St. Cecilia Catholic Church

JANUARY 1, 2023 MARY, MOTHER OF GOD

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- Mass Times -

Saturday (Vigil): 4:30pm **Sunday:** 8:30am & 11:00am

Monday: 6:30pm

Tuesday-Friday: 8:00am
1st Saturday of Month: 8:00am
— Reconciliation —

Monday: 6:00-6:30pm Saturday: 3:30-4:00pm

1st Saturday of Month: 7:30am

Anytime by Appointment

Readings #1007/(year A)

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Weds.	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Mary Mother of God	2	3	4	5	6 1st Friday	7 1st Saturday
8:30 Mass 11:00 Mass		8:00 Mass 8:30 Quilters	8:00 Mass 9:00 Food Pantry 10:00 RENEW	8:00 Mass	8:00 Mass 9-3 1 st Friday Home Visits	7:30 Reconcil 7:30 Rosary 8:00 Mass 9:00-3:30 Adoration
	6 Reconciliation 6:30 Mass	7:00 KC Meeting	7:00 Choir			3:30 Reconciliation 4:30 Mass
8 Epiphany	9 Baptism of Lord	10	11	12	13	14
8:30 Mass 9:00 KC 2 nd Sun Brkfst 9:35 Adult Study		8:00 Mass 8:30 Quilters	8:00 Mass 9:00 Food Pantry 10:00 RENEW	8:00 Mass 10:30 Eden	8:00 Mass	
9:35 PSR 11Mass 1:00 Reconcil Class 3:00 1st Euch Class	NO RECONC NO MASS	6:30 SJN School Board Meeting	7:00 Choir			3:30 Reconc 4:00 Rosary 4:30 Mass
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
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22 Word of God	23	24	25	26	27	28
8:30 Mass 9:35 Adult Study 9:35 PSR		8:00 Mass 8:30 Quilters	8:00 Mass 9:00 Food Pantry 10:00 RENEW	8:00 Mass 10:30 Meridian	8:00 Mass	
11:00 Mass-Grace Notes Sing 1:00 Reconcil Class 3:00 1st Euch Class	6 Reconciliation 6:30 Mass		7:00 Choir			3:30 Reconc 4:30 Mass 5:30 KC Fellowship Night
29	30	31	JANUARY 2023 Black=CHURCH; Blue=FLC; Green=HALL; Purple=Church Conf Rm; Red=Off Site & Holiday			
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Office Information

Monday — Thursday 9:00 am—1:30 pm 155 North Main Street — Glen Carbon, Illinois 62034 (618) 288-3200 www.stcparish.org (618) 288-3292—fax

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This week's intentions:

Monday, January 2

6:30 pm For The Reform of the Clergy

Tuesday, January 3

8:00 am For Mary Demster

Wednesday, January 4

8:00 am For Gayle Schaake

Thursday, January 5

8:00 am For Richard A Shackelford

Friday, January 6

8:00 am For Deacon Michael "Kim" Scott

Saturday, January 7

8:00 am For St. Cecilia Parishioners 4:30 pm For Jerry Birchler

Sunday, January 8

8:30 am For Rose Leach Newman 11:00 am For Rob Lepping

1st Saturday Devotion

Saturday, January 7, 2023



7:30 am - Reconciliation & Rosary

8:00 am - Mass

9:00 am - 3:30pm - Adoration *

All are welcome to come for all the portions of the devotion, or stop in during the day to spend time in adoration in front of the Blessed Sacrament.

* SIGN UP

We cannot leave the exposed Blessed Sacrament alone.

- We need 7 adorers to SIGN UP during the hours the Blessed Sacrament is exposed.
- All others do <u>not</u> need to sign up for any part of the 1st Saturday devotion.

Sign Up available in the portico.

MINISTRY SCHEDULER PRO

Call or email LeAnne if you can serve any ministries office@stcparish.org or 618.623.9153

Jan 7/8	Altar Server	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Gift Bearer	Greeter	Reader	Usher
Sat, 4:30	Carter McKaig Myles Spillers	Frank Ley George Petrunich Joseph Zagorski	Skenderi Family	Richard & Young Ja Schulz	Spencer Chapman Phil Gonzales	Larry Dillin Alan Schaake
Sun, 8:30	Antonella & Annabella DeAvila	Antonio DeAvila Diaz Frank Luitjohan Marlene Luitjohan	Antonio DeAvila Diaz Maria Ochoa	NOT FILLED	Kevin Winans Carol Winans	Tom Dixon Charles Juneau
Sun, 10:00	Moore					
Sun, 11:00	Caleb Payne Alivia Peck	Ben Maliszewski NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Karcher Family	Richter Family	Jackson Rodgers Michael Skasick	Ben Maliszewski Russ Marti



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

Mary, Mother of God January 1, 2023

GOSPEL - Shepherds visit Jesus.

SAINT - St. Elizabeth Ann Seton (Jan. 4)

PRAYER - Guardian Angel

SERVICE - Souper Bowl

Articles, videos, online links & activity pages on these topics can be found on STCPARISH.org



To Do: Look for a special picture, statue, or window depicting Mary in your church or home. Gather around it and take turns thanking Mary for being a great mother to Jesus - and to us. Pray the Hail Mary together to finish your time with Mary and Jesus.

Adults: Watch & discuss episode 1 of PRESENCE next week on FORMED.org.

In 1990, Souper Bowl of Caring began with a simple prayer from a single youth group:

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Since then, more than \$170 million has been generated for local charities across the country through Souper Bowl of Caring.

Please show you care by donating food or money for our Souper Bowl of Caring campaign: Sat. Dec. 31 - Sun. Feb. 12.

Donations will be accepted in the portico of church & the FLC and will benefit our St. Cecilia Food Pantry.



Faith formation is a life-long process. Join us as we learn about our faith.

Weekly Schedule

Sun. @ 9:35 am - no PSR & Adult Study

1:00 pm - **no** 1st Reconciliation Class 3:00 pm - **no** 1st Eucharist Class

Wed. @ 10:00 am - RENEW

4:30 pm - OCIA

Scheduled As Needed

Baptisms, Funerals, Weddings Call office to schedule.

1st Reconciliation, Confirmation & 1st Eucharist Sundays at 1 & 3 pm - see website for details.

St. Cecilia is dedicated to sharing the Catholic faith to the next generation & community!

St. John Neumann Catholic School 142 Wilma Dr, Maryville, IL 62062 www.sjncrusaders.org 618.345.7230 Father McGivney Catholic High School 7190 Bouse Rd, Glen Carbon, IL 62034 www.mcgivneygriffins.org 618.855.9010 SIUE Newman Catholic Community www.siuenewmancatholic.com 618.402.3107



Open House!

We will be hosting our Open House from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Sunday, January 29th. Anyone interested in learning about the Crusader experience is invited! Tour our campus, visit classrooms, talk to faculty and staff, and look at all of the student artwork being showcased. New families enrolling at the Open House will receive one month free tuition, up to \$500!

St. John Neumann Feast Day
The feast day for St. John Neumann is January
5th. St. John Neumann spent his life building
churches, schools, and asylums for his diocese. He
was devoted to education and was the first ecclesiastic to organize a diocesan school system in the
United States. Neumann was canonized in 1977 as
the first U.S. male saint.



Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Worldwide Marriage Encounter presents weekend experiences for married couples to rekindle romance enhance meaningful communication, and deepen and renew commitment. The next three IN-PERSON weekend experiences are listed below.

Sign-up now!

For more information or to apply, go to wwme.org, or call Terry & Eric Engholm at 314-649-7317.

Feb 3-5, 2023 - Courtyard Marriott, St. Peters **Mar 17-19, 2023** - Villa Maria Retreat Center, Springfield, IL

SAVE THE DATE
World Marriage Day
Sunday, February 12, 2023—2:30 pm

Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis 4431 Lindell Blvd, St. Louis, MO Reception will follow in Boland Hall



Sunday, January 8, 2022
Knights of Columbus Breakfast

Second Sunday of every Month, 9am - 12:30pm

\$5 per person, \$20 per family

Odd months - Pancakes and ham

Even months - Biscuits and gravy and sausage

Every month - Eggs, hash browns, fruit, coffee, juice, milk, toast, plus an additional featured item!



CALLING YOUNG ARTISTS

MCA Annual Christmas Artwork Contest

Missionary Childhood Association's Artwork Contest is for students from K-8 grade. General info, guidelines, and entry forms can be found at: MCA Artwork Contest Entry Form mcaartcontest.missio.org

DEADLINE: JANUARY 31, 2023

The shepherds went in haste to Bethlehem and found

MARY AND JOSEPH, AND THE INFANT LYING IN THE MANGER.

Luke 2:16

SHALOM

A Hebrew word that many people are familiar with is *shalom*, commonly translated into English as "peace." However, the word is much richer, deeper, and broader than that. As a matter of fact, when the blessing in today's first reading concludes with shalom, it serves as a summary of the entire blessing: *shalom* is God's wholeness, well-being, longevity, harmony, as well as God's peace. Perhaps Mary prayed this blessing while she found herself in the midst of angels, shepherds, and—quite likely, thanks to the shepherds—inquisitive neighbors who had been told of the wondrous birth. Perhaps she prayed for God's *shalom* not only for herself, but also for her child as she reflected on his birth. As we stand at the threshold of a new year, we can likewise pray this blessing, with Mary as our example, pondering the mysteries of Christ in our hearts, praying for the richness, depth, and breadth of God's *shalom*.

MARY THE CAREGIVER

At some point in time, most people will find themselves needing to watch over another person. This is true for parents and children of course; for others, perhaps an aging parent or spouse; a friend or neighbor living alone after surgery. At these times, along with the caregiving of the moment, there is often a focus on the future, a wondering about what will come. Quite naturally for the new mother Mary there is this future focus, with many possibilities for her to hold in her heart. She reflects quietly in the midst of the very hectic series of events that follow the birth of her child: hurrying shepherds who go and tell the wondrous news to others, then those others sharing their amazement. Luke tells us that Mary keeps all of this, and reflects on it in her heart. Mary is watching over Jesus as mothers do, watching over each and every moment.

GOD THE CAREGIVER

As Mary watches over her child, so did Israel pray for God to watch over them and one another, to bless and keep them, as Mary kept and reflected on things in her heart. Mary's face surely shone upon the infant Jesus, as Israel prayed for God's face to shine upon them with that graciousness we also know in her whom we call "full of grace." At the conclusion of the blessing in today's first reading is a prayer for God to look on us in kindness and, even more, to grant us peace. It may be in this final line of the blessing that we see God most at work in the face and the care of Mary, gazing gently

on her child, wishing the fullness of God's shalom for Jesus and his future. Our mission as disciples is to show the divine care we hear in the blessing prayer, and to live out the care-giving we see today in Mary.

TODAY'S READINGS

Numbers 6:22–27 Psalm 67:2–3, 5, 6, 8 Galatians 4:4–7 Luke 2:16–21

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ST. CECILIA CHURCH—SEASON OF STEWARDSHIP 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

ITEMS NEEDED:

Chili w/Beans, Cream of Mushroom Soup, Soap, Shampoo, Conditioner



Please check expiration dates

Canned fruits, veggies & Non-Perishables only

Your Generosity is Appreciated!

If you would like to be a Pantry Volunteer, please contact Mary Bakos at mbakos52@sbcglobal.net or 618.402.0038 (text preferred)



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PARISH GENEROSITY REPORT

FISCAL YEAR 2022-2023 (July 1, 2022-June 30, 2023)

Weekly Generosity Weekly Totals Fiscal YTD Nov 22-Dec 4, 2022 \$ 12,498.36 \$ 138,283.26 Online Giving 5,832.00 63,220.00 \$ 201,503.26 Total \$ 18,330.36 Budget Goal (\$10,000/wk) 20,000.00 220,000.00 Difference \$ (1,669.64) \$ (18,496.74)

Add'l \$410 contributed to Haiti, Dioc Special Collections Elevator Acct through 2022 year-end will be reported 1/8/23

ST. CECILIA MASS COUNTS

Dec 17/18: 4:30=97; 8:30=91; 11=98; Total=286 Dec 10/11: 4:30=112; 8:30=94; 11=116; Total=322 Dec 7 (Immac Conc): 6:30pm=95; 8am=39; Total=134 Dec 3/4: 4:30=105; 8:30=88; 11=124; Total=317

Go GREEN—Give online @ https://www.osvhub.com/stc-parish/funds

Support St. Cecilia while Amazon shopping too www.Smile.Amazon.com/ch/37-0661091



Join us for Adoration!

We invite you to join us for adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

January 7th between 9:00 am-3:30 pm

We will be using the monstrance for the Diocesan Year of the Eucharist. This special monstrance is being shared among parishes throughout the diocese and we will be hosting the Blessed Sacrament in adoration and prayer on January 7th. As all of us throughout the diocese adore the Lord, we hope you will join us for some sacred time just after the busy holiday season!

All are welcome!

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:

Phillip Achenbach, Patricia Aleman, Joanne Rubner, Bacus, Marissa Banovz, Betty Barton, Jan Brogan, Bob Buehler, Maria Carroll, Sara Cleary, Ed Conley, Charles Cook, Aline Degrecci, Eva Degrecci, Rodrigo Degrecci, Janet Egan, Dorothy Foster, Ted Fuehne, Mike Girard, Ruth Hammond, Angie & Adalyn Hardesty, Mary Ann Hobbs, Mike Hogan, LaDonna Holshouser, Cynthia Ann Hunter, Charles Janulavich, Esther Kacer, Deacon Alfred Karcher, Mary Rose Kobler, Marion Konkel, Donna Loque, Marty Micheletto, Barb Murillo, Bill & Sue Newman, Sharon Organ, Cathy Rhodes, Sheila Ridenbark, Bill Sanner, Nancy Scheibal Tiek, Marie Weiss, Mary Ann Weiss, Allison Winkler, Rob Wynn, Al Zarlingo, Bob Zellerman, Florence Zielonko, Persecuted Christians around the world, StC Parish & **Anonymous Prayers**

To add/remove someone, please contact LeAnne at 618.623.9153 or office@stcparish.org

To report allegations of sexual abuse of a minor by clergy or other church personnel (even if it is in the past) individuals are encouraged to call the Diocese's Child Abuse Reporting and Investigation number at 217.321.1155.

Individuals may also contact
Illinois Department of Children and
Family Services Child Abuse Hotline
at **1.800.25.ABUSE**.

ST. CECILIA HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK!

Sun, Jan 1-Mary, Mother of God

8:30 am Mass

11:00 am Mass

Monday, January 2

2:00 pm Quiet Time/Prayer Time

6:00 pm Reconciliation

6:30 pm Mass

Tuesday, January 3

8:00 am Mass

8:30 am Quilters

2:00 pm Quiet Time/Prayer Time

7:00 pm Knights of Columbus Meeting

Wednesday, January 4

8:00 am Mass

9:00 am Food Pantry

10:00 am RENEW

2:00 pm Quiet Time/Prayer Time

7:00 pm Choir

Thursday, January 5

8:00 am Mass

10:00 am SJN Mass

2:00 pm Quiet Time/Prayer Time

Friday, January 6-1st Friday

8:00 am Mass

9:00 am 1st Friday Visits

2:00 pm Quiet Time/Prayer Time

Saturday, January 7-1st Saturday

7:30 am Rosary

7:30 am Reconciliation

8:00 am Mass

9:00 am Adoration

3:30 pm Reconciliation

4:30 pm Vigil—Mary, Mother of God

Sunday, January 8-Epiphany, KC Brkfst

8:30 am Mass

9:00 am-12:30pm KC 2nd Sunday Breakfast

9:35 am Adult Study

9:35 am PSR

11:00 am Mass

1:00 pm Reconciliation Class

3:00 pm 1st Eucharist Class

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