

St. Cecilia Catholic Church

MARCH 12, 2023

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

155 North Main St. Glen Carbon, IL 62034

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Pastor, Rev. Donald Patrick Gibbons, pgibbons@dio.org

Deacon, Joseph Zagorski, jzagorski@dio.org

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

— 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

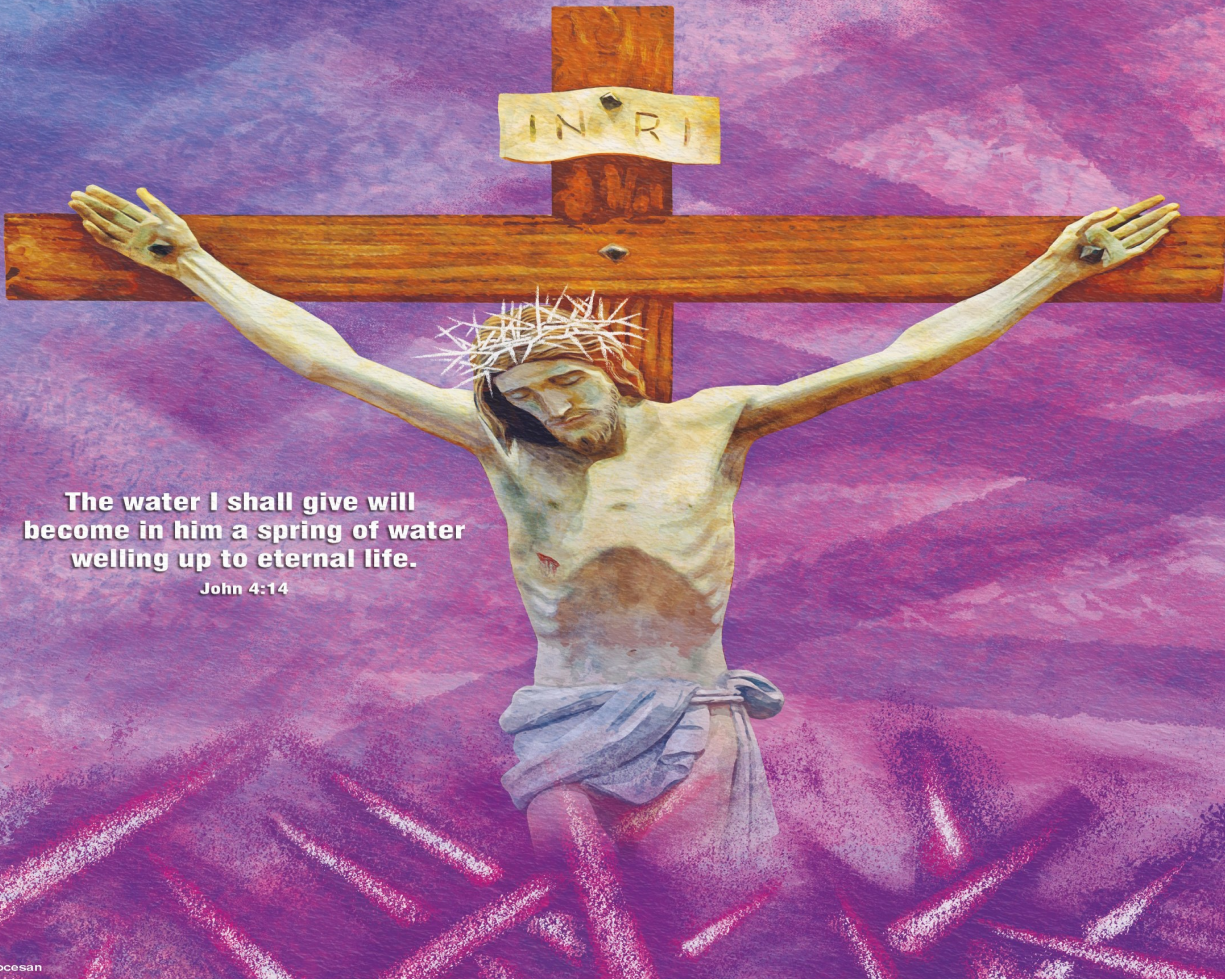
Saturday: 3:30-4:00pm

1st Saturday of Month: 7:30am

Anytime by Appointment

Readings #1022/(year A)

Third Sunday of LENT



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 13216

Grand Knight, Tim Raffaele
stckofc13216@gmail.com

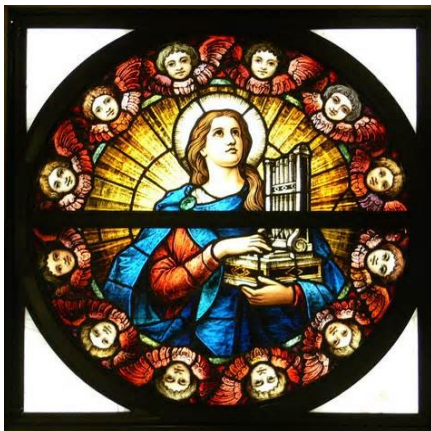
Council Meets 1st Tuesday 7pm Hall
Officers Meet 3rd Tuesday 7pm FLC

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ASSEMBLY

Faithful Navigator
Spencer Chapman
4th Degree Meeting 4th Weds
6:30pm Hall

CHRIST RENEWS HIS PARISH

Chairman, Mark Noe
turbot4@earthlink.net
Meeting dates and times
vary by group



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

Coordinator Religious Education	Paula Raffaele	faithformation@stcparish.org
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Parish Secretary	Teresa Donnay	secretary@stcparish.org

Mass Intentions for the Week

This week's intentions:

Monday, March 13

6:30 pm For The Reform of the Clergy

Tuesday, March 14

8:00 am For Gary Gorrell

Wednesday, March 15

NO MASS

Thursday, March 16

8:00 am For Jill Joshua

Friday, March 17

8:00 am For Andrew Range

Saturday, March 18

4:30 pm For Jerry Birchler

Sunday, March 19

8:30 am For St. Cecilia Parishioners

11:00 am For Mark Achenbach

Knights of Columbus Rosary Program

3rd Sunday Rosary

Please join us as the Knights lead us in the rosary 30 minutes before each of the weekend Masses on the 3rd Sunday weekend of the month.

Saturdays at 4:00 pm
Sundays at 8:00 am & 10:30 am.

"Prayer can truly change your life. For it turns your attention away from yourself and directs your mind and heart toward the Lord."
- Saint John Paul II

Faith in Action Faith

MINISTRY SCHEDULER PRO

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

March 18/19	Altar Server	Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion	Gift Bearer	Greeter	Reader	Usher
Sat 4:30 PM	Carter McKaig Colin Moore	Carrie Cobb Frank Ley George Petrunich	Richard & Young Ja Schulz	Moore Family	Phil Gonzales Spencer Chapman	Larry Dillin Nathan Moore
Sun 8:30 AM	Antonella & Annabella DeAvila	Antonio DeAvila Diaz Frank Luitjohan Marlene Luitjohan	Antonio DeAvila Diaz Maria Ochoa	Skenderi Family	Kevin Winans Carol Winans	Tom Dixon Charles Juneau
10:00 AM	Tennant					
Sun 11:00 AM	Caleb Payne John Richter	NOT FILLED Mark Noe Kathy Weiss	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Richter Family	Mike Woolsey Michael Skasick	NOT FILLED 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

3rd Sunday in Lent

March 12, 2023

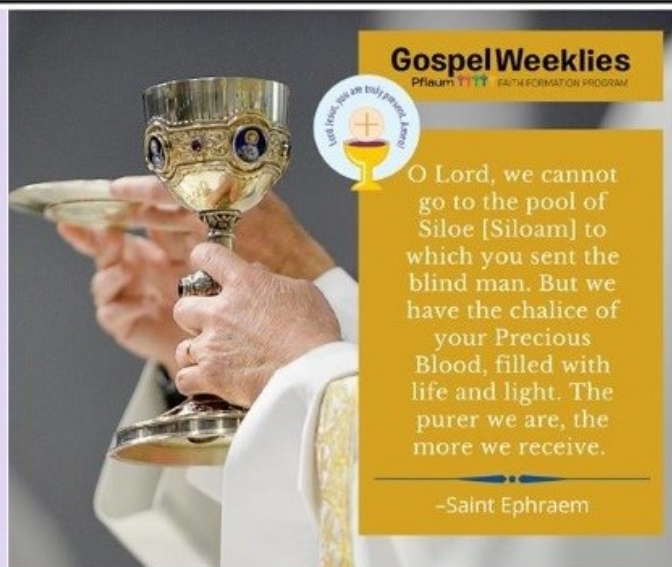
GOSPEL – Woman at the well.

SAINT – St. Patrick (March 17)

DOCTRINE – Works of Mercy

SERVICE – Rice Bowl

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



Gospel Weeklies

Primum in Trinitate FAITH FORMATION PROGRAM

O Lord, we cannot go to the pool of Siloe [Siloam] to which you sent the blind man. But we have the chalice of your Precious Blood, filled with life and light. The purer we are, the more we receive.

—Saint Ephraem

Life Question: What antagonisms between people would you most like to end?

Gospel Question: What convinces the Samaritan woman that Jesus is the Messiah?

Adults - Watch & discuss episode 7 of Divine Mercy this week.



Week 3 - A Story of Hope from the Philippines

FROM FARMING TO FISHING

Raul & Rhodora were coconut farmers in their town in the Philippines, but it took a lot of work before they made money. They participated in a CRS program that helped them build their own fishpond to raise & sell fish. The fish provide nutritious food for their family & more accessible income, enabling Raul & Rhodora's granddaughters to attend school.

What changes have you made in your professional, personal or spiritual life that have benefited others?

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

Weekly Schedule

Sun. @ 9:35 am - PSR (K - 8) & Adult Study
Mon. @ 7:00 pm - Adult Study
Tues. @ 10:30 am - Adult Study
Wed. @ 10:00 am - RENEW

Scheduled As Needed

Baptisms, Funerals, Weddings, OCIA
Call office to schedule.

1st Reconciliation, Confirmation & 1st Eucharist
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

We Are Hiring!

St. John Neumann Catholic School is seeking a middle school teacher for the 2023-2024 school year. The ideal candidate will have a strong background and interest in teaching math and willing to teach other subjects to be determined. We are a faith-filled PreK through 8th grade program focused on the spiritual growth and academic excellence of our students. We are seeking a highly qualified and enthusiastic individual to fill this position. A bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university and a valid teaching license is required. Please send a resume to principal@sjncrusaders.org.

ATTENTION ALL LADIES:

Please mark your calendars for a gathering of our parish ladies to share a half day of spirituality and friendship.

When: **Thursday, March 16 @ 8:00 am**

Where: Mother of Perpetual Help, Maryville

Agenda: Mass celebrated at 8:00 am by Fr. Rob Johnson

Presentation by Fr. Rob "How the Eucharist Revival Impacts Lent"

Light breakfast and friendship shared in the Parish Center. Second Presentation by Carol Mechler sharing "Schoenstott Eucharistic Revival in our View in Lent", then a brief meeting and updates to share and Closing.



Worldwide Marriage Encounter

3/31-4/2/2023—Fairfield Inn (Westport Plaza)
5/5-5/7/2023—Drury Plaza Hotel, Cape Girardeau
8/4-8/6/2023—Courtyard Marriott, St. Peters

Go to wwme.org or call Terry & Eric Engholm at 314.649.7317

Father McGivney Catholic High School is seeking:



WE'RE HIRING!
JOIN OUR TEAM

- 1. Full-Time Spanish Teacher**
- 2. Head Boys Basketball Coach**

Qualified candidates please send a cover letter, resume and 3 letters of reference to:

Joseph Lombardi, Principal
jlombardi@mcgivneygriffins.com

More details can be found online at:

Mcgivneygriffins.com/employment-opportunities/



7th Grade Shadow Days are scheduled on Wednesdays & Thursdays in the months of March and April 2023. Visit admissions page: Mcgivneygriffins.com/admissions

2023 SPRING Tuition & Cash Raffle!

About Our Raffle

The raffle was developed to address some shortfalls in our overall operating budget's costs and to keep the cost of tuition reasonable. Affording a Catholic education should be attainable for everyone. This raffle will be one of 3 major fundraisers that we do each year. The fundraisers will be the School Auction, Apex Fun Run, and the Raffle. These fundraisers account for about 10% of the school's total budget (depending on the year), which helps to keep our tuition rate manageable for our families.

How it Works

Raffle tickets are sold for \$20 each! Our goal is to raise \$20,000 or sell 1,000 tickets. As long as we sell 1,000 tickets, each ticket is eligible to win:

Grand Prize = FREE TUITION for the 2023-2024 school year (valued at \$3,800) or \$2,000 cash prize.
2nd Prize = \$750
3rd Prize = \$250
4th - 10th prize = \$50

These ten prizes will be drawn on Tuesday, April 11th at 1:00pm and announced LIVE on our school Facebook page - facebook.com/sspphornsnet!

If less than 1,000 tickets are sold, then the following prize will be awarded:

Grand prize = \$1,000
2nd prize = \$250
3rd prize = \$100

Click on Kimberly Zagorski's picture so her class receives credit.

Buy tickets here:
givebutter.com/ssppspringraffle



**Ss. Peter & Paul
CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

Lenten/Easter Happenings @ St. Cecilia Church

Fridays February 24-March 31

- 5:30 pm Individual Reconciliation
- 6:00 pm Stations of the Cross

Wednesday, March 29

- 7:00 pm Joint Penance Service @ St. Mary's Church in Edwardsville

Sunday, April 2—Palm Sunday

Thursday, April 6

- 7:00 pm Holy Thursday Mass
- 8:00-10:00 pm Adoration & Reconciliation

Friday, April 7

- 3:00 pm Good Friday Service

Saturday, April 8

- 7:30 pm Rosary
- 8:00 pm Easter Vigil

Sunday, April 9

- 8:00 am and 10:30 am Rosary
- 8:30 am and 11:00 am Mass
- 12:00 noon Easter Egg Hunt



March 19—2:00 pm
St. Boniface, Edwardsville

March 22— 7:00 pm
Immaculate Conception, Pierron

March 26—6:30 pm
St. Jerome, Troy

March 29—6:30 pm
St. Paul, Highland

March 29, - 7:00 pm
Joint St. Cecilia, Glen Carbon with St. Mary
@ St. Mary, Edwardsville

April 2—6:00 pm
Sts Peter & Paul, Collinsville

LENT

Pray + Fast + Give

LENTEN FISH FRYs AT MPH
Fridays in Lent beginning February 24th
4:00-7:00 pm
Mother of Perpetual Help
200 N Lange Ave, Maryville
Menu: 2 meal choices
\$12 or \$8—Desserts \$2

ARE YOU OR A LOVED ONE UNABLE TO GET TO CHURCH?

**If you or someone you love would like to
receive Holy Communion from
Fr. Gibbons at home or the hospital, etc,
please call Teresa at the Parish Office
(618.288.3200) to schedule a visit.**

An Encounter at the Well



A Lenten Retreat
March 27 & 28, 2023

Each Night:
6-7pm Dinner provided
7-8pm Lenten Retreat
Speaker: Karen Seaborn

St. Paul Catholic Church
Trinity Hall
1411 Main St, Highland IL
www.stpaulhighland.org

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:

Pasta Sauce, Ravioli, Spaghetti,
Chili w/Beans, Chili w/out Beans,
Chicken Breast, Tuna in Oil, Dry
Great Northern Beans, White Rice (not instant),
Gravy Mixes, Pineapple, Cranberries, Chocolate
Cake Mix, Cookies, Jiffy Corn Bread Mix, Pancake
Mix, Sugar-Free Syrup, Lite Syrup, Sugar, Creamy
Peanut Butter, Egg Noodles, Dry Split-eyed Peas,
Shampoo, Toothpaste, Razors



****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)

PARISH GENEROSITY REPORT

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

Weekly Generosity	Weekly	Fiscal YTD
February 13-26, 2023	\$ 8,900.00	\$ 245,227.16
Online Giving	<u>5,537.00</u>	<u>98,235.00</u>
Total	\$ 14,442.00	\$ 343,462.16
Budget Goal (\$10,000/wk)	<u>20,000.00</u>	<u>340,000.00</u>
Difference	\$ (5,558.00)	\$ 3,462.16

Add'l \$200 contributed to Haiti, Dioc Special Collections
Add'l \$403 contributed to the Elevator Project

ST. CECILIA MASS COUNTS

March 4/5: 4:30=120; 8:30=93; 11=155; Total=368
Feb 25/26: 4:30=97; 8:30=91; 11=121; Total=309
Feb 22—Ash Wednesday: 8=73; 7pm=152; Total=225
Feb 18/19: 4:30=112; 8:30=110; 11=128; Total=350

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

Support St. Cecilia while Amazon shopping too

ST. CECILIA ELEVATOR PROJECT

GOAL: \$525,000

Thru February 2023

CURRENT ELEVATOR BALANCE: \$362,991 (incl \$56,254 match)

PLEDGES: \$5,000

TOTAL RECEIVED + PLEDGES: \$367,991

BALANCE TO GOAL: \$157,009

Architectural Renderings, and Floor Plans are on display in
the portico.

Informational brochures including Pledge/Donation forms
are also in the portico.

YOUR DONATION COULD:

- BE TAX DEDUCTIBLE
- SATISFY A RMD*
- QUALIFY AS A QCD**

*IRS Required Minimum Distribution. **IRS Qualified Charitable Distribution

Special Collections

**March 4/5 &
11/12
Catholic Charities**

**March 18/19
Catholic Relief
Services**

**Now-April 9
Rice Bowl**

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,
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 Konkell, Carter Larson, Donna Logue, Marty Micheletto, Barb Murillo, Bill & Sue Newman, Michelle Noll Family, Sharon Organ, Cody Reider, Cathy Rhodes, Sheila Ridenbark, Bill Sanner, Nancy Scheibal Tiek, Marah Somraty, Isabella Valente Stucchi, Maria Ines Valente, Maria Isabel Valente, Marie Weiss, Mary Ann Weiss, Weiss Family Members, Allison Winkler, Rob Wynn, Al Zarlingo, Bob Zellerman, Persecuted Christians around the world, StC Parish & Anonymous Prayers

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



**Happy
St. Patrick's Day
Friday,
March 17th**



The Knights of Columbus are looking for dinner menu ideas for the April 22nd Saturday Fellowship Night. Please share your ideas on the KC paper on the table in the portico! We are so happy you are enjoying this extra time with the StC Parish family!

ST. CECILIA HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK!

Sunday, March 12-3rd Week of Lent

8:30 am Mass

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

9:35 am Adult Study

9:35 am PSR

11:00 am Mass

Monday, March 13

6:00 pm Reconciliation

6:30 pm Mass

7:00 pm Adult Study

7:00 pm Choir

Tuesday, March 14

8:00 am Mass

8:30 am Quilters

10:30 am Adult Study

6:30 pm SJN School Board Meeting

Wednesday, March 15

NO MASS

9:00 am Food Pantry

10:00 am RENEW

7:00 pm Choir

Thursday, March 16

8:00 am Mass

Friday, March 17

8:00 am Mass

5:30 pm Reconciliation

6:00 pm Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 18

3:30 pm Reconciliation

4:00 pm Rosary

4:30 pm Mass

Sunday, March 19-4th Week of Lent

8:00 & 10:30 am Rosary

8:30 am Mass

9:35 am Adult Study

9:35 am PSR

11:00 am Mass

2:00 pm Penance at St. Boniface