



St. Cecilia Catholic Church

JUNE 21, 2020

THE TWELTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Readings

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Happy Father's Day

Public Masses Resumed June 6th!

Following Strict Cleaning, Sanitizing, and Social Distancing Guidelines St. Cecilia Church has resumed public masses with limited capacity. See page 4 for guidelines.

Here's what's available at St. Cecilia:

Wednesdays

6:30-7:30 pm Reconciliation

Saturdays

3:30-4:00 pm Reconciliation

4:30-5:30 pm Mass

Sundays

8:30-9:30 am Mass

11:00am-12:00 noon Mass

Sign-Up Required for all Masses

Online www.stcparish.org or Call LeAnne at 618.623.9153 or Paula at 618.604.2179

**The Lord bless you and keep you;
The Lord make his face to shine
Upon you and be gracious to you;
The Lord lift up his countenance
upon you and give you peace...
Numbers 6:24-26 ESV**

D's Art Gallery 2015



— Mass Times —

Saturday (Vigil): 4:30 pm
Sunday: 8:30 am & 11:00 am
1st Saturday of Month: 8:00 am
 — Reconciliation —
Saturday: 3:30-4:00 pm
Anytime by Appointment



This week's intentions:

Saturday, June 20
 4:30pm For Suzanne Scheibal

Sunday, June 21
 8:30am For St. Cecilia Parish
 Community
 11:00am For Larry Miller

Monday, June 22
 5:30pm For the Reform of the
 Clergy

Tuesday, June 23
 8:00am For Ruth Polson

Wednesday, June 24
 8:00am For Josephine Wolfe

Thursday, June 25
 8:00am For Mary Jo Peck

Friday, June 26
 8:00am For Nancee Flavin

Saturday, June 27
 4:30 For St. Cecilia Parish
 Community

Sunday, June 28
 8:30am For Jane Fralinger
 11:00am For Pat Conreaux
 To schedule an intention, call
 or email the Parish 288.3200
office@stcparish.org

After hours or end
 of life emergencies,
 call Fr. Gibbons at
 618.946.4518



St. Cecilia Catholic Church

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What I say to you in the darkness,
 speak in the light;
 what you hear whispered,
 proclaim on the housetops.

Matthew 10:27

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TWELFTH SUNDAY IN
 ORDINARY TIME
 JUNE 21, 2020

HAVE MERCY

"Praise the LORD, for [God] has rescued the life of the poor from the power of the wicked!" (Jeremiah 20:13). After the great recession of 2008, the middle class shrank, and people who lost their jobs and often their homes sank into poverty. This is not the direction we should be heading. We should be lifting up the poor, helping them to stay afloat and build a sufficient life for themselves: own a home, feed and educate their children, have hope. For this is what God wills for us, to help our brothers and sisters, no matter their race, religion, national origin, or any other thing that makes them "different" from us. We must have mercy. Even those who have little are known to share what they have with those who have less. How much more should those who have much offer help to those who are stuck! As we sing in today's responsorial psalm, "For the LORD hears the poor, / and [God's] own who are in bonds [God] spurns not" (Psalm 69:33).

WITH YOUR CONSTANT HELP, O LORD

"I hear the whisperings of many: 'Terror on every side!' " (Jeremiah 20:10). Of what are we afraid? Are we afraid of people speaking ill of us? Of those who seek our very lives? Are we afraid of falling into poverty? Of war on our own soil? It has been said that we are all just one hospitalization away from poverty; we should not be so confident in our material goods. We never know what may befall us. We must have mercy on those who have fallen into misfortune, and be ready to help our sisters and brothers just as God has mercy and helps us when we have tripped and fallen.

FEAR NO ONE

Poverty exists just as death exists. But we must not give up or lose hope! For God knows all our needs, and stands ready to help us. "For the LORD hears the poor, / and [God's] own who are in bonds [God] spurns not" (Psalm 69:33). We may or may not be materially poor, but we are victims of our own tendency toward sin.

As in Adam all died, in Christ all remain alive. "But the gift is not like the transgression. For if by the transgression of the one the many died, how much more did the grace of God and the gracious gift of the one man Jesus Christ overflow for the many" (Romans 5:15). We look to God for mercy and comfort in our need. God hears our prayer, and in the secret recesses of our hurting hearts, God comforts us and offers us salvation. "Fear no one. Nothing is concealed that will not be revealed, nor secret that will not be known. What I say to you in the darkness, speak in the light; what you hear whispered, proclaim on the housetops" (Matthew 10:26-27).

We may be poor in material ways, or fear such poverty. We are all poor in our transgressions, large and small, but we need not fear, for God is with us in mercy and love. "[D]o not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul" (Matthew 10:28). God can be trusted.

TODAY'S READINGS

Jeremiah 20:10-13
 Psalm 69:8-10, 14, 17, 33-35
 Romans 5:12-15
 Matthew 10:26-33



Faith Formation



Life-long catechetical formation is needed to prepare us to be disciples of our Lord and stewards of His creation. We offer programs for all ages—please join us!

Faith Formation Focus

June 21, 2020 ~ 12th Sunday of Ordinary Time

GOSPEL – You are worth many sparrows.

SAINT – St. John the Baptist (June 24)

PRAYER / DOCTRINE – Sacred Heart of Jesus, Immaculate Heart of Mary

SERVICE – St. Cecilia Pantry Drive

Spend some time during your week learning about these items.

Use resources in your home, check the (online) library, or explore them on the web.

Articles, videos, online links & activity pages on these topics can be found on our parish website:

STCPARISH.org

Congratulations!

During the past month, Fr. Gibbons has been busy administering the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Eucharist to our 3rd Graders and Confirmation to their siblings.

Confirmation & First Holy Eucharist

Keelie Bonney
Anna Cortez
Noah Croghan
Andrea DeAvila
Dante Dotdot
Kate Hayman
Aida Moussalli

Austin Peck
Larkin Reeves
Claire Richter
Kristofer Skenderi
Mason Spillers
Emily Wonders
Isabelle Wonders

Confirmation

Kendall Bonney
Talan Bonney
Mark Croghan
Antonio DeAvila
Lawson Reeves
Vincent Skenderi
Myles Spillers
Shawn Wonders

Baptisms & Weddings & RCIA

(Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)

Contact

Fr. Patrick Gibbons 288-3200

Youth Ministry Grades 5-12

(5-7 pm on 2nd & 4th Sun.)

Contact

Deacon Jerry Cato: 447-0826

Continuing Religious Education

(PSR, Bible Studies, Renew,
1st Reconciliation, Confirmation, 1st Eucharist)

Contact

Paula Raffaele: 288-5523



Emily, Isabelle & Shawn Wonders



Anna Cortez



Congratulations!



Claire Richter

Noah & Mark Croghan



ST. CECILIA CHURCH—TIME, TALENT & TREASURE

As a Diocese, we are committed to discipleship & stewardship.

We recognize that everything we have comes from God and that He has given us gifts not just to use for ourselves but also to share with others!

GOOD DEEDS HERE!

ST. CECILIA FOOD PANTRY

As a Parish family we provide direct service to those who are less fortunate.

We continue to help families with groceries & utilities each week!



Items Needed: Peaches, Pears, Fruit Cocktail, Applesauce, Pudding (Vanilla and Chocolate), Pie Filling (Apple and Cherry), Egg Noodles, Canned Ravioli, Baked Beans, Hamburger Helper, Brownie Mix, Salt, Flour, Chocolate Cake Mix, Spam, Instant Oatmeal, Corn Flakes w/Sugar, Pancake Syrup, Cooking Oil, Shampoo, Conditioner, Dish Detergent, Laundry Detergent, Cream of Mushroom Soup, Cream of Chicken Soup, Tissues, and Toilet Paper.

Your Generosity is Appreciated!



Due to the covid 19 virus many of our senior citizen volunteers are unable to help us at this time. We are in need of new volunteers. We offer a minimal hands on process and require all the clients to wear masks. If you would like to help us please call or email Bernie Guy-Marshall at 618-344-9950 or guymarshall60@yahoo.com

PARISH GENEROSITY REPORT

How To Give During This Time?

We have been receiving calls and emails about how to get contributions to the church while the office is closed.

Here are 4 options:

- Go GREEN—Give online @ <https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/1030> or download the APP @ OLGApp.com
- Set up through your bank as an ACH or Auto-Pay
- Mail your envelopes to: St. Cecilia Church, 155 N. Main St, Glen Carbon, IL 62034 (don't mail cash)
- Drop then in the Offertory Box when entering the Church for Mass.

We are so grateful for your continued support during this time.

ST. CECILIA MASS COUNTS

June 13/14: 4:30=70; 8:30=63; 11=48; Total=181

June 6/7: 4:30=50; 8:30=52; 11=47; Total 149

March 14/15: 4:30=119; 8:30=88; 11=74; Total 281

March 7/8: 8am=30; 4:30=165; 8:30=130; 11=154; Total=479

St. Cecilia's Fiscal Year July 1, 2019 - June 30, 2020

Thank you for your continued service and generosity!

OFFERINGS

	Weekly Totals	Fiscal YTD
June 4-16, 2020	\$ 18,251.00	\$ 441,282.54
Online Giving	\$ 4,521.58	\$ 88,689.96
TOTAL	\$ 22,772.58	\$ 529,972.50
Budget Goal (\$9,800/week)	\$ 19,600.00	\$ 490,000.00
Difference	\$ 3,172.58	\$ 39,972.50

Additional \$1,120.50 contributed to Haiti & Dioc Special Collections

Go GREEN - Consider giving online @

<https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/default.aspx?cid=1030>

Link can also be found at www.stcparish.org

St. Cecilia is a fervent community of intentional and dedicated missionary disciples of the Risen Lord.
We serve, especially those in need, with prayer, participation, and charity.



Prayer Requests:

Myrt Ahart, Patricia Aleman, Marissa Banovz, Brian & Jan Brogan,
Deacon Jerry Cato, Sara Cleary, Charles Cook, Teresa Donnay,
Ted Fuehne, Edwin Gajewski, Angie & Adalyn Hardesty, Mike Hogan,
Cynthia Ann Hunter, Mary Rose Kobler, Dee Konkel Mary Mucho,
Paulauskis & Lockwood Families, Irene Potthoff, Luke Raffaele,
Sheila Ridenbark, Doris Robinson, Nathan Rozycki, Weiss Family, Allison Winkler,
Bob Zellerman, St. Cecilia Parish, Our Country and World

If you like to add yourself or a loved one to the bulletin Prayer List,
contact LeAnne 618.288.3200 office@stcparish.org



Bishop Paprocki's 10 Year Anniversary as the Bishop of the Diocese of Springfield in Illinois is June 22nd. Due to current restrictions on gathering sizes, it is unlikely there will be a reception to commemorate his anniversary at this time.

If you'd like to send Bishop Paprocki a card, please send it to this address:

Bishop Thomas John Paprocki
Catholic Pastoral Center
1615 West Washington Street
Springfield, IL 62702-4757



On Thursday, June 25, from 9:00-10:00 am, members of the St. Mary's CRHP Team 1: David Berzcek, Andy Kraus, Dustin Riechmann and Tom Tucker will be guests on Covenant Radio from 9-10 AM.

They will be discussing the impact that CRHP has had on them, not only spiritually but as husbands, fathers and brothers in Christ.

This will be during their Summer Radiothon. Details of the Radiothon can be found at www.OurCatholicRadio.org or by calling 314-752-7000 or 877-305-1234.

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