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## JUNE 27, 2021 – 13<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

### ~ PARISH NEWS ~

- **The next Finance Committee meeting** will be Friday, July 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM at the Holy Rosary rectory.
- **Swinkey Days for Kids** will be held Monday-Wednesday, July 12-14<sup>th</sup> for students in grades pre-kindergarten (age 4) and up. For more information and to register online, visit <https://ststephenic.diojeffcity.org/parish-life/swinkey-days/>.
- **The Swinkey Picnic** will be held on Sunday, July 18<sup>th</sup>. Work Lists will be coming soon.
- **The next Pastoral Council meeting** will be August 26<sup>th</sup>.
- **A Weekly Rosary** is prayed each Monday at 12:00 PM at St. Stephen. All are welcome to join and share their intentions, both spoken and unspoken.
- **Live Streaming of Mass:** The weekend Masses at Holy Rosary and St. Stephen can be viewed on Fr. Greg's Facebook page at <http://facebook.com/frgregolig>.

### ~ HOLY ROSARY SCHOOL FUNDRAISER ~

The 15<sup>th</sup> annual Holy Rosary School Fundraiser will be held Saturday, July 17<sup>th</sup>. The 7<sup>th</sup> annual 5K Run/Walk will kick off the festivities at 7:00 AM. The 4 Person Scramble Golf Tournament at Mosswood Meadows will begin at 9:30 AM. For more information on the 5K, contact Mark Yager at 573-719-6403. For more information on the golf tournament, contact Aaron Benson at 573-231-1132.

### ~ KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS NEWS ~

**The July KC meeting** will be held on Thursday, July 8<sup>th</sup> with the **Officer Installation Ceremony** at 6:30 PM in the church. The meeting and meal will follow at the pavilion.

### ~ FR. JOHN GRONER'S 50<sup>TH</sup> ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY ~

Reverend Father John Groner will celebrate his 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Ordination today with a 3:00 PM Mass and a catered dinner to follow in the St. Robert Bellarmine Fellowship Hall at St. Robert Bellarmine Parish in St. Robert, MO.

### ~ JOYFUL LOVE MINISTRIES CONFERENCE ~

God First: A Marriage and Family Conference is being held by Joyful Love Ministries on Saturday, July 24<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 AM. to 2:00 PM. For more information, contact Lori Watson at [JoyfulLoveMinistries@gmail.com](mailto:JoyfulLoveMinistries@gmail.com). To register online visit, [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1pa4fty-PJxMkhD-h9cvqKfh1eXTwAYyca1\\_FTfm5po/viewform?edit\\_requested=true](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1pa4fty-PJxMkhD-h9cvqKfh1eXTwAYyca1_FTfm5po/viewform?edit_requested=true)

### MASS SCHEDULE AT ST. STEPHEN & HOLY ROSARY

DAY	LOCATION	TIME	INTENTION
Sunday 6/27	St. Stephen*	8:00 AM	Gerry Spalding
	Holy Rosary*	9:30 AM	Families of St. Stephen & Holy Rosary
Monday 6/28			No Scripture Service
Tuesday 6/29			No Mass
Wednesday 6/30	Holy Rosary	7:30 AM	Communion Service
Thursday 7/1			No Mass
Friday 7/2			No Mass
Saturday 7/3	Holy Rosary*	5:30 PM	Steve & Mary Broughton
Sunday 7/4	St. Stephen*	8:00 AM	Families of St. Stephen & Holy Rosary
	Holy Rosary*	9:30 AM	Connor

\*Masses can be viewed on Facebook @ "Greg Oligschlaeger"

### RECONCILIATION

4:00-5:00 PM Saturdays at Holy Rosary

7:15-7:45 AM Sundays at St. Stephen or by appointment 735-4718

JUNE 20<sup>TH</sup> OFFERTORY ~ \$2513.00

### ~ PASTOR'S NOTES ~

Dear Parishioners,

I ask you to please remember me and the other 26 priests of our diocese who will be on retreat at the Mercy Center in St. Louis this coming week from June 28<sup>th</sup>-July 2<sup>nd</sup>. There will not be weekday Masses for the next week due to my absence. Deacon Mike Long will have a Communion Service on Wednesday, June 30 at 7:30 AM. Fr. John Henderson, Fr. Gerry Kaiman, Fr. Mike Quinn and I will all be on retreat from our area.

The priest's retreat is a spiritual growth week (5 Days), mandated by Church law, to nourish the prayer life from which the priest ministers.

*Canon. 276 §1. In leading their lives, clerics are bound in a special way to pursue holiness since, having been consecrated to God by a new title in the reception of orders, they are dispensers of the mysteries of God in the service of His people.*

*§2. In order to be able to pursue this perfection: ...4/ they [Priests] are equally bound to make time for spiritual retreats according to the precepts of particular law [Diocesan Law]; 5/ they [Priests] are urged to engage in mental prayer regularly, to approach the sacrament of penance frequently, to honor the Virgin Mother of God with particular veneration, and to use other common and particular means of sanctification.*

Archbishop Robert Carlson (retired) will be our retreat director. Take time to pray for us this week. Pray especially that we, as priests of the Diocese of Jefferson City, may be inspired to grow in the ways Paul prayed for the people of Corinth in today's second reading at Mass:

*As you excel in every respect, in faith, discourse, knowledge, and all earnestness...may you excel in the gracious act of love also. [2 Corinthians 8:7]*

The fiscal year for our parishes ends this week on Wednesday, June 30<sup>th</sup>. The Finance Councils and I will complete our budget for July 2021-June 2022 in early July. We will publish a finance report and the budget in late July or early August on the Income and Expenses for 2020-2021. I will send out the summary of the report in the bulletin, with the bulletin email, and post the reports on the websites.

Have a blessed week.

Prayers and Blessings,

*Fr. Greg Oligschlaeger*

**June Prayer Intention of Bishop McKnight:** "In this year of St. Joseph, husband of Mary and foster father of Jesus, may we grow in our appreciation for the importance of the vocation of fatherhood for the benefit of society and the Church."



### Prayer for Priests

*Gracious and loving God,  
we thank you for the gift of our priests.*

*Through them, we experience your presence in the sacraments.*

*Help our priests to be strong in their vocation.*

*Set their souls on fire with love for your people.*

*Grant them the wisdom, understanding, and strength they  
need to follow in the footsteps of Jesus.*

*Inspire them with the vision of your Kingdom.*

*Give them the words they need to spread the Gospel.*

*Allow them to experience joy in their ministry.*

*Help them to become instruments of your divine grace.*

*We ask this through Jesus Christ,  
who lives and reigns as our Eternal Priest.*

*Amen.*

~ PLEASE KEEP IN PRAYER ~

Father, we lift up those today that are fighting disease and ailments, whether in mind or body. When they want to give up, give them fresh strength and courage. Comfort them in times of pain, give them peace in times of fear and bless them with your healing touch. Come Lord Jesus!

Richard Elliott	Rusty Adam	Regina Hays	Daniel Patrick Mudd
John Kendrick	Trent Zeiger	Dcn. Mike Long	Teresa Ritter Toland
Hazel Smith	Sue Gilbert	Natalee Amos	Rosemary Evans
Deanna Buckman	Jackie Ryan	Logan Maher	Lakian Lehenbauer
Mark Leake	Kenneth Ryan	Bonnie Ess	Barbara Kendrick
Connie Kendrick	Nick Mudd	Tim Quinn	Michael Kellerman
Harold Adam	Frankie Maddox	William P. Smith	Janice Kendrick

**For all who are ill, especially those who are awaiting surgery or seriously ill, and for their caregivers and for those who have died, we pray to the Lord.**



**June Prayer Intention of Pope Francis:** "Let us pray for young people who are preparing for marriage with the support of a Christian community: may they grow in love, with generosity, faithfulness and patience."

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR JULY 4, 2021

14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

**First Reading:** *Ezekiel 2:2-5 (101B):* The Spirit sent Ezekiel to Israel and empowered him to speak with authority. God told Ezekiel that, regardless of Israel's response, they will know that a prophet was there.

**Responsorial Psalm:** *Psalm 123:1-2, 2, 3-4:* "Our eyes are fixed on the Lord, pleading for his mercy."

**Second Reading:** *2 Corinthians 12:7-10:* Paul confessed his weakness but also thanked God for it "for power is made perfect in weakness." Therefore, Paul humbly accepted persecution for Christ's sake.

**Gospel:** *Mark 6:1-6a:* Jesus went to his own part of the country and began teaching. The people were incredulous. They all knew him as a child. He was one of them; How could he teach them?

LITURGICAL ASSIGNMENTS

June 27 – 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sacristan	Dwayne & Madeline Williams
Greeter	Darin & Katie Underhill
Rosary	Glen Bichsel
Music	Sr. Sue Walker
Song Leader	Lee Anderson
Servers	Ben Lemongelli & Chloe Puro
Cross Bearer	David Hays
Lector	Debbie Kendrick
Offertory	Jared & Whitney Bichsel
Communion	Mark Leake, Rose McNally, Laura Mulvaney,
Ministers	Doug & Julie Orf
Counters	Danny Sims, Jim & Julienne Burns

July 4 – 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (Independence Day)

Sacristan	Dan Adam
Greeter	Dwayne & Madeline Williams
Rosary	Gares Family
Music	Debbie Quinn & Jan Adam
Song Leader	Whitney Pfaff
Servers	Josie Orf & Holden Orf
Cross Bearer	Dennis Spalding
Lector	Frank Lemongelli
Offertory	Glen & Shelly Bichsel
Communion	Marie Puro, Nancy Shively, Mary Sims,
Ministers	Amanda Spalding, Kaye Spalding
Counters	Carol Hagan & Mary Lou Dawson

July 11 – 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sacristan	Kathy Anderson
Greeter	P.A. & Kay Turnbull
Rosary	Maureen Lemongelli
Music	Beth Whelan & Julienne Burns
Song Leader	Lee Anderson
Servers	Meghan Hays & Joey Puro
Cross Bearer	Desiree Mudd
Lector	Greg Maher
Offertory	Lambert & Brenda Buckman
Communion	Peggy Spalding, Kay Turnbull, Phil Whelan,
Ministers	Dwayne & Madeline Williams
Counters	Carol Hagan, David & Julie Hays

Ushers for June

Albert Miles, Neal Minor, Tyson Mulvaney, Tyler Mudd

Ushers for July

Tom Murphy, Jordan Ogle, Doug Orf, T.L. Pangborn

Pastoral Council Members: Chair., Amanda Spalding; V. Chair., Doug Orf; Sec'y, Carol Hagan; Members: Lee Anderson, Eric Keller and Danny Sims.

Finance Committee: Monica Otto-Lloyd, Chair.; Tom Hagan, Sec'y; Phil Whelan, Susan Winking

K of Cs: Grand Knight: Ed Bom; Deputy Grand Knight, Kevin Long; Recording Secretary, Michael Maher; Financial Secretary, Shane Spalding

Altar Society Officers: Pres., Lynn Ogle, Treas., Julie Hays, Sec., Marie Puro

Picnic Committee: Coordinators, Lee Anderson & Pastoral Council; Treas., Darin Underhill  
Cemetery Committee: Pres., Joe Puro; Treas., Marie Puro; Dwayne Williams, Matt Hays, Shane Spalding, Dan Buckman

~ FOLLOWING GOD'S LEAD ALONG WITH DONNA ~

**Catholic Summer Camp** Registration is open now through July 1 - at Camp Jo-Ota in Clarence, MO - Camp dates are July 26 through August 1. <https://www.campjo-ota.org/catholic-summer-camps.html> check out the website to register children PreK through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. Please see the website for days and times for specific age groups. Register your child today!

**FORMED.org** - This week the feast day of Sts. Peter and Paul is on June 29. Learn more about these saints on FORMED: *The Bible Collection - Paul* can be found at <https://watch.formed.org/the-bible-collection-paul>.

To learn more about St. Peter check out *Lectio: Peter with Dr. Tim Gray* with downloadable study guides that you could use with a small group. <https://watch.formed.org/lectio-peter-with-dr-tim-gray>

You can also check out *Footprints of God Interviews with Stephen Ray* <https://watch.formed.org/footprints-of-god-interviews-with-stephen-ray/season:1>. There is an episode on each St. Peter and St. Paul.

To see FORMED Pick of the Week visit <https://ststephenic.diojeffcity.org/> then click Parish Life → Faith Formation.

To inquire about faith formation/religious education contact Donna Long anytime at [donnalong.hrss@gmail.com](mailto:donnalong.hrss@gmail.com) or call me at the rectory, 735-4718, my office hours are 8:00 am to Noon, Monday through Friday.

~ PERPETUAL ADORATION CHAPEL ~

Please contact Phyllis Campbell at 573-795-2290 if you can fill one of the following open hours or are willing to sign up as a substitute.

Sunday: 2-3pm  
 Monday: 2-3am, 3-4am, 2-3pm (temporary), 6-7pm  
 Tuesday: 1-2am, 2-3am, 3-4pm  
 Wednesday: 12-1am, 1-2 am, 2-3am  
 Thursday: 3-4am, 7-8am (temporary)  
 Friday: 12-1pm, 9-10pm, 10-11pm  
 Saturday: 7-8am, 8-9am

~ DIOCESAN WOMEN'S COUNCIL NOMINATIONS ~

The Office of Women's Ministry is in the process of forming a Women's Ministry Council. In each of the five deaneries, women will come together two times a year. Our women representatives will help guide, direct and implement women's ministry activities, programs and events within their respective parishes and deaneries. Each parish has an opportunity to be represented on the council by two women parishioners. If you are interested in serving as a representative from your parish, please contact LeAnn Korsmeyer, director of Parish and Charitable Services, at [lkorsmeyer@diojeffcity.org](mailto:lkorsmeyer@diojeffcity.org) or 573-636-9127, ext. 222. A recommendation letter from your pastor is required to serve on the board.

~ UPCOMING EVENTS ~

June 27	3:00 PM	Fr. Groner's 50 <sup>th</sup> Ordination Anniversary
July 8	6:30 PM	KC Officer Installation & Meeting
July 9	6:00 PM	Finance Committee Meeting
July 12-14	8:30 AM	Swinkey Days for Kids
July 13	9:30 AM	Mass at the Nursing Home
July 16		36 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Adoration Chapel
July 17		HRS 5K/golf tournament Fundraiser
July 18		SWINKEY PICNIC!