

## The Week Ahead

### Sat / August 17

4pm - Vigil Mass: *Lois Nunnally † by Family*

**Catholic Home Missions Collection**

### Sun / August 18 - 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am - Mass: *Carl & Bernadette Lemon † by B Huscher*

**Catholic Home Missions Collection**

**Coffee & Donuts** after Mass, *in the Parish Hall*

12pm - Mass (L): *Jeffrey Steward † by B & A Kootz*

### Mon / August 19 - St. John Eudes

9am - Mass: *Bernard Gagne † by M & K Gagne*

### Tue / August 20 - St. Bernard

### Wed / August 21 - St. Pius X, Pope

12pm - Altar Society Card Party, *in the Parish Hall*

6pm - Mass: *Pres. Donald Trump - SI by M & M Winston*

6:30pm - Wild Goose Session 11: *The Spirit Convicts*

### Thu / August 22 - Queenship of Mary

**No am Mass** (*Fr. Amal will be out of town*)

6pm - **B--I--N--G--O**

### Fri / August 23 - St. Rose of Lima

**\*8am\*** - Mass: *Grace Fredkin - SI by M Barrack*

### Sat / August 24 - St. Bartholomew, Apostle

3-3:45pm - Confessions

4pm - Vigil Mass: *Tom & Nell Kihm - SI by T & N Kihm*

**Anointing of the Sick** after Mass, *in the Church*

### Sun / August 25 - 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am - Mass: *For the People of the Parish*

**Anointing of the Sick** after Mass, *in the Church*

**Coffee & Donuts** after Mass, *in the Parish Hall*

**Altar Flowers** *this week* are compliments of:

- Mike & Rhonda Bystry *in Thanksgiving*

**Tabernacle Roses** *this week* are compliments of:

- Dean Beardslee *in memory of Dorothy Beardslee*

**Coffee & Donuts** *next week*, August 25<sup>th</sup>, will be served by Joyce Speir & group #2.

### **Birthdays Next Week:**

19-Hayden Lewis, Kevin Templet

21-Gavina Ramirez

22-Gale Scholz

23-Mary Alice Buescher

*We wish you many blessings on your birthday!*

## **Religious Ed Registration**

Registration for Religious Education for students in K–12 will begin this weekend, Saturday, Aug 17, and Sunday, Aug. 18. Registration will continue into next weekend, Saturday, Aug. 24, and Sunday, Aug. 25, before and after each Mass. Classes will start after Labor Day, on Sunday, Sept. 8, following Mass, from 10:30am - 11:30am.

### **Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults**

*Planning for R.C.I.A. is beginning now. R.C.I.A. is a program that prepares adults for receiving the Sacraments at Easter. It is also a wonderful program for those who have been away from the Catholic faith for a time and for those adults who just want to refresh and deepen their knowledge of the faith. If you or someone you know would like to learn about the Catholic faith, please turn your/their names in to the Church Office and you will be contacted about the details of the program.*

### **Next PC Meeting, Sunday, Sept. 8<sup>th</sup>, at 2pm in the Church Hall Classroom**

The Pastoral Council Meetings are open to parishioners to attend and listen in on. If you wish to bring up a topic for discussion, let Becky in the Office, or Rollie, know two weeks in advance so you can be put on the agenda.

### **Welcome to Our Visitors**

*Thank you for joining us! May your time with family and friends be blessed, and may you return home safely.*

#### **THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK...**

**We all have Trials and Tribulations; however, the lens we choose to look at them through can change the view.**



*Wishing you a blessed week!*



## Safe Haven Baby Box Fundraiser

A Fundraiser Dinner, sponsored by the KCs, was held recently in LR. The money raised will help fund Baby Boxes for the state of AR. These are a safe place, usually on the outside wall of a Fire Dept. or Hospital, where an unwanted baby can be placed. If you were unable to attend the dinner but wish to make a donation, see the brochures on the bulletin boards as to where a check may be sent.

## Volunteers Urgently Needed

PLEASE CONSIDER:

### EMs to Nursing Homes & Homebound

If you are currently an EM, or if you are willing to be trained as an EM to the Sick, please pray about taking on this ministry. Please contact Rollie Vander Zyl, 870-847-3059, for more info and/or to volunteer.

### Serving Coffee & Donuts on Sunday

We are in need of persons to help with serving Coffee and Donuts after Sunday Masses. Please call Joyce Speir if interested, 870-266-3586.

### Ushering at Mass

Ministers of Hospitality are urgently needed for the weekend Masses, especially on Sundays. The job is simple; the rewards are great! Please call Pat Such, Usher Coordinator, if interested, 870-847-7224.

## ATTENTION LADIES

**SAVE THIS DATE!!**

It will soon be time for our next Magnificat Luncheon on Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup>. We have another exciting speaker and inspiring time planned. Look for your invitation and more details soon but for now mark your calendar so you can join us! Magnificat is a wonderful way to evangelize. Ask God to help you think of a neighbor, co-worker, family member or friend to invite to join you at the luncheon this time. For more information: Sharon Vander Zyl 870-847-3095.

## Retreat In Daily Life (RIDL)

**Are you taking time to grow spiritually?**

RIDL, using the Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola, will be offered here at St. Michael's on Wednesday mornings beginning in October. This form of retreat involves daily prayer, 30 weekly group sessions, and 15 sessions with a spiritual director. Please see the insert in this weekend's bulletin, or the flyers on the bulletin boards, for more information and costs involved.

## Open Adoration Hours

Monday: 6-7pm

Wednesday: 5:30-7pm (when NO Mass only)

Thursday: 7-8pm; 8-9pm

Friday: 1-2pm; 4-5pm; 6-7pm

*If interested in any of the above, please call Rose, 870-994-2744, or Anne, 870-847-1985.*

## Substitutes Needed

Substitutes are needed as much as those who commit to the same hour each week. If you are unable to commit to a specific hour but are available to fill in now and then, please give Rose or Anne a call. THANK YOU!

## Knights of Columbus Yard Sale

*The KCs will be having a Yard Sale Saturday, Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup> (rain date Sept. 28). Please look through your basements and garages for items you no longer need that you'd be willing to donate to them. Donations may be dropped off at church Wednesdays and Fridays from 10am-Noon. For other arrangements, please call Dean Beardslee, 870-856-3229.*

## Flower Charts

There are several openings on the Flower Charts for the remainder of 2019. This is a beautiful way to remember deceased loved ones or a special date. To reserve your day, sign-up on charts on bulletin board by Sacristy. Altar arrangements are \$45; Roses are \$15 for the pair.