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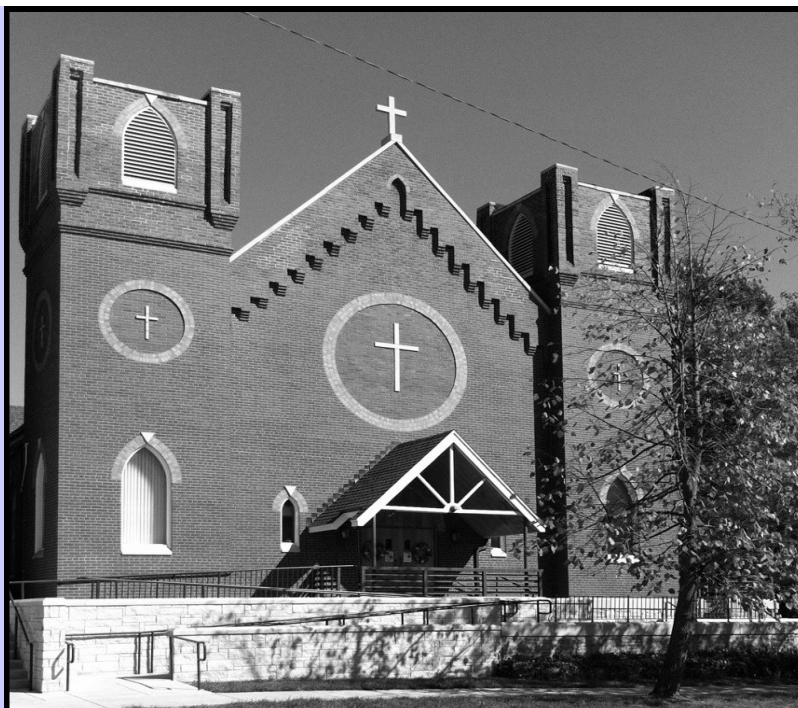
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**MASS SCHEDULE
HORARIO DE MISAS****Saturday/Sábado**

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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1892*

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

September 11, 2022

Envelopes / Loose Checks	\$3,486.00
Loose Bills/ Change	\$988.66
Mass Offerings	\$20.00
Outreach	\$114.00
School Support	\$13.00
PSR	\$834.00
Votive Candles	\$54.50
Religious Goods	\$5.00
Building Fund	\$15.00

Total: \$6,965.11

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

There is a 2nd collection today for Retirement Fund for Religious.



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. SEPTEMBER 17TH: ST. ROBERT BELLARMINE, ST. HILDEGARD OF BINGEN, BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
SÁBADO: SAN ROBERTO BELARMINO; SANTA HILDEGARDA DE BEINGEN; SANTA MARÍA VIRGEN
4:30 pm Confessions
5:30 pm Mass Monett for + Quiriol Juana Apostol

SUN. SEPTEMBER 18TH: 25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Domingo: Vigésimo Quinto Domingo del Tiempo
8:00 am Mass Verona
10:00am Mass Monett +Carolyn McCaffrey
12:30pm Misa de Domingo Monett
5:00pm Misa de Domingo Verona

MON. SEPTEMBER 19TH: S. JANUARIUS
LUNES: SAN JENARO

TUE. SEPTEMBER 20TH: SS. ANDREW KIM TAE-GON AND PAUL CHONG HA-SANG AND COMPANIONS
Martes: Santos Andrés Kim Tae-gon, Paul Chong Ha-sang y compañeros
8:15am Mass Monett +Logan Harris
7:00 pm Bible Study

WED. SEPTEMBER 21ST: ST. MATTHEW, APOSTLE AND EVANGELIST
Miércoles: San Mateo, apóstol y evangelista
8:00am Mass Verona
7:00pm PSR Class

THUR. SEPTEMBER 22ND: FIRST DAY OF AUTUMN
Jueves: Inicio de Otoño
8:15am Mass Monett + Carlyn McCaffrey

FRI. SEPTEMBER 23RD: ST. PIUS OF PIETRELCINA
VIERNES: San Pío de Pietrelcina (Padre Pío)
8:00AM MASS VERONA
SAT. SEPTEMBER 24TH: BLESSED VIRGEN MARY
SÁBADO: SANTA MARÍA VIRGEN
4:30 CONFESSIONS
5:30 pm Mass Monett for + Thomas Schmidt

SUN. SEPTEMBER 25TH: 26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
8:00 am Mass Verona
10:00 am Mass Monett + Wilbert Fenske
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

September 18, 2022 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

PRIORITIES

Make a choice. God or money, material things, earthly pleasure. This is what Jesus asks us to do in today's Gospel. The Pharisees and scribes, and many people, want it both ways. God and wealth. But Jesus knows that "no servant can serve two masters." It is not that wealth is inherently bad, but the pursuit of it to the exclusion of what is good and righteous is. Our faith is meant to guide and shape the way we live. If we are followers of Jesus Christ, we will treat others, especially the poor and vulnerable, fairly and justly. We will live with devotion to God and let our lives speak the truth of God's love for all. We will put first things first, or more precisely, put God and God's ways first, assured that when we do, everything else will fall into place.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The Lord never forgets the sins of those who take advantage of the poor (Amos 8:4-7).

Psalm — Praise the Lord who lifts up the poor (Psalm 113).

Second Reading — Pray to the Lord, who wants everyone to be saved (1 Timothy 2:1-8).

Gospel — Be trustworthy in all things. Serve God, the only master, not mammon (Luke 16:1-13 [10-13]).

The English translation of the Psalm Responses from the Lectionary for Mass
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School News

Dear St. Lawrence Family,

What a beautiful week we've had at school! We are learning and working hard every day. We just had our Scholastic Book Fair and it was so good to see our children excited about books!

We are learning about the Mexican Independence Day this week and will have a big celebration on Friday. That's the news for now! Have a blessed week!

God Bless
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 Stewardship Prayer for September

Heavenly Father, September is a month that offers hope for things to come: our daily life has a new rhythm, there are new beginnings and new encounters, and a new energy is seen in the parish community.

In this month of accelerating activities, keep us mindful that we live for Christ and not for ourselves. Give us the strength and the wisdom to be "Doers" of Your Word, and not just listeners; to be good stewards of the Gospel each and every day.

In this month of transition help us find a deeper spiritual balance in our lives that takes time for you, listens to the promptings of your Spirit and give us hope that the body of Christ has well begun the transformation of a troubled world. We ask this through your Son, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

PCCW NEWS

Attention everyone: The PCCW is hosting a food drive for our local crosslines. We are asking for canned goods and non perishable foods. Please bring your donations to the weekend Masses of October 1st & 2nd and October 8th & 9th. There will be boxes in the back of the church. We will also ask for monetary donations in a second collection at the October 8th & 9th masses. Thank you for your Outreach Ministry! Next meeting is October 3, 2022 at 6:30pm in the Parish Hall. More information to come.

Neva Welters
PCCW President



St. Matthew

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Diocesan News

Save the Dates

Evangelization and Discipleship Summit

-Saturday, September 24, 9am-3:30 pm at Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Springfield, MO

-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., Sept. 17, 9am-2:30pm at Notre Dame
- Regional High School, Cape Girardeau
- 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

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
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

Saint Andrew Dinner

Is he calling you?

Join Bishop Rice and local priests for prayer and dinner. Tuesday, September 27, 2022 at 6:30pm. Saint Peter the Apostle Joplin.

Interested? Talk to your parish priest or RSVP by September 20, 2022 to email: briantjstrauss@gmail.com

News and Upcoming Events

Parish School of Religion (PSR)

Thank you Catechists and Volunteers! We appreciate your Help.

Blessed be God! We have been blessed with dedicated Catechists and volunteers who have given their time and talent weekly to teach and model their Catholic faith to your youth. The church continues to open its doors to the teaching of the Catholic Faith to all children, youth and adults and learn from each other. This year we have 136 enrollments in PSR. Please keep us in your prayers.

Today we celebrate Catechetical Sunday.

“This is my body given for you”

-Luke 2:19

Catechetical Sunday is a wonderful opportunity to reflect on the role that each person plays, by virtue of Baptism, in handling on the faith and being a witness to the Gospel. This year, the Church will celebrate Catechetical Sunday on September 18, 2022, and the theme is: “This is my body given for you” -Luke 22:19. Those who the parish community has designated to serve as catechists will be called forth to be commissioned for their ministry.

If you feel a calling from God and would like to respond by helping your parish as a Catechist or volunteer in any ministry, please contact Sister Ophelia.

Confirmation Parent Meeting next week, September 21, 2022 at 7pm

An invitation to all Catechists to the “SUMMIT” Conference from 9:00am to 3:30pm Saturday, September 24, at Holy Trinity in Springfield, MO.

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.

Tootsie Roll Drive

It is that time of year again! The tootsie roll drive is coming up. We will need help. We are doing 2 other places this year besides the church; Walmart and Ramey's both in Monett. If you have any questions who would like to help please contact Joe Alvarez (913) 710-4685 or Ed Velten (417) 235-9638.

Ladies Auxiliary

We officially have a Ladies Auxiliary for Knights of Columbus Council #1075. Our meeting will be September 22, 2022 at 7pm in the church basement. There will be lots of information and decisions to make. You can still join. If you are interested come to the meeting any ladies 17 1/2 years or older and a practicing catholic. Come help the community!



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.”

Encountering the Eucharist, East to West Diocesan Pilgrimage Masses

Deanery 4, Sun., Sept. 25 St. Agnes Cathedral, Springfield, Vigil Mass 5pm Benediction 7pm

Deanery 5, Mon., Sept., 26 Sacred Heart, Willow Springs, Parish Mass 9am Benediction at 6pm

Deanery 1, Tues., Sept., 27 St. Peter the Apostle, Joplin, Parish/School Mass 8:15am Benediction 6pm

Deanery 2, Wed., Sept., 28 St. Mary, Pierce City, Parish/School Mass 8:15am Benediction 7pm

Deanery 3, Thurs., Sept., 29 Sacred Heart, Bolivar, Parish Mass 8:30am Benediction 7pm

Deanery 7, Fri., Sept., 30 Sacred Heart, Poplar Bluff, Parish/School Mass 8:30am Benediction 7pm

Deanery 6, Sat., Oct., 1 St. Mary of the Annunciation Cathedral, Cape Girardeau, Vigil Mass 4:30pm Benediction 7pm

Noticias de Educación Religiosa ¡Gracias Catechists y Voluntarios! Apreciamos su ayuda.

¡Bendito sea Dios! Hemos sido bendecidos con catequistas y voluntarios dedicados que han dado su tiempo y talento semanalmente para enseñar y modelar su fe católica a nuestra juventud en nuestra parroquia.

La iglesia sigue abriendo sus puertas a la enseñanza de la Fe Católica a todos los niños, jóvenes y adultos para unirnos más a nuestro Señor Jesucristo. Las más sinceras gracias.

Este año enemos 136 inscripciones de jóvenes para la preparación en la fe Católica. Por favor manténganos en sus oraciones.

Hoy celebramos el domingo de Catequesis 2022.

El domingo de catequesis es una magnífica oportunidad para reflexionar sobre el papel que cada persona desempeña, en virtud del bautismo, en la transmisión de la fe y en testimonio del Evangelio.

Este año, la Iglesia celebrará el Domingo de Catequesis el 18 de septiembre de 2022, y el tema es: “Esto es mi cuerpo entregado por vosotros”- Lucas 22:9. Aquellos que la comunidad parroquial ha designado para servir como catequistas serán llamados para ser comisionados para su ministerio.

Si siente un llamado de Dios y le gustaría responder ayudando a su parroquia como catequista a voluntario en cualquier ministerio, comuníquese con la Hermana Ophelia,.

Corazon de Maria, sea mi Compania!

Reunión de Padres de Confirmación: Los padres de los Estudiantes que reciben el sacramento de la Confirmación el miércoles 26 de octubre tendrán una reunion el miércoles 21 de octubre a las 7pm.

También se les da una invitación a todos los líderes del ministerio parroquial, catequistas y miembros del consejo parroquial a una conferencia “Evangelización y Discípulos” en la parroquia de Holy Trinity, Springfield, de 9:00am–330pm el sábado 24 de septiembre.

18 septiembre 2022

“No hay criado que pueda servir a dos amos.”

-Lucas 16:13

Vigésimo quinto domingo del tiempo ordinario

LECTURAS DE HOY— 18 de septiembre de 2022 Vigésimo Quinto Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

LAS PRIORIDADES

Elige una opción. Dios o el dinero, cosas materiales, placeres mundanos. Esto es lo que Jesús nos pide hacer en el Evangelio de hoy. Los fariseos y escribas, y muchas personas, quieren ambas cosas. Dios y la riqueza. Pero Jesús sabe que “nadie puede servir a dos amos”. No es que la riqueza sea propiamente mala, sino el hecho de buscarla excluyendo lo que es bueno y justo. Nuestra fe debe guiar y dar forma a nuestra forma de vivir. Si somos seguidores de Jesucristo, trataremos a los demás, especialmente a los pobres y vulnerables, con justicia y equidad. Viviremos con devoción a Dios y dejaremos que nuestras vidas hablen de la verdad del amor de Dios por todos. Pondremos lo primero, o más exactamente, pondremos a Dios y sus caminos en primer lugar, con la seguridad de que cuando lo hacemos, todo lo demás tendrá sentido.

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Primera Lectura — El Señor nunca se olvida del pecado de los que hacen trampa a los pobres y abusan de ellos (Amós 8:4-7).

Salmo — Alaben al Señor, que alza al pobre (Salmo 113 [112]).

Segunda Lectura — Reza al Señor, que quiere que todos se salven (1 Timoteo 2:1-8).

Evangelio — Sé responsable en todo. No pueden ustedes servir a Dios y al dinero (Lucas 16:1-13).

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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

Confirmación Oct. 2022

Estudiantes de Confirmación en clase de Nikki, Brett y Dohmen que regresan para el sacramento, asegúrese de registrarse el mes de Agosto. Padres, están invitados a unirse a nuestro equipo los miércoles por la noche para ayudar a nuestra juventud. Por favor, póngase en contacto con la Hermana Ophelia.



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