



St. Cecilia Catholic Church

MARCH 3, 2019—THE EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Psalm is Not in the Book

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Weds.	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
MARCH 2019 Black=CHURCH; Blue=FLC; Green=HALL; Purple=Church Conf Room; Red=Off Site & Holiday					1 8 Mass 1 st Friday Visits	2 7:30 Rosary 8 Mass 9-3 Expos/ Ador 4:30 Mass
3 8 Donut Sunday 8&10:30 Rosary 8:30 Mass 9:30 PSR 9:30 Adult Study 11Mass/Baptism 12:30 RCIA 2-10 McGivneyEvent	4 5:30 Mass NA-Hall 7 Adult Study	5 8 Mass 9:30 Staff Mtg 10:30 Adult Study 7 KC Meeting	6 ASH WEDNESDAY 8 Mass 8:30 Quilters 10 RENEW 7 Mass	7 8 Mass 5:30 Bell Choir	8 8 Mass 6 Stations of the Cross	9 4:30 Mass
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— **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:

Monday, March 4

5:30pm For Reform of the Clergy

Tuesday, March 5

8:00am For Richard Bayer

Wednesday, March 6

8:00am For Theresa Rader

7:00pm For John Wedel

Thursday, March 7

8:00am In Honor of the Holy Spirit

Friday, March 8

8:00am For Bill Schulz

Saturday, March 9

4:30pm For St. Cecilia Parish Community

Sunday, March 10

8:30am For William VerStratten

11:00am For Leona Hamilos
 To schedule a mass intention for a loved one, call LeAnne at the Parish 618.288.3200 or email office@stcparish.org

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



St. Cecilia Catholic Church

Rev Patrick Gibbons, Pastor

Monday — Thursday 8:30 am—4:00 pm

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Lent/Easter @ St. Cecilia Church

LENT/EASTER SCHEDULE

Ash Wednesday, March 6th

Mass 8:00 am and 7:00 pm

Stations of the Cross—Fridays @ 6:00pm
 (3/8, 3/15, 3/22, 3/29, 4/5, 4/12)

Individual Reconciliation

Fridays following Stations of the Cross
 from 6:30-7:00 pm

St. Cecilia Penance Service (w/St. Mary's here)

Tuesday, 3/19, 6:30-9:00 pm

Palm Sunday weekend: Normal Mass Times

Saturday 4/13 4:30pm; Sunday 4/14 8:30 & 11:00am

HOLY WEEK

Thursday 4/18: 7:00pm Mass;

Adoration following Mass through midnight

Friday 4/19: 3:00pm Good Friday Service &
 Reading of the Passion

Saturday 4/20: 9:00pm Easter Vigil

Sunday 4/21: Masses at normal times 8:30 & 11:00am

Easter Egg Hunt Following 11:00 am Mass

There are small booklets entitled "Way of the Cross" which can be used during the week or on Fridays for Stations of the Cross. They are located in a basket at the back of church.

Please do not remove them from church

ALTON DEANERY LENTEN PENANCE SERVICES

Tuesday, March 19—6:30pm—St. Cecilia, Glen Carbon

Wednesday, March 20—7:00pm—Immaculate Conception, Pierron

Thursday, March 21—6:30pm—Mother of Perpetual Help, Maryville

Thursday, March 21—6:30pm—SS Peter & Paul, Collinsville

Sunday, March 24—2:00pm—St. Boniface, Edwardsville

Sunday, March 24—1:00pm—St. Ambrose, Godfrey

Sunday, March 31—7:00pm—St. Jerome, Troy

Monday, April 1—7:00pm—St. Lawrence, Greenville

Wednesday, April 3—7:00pm—Holy Family, Granite City



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!

Week of Mar 3 - Mar 9, 2019

Meetings take place at the Family Life Center (FLC) unless indicated.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
<u>9:35 am</u> PSR Adult Bible Study		<u>10:30 am</u> Adult Bible Study	<u>10 am</u> Renew
	<u>7 pm</u> Adult Bible Study		

The Season of LENT begins this week!

Lent is a season of reflection, renewal, and preparation. It is a 40-day liturgical season of fasting, special prayer and almsgiving in preparation for Easter.

Please take advantage of the services available to help you make the most of Lent this year:

Ash Wednesday Services

Wed. March 6, 2019

Mass - 8 am & 7 pm

Fridays during Lent,:

Stations of the Cross - 6 pm

Individual Reconciliation - 6:30 pm

Online (daily email) Lenten Devotions:

There are many available for all ages. For example:

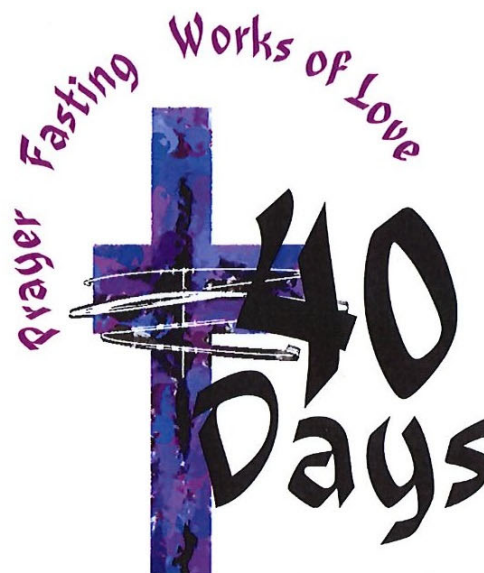
- **Adults**—Formed, Dynamic Catholic, Loyola Press, Ignatianspirituality.com, Our Sunday Visitor
- **Children**—Holy Heroes

Parish Penance Services:

See schedule on page 1 of this bulletin.

Learn more about Lent:

Google: "Online Catholic Lenten Devotion" to learn more about Lent!



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

St. Cecilia is dedicated to handing on the Catholic faith to the next generation!



The 3rd grade class of SJN recently transformed the gym into a Living History Museum by becoming exhibits themselves. Each student chose a person who changed the world, researched that person, and finally became the person for the museum. The students sat in chairs throughout the gym with a dot drawn on their hand. When a visitor to the museum wanted to hear what a particular exhibit had to say, they simply pressed the dot and the exhibit would come to life. Those who came got to hear about the lives of Charles R. Drew, Frederick Douglas, Sally Ride, Thurgood Marshall, and more! Learning at SJN is fun!



McGivney Trivia Night

Always a lot of fun and laughter, the Annual McGivney Trivia Night will be held on **Saturday, March 16th, at 7:00 pm.** Play trivia, visit, eat, and play our raffles. This year's trivia night will be held at Father McGivney Catholic High School.

Reservation forms and information on becoming a sponsor, please visit: mcgivneygriffins.com/events/trivia-night/.

**For more info, contact Development Office
618.855.9010**

email development@mcgivneygriffins.com

Couples Retreat

Couples of the parish are invited to Father McGivney Catholic High School on **Saturday, March 30,** for ***Enduring All Things***, a full-day retreat for married couples. The day will begin with breakfast at 8:30 am followed by morning and afternoon conferences presented by Fr. James Mason, President and Rector of Kenrick-Glennon Seminary in St. Louis. A catered lunch will be provided, and there will also be an opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation. The retreat will conclude at 4:00 pm. To register, visit www.kofc1143.com/marriage.

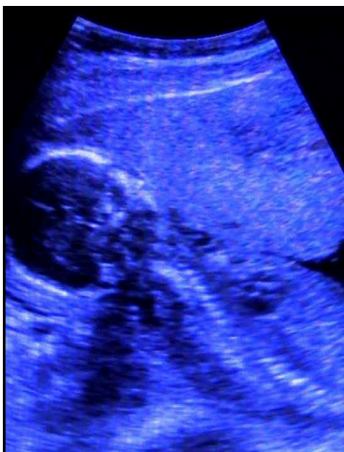
2019 Women's Prayer Breakfast Saturday, March 30th, 2019 8:00 am—12:00 noon St. Mary's Church, Alton, IL

This year's speaker is Immaculee Ilibagiza, a survivor of the 1994 Rwandan genocide and best-selling author of *Left to Tell*. Immaculee is regarded as one of the world's leading speakers on faith, hope, and forgiveness.

A major motion picture about her story is under production with an international release in theaters scheduled for December 2019.

Pre-registration required by **March 8th**. Limited seating.

**Contact Barb Crammond at 618.466.3524
bcrammond@yahoo.com or
Donna Schwartzkopf at 618.463.0747**



EXTREME Abortion Bills Introduced in IL Legislature

House Bill 2467 & Senate Bill 1594:

Repeals Illinois Parental Notification of Abortion Act

Current law requires a parent or legal guardian be notified when a minor seeks an abortion. Includes a waiver for children physically or sexually abused. Passed in 1995 but not implemented until 2013 by a **unanimous** Illinois Supreme Court ruling.

House Bill 2495 & Senate Bill 1942:

- **Repeals** current state ban on partial-birth abortions.
- **Defines** abortion as a fundamental right.
- **Removes** abortion clinics from regulations for serious medical procedures.
- **Removes** the requirement that only doctors can perform abortions.
- **We are studying the bill for further impact.**

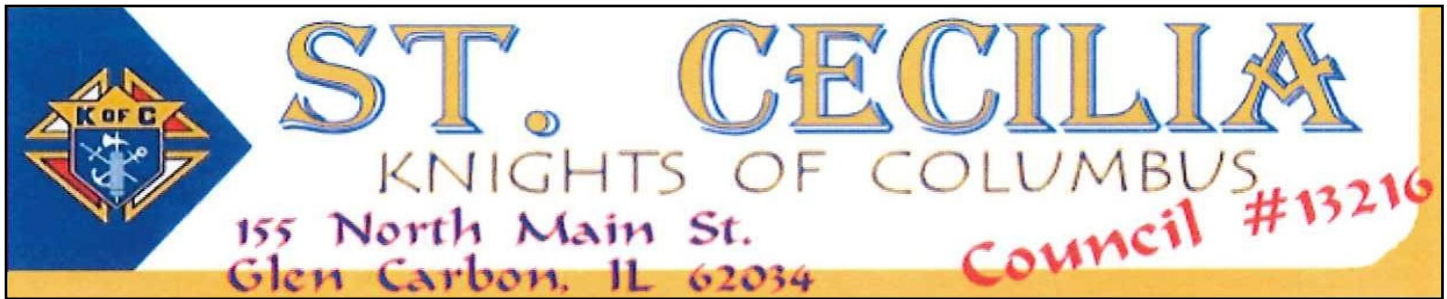
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We will keep you updated at www.ilcatholic.org, and via emails sent through our Illinois Catholic Advocacy Network (I-CAN).

**Sign up for I-CAN at:
www.ilcatholic.org/take-action/join-i-can**

Contact your state House and Senate lawmakers and urge them to vote "no" on HB 2467, SB 1594, HB 2495 & SB 1942. Go to www.ilcatholic.org for more info.



My name is: Tony Diaz, and I am a proud member of the KofC.

As you may know, the KofC was founded in 1882 by a parish priest, the Venerable Fr. Michael J. McGivney who had the vision and foresight to found an organization which would provide Catholic men the opportunity to live their faith through charitable works, caring for their families, and defending the Catholic faith.

Today, the KofC are almost 2 million members strong in 17 countries, providing a strong moral example in an age where culture so often promotes self-interest over service to others.

Most recently, we have been at the forefront of the Church's efforts to support victims of religious persecution around the world.

Last year, Knights and their families donated more than \$177 million and 75 million hours to charity.

Last year, in Illinois alone, Knights and their families donated more than \$733 thousand and over 235 thousand hours in our charitable efforts.

Today, we are offering the gentlemen of: St. Cecilia Parish the opportunity to join us in our work for God and neighbor.

Information is available in the back of church and of course applications for membership. Contact any of our officers

Please, consider joining the largest Catholic family fraternal service organization in the world.

Thank you and God bless you!
St. Cecilia Knights of Columbus #.13216

St. Patrick's Day
Sunday, March 17th



With a sample of



While supply lasts

11:30 am-6 pm

Cod Dinner \$ 10 Grilled Cheese Dinner \$ 5 • Fried or Baked Cod • French Fries • Coleslaw • Macaroni & Cheese • Bread • Drink (Tea/Lemonade)	• Grilled Cheese • French Fries • Coleslaw • Macaroni & Cheese • Drink (Tea/Lemonade)
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Join us in the Parish Hall for food, fun and fellowship!

ST. CECILIA CHURCH—TIME, TALENT & TREASURE

As a Diocese 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. If you would like to assist as a volunteer please contact Bernie Guy-Marshall guymarshall60@yahoo.com; 618.344.9950.

We helped 3 family with groceries and 2 families with utilities this past week.

Items needed: Tuna in Oil, Canned Spinach, Chocolate Cake Mix, Egg Noodles

NO CORN OR GREEN BEANS NEEDED!

Thanks for your continued support of the St. Cecilia Food Pantry!

Your Generosity is Appreciated!



PARISH GENEROSITY REPORT

Weekly Generosity	Weekly Totals	Fiscal YTD
February 16/17, 2019	\$ 7,581.35	\$ 303,053.47
Online Giving	<u>1,700.29</u>	<u>54,172.61</u>
Total	\$ 9,281.64	\$ 357,226.08
Budget Goal	<u>9,800.00</u>	<u>333,200.00</u>
Difference	\$ (518.36)	\$ 24,026.08

Add'l \$606 contributed to Haiti, Dioc Special & Restricted

Go GREEN—Consider giving online @

<https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/1030>

You may also download the APP @ OLGApp.com

ST. CECILIA MASS COUNTS

Feb 23/24: 4:30=188; 8:30=110; 11=163; Total=461

Feb 16/17: 4:30=166; 8:30=75; 11=136; Total=377

Feb 9/10: 4:30=156; 8:30=23; 11=50; Total=229

Feb 2/3: 8:00am=31; 4:30=150; 8:30=125; 11=182; Total=488

THE CHURCH IN CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPE

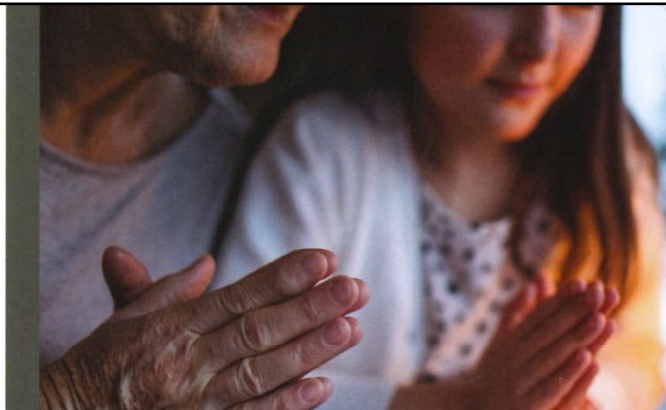
"Your people shall rebuild the ancient ruins;
the foundations from ages past you shall raise up;
'Repairer of the breach,' they shall call you,
'Restorer of ruined dwellings.'"

—Isaiah 58:12

*"Reedificarán, de ti, tus ruinas antiguas,
levantarás los cimientos de pasadas generaciones,
se te llamará Reparador de brechas,
y Restaurador de senderos frecuentados".*

—Isaías 58:12

Madison County Catholic Charities has openings for Advisory Board Members! Share your time and talent with like-minded people dedicated to providing help and hope to those in need. Please contact Denise Brown for more info. 618.462.0634 ext 232 or brown_ccmc@cc.dio.org



On Ash Wednesday, March 6th, we will take up the Collection for the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. This collection supports the Church in more than 20 countries that are still struggling to recover in the aftermath of communist rule. Funds from this collection support pastoral care, catechesis, building renovations, and seminary formation. Your support restores the Church and builds the future in this region. Please prayerfully consider how you can support the collection next week. More information can be found at www.usccb.org/ccee.

MARCH 9/10	Altar Server	Extraordinary Min. Holy Communion	Gift Bearer	Greeter	Reader	Sacristan	Usher
Saturday, 4:30 PM	Evan Carroll David Carroll Maria LaBrie	Deacon Jerry Cato Jeff Grimaud Bernie Guy-Marshall Robert Scheibal NOT FILLED	Jane & Robert Scheibal	Skenderi Family	Frank Ley Deborah Kirsch	Tim Raffaele	Bill Cobb Larry Dillin John Kromray Robert Soehnlín
Sunday, 8:30 AM	Christopher Agwuedu Anthony Agwuedu Alexis Agwuedu	John Coulter Frank Luitjohan Marlene Luitjohan NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Samet Family	Tammy Hannah Family	Kevin Winans Carol Winans	Rodney Almos	Dennis Boehm Tom Dixon Charles Juneau Glen Roth
Sunday, 11:00 AM	Jacob Kitchen Colin Moore Jackson Rodgers	Melinda Hutti Ben Maliszewski Jaycie Rodgers Jay Stobie Kathy Weiss	DeLaTorre Family	Randy Rodgers Family	Jen Moore Carl Rubner	Mark Noe	George Gonzalez LeRoy Horvath Ben Maliszewski Bill Newman

Sunday, 3/10 @ 10 am—Meridian Communion Service: Bauer

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

Prayer Requests:

Mark Achenbach, Myrt Ahart, Patricia Aleman, Karen Altnether, Marissa Banovz, Julie Bennett, Brian & Janice Brogan, Catherine Deters, Maria Carroll, Deacon Jerry Cato, Ken Chapman, Sara Cleary, Mike Cook, Jeannette Crony, Bob Curtis, Sr., Dee & Joe Decker, Therese Flerlage, Jan Foster, Jackie & Richard Francis, Ted Fuehne, Sandy Gill, Theresa Glueck, Mary Anne Griffin, Greg Herrell, Angie & Adalyn Hardesty, Mary Ann Hobbs, LaDonna Holshouser, Amber Hopfinger, Michael Hogan, Brent Holmes, Alyson Horn, Karen Huff, Cynthia Hunter, Eric James, Don Jozwiak, Esther Kacer, Mike Kelly, McKenzie King, James Kobler, Mary Rose Kobler, Maureen Kobler, Barbara Kordenbrock, Sandy Kozyak, Greg Krisch, Maria LaBrie, Danny Leach, Helen Lorden, Brian Markle, Kim Maslanik, Megan Maxfield, Karen McBride, Rose McCoy, Bette Menard, Judith Meyer, Georgia Miller, Madonna Mills, John Mucho, Dale Nerone, Bill Newbold & Family, Bill Newman, Rose Leach-Newman, Steve Novosel, Mary Jo Peck, Rosemary Perry, Irene Potthoff, Cathy Rhodes, Jeff Ridenbark, Sheila Ridenbark, Doris Robinson, Carol Sanner, Bob Scheibal, Alan Schrewe, Mary Jane Sepanski, Linda Smith, Lisa Smith, Leger Stenger, Dorothy Strain, Diana Sullivan, Beth Swalley, Taylor Thorp, Mary Tiller, Trish Unverferth, Easton Vestal, Binnie Valencia, D.W., Kyle Warnecke, U.B. Weiss, Allison Winkler, Bob Wolf, Bob Zellerman, Jay Zabrowski



Requests to office@stceparish.org

ST. CECILIA HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK!

Sunday, March 3

8:00 am Donut Sunday
8:00 am & 10:30 am Rosary
8:30 am Mass
9:30 am Adult Bible Study
9:30 am PSR
11:00 am Mass/Baptism
12:30 pm RCIA

Monday, March 4

5:30 pm Mass
7:00 pm Adult Bible Study

Tuesday, March 5

8:00 am Mass
9:30 am Staff Meeting
10:30 am Adult Bible Study
7:00 pm Knights of Columbus Mtg

Wednesday, March 6(Ash Weds)

8:00 am Mass
8:30 am Quilters
10:00 am Renew

7:00 pm Mass

Thursday, March 7

8:00 am Mass
5:30 pm Bell Choir

Friday, March 8

8:00 am Mass
6:00 pm Stations of the Cross
w/Individual Recon Following

Saturday, March 9

4:30 pm Mass

Sunday, March 10

8:00 am 2nd Sunday Breakfast
8:30 am Mass
9:30 am Adult Bible Study
9:30 am PSR
11:00 am Mass
11:30 am Conf Retreat @St. Mary
12:30 pm RCIA
2:30 pm Rite of Election
3:00 pm 1st Reconciliation Mtg
5:00 pm Youth Group