



St. Cecilia Catholic Church

JUNE 28, 2020

THE THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Readings

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Thirteenth Sunday *in Ordinary Time*

June 28, 2020

Whoever gives only a cup
of cold water to one of these
little ones to drink because
the little one is a disciple —
amen, I say to you,
he will surely not lose his reward.

Matthew 10:42

Public Masses Resumed June 6th!

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

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



— 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 27
 4:30 For St. Cecilia Parish Community

Sunday, June 28
 8:30am For Jane Fralinger
 11:00am For Pat Conreaux

Monday, June 29
 5:30pm For the Reform of the Clergy

Tuesday, June 30
 8:00am For Ruth Polson

Wednesday, July 1
 8:00am For Josephine Wolfe

Thursday, July 2
 8:00am For Pat Conreaux

Friday, July 3
 8:00am For Doris Hall

Saturday, July 4
 4:30pm For Tony Vesci, Sr.

Sunday, July 5
 8:30am For St. Cecilia Parish Community
 11:00am For Robert Sedlacek

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



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Rev Patrick Gibbons, Pastor

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We know that Christ,
 raised from the dead, dies no more;
 death no longer has power over him.

Romans 6:9

GRACE AND HOPE

Which should we do? Turn our backs on our loved ones, or offer hospitality to all who come to us as Christ? Today we are told to do both, and yet there is no inherent contradiction here. Following Christ might mean that we need to be aware both that Christ comes first in our lives, and that losing our life for Christ's sake means to find it. We also are reminded that when we were baptized, we died with Christ, to sin and to the pull of the world, and live with him in a new life. No contradiction, no necessary confusion. Just grace and hope.

DYING AND RISING

The words of Saint Paul hit us smack in the face: "Are you unaware that we who were baptized into Christ Jesus were baptized into his death?" (Romans 6:3). This epistle is one of the choices to be read at Catholic funerals. It generally comes as something of a shock to the listeners. But the reading goes on to offer great comfort to us as Christians. "[w]e have died with Christ . . . we shall also live with him . . . raised from the dead, [Christ] dies no more . . . [Christ] lives for God . . . you too must think of yourselves as dead to sin and living for God in Christ Jesus."

HOSPITALITY

One of the ways we live in God is to extend God's hospitality to all. As an old Irish rune says, "Often goes the Christ in the stranger's guise."

The woman of Shunem offered hospitality to the prophet Elisha in the form of dinner and a place to stay. He rewarded her hospitality with the promise of a son. Christ explains to us just what hospitality means: "Whoever receives you receives me" and shall not lack for a reward. As theologian Paul Wadell teaches, when we offer hospitality, we not only offer food and drink, or a place to stay, or other kindness, we offer ourselves; we offer our attention to a stranger's story, wherein we learn another person's perspective, and in doing so we listen to God's story.

In warning us that "Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me . . ." and also, "Whoever finds [their] life will lose it, and whoever loses [their] life for my sake will find it" Jesus proposes that we cultivate detachment from things that we now consider primary in our lives. Christ loves us and wants us to put him first before other commitments or desires. Our hospitality to strangers puts Christ before ourselves in just this way.

TODAY'S READINGS

2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a
 Psalm 89:2-3, 16-19
 Romans 6:3-4, 8-11
 Matthew 10:37-42

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 ORDINARY TIME

JUNE 28, 2020



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 28, 2020 ~ 13th Sunday of Ordinary Time

GOSPEL – Whoever loses his life for my sake will find it.

SAINT – St. Thomas (July 3)

PRAYER / DOCTRINE – Solemnity of Sts. Peter & Paul

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!

Fr. Gibbons is continuing to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation to our 8th grade students and a few of their younger siblings during private daily Masses and weekend Masses.

John Almos
Tom Almos
Brynn Arico
Liam Boeving
David Carroll
Catalina Konradt
Elena Konradt
Nate MacLaughlin
Colin McGinnis
Carter McKaig

Confirmation



Anna Moore
Colin Moore
Lillian Novosel
Sophia Novosel
Maia Rowe
Vivienne Runnalls
Drew Smith
Ryan Smith
Morgan Vesci
Dominic Zamarione

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



John & Tom Almos



Dominic Zamarione

Confirmation!

Maia Rowe



Liam Boeving



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 20/21: 4:30=81; 8:30=57; 11=44; Total=182

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

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:

Patricia Aleman, Marissa Banovz, Brian & Jan Brogan,
Deacon Jerry Cato, Sara Cleary, Charles Cook, Teresa Donnay,
Ted Fuehne, Edwin Gajewski, Angie & Adalyn Hardesty, Mary Ann Hobbs,
Mike Hogan, Cynthia Ann Hunter, Mary Rose Kobler, Dee Konkell, 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



**Please remember the families of
the following parishioners who've
passed in the last few of weeks:**

**Josephine Wolfe
Ruth Polson
Dee Decker**



They will be greatly missed by many!



**DUE TO COVID SAFETY REGULATIONS
DURING THIS NEXT PHASE IN
ILLINOIS, OUR OFFICE STAFF IS
AVAILABLE BY APPOINTMENT ONLY.
IF YOU NEED TO COME TO THE OFFICE
FOR ANYTHING, PLEASE CALL
TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT:**

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