

Our Lady of the Snows Parish

274 Hwy H
Eugene, MO 65032-4231



July 15, 2018

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Office

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Bulletin Submission Deadline

E-mail articles to olosparish@gmail.com

Deadline: Tuesday's at 9:00 am

Our Lady of the Snows School (Pre-K to 8)

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Daily Masses: Tuesday 6:00 pm
Wednesday & Thursday 8:00 am

Weekend Masses: Saturday 6:30 pm
Sunday 8:00 am

HOLY DAYS: 8:00 am & 7:00 pm

Prayer Line: 573-498-3550, if no answer call 498-3463

Baptism - Contact Parish Office for appointment.

Marriage - Contact The Pastor at least six (6) months in advance.

RCIA - Contact The Pastor if interested in attending class.

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Sunday, 7:30 am and by appointment

Seeking Christ for Our Nation Mass

Tuesday, July 17, 2018 @ 6pm

SCRIP GIFT CARDS available:

Best Buy (2-\$25), iTunes (1-\$15)

If interested, please contact the Parish Office.

Parish Pastoral Council (Meeting: 4th Tuesday @ 7pm): **President:** Alan Berendzen, **Vice-President:** Becky Schwaller, **Secretary:** Barb Adrian, **Members:** Aaron Wood, Karen Schulte, Bill Abbott, Josh Vandike

School Advisory Board (Meeting: 3rd Thursday @ 6pm): **President:** Allen Doerhoff, **Vice-President:** Jason Bittle, **Secretary:** Stacey Evers, **Members:** Roselyn Wood, Ashley Kempker, Loren Groose

Knights of Columbus #3267 (Meeting: 1st Thursday @ 7:30pm): **Grand Knight:** Ray Rush, **Deputy Grand Knight:** Mark Borman, **Chancellor:** Hershel Schulte, **Recorder:** Gary Herigon, **Financial Secretary:** Chuck Berendzen, **Treasurer:** Andrew Haslag, **Advocate:** Bruce Berendzen, **Warden:** Delbert Wilde, **Inside Guard:** Darryl Love, **Outside Guard:** Jason Bittle, **Lecturer:** Russ Kempker, **Chaplain:** Fr. Alex Gabriel
4th Degree K of C (Meeting 4th Thursday)

Building & Grounds Committee (Meeting: 3rd Wednesday @ 7pm)

Finance Committee (Meeting: 3rd Tuesday @ 7pm)

ONLINE Catholic Missourian: www.catholicmissourianonline.com or www.cathmo.com

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat. July 14	6:30 pm	+Otto & Bernice Kirkweg
Sun. July 15	8:00 am	+Richard Adrian
Mon. July 16		No Mass
Tues. July 17	6:00 pm	+Jim Berendzen <i>Seeking Christ for Our Nation</i>
Wed. July 18	8:00 am	+Ruthie Wright
Thurs. July 19	8:00 am	+Justin Schulte
Fri. July 20		No Mass
Sat. July 21	6:30 pm	+Regina Morff
Sun. July 22	8:00 am	+Ethel Bernskoetter

Calendar of Events

Tues. July 17	Finance Committee Meeting 7:00 pm
Wed. July 18	Senior Dinner 11:00 am, Building & Grounds Meeting 7pm
Thurs. July 19	School Board Meeting 6:00 pm
Fri. July 20	AA & Al Anon Meeting 8:00 pm
Sun. July 22	Baptism (after 8am Mass) - Roman Brown; child of Arthur & Kaitlin Brown

Bishop's Prayer Intention for July:

“For the soul of our country; that U.S. citizens may remain true to our founding principles of one Nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.” Please add this intention to your private prayer this month.

Stewardship Report

Budgeted Offertory 7/1/18 - 6/30/19	\$438,265
Budgeted Monthly Goal - July	\$36,522
Weekly Collections:	
July 1-6	\$11,786
July 7-13	\$
July 14-20	\$
July 21-27	\$
July 28-31	\$
Monthly Total To Date	\$11,786
Actual Offertory YTD: 7/1/18-7/6/18	\$11,786
Budgeted Goal YTD: 7/1/18-7/6/18	\$8,428
Difference	\$3,358



Please Pray for our Sick Loved Ones

Julie Bax	Kevin Kliethermes
Diann Brenneke	Nathan Klindt
Dale Buechter	Irene Lepper
Connie Clarkston	Kathy Miller
Margaret Evers	Betty (Kempker) Nally
Kari France	Elias & Marilyn Otto
Beth Hale	Greg Pound
Jim Hale	Theresa Rush
Mary Johnson	Faythe Scheulen
Vicki Barton-Kemna	Mildred Schulte
Cletus Kempker	Josephine Schwaller
Konlee Kempker	Lexi Staats
Kris Kempker	Mary Stegeman
Rose Marie Kempker	Bob Stuenkel
Tom Kempker	Randy Werdehausen
Betty Kliethermes	

Please call the Parish Office to have a name added or removed from our prayer list or to advise us of hospitalizations. We would like to keep the list as current as possible. Thank you.

Anyone homebound needing communion brought to them or have someone in the hospital and would like a visit, please contact Deacon Steve or the Parish Office.

**Need to contact Mr. Vandike:
School Office Summer Hours: Tuesday 8am-1pm**

Anyone wanting to donate towards Fr. Pat Shortt's headstone, please put an envelope in the collection basket marked **Fr. Pat's Headstone Donation** at Mass until the weekend of **July 21-22.**

Our Parish has applied for the Purple Heart designation. It will be called - Purple Heart Village-Mary's Home. There will be a ceremony sometime in July. If you know of anyone in the community, living or deceased, that has received a purple heart, please contact Delbie Evers or Russ Kempker.

Today is our Diocesan Mission Collection. Funds from this appeal support three parishes and two health projects in Peru, a medical clinic for poor sugarcane workers in the Philippines, and the formation of new parish communities in India. If you forgot your envelope, you can bring it next weekend or simply write a check to Missions – Diocese of Jefferson and put it in the collection basket. Please help us share the Gospel of mercy and love to those desperately in need of both.

From the Pastor: I felt encouraged to see an increase in Mass attendance on last Sunday, July 8 and the front pews filled. I reckon that the 'House of God' has to be full. Perhaps this was the noble intention when the ancestors built a stone wall solid church for our parish. I hope and pray that every parish family will make every effort to keep the House of God full at least on weekends. Truly it would be a collective effort of all members of the Parish. In this process, all parents, grandparents, great grandparents, young adults and school teachers become role models for the younger generation.

I intend to work on liturgical ministry schedule on weekly basis rather on monthly basis. The weekly schedule would bring in more people leading to more participation in the ministries. But when it remains on monthly basis, the participation will be very limited. Hence, I do look forward to see a very good positive response this weekend to the appeal for time and talent stewardship in the Parish.

Wherever I have served as Pastor, I promoted the devotion to Blessed Mother and Divine Mercy. It is expressed by reciting Rosary before Mass and divine mercy chaplets after Mass. Both devotions are quite powerful and getting more and more popular. One is to keep us united with God in the history of salvation and the other is to implore God's mercy for us and the entire world. But when it comes to our Parish, I find that not many show up for the Rosary before Mass which is led by the same persons. Here is where, I would like to have more people attending rosary and volunteers to lead it by taking turn.

After the council of Vatican II, the privilege of receiving Eucharist in two species has been introduced in the Church. Indeed, we have been blessed to receive the body and blood of Jesus Christ at Mass. Perhaps, it has been overlooked by many here and so they are content with only receiving the body of Christ. There might be health and hygienic reasons for them not to sip from the same cup. Please note that now the communion ministers have been instructed to dry the brim of the cup after every sip and then after Mass purify all the cups and chalice with proper rinsing under the direction of Deacon Steve.

In my short time in the parish, I have noticed that our liturgical ministers need some refreshing orientation to make the ministries more effective and meaningful. I know a team of persons at St. Peter's Parish in Jefferson City gives a good orientation and practical guidance on all ministries including music. I shall work on it sometime this year or next year after time and talent appeal is done. Then, we would have more people signed up for different roles at Mass.

I feel that ministry to the sick and homebound needs to be organized. It is a wonderful rewarding ministry. I have noticed that only some individuals taking Holy Communion to the sick. However, I would like to meet with those who do this great ministry and those who intend to take up such ministry so as to give them some guidelines while assigning someone to coordinate it.

I thank Betty Pound for getting me a big wall clock on the choir loft to do the Mass within the given time frame. She has also got a light fixed near the tabernacle with a timer to be on after the sunset and off at sunrise. Now that the darkness in the church is dispelled, I encourage everyone to spend some time before the Blessed Sacrament which I am sure will give you a wonderful experience with the Lord.

Fr. Alex Gabriel

Upcoming Events:

Saturday, July 21st - Our Lady, Help of Christians

Parish, Frankenstein, Fifth Fest, Join us as we celebrate a "Fifth-Year" anniversary of our parish - 155 years! Parade at 12noon, Live music starts at 2 pm. Serving brats, hamburgers, pork burgers, & hotdogs. 4:00 pm Mass with Fr. Dan Merz.

Sunday, July 22nd - St. Elizabeth Community Picnic

serving Roast Beef and Fried Chicken dinners from 11:00 am - 6:30 pm. Adults \$10, Children 6-10 \$5, 5 and under Free. Carry outs available.

Saturday, July 28th - St. Anthony Knights of Columbus

Farmer's Tractor Pull & Kiddie Tractor Pull, starts 4pm at St. Anthony Community Park. Kiddie Tractor Pull starts at 7pm, sign-up at 6:30 pm. Admission: Adults \$5, Children under 12 years - FREE.

Flyers posted in Church & on website.

FREE Helias Pool Party for kids -- July 18, Memorial Aquatic Center, 7:30-9 pm. Ages 3 years - 8th grade. All are welcome. Free admission for first 200 thru the gate. Free popsicles. Join us!

HELIAS CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL FORMAL "RE-SELL" SALE

WHEN: Sunday, August 12th

WHERE: Helias, Old Gym, 1305 Swifts Hwy.

SCHEDULE:

9 am-12pm: Drop off dresses to sell

1-2pm: *VIP early entry (\$5 per person)*

2-4pm: *Open shopping!*

5-6pm: Pick up money/dresses

COST: \$5.00 per dress brought in to sell

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:

heliasformalresale@gmail.com OR

Laura (230-5413) / Bobbi (694-5930)

Sponsored by the Helias Parents' Club

Descendants of Ben and Mary Kempker Family Reunion

Saturday, July 28 – K of C Hall, Mary's Home

Starts @ 1:00 pm – Meal @ 4:30 pm – Family Mass @ 6:30 pm
Meat, Eating Utensils, Iced Tea Provided; Bring Side Dish;
BYOB

Hall Costs & Meat Divided Among Families

Bring Photos & Family Stories to Share

Please Spread the Word

Questions - Contact Kathy Herzog 316-648-8760 or
kathy.herzog@gmail.com

MH K of C News: The **all night tournament** is scheduled for **July 20th and 21st**. Work list is posted in Church & on website. First game is scheduled to start at 7:00 p.m. Please work your assigned shift or trade with someone else. This is a big event, so we really need everyone's help. If you don't see your name listed, please feel free to help wherever you can. I attempted to rotate the shifts again this year in hopes that no one gets stuck with the same shift every year.

"The Growing of Loose Creek Vol I and Vol II" are now available – these books include family history and many old photos. If your ancestors are from the Loose Creek area you find them very interesting.

Vol I is available for \$20, Vol II is available for \$45

If you want one mailed - add \$5.50 for postage.

Send your check to: *Janice Backes*, 1298 County Rd 412, Bonnots Mill MO 65016 or *Joan Backes*, PO BOX 2, Loose Creek MO 65054 or *Joani Backes*, 229 County Rd 402, Loose Creek MO 65054 **with your check made out to ICLC 175 and note on check which parish book you want.**

Marriage Challenges?

For confidential information call toll free at:
1-800-470-2230 or visit www.HelpOurMarriage.com

Next Programs in KC/StL 2018: Nov 16

JEFFERSON CITY PRE-CANA

2018 Dates: July 28 & Oct 13

Classes are held at SSM Health St. Mary's Hospital, 2505 Mission Drive, Jefferson City. Cost is \$50 per couple. Online registration or questions: jcrecana.org or email: jcrecana@gmail.com

ENGAGED ENCOUNTER Weekends—(Moberly)

2018 Dates: Aug 3-5, Nov 2-4

Registration form, weekend information www.diojeffcity.org
(Our Church, Life & Marriage, Engaged Encounter)

Couple-to-Couple League Natural Family Planning

Engaged or married couples are welcome to attend.

<http://www.midmonfp.org/>

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