

The Week Ahead

Sat / September 21

4pm - Vigil Mass: *Lester Gamboe † by Family*

Monthly Maintenance Fund Collection

Sun / September 22 - 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am - Mass: *People of the Parish*

Monthly Maintenance Fund Collection

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

10:30: CCD

Mon / September 23 - St. Pius of Pietrelcina

9am - Mass: *Matthew & Elizabeth Matteson - SI D Beardslee*

Tue / September 24

Wed / September 25

6pm - Healing Mass: *Freda Barrack † by M Barrack*

6:45pm - RCIA following Mass, *in the Parish Library*

Thu / September 26 - Ss. Cosmas & Damian

9am - Mass: *For the Deceased Poor by SVDP*

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

Fri / September 27 - St. Vincent de Paul

9am - Mass: *Pres. Donald Trump - SI by M & M Winston*

Sat / September 28 - Ss. Wenceslaus, Lawrence Ruiz & Comp

9:30am - Rosary/Funeral Mass/Luncheon *Patricia Law †*

3-3:45pm - Confessions

4pm - Vigil Mass: *Dorothy Beardslee † by D Beardslee*

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

Sun / September 29 - 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9am - Mass: *Dec. KC Members † by Knights of Columbus*

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

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

10:30: CCD

Tabernacle Roses *this week* are compliments of: Dean Beardslee *in memory of Dorothy on her b'day*

Coffee & Donuts *next week*, September 29th, will be served by Ariela Wege & group # 5.

SHOEBOX CHRISTMAS

It's that time of year to begin thinking about Shoebox Christmas. Boxes will be available for packing. Choose a boy or girl and buy items for appropriate ages of 2-4, 5-9 or 10-14. Each box should have a "WOW" gift like a stuffed animal. The cost of shipping each box is \$9.00 and should be included in your box (checks made payable to Samaritan's Purse). Boxes cannot include: Candy, toothpaste, gum, used or damaged items, liquids or lotions, glass or breakable items. Watch future bulletins for more details.

Healing Mass

As a follow-up to the Flying Goose Video Series, we invite everyone to join us THIS Wednesday, September 25th, at 6pm, here at St. Michael's Church, for a Healing Mass with Fr. Norbert, pastor of St. Peter's Church in Mountain Home. Please come, and also **pray** that all will be **open** to **receive** what the Lord is wanting to give to them!

Next PC Meeting, Oct 7th, at 6pm 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.

Birthdays Next Week:

23-Barbara Lofquist, Linda Pospisil

24-Karen Giliberti

29-Lorraine Paluck

We wish you many blessings on your birthday!

Magnificat Luncheon

Our Magnificat Meal is coming soon. You won't want to miss this one! Father Stephen Gadberry has an engaging manner of speaking and a wonderful testimony. Come to enjoy his message, the praise and worship, the fellowship and a delicious catered meal. Tickets are still only \$12. The Magnificat Ministry team will be selling tickets before and after all Masses this weekend and next. When you buy your ticket, there will also be a sign up sheet at the table for those who need a ride and those who can provide rides for the car pooling.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK...

**Everyone wants happiness,
No one wants pain.
But you can't have a rainbow,
Without a little rain.**



Wishing you a blessed week!



Shrimp Shak

Fundraiser for St. Mary's School

Friday, Oct. 4th, 5-8pm

St. Mary's Parish Hall, 310 N 2nd St., Paragould

Shrimp Dinner / Silent Auction

50-50 Raffle / Music

Tickets \$20 ~ call 870-236-3681 for info.

Same price at door ~ Take-outs available

Has a past abortion left you with a broken heart?

Come to a DAY OF PRAYER & HEALING

The Respect Life Office, through the Ministry of Project Rachel, is offering one-day, post-abortion healing retreats for women or men, on Saturday, Oct 5th, in Hot Springs, or Saturday, Nov. 9th, in Russellville. These retreats are Catholic in nature, but anyone who desires to begin or continue their journey to hope and healing are welcome to attend. The exact location of the retreat is only disclosed to participants. Confidential. Non-judgmental. Healing is possible. To speak with someone about a retreat or other Project Rachel Ministry healing opportunities, please call or text our confidential phone line, 501-663-0996, or email rpuello@dolr.org. All inquiries are strictly confidential. Please contact Project Rachel. There is hope; we care, and we understand.

Adoration Chapel Changes

To help fill the evening hours that have been open in the Chapel for some time, we will now close an hour earlier each evening. The only hour remaining open is **Wednesdays: 5:30-7pm** (this is only on a Wednesday when there is no Mass). If you are interested in taking this occasional hour, please contact:

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!

Kairos is Looking for Catholics to Join in Their Prison Ministry

Kairos has its roots in the Cursillo movement and is an ecumenical ministry. At Calico Rock we are represented by volunteers and clergy from several Christian faith traditions, but are lacking representation from the Catholic faith of our roots.

I am a member of our Kairos Advisory Council for the North Central Unit. I will be the weekend leader at the Prison in Calico Rock for the upcoming Kairos weekend, Sept. 26-29, and also in the Spring of 2020. I am hoping to have some Catholic participation. If you are available on short notice for September, or interested in participating in the future, please contact me:

Thomas Hartman, NCU Coord.

Kairos of Arkansas

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Please Note...

We only collect UPC codes from Best Choice Products. Please cut out the code, with the words "Best Choice", from the labels and place them in the basket on the counter in the vestibule. We do not collect the following: Box Top stamps, postage stamps, calendars, Campbell soup labels, greeting cards, and your unwanted religious mail. Thank you for not cluttering the vestibule with unwanted items!

Powerful Pro-Life Play

Viable: The Truth in One Act

A poignant portrayal of the many impacts an abortion has on a woman and her relationships. (Subject matter may not be suitable for children younger than 12 years old.)

Springdale – Friday, September 27th

7:00 pm: St. Raphael Parish Hall
1386 S. West End Street

Jonesboro – Saturday, September 28th

7:00 pm: Awaken Church
2101 Fowler Avenue

Little Rock – Sunday, September 29th

6:30 pm: Covenant Presbyterian Church
1 Covenant Drive

No Cost to Attend! Love offering will be taken.

Visit www.viableplay.org or www.artl.org
for more information.