

What more could be  
done for my vineyard  
that I did not do?

ISAIAH 5:4

## When God Daydreamed Us

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

**A**t the end of the Broadway musical *Camelot*, King Arthur finds himself confronted by the fact that his dream of the Round Table and justice for all has died without having borne the fruit he had hoped. A young boy, Tom of Warwick, comes up to him asking if he might be dubbed a knight. Arthur does so, and then commissions him to go forth and tell the story of Camelot to everyone he meets, all with the hope that someone someday will dare to try again to create a world with equal justice for all.

We all live with dreams of what we might be, of what life might be. They seldom turn out the way we had imagined, yet what would life be without such dreams. They push us into new futures. They create hope and new possibilities. They bring meaning to our lives.

The parable of the landowner and his vineyard is really a story of God and the dream God has for us. It is a story of how God withholds nothing from caring for his vineyard that it might bear fruit, that is, from trying to make his dream for us a reality, even to the point of giving his Son over to that dream.

Dreams never come easy. If they did, they would not be dreams. It was so for those who founded this nation in 1776. It is so for parents with dreams for their children. It is so as well for God, who dreams dreams for us in Jesus. ●

### Reflect

***Do the dreams you have for your life and the lives of your children reflect God's dreams for you?***



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### Parish Giving

General Fund	\$7261.00
Loose	\$80.00
Votive	\$23.00

### TOTAL \$7,364.00

66 General Offering envelopes collected,  
including children.

### Special Collections

Mission Sunday	\$20.00
Permanent Deacons	\$320.00

### Thanksgiving Day Dinner 11/23/23

We need monetary donations toward the cost of turkeys for the dinner. Please put in a separate envelope and mark "Turkey Donations". Thanks in advance!! Gobble—Gobble!!

### Mass Schedule

#### St Ignatius ~ St Vincent Immaculate Conception

<u>Saturday</u>	5:00pm SI
<u>Sunday</u>	8:00am IC
	10:30am SV
<u>Monday</u>	8:00am IC
<u>Tuesday</u>	8:00am SI
<u>Wednesday</u>	8:00am SV
<u>Thursday</u>	8:00am SI
<u>Friday</u>	8:00am SV
<u>First Saturday</u>	8:00am IC

**Holy Days**—Please check the bulletin and/or website for Holy Day schedule.

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday 4:00-4:45pm SI  
Sunday 10:00am SV, before  
Sunday Mass  
First Saturday of the Month  
8:30am IC (following 8am  
Mass) Any other time by  
appointment

#### **Eucharistic Adoration**

Thursdays 8:30am-7pm

#### **Mother of Perpetual Help**

**Devotions** Tuesdays after  
Morning Mass at SI

BIG Thank you to Jodi Bocklage and Sue Schwoeppe for painting several rooms/trim in the rectory. It looks so nice!!

Jonah Team after Mass THIS  
Saturday if anyone needs prayers.

### Upcoming Events at St. Ignatius

10/08	Hellebusch Family Reunion 11am-6pm (Lobby/Cafeteria)
10/10	Rosary & Litany after Mass
10/14	St Ig Car Show
10/15	Terry Lee Glosemeyer Shooting Match
10/17	Rosary & Litany after Mass
10/19	Home Economics 8am-3pm
10/23	Church Cleaning Team 7-Jeanette Marquart
10/24	Finance Council Mtg 6 pm
10/24	Rosary & Litany after Mass
10/26	11:30 am Dismissal-Parent Teacher Conferences 1-6 pm
10/27	Trunk or Treat 6 pm

### Catholic Scouting

Religious Emblems  
Saint Series  
The Marian Award

Check out [www.stlyouth.com](http://www.stlyouth.com) to learn about the faith programs offered for boys and girls in scouting.

### SUMMIT

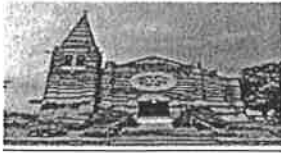
Taking Middle Schoolers to the Heights

11/10/23 9am-2pm \$15 per person  
More info on the flyer on the bulletin board.



### EXPERIENCE A CURSILLO WEEKEND

What if you could spend a weekend that helps you experience your Catholic faith more fully and encourages you to engage in a spiritual life filled with love, joy, and enthusiasm? You can by participating in a Cursillo Weekend. The St. Louis Archdiocese Cursillo will host the following upcoming weekends: **Women's Fall Weekend** from Oct 19-22, 2023. **Men's Fall Weekend** from Nov 30-Dec 3. The weekends are held at the Manresa Retreat Center near the campus of St. Louis University. Take advantage of a powerful experience that will enhance your relationship with God and others. If you have any questions, contact: Leo Meyer 636-358-3440 and for a Weekend Application go to <https://cursillostl.wordpress.com/>



### Liturgical Ministers

**Saturday, October 7, 5:00 p.m.**

**Eucharistic Minister:** Paul Hecktor  
Lesa Leopold, Jacob Lierman, Mary  
Glosemeyer, Alison Hoglan

**Lector:** Vincent Leopold

**Ushers:** Jacob Lierman | Ryan Engemann

**Servers:** Claire Koch | Gracie Koch | Emma  
Poindexter

**Saturday, October 14, 5:00 p.m.**

**Eucharistic Minister:** Paul Hecktor  
Lori Huenefeld, Doug Pisarek, Christopher  
Engemann, Beth Hellebusch

**Lector:** Stacy Kloeppel

**Ushers:** Tracy Stanfill | Jodi Bocklage

**Servers:** Hunter Barnhart | Jared Meyer |  
George Stanfill

### Upcoming Events

**October 13—** Rosary Rally 10 am St Francis Borgia Church—Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet, Litany of Loretto—All are welcome to pray with us!

**October 15—** Fried Chicken Dinner—Serving from 11-4 pm St Paul Parish Hall, Berger, Mo. Dine in or Carry Out-- \$15 Adults, \$6 for Kids (6-12).

**October 15—** Chili & Roast Beef Dinner Sunday—Ebenezer United Church of Christ Corner of Walnut & Public Serving from 11:00 am-5:30 pm, Carry-Outs available.

**October 15—** Sausage Dinner-St Francis Borgia Parish—11am-6pm \$15/plate, Indoor Buffet Dining & Drive-Thru.

**October 21—** Divine Mercy Day of Recollection at St Francis Borgia Parish, Saturday 8:30 am-2:30 pm-This is a FREE event. Continental Breakfast and Lunch provided.

**October 22—** 62<sup>nd</sup> Annual Sausage Festival—St John the Baptist—Gildehaus-10:30 am- 6:00 pm- Adults \$18, Children under 12 \$8, Pre-School Children FREE.

### MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday, October 7**

5:00 p.m. Dennis Glosemeyer

**Tuesday, October 10**

8:00 a.m. Fred Borges

**Thursday, October 12**

8:00 a.m. Fred Borges

### Please Pray for the Sick Ailing Recovering

Connie Buenemann  
Jerome Heggemann  
Joey Heggemann  
Andrew Hellebusch  
Betty Hellebusch  
Carl Jacquin  
Carol Jacquin  
Judith Liermann  
Jeffrey Lierman

Joan Meyer  
Theodore Meyer  
Tom Meyer  
Richard Preis  
Jim Smith  
Matt Struckhoff  
Natalie Ulett  
Audrey Wagener  
Marc Wagener

Leanne Davis  
Jacqueline Heggemann  
Jean Jaeger  
Marilyn Heady  
Terry Sullentrup  
Fr. Finbarr Dowling  
Rick Thiel

### Church Terrazzo Floor Project—

Start date 11/6/23-11/10/23.

**Floor refinishing cost:**

**\$7950**

This cost covers cleaning & prepping the floor, wet grinding, 5 stage process of grind to polish, neutralizing of flooring, and applying new stone sealer for protection and shine.

**Donations so far for this project:**

\$500 from Home & School  
\$500 from St. Ann's Ladies Sodality  
\$400 from Ron & Jeanette Marquart  
\$500 from Holy Names Men's Society  
\$5000 In Memory of Patricia Ann Meyer  
Hellebusch

### Anniversaries of our Dearly Departed

10.01.83 Minnie Heggemann  
10.19.07 Regina Schwoeppe  
10.03.09 Regina Engemann  
10.23.12 Regina Murray  
10.04.09 Elizabeth Glosemeyer  
10.25.93 Mechior Harl  
10.10.83 Anna Liermann  
10.27.93 Robert Carroll  
10.11.91 Hannah Ruether  
10.30.75 Regina Borges  
10.11.09 Donald Eggleston Sr.  
10.11.21 Kenneth Engemann  
10.30.94 Marie Mebruer  
10.30.13 Christine Miesner  
10.13.82 Theodore Meyer  
10.16.09 Gerald Engemann

### Find Comfort, Healing and Hope... St. Monica Parish to Hold Naming & Commendation Rite, Sunday, October 8, 2 p.m.

All are welcome to attend **Naming & Commendation**, a prayer service developed by the Archdiocese of St. Louis to meet the needs of families whose child died before birth for any reason (including miscarriage, accident, abortion, or still birth). Parents and families of any religious background are invited to attend, whether the loss was recent or long ago.

Naming & Commendation will take place at **St. Monica Parish on Sunday, October 8 at 2 p.m.** St. Monica is located at 12136 Olive Blvd, Saint Louis, MO 63141. The rite will offer parents and families and opportunity to name the child, bring peaceful closure to great loss, and unite with our merciful God.

To RSVP or for more information about the October 8 prayer rite, please contact [dbomkamp@sbcglobal.net](mailto:dbomkamp@sbcglobal.net) or 314-484-6121.

During the month of October, I am scheduled to meet with the Office of Catholic Education and Formation and the episcopal vicar for our region for a consultation about the long-term sustainability of the parish elementary school as part of the All Things new process. I will then share this information with parish and school leadership for their consideration.

The Catholic school is an important tool for evangelization of our youth, but also for the wider community. We are blessed to have a Catholic school in our parish. Generations of St. Ignatius of Loyola families have not only attended the school, but have also sacrificed many things in order to have a school. The faculty and staff continue to do an amazing job educating our students in the Catholic faith. However, parents are the first educators of their children in the faith, and for this, there is no substitute. Children learn from the example set in the home, this includes prayer, works of mercy and attendance at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days of Obligation. If children perceive that participation at Sunday Mass is optional, then it will not be important to them as they reach adulthood. Sadly – and this will not surprise anyone who attends Mass regularly – we have lost many young Catholics and far too many of our school children do not attend Mass on the weekend.

Furthermore, as you know, in order to operate a Catholic school, financial resources are required. Tuition and fund raisers cover only a portion of the school operating expenses, the parish subsidizes the rest. In fact, parishioners who send their children to the Catholic school receive a break on the full cost of tuition, because it is assumed they are supporting the parish. The reality is with fewer young families attending Mass and supporting the parish, the parish subsidy for the school continues to increase. This cannot be sustained indefinitely.

In my opinion, the problem cannot simply be fixed by raising more money. We are facing a crisis of faith. The parish, much less the school, cannot thrive if only 30 or 40 percent of the families regularly attend Mass and support the parish. We need the participation and support of ALL of our families, young and old, in order to have a vibrant parish and school. The time for excuses is over. The time for being present is NOW.

Fr. Doyle

# Dear Padre,

## How is an icon different from a regular painting of a saint?

Generally, *icon* means a symbol or image. In the Church, it refers to an image depicting Bible stories or holy people. "Icons express in images the same Gospel message that Scripture communicates by words" (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*, 1160).

Even though an icon is an image created with paints, icons are written, not painted. Icon writing, called iconography, is a vocation as well as a talent. The difference between a painter and an iconographer is that iconographers follow strict rules and standards set forth in Eastern Church canon law and Christian tradition. Rooted in God's word, icons are rich in symbolism. The colors, gestures, and shapes speak spiritually to invite us to pray and worship.

Icons can be written on almost any surface, but historically most were written on wood and had a gold-leaf background. One example of this type of icon is Our Mother of Perpetual Help, which is believed to have been written in the fifteenth century. Pope Pius IX gave it to the Redemptorists in 1865, telling the order to "make her known throughout the world." It now hangs in the Church of Sant' Alfonso in Rome.

To see the original icon in real time and learn more about icons, please visit [omphicon.org](http://omphicon.org). ●



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### A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

**Discernment...involves hard work....We do not find set before us, prepackaged, the life we are to live. No! We have to decide it all the time, according to the reality that comes. God invites us to evaluate and choose: He created us free and wants us to exercise our freedom. Therefore, discerning is demanding.**

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#### MONDAY

October 9

Weekday

Jon 1:1–2:2, 11

Lk 10:25–37

#### TUESDAY

October 10

Weekday

Jon 3:1–10

Lk 10:38–42

#### WEDNESDAY

October 11

Weekday

Jon 4:1–11

Lk 11:1–4

#### THURSDAY

October 12

Weekday

Mal 3:13–20b

Lk 11:5–13

#### FRIDAY

October 13

Weekday

Jl 1:13–15; 2:1–2

Lk 11:15–26

#### SATURDAY

October 14

Weekday

Jl 4:12–21

Lk 11:27–28

#### SUNDAY

October 15

Twenty-eighth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time

Is 25:6–10a

Phil 4:12–14, 19–20

Mt 22:1–14 or 22:1–10

#### Know Someone Overly Anxious About Sin?

Since 1964, the Redemptorists' *Scrupulous Anonymous* free monthly newsletter has ministered compassionately to those struggling with scrupulosity. To subscribe, visit [ScrupulousAnonymous.org](http://ScrupulousAnonymous.org).