given spiritual gifts**

Join us for 6 weekly sessions. Beginning 10/6, we will meet every Thursday at 6:30pm to dive deeper into how to use the spiritual gifts God has given us. Sessions will consist of short videos and discussion time and will last approximately 1.5 hours each week. The focus is for women this time. We're hoping to do something for men and families in the near future.



Broken out into 6 weekly sessions  
10/6 - 11/10  
6:30pm

## News and Upcoming Events

### Parish School of Religion (PSR)

Dear Parents, Guardians and Catechists:

#### **Our Lady of Fatima, Pray for us.**

As we begin this month, let us reflect and meditate on the lives of the saints, St. Therese of the Child Jesus, St. Francis of Assisi, St. Faustina and Our Lady of the Rosary. Gifts of Faith.

I remember the story of our Lady of Fatima as a child attending Catholic School and praying the rosary daily with my grandpa, our sitter, while mom and dad were at church. I am grateful now for the gift of faith. Our Lady walks with us at times of suffering, difficulties and fear. Let us pray for her protection daily, for her love and peace in our hearts.

**The Confirmation Rehearsal** will be held on Wednesday, October 19 at 7pm in the church. Parents or sponsor and candidate will need to attend.

**Confirmation Celebration of Mass** with Bishop Rice will be held on Wednesday, October 26th at 7:00pm. Students must arrive by 6:00pm to meet the Bishop. We have approximately 38 Confirmands.

**PSR WILL BE CANCELLED ON Wednesday, October 26th.**

#### **For other group events:**

- There will be a catechists meeting on Saturday, October 15th at 9:30am
- Guadalupano group meeting on Friday, October 14 at 6pm

Let us continue to pray for each other.

Oh Sweet Heart of Mary, Be My Company  
Sister Ophelia

## Activities



### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS

- ◆ Meetings held every 1st Thursday of the month at 7:00p.m.
- ◆ Join us in praying the rosary, every Saturday before Mass at 5:00pm and before Mass on the 5th Sunday at 9:30am.

#### Information for Everyone

The Greater Ozarks Chapter of Knights of Columbus and Monett's Council #1075 are planning a coat drive for new coats for kids. If you know of any kids needing a new coat let us know. Monett Coat Drive will be held October 22, 2022 in the Church Basement from 2pm-4pm.

We also need gently used clean coats for adults. Contact Ed Velten 417-235-9638 or Lynda Velten 417-354-4228. You can also drop off any donations of coats or money to Suzie Velten at the Church Office.

#### **Information about Baptizing your child(ren)**

You need to be registered in the parish and an active parishioner of this church. I need baptism application filled out by parents, birth certificate of child and have taken the baptism class within the last 2 years.

God parents: They need all sacraments, practicing catholic, taken the baptism class, over 18 years old age, and if married must be married in the catholic church and I need the certificate.

I must have all information a month before baptism date to receive a certificate of baptism for the child the day of.



## What is the National Eucharistic Revival?

Scandal, division, disease, doubt. The Church has withstood each of these throughout our very human history. But today we confront all of them, all at once. Our response in this moment is pivotal. In the midst of these roaring waves, Jesus is present, reminding us that he is more powerful than the storm. He desires to heal, renew, and unify the Church and the world. How will he do it? By uniting us once again around the source and summit of our faith—the Holy Eucharist. The National Eucharist Revival is the joyful, expectant, grassroots response of the entire Catholic Church in the U.S. to this divine invitation.

### MISSION

To renew the Church by enkindling a living relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ in the Holy Eucharist.

### VISION

To inspire a movement of Catholics across the United States who are healed, converted, formed, and unified by an encounter with Jesus in the Eucharist—and who are then sent out on mission “for the life of the world.”



## Noticias de Educación Religiosa

### Estimados padres, y catequistas:

Nuestra Señora de Fátima, ruega por nosotros.

Al comenzar este mes, reflexionemos y meditemos sobre las vidas de los santos, Santa Teresa del Niño Jesús, San Francisco de Asís, Santa Faustina y Nuestra Señora del Rosario. Dones de Fe.

Recuerdo la historia de nuestra Señora de Fátima cuando era niña, asistía a la escuela católica y rezaba el rosario todos los días con mi abuelo, mientras mamá y papá estaban en la iglesia. Ahora estoy agradecido por el don de la fe. Nuestra Señora camina con nosotros en momentos de sufrimiento, dificultades y miedo. Oremos diariamente por su protección, por su amor y paz en nuestros corazones.

**El ensayo do Confirmación** se llevará a cabo el miércoles 19 de octubre a las 7pm en la iglesia. Los padres o patrocinadores y el candidato deberán asistir.

**La Celebración de la Misa de Confirmación** con el Obispo Rice se llevará a cabo el miércoles 26 de octubre a las 7pm. Los estudiantes deben llegar a las 6pm para reunirse con el Obispo en el Salón. Tenemos aproximadamente 38 Confirmandos.

### **PSR SERÁ CANCELADO EL MIÉRCOLES 26 DE OCTUBRE:**

#### **Para otros eventos:**

- Habrá una reunión de Catequistas el sábado 15 de octubre a las 9:30am
- El grupo Guadalupano se reunirá el viernes 14 de octubre a las 6pm

Oh dulce Corazón de María, séa mi compañía,

Hermana Ophelia

## 9 octubre 2022

Pero la palabra de Dios no está encadenada.  
-2 Timoteo 2:9

### Vigésimo Octavo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

**LECTURAS DE HOY** — 9 de octubre de 2022 Vigésimo Octavo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

#### EL DON DE LA SALVACIÓN

Tanto Naamán como el leproso que regresó a Jesús vieron la mano de Dios en su curación. Solo a través de la intervención de Dios podrían haber sido curados. A través de este reconocimiento de la presencia de Dios y acción en sus vidas, crecieron en la fe. ¿Por qué estás tú agradecido? Haz una pausa para reflexionar en todas las bendiciones en tu vida. Dios es el origen de estas muchas bendiciones, la vida, el amor, los dones y muchas otras cosas. De todos estos dones por los cuales debemos estar agradecidos, ninguno es tan grande, ni tan asombroso, como el don de la salvación que se nos ofrece por medio de Jesucristo. Deja que esto penetre, no sólo en tu mente sino en tu corazón. Como Naamán y el leproso que regresaron, déjate tocar por ese inmenso amor que Dios te tiene.  
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**Primera Lectura** — Naamán, purificado de su lepra, regresó a Eliseo y prometió obedecer al Señor (2 Reyes 5:14-17).

**Salmo** — El Señor revela a las naciones su salvación (Salmo 98 [97]).

**Segunda Lectura** — Acuérdate de Cristo Jesús que fue resucitado de entre los muertos. Si perseveramos con él, también reinarémos con él (2 Timoteo 2:8-13).

**Evangelio** — Después que diez leprosos se encontraron curados por Jesús, solamente uno, un samaritano, regresa para darle gracias (Lucas 17:11-19).

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### Oración— 130 Años como Parroquia!

Dios misericordioso, nos has bendecido abundantemente. Te agradecemos por los dones de nuestra fe, nuestra familias y nuestra comunidad.

A medida que nos acercamos a los 130 años como parroquia, reflexionamos sobre el compromiso y el amor de nuestros antepasados. Sus sacrificios continúan bendiciendo nuestra parroquia, nuestra escuela y nuestras vidas.

Derrama tu Espíritu sobre nuestra comunidad parroquial durante este momento crucial en el que estamos, llamados a crecer en santidad, formar discípulos intencionales y dar testimonio o otros de la belleza de nuestra fe.

Danos valor para seguirte y quíanos a través de la incertidumbre de la vida. Te lo pedimos todos por Cristo nuestro Señor.

Amén

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

October 20th and October 21st

La Comunidad de Oración Católica tendrán un garage sale en The Gathering Place localizado en 100 Business 37 Purdy, MO 65734 todos los fondos recaudados serán para el retiro que se dará a cabo el 19 de Noviembre 2022 en nuestra parroquia de San Lorenzo.

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