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Mass: Saturday 4pm – Sunday 9am
June 28, 2026
Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

LITURGICAL SCHEDULES AND INTENTIONS:

Saturday, July 4th, 3:30 p.m. – For the Parish

Sunday, July 5th, 9:00 a.m.- Ignatius Klein

STEWARDSHIP FROM LAST WEEK:

Envelopes \$1,182.50; Loose \$508; Candles \$44 – Thank You

LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR NEXT WEEK:

Saturday, July 4th, 3:30 p.m.

Lector: Teresa Braunseis
Minister: Body of Christ Barb Jany & Susan Halt
Minister: Blood of Christ Karen Mueller & David Mueth
Servers: Addison Parker & Carson Parker
Crossbearer: Noah Huffman

Sunday, July 5th, 9:00 a.m.

Sandi Gerdes
Jennifer Neff & Vic Klein
Rich Kreher & Mary Anne Hopper
Anna Gerdes

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Our readings this week show the way that God’s blessing transforms believers and those with whom they come in contact. This Sunday’s responsorial psalm emphasizes the way God builds up those who believe. Simple trust in God’s promises brings rejoicing, illumination, exaltation, strength, and security. Those who respond with their whole selves to God’s promises of justice and eternal love find themselves transformed by joy. If Christians are to be like Jesus, they must undertake a similar mission to change the lives of those around them. Christians bear the Holy Spirit wherever they go, and that Spirit is always at work. Prophets in ancient Israel foreshadowed this reality. Kindness to them resulted in blessings, as the first reading recounts. The Shunemite woman’s deepest wish – to be a mother – received its fulfillment because of her generosity to the prophet Elisha. Jesus imagines a similar reality for his disciples. In the section of Matthew’s Gospel from which this Sunday’s passage comes, Jesus offers words of encouragement to his disciples just as they are about to go out on their missionary journeys. As Elisha and other prophets bore God’s blessing to any who helped them, so God would bless any who showed kindness to the bearers of Christ’s Gospel. Christ’s disciples today must remember the blessing they can be to others. Christ’s Spirit is a twofold source of grace, first for the disciple who bears it and then for any who receive them.

NATIONAL SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF THE SNOWS
Nourishing Hope in Our Beautiful and Wounded World – 7-Day Preached Retreat with Sr. Melannie Svoboda, SND – Monday, July 13, 4:00 pm through Sunday July 19 at 10 am. Lodging \$643, Double Occupancy \$588, Commuter \$495. Call 618-397-0584. Call 618-397-0584 for more information
Scripture Series: Who Changed the New Testament? And Why?
Saturdays, June 20 and August 1, 2026 from 10 am – noon. Cost is \$15 per session/\$30 for the series. Register online at snows.org/events/NT-Series or call 618-394-6281.
83rd Annual Healing and Hope Novena to Our Lady of the Snows – Tuesday, July 28 through Wednesday, August 5, 2026, 7 pm nightly at Church of Our Lady of the Snows.

2026 QUILT RAFFLE
Our winner of the January quilt was Mary Muskopf, February – Pat Ramsey, March – Carolyn Sabo, April – Julie Glauber, May – Juleene Weilbacher. If you haven’t turned in your tickets for the 2026 Quilt Raffle, please turn them in so that you will be entered in the remaining 7 drawings.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL NEEDS YOUR HELP AGAIN!
The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Belleville Council again this year needs donations of bottled water, Gatorade (individual bottles), Capri Sun (individual pouches) or similar drinks, presweetened drink mixes, individually packaged snacks, such as crackers, meat sticks, cookies, fruit cups/pudding etc., Commercial rolls of tin foil, Salad dressing, pickle relish, mayonnaise BBQ sauce (gallon jars), and several other items. (List on the bulletin board). Items can be placed in the back of church.

St. Michael’s Prayer Chain – To request that someone be added to the Prayer Chain contact Karen Mueller at 473-3401. The person will be on the “prayer chain” for one (1) month, unless the person that requested the prayers asks for longer.

Anyone wishing to volunteer for the ministry of Lector, Greeter and/or Eucharistic Minister would be greatly welcomed. If interested please call the Parish Office at 618-473-2798 or see Sue Walsh. Thank you!

Parish Picnic – Saturday, July 4, 2026
SET-UP-NIGHT – Tuesday, June 30th – 6 pm - ? (In case of rain – Thursday, July 2nd – 6 pm) ALL HANDS NEEDED! Workers are needed to set up various stands; set-up parish hall and wrap baskets. If you have any questions, please contact Sue Walsh 314-974-2516 or Barb Jany 618-920-5384.
Saturday, July 4th 9:00 am – Workers are needed to help clean corn and do last minute preparations for picnic
Sunday, July 5th 8:00 am – Workers are needed to take downs stands and clean-up after picnic.
BASKET STAND: If you haven’t returned your basket please do so as soon as possible as they will be wrapped on **Tuesday Evening.**
QUILTS: Quilts may be left in the entrance of church or call Sue Walsh for drop off time.
COUNTRY STORE: If you are lucky enough this year to get a garden in, vegetables & fruits are needed as well as craft items, jams/jelly/pickles/herbs; baked goods (breads, cookies, etc.); anything sold in a country store. Be sure to label your items to identify what it is, such as pumpkin or zucchini bread, grape or plum jelly, etc. Please direct questions to Judy Tate 314-894-0055.
CAKE STAND: Cakes are needed! You can bring the day of picnic.

FR. EVA INSTALLATION MASS
Join us as we celebrate the Installation Mass of Fr. Eva as Pastor of St. James Catholic Church, St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, and St. Michael Catholic Church. The Mass will be held at St. James Catholic Church on Sunday, July 19th at 10:00 a.m. A reception will follow at the St. James Parish Center. If anyone would like to help out with finger foods for the reception, please contact Sue Walsh at 314-974-2516 and let her know what you would like bring. All are welcome!

ST. TERESA CHURCH
Patriotic Organ Concert on July 5, 2026 at 2:30 p.m. Music by Richard Thompson.

PETER’S PENCE COLLECTION
Today is the Peter’s Pence collection, a worldwide collection that supports the work of the Universal Church, including the work of the Holy See and the charitable works of Pope Leo XIV. Take this opportunity to join with Pope Leo XIV to be a sign of hope to our suffering brother and sisters. Please be generous today, For more information, visit www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
St. Vincent De Paul is seeking either two part-time or one full-time Charity Coordinator for their facility in East St. Louis. See the bulletin board for more details.

ANNOUNCEMENTS!
CATHOLIC URBAN PROGRAM: St. Michael’s June collection; Disposable diapers, Baby food and baby formula - Thank you!
St. Bruno, Pinckneyville – Chicken Dinner on Saturday, July 18th from 5 – 8 pm
St Patrick Church – Tipton – 37th Annual Auction and Chicken Plate Dinner – Sunday, August 2nd. Dinner 11 am – 3:30 pm, Auction begins at Noon, Quilts to sell approx. 2:30
St. James, Millstadt – Summer Festival on Saturday, August 1st, 4 – 10 pm. Mass at 3 pm, Quilt & Cash Bingo 7-10 (Indoors)
St. Francis, Aviston – Church picnic on Saturday, August 1st, Chicken Dinner 3:30 – 6:30, Carry-Outs 3 – 7, Mass 4, Quilt Bingo 6:30
St. Francis, Aviston – Quilt Show July 18 & 19, 11 am – 3 pm each day. Cost \$3
St. Charles Church, DuBois – Summer Social, Saturday, July 25th, In air-conditioned KC Hall. Prizes/Food/Fun, Bingo begins at 7 pm