

## IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

*The parish of Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, located in South Saint Louis City, comprised of small neighborhoods filled with multi-generational families, strives to answer God's call to.....*

- + COMMIT to live the Gospel;**
- +CELEBRATE Eucharist as a community;**
- +SERVE the needs of others;**
- + PARTICIPATE in parish life and ministries;**
- +STRIVE to be a sign of God's love!**

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### **Celebration of the Holy Mass**

Saturday 4:30 p.m. (Sunday Vigil)

Sunday 7:30 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.

Weekdays Monday-Friday 8am Mass (Daily Chapel)

1st Saturday of the Month 8:00 a.m. (Daily Chapel)

Holydays As announced inside bulletin

### **Eucharistic Adoration**

1st Saturday of the month following 8:00 a.m. Mass until 11:30 a.m.

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday 3:45 p.m. - 4:15 p.m.

### **Sacrament of Baptism**

Please call the Rectory. First time parents will need to attend one meeting prior to the baptism.

### **Sacrament of Confirmation**

The sacrament of Confirmation is normally organized by the parish school or PSR program attended by the candidate. Others are invited to contact the parish priest for preparation to receive this sacrament.

### **Sacrament of Matrimony**

Please schedule an initial meeting with the priest or deacon at least 6 months prior to the tentatively planned date for the ceremony.

### **Holy Orders and Consecrated (Religious) Life**

Those discerning a call to the priesthood or religious life may contact the parish priest or the Archdiocese Vocations office at 314-792-6460.

### **Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick**

Please call the Rectory to make an appointment with the parish priest.

**Care for those who are homebound, hospitalized, or in nursing home.** Please call the Rectory to arrange for Communion to be brought to any parishioner who is unable to come to Mass. Please inform the Rectory as soon as any parishioner is admitted to any hospital or nursing home.

### **Devotions**

**Perpetual Help** After Tuesday 8 a.m. Mass

**Rosary** After weekday Masses

### **Becoming a Catholic**

Rites of Christian Initiation of Adults/Youth or Catechumen Meetings are weekly from September thru May to discuss your questions and the Catholic Faith. Call the Rectory for information.

### **South City Deanery PSR**

Catholic Religious Education for children attending public or private non-religious schools. Call 314-773-3070.

### **New Parishioners**

Please register as soon as possible by calling the Rectory.

**Bulletin items are due no later than 10 a.m. Monday** for the following week's bulletin. (Holiday deadlines can change without notice.)

**STANDING OUT**

One of the challenges we face in evangelization is connecting with the culture in order to penetrate it and refine it with Gospel values. Many people have fallen prey to the culture in this process and have forgotten their goal. As Christians, we should stand out, especially in the hyper-secularized culture in which we find ourselves in the Western world in 2018. It is important for us to consider where we have come from and where we are going as disciples of Jesus Christ. Paul reminds us in his letter to the Ephesians that we must put away the old self and not live as the Gentiles do. We can certainly meet others on their terms, but we must avoid the trap of forgetting that our task is to help lead them away from a dull and sterile existence, consumed by evanescent pleasures. As baptized Christians, we are called to lead new and transformed lives in the power of the Holy Spirit. Let's stand out! We do not need to be pompous or attention-seeking, but authentic Christians will be recognized as different in this world. [archstl.org/dynamic](http://archstl.org/dynamic)

## Mass Intentions for the Week

Mon.	7/30	8:00 a.m.	Frances Rowland
Tues.	7/31	8:00 a.m.	Rich Mersinger
Wed.	8/1	8:00 a.m.	Rose Deschler
Thurs.	8/2	8:00 a.m.	Geraldine Wolfram
Fri.	8/3	8:00 a.m.	Anne Szopinski
Sat.	8/4	8:00 a.m.	Toto Saputo
Sat.	8/4	4:30 p.m.	Our Parish Family
Sun.	8/5	7:30 a.m.	Elsie Smith
		10:00 a.m.	Irmgard & William Sticka

**LORD HEAR OUR PRAYER**

Pray for those who are sick and their caregivers. Pray for: Gina Donato, Tom Bishop (husband of Juanita), Tom Ceriotti (husband of Sandy), Dolores Rezek, Linda McKern, Melba Floyd, Marilyn Harris, Judy Bruegger, Delores Berger (mother of Cindy Wright), Donald Driscoll (father of Sara Shaver), Jack Burke (brother of Joan Mowery), Stephanie Hagan (wife of Barry), Marguerite Mann (mother of Shar Merkel), Betty Hartmann (wife of John), Sandy Galis & Ryan Grybas (niece & nephew of Rosalyn Oldenburg & Cindy Schmaltz), Kathleen Wiese (daughter of Audrey and sister of Mike Smith), Nick Corson Lammert, Kathy Dilport, Robert Morse (brother of Margaret), and those parishioners who are homebound, living in Assisted Living or Nursing Homes, and all in our Prayer Book. May our Lord Jesus bring them comfort and healing.

**REST IN PEACE**

In your charity please pray for our deceased,  
Susan Granda (wife of Jack,  
mother of Ben, Megan & Doug).  
May she join her loved ones  
in joyful reunion with Jesus.

**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH****Game Day****Thurs. 1 - 4:00 p.m. RMR****WEEKLY ACTIVITIES**

Boy Scouts	Tues.	7:00 p.m. Cafeteria
Quilters	Tues.	10:00 a.m. RMR
Judy Hudson's Exercise	Tues.	8:30 - 10 a.m. Cafe
Choir Practice	Wed.	7:00 p.m. Church
For Choir Rehearsal	see Leona Ernst at Weekend Mass	
Spirit & Truth	2x Monthly Thurs.	7p.m. School Bld.
Balance Class	Fri.	9 a.m. School Bld.
Judy Hudson's Exercise	Fri.	8:30 -10 a.m. Café

**ON-LINE DONATIONS***Give To IHM*

to Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish are now available through our website!

Please click on the **Give to IHM button** on our homepage ([www.ihm-stl.org](http://www.ihm-stl.org)) to set up your donation. One-time and recurring (weekly, monthly and yearly) options are available.

All donations are tax deductible as allowed by law, and your on-line donation will be confirmed by a receipt from the Archdiocese of St. Louis via e-mail. Thank you for your generosity to our parish family!



Weekly Offering

**COLLECTION FOR THE WEEKEND OF:  
July 22nd, 2018****Envelopes: \$3,973.00****Loose: \$292.00****Parish Maintenance: \$162.00**

- Thank you to all who make our IHM Parish Family strong & caring!
- Thank you to all who give of their time and talent, helping out in so many ways!
- Thank you to all who give back to God so generously with your **hard-earned** donations!

# PARISH NEWS



To  
**Gerald Lammert,**  
who is celebrating  
**his 89th birthday!!**

May Jesus continue to  
watch over you!

## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

**Next Saturday, August 4th,**  
there will be Eucharistic Adoration  
following the 8:00 a.m. Mass  
until 11:30 a.m. in the  
Daily Chapel.



## LADIES' SODALITY MEETING

Is **Wednesday, August 8th,** in the  
**Rectory Meeting Room, t 7:00 p.m.**  
(Notice location change). Refresh-  
ments will be served. Entertainment will  
be **"Rob Your Neighbor"**. This is a great opportu-  
nity to meet new people and get involved in activities  
that benefit our parish community. Please join us  
for some good conversation and a bite to eat.



## TRIVIA NIGHT

Presented by the Associates of the  
Sisters of St. Joseph of Carondelet

**Saturday, August 25th**  
**FATHER KEANEY CENTER**  
Doors Open at 6:15 p.m.

**Register and pay online at [csjsl.org](http://csjsl.org)**  
**\$20/person 8/table**

**Pretzels & Popcorn will be available.**  
**You may bring your own food & drink of choice!**

50/50, Thumbs Up/Thumbs Down & more

Proceeds benefit Associate scholarships, candidate  
formation and programs. Any questions contact  
Kay at [kkomotos@csjsl.org](mailto:kkomotos@csjsl.org) or 314-678-0317.

## SUNSHINE CLUB ALL WELCOME!!!

Do you like to eat, play **games**, talk  
and laugh? Well this is for you! We  
meet on the **second Monday of the**  
**month - April - November.** One  
month we meet here in the Rectory Meeting Room  
for lunch, games and socializing. The next month we  
go to a restaurant for lunch, games and socialize.



**On Monday, August 13th,** we will meet in the Rec-  
tory Meeting Room at 11:30 a.m., lunch at 12 noon  
and play **LCR (Left Center Right: a dice game)**, so  
bring coins with you. Did I mention - All welcomed!!!

**If I have not taken your order** for Fried Chicken,  
**please call by August 8<sup>th</sup>.** All that is needed to  
know: do you want white or dark meat or mixed?

**Debbie: 314-481-9385 or Ann 314-481-7543**

## RCIA COMING SOON



**What is The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)?** It is a pro-  
gram where interested adults are  
introduced to the Catholic faith in a  
planned and gradual process. It is  
the beginning step of a journey of  
faith with our Lord and his Church.

Persons interested in learning more about the Cath-  
olic Church usually begin by contacting the Rectory  
and speaking to Father Teater (314-481-7543) or  
Deacon Jim (314-481-0008). Anyone, even practic-  
ing Catholics, are welcome to attend and are en-  
couraged to participate in the meetings which gen-  
erally **meet on Sundays, beginning after Labor**  
**Day, following the 10:00 a.m. Mass in the Recto-**  
**ry Meeting Room.**

## LATIN AMERICA APOSTOLATE

Please prayerfully consider supporting this col-  
lection, which strengthens our faith and community  
with our brothers and sisters in Bolivia through the  
work of our archdiocesan missionaries.

Your support is bringing the Gospel and invalua-  
ble resources to people who might not otherwise  
have access to pastoral care or church programs.  
Our missionaries can only do what we make possi-  
ble through our prayers and sacrifices.

**Please be as generous as possible in the col-**  
**lection** for the Latin America Apostolate of the Arch-  
diocese of Saint Louis, next weekend, **August 4th/**  
**5th.** The envelope is in your August packet, or on  
the tables by the doors of Church.



Dear Parishioners,

This weekend, we hear the familiar story of the multiplication of loaves and fishes, which to the people of our Lord's time was a sign of the Messiah, as foreshadowed by the miracle of Elisha we hear of in the First Reading. It is noteworthy that this great sign would come from the humble offering of a child: "There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish; but what good are these for so many?" (John 6:9) Scripture scholars tell us that it was normal for people on a journey to keep some food in the folds of their robes, which is understandable given how long it would take to go anywhere. Some of us take drinks and snacks with us for a short drive of thirty minutes in our day, so it would not be unthinkable that humans would do the same ages ago before the invention of the combustion engine. Nevertheless, for so many to proclaim Him to be the Prophet, "the one who is to come into the world" (John 6:14b), there had to be something more than just Jesus teaching everybody to share what they had. There was a true miracle. But back to the point, it began with the humble offering of a child. So often does God work great signs from the humble. From the offering of Abel to the Blessed Mother Mary to the offerings given to Him to this day, our Lord receives such gifts and through them bestows blessings upon the one offering and beyond.

When the Lord chooses the humble, He gives us pause to reflect upon what He can accomplish through a small sign of faith. We could imagine the intact innocent simplicity of the boy, who hearing that Jesus was looking to feed those who were following Him, that he would run up to Andrew who presented him to Christ with what he had. Perhaps his parents, who might have wondered where their food had gone, were a bit dismayed at seeing their son running away with it to the Master. Untrammelled by a cynical spirit that often denies God the smallest benefit of the doubt that He is who He says He is, the boy offers with a fullness of heart a

small gift that the Son uses as a sign to reveal Himself. If only we all could remain in such a state of faith. May that young unnamed soul pray for all of us, who are still on the journey, that we may meet him in the next life to rejoice in the Son.

In the Hearts of Jesus & Mary,

Father Kristian Teater



### STEPHEN MINISTRY

If you or someone you know is going through a difficult time, contact Debbie Gartner, our Stephen Leader about Stephen Ministry. Our Stephen Ministers are ready to provide focused, confidential, one-to-one Christian care to help that person experience the healing power of Christ's love.

Or if you are interested in becoming a Stephen Minister, you may also speak to Debbie about this, 314-481-9385.

### Joke of the Week

A distraught senior citizen phoned her doctor's office. "Is it true," she wanted to know, "that the medication you prescribed has to be taken for the rest of my life?"

"Yes, I'm afraid so," the doctor told her.

There was a moment of silence before the senior lady replied, "I'm wondering, then, just how serious is my condition because this prescription is marked 'NO REFILLS'."



# SENIOR MOMENTS

## SEEING EXAMPLES OF JESUS

Last weekend, Father Teater gave a poignant homily about service and being the example of Jesus in our daily lives. **Prayer is an important part of our faith life, yet it cannot stop there.** Our words and our actions allow Jesus to shepherd people in our lives. Our willingness to offer compassion, serve, and be present to people in need is a way to be an example of Jesus' love.

I witness this example regularly through our **volunteers at Peter and Paul**. They faithfully give of their time with the desire to serve in their hearts. Shopping for the meal and for clothing and toiletries are actions of kindness and compassion. It means so much to the parishioners to provide a healthy, tasty meal, toiletries and to have clean clothes! They want the men to know that they matter. They are allowed to do this by the generosity of parishioners who provide donations for this ministry through the quarterly envelope in our packets, or by just dropping off a donation.

**When we arrive at the shelter**, laughter and joy begins. We are told that there is a buzz in the air on the nights that Immaculate Heart of Mary are *"in the house!"* Some of the volunteers sit and visit with the gentlemen. They listen, offer compassion, share stories, laugh and enjoy each other's company. A gentleman said, *"Knowing that you have something to say and that someone wants to talk with you, makes me feel more like a real person."*

I also see examples of Jesus through our parishioners **who deliver meals** to those in need of respite in their homes. They provide the meal and a friendly face to numerous parishioners. **Jesus goes to see people** in their homes and at nursing homes, **through the visits and compassion of parishioners who visit.**

**Our Card ministry** is an example of Jesus. Monthly people send thinking of you cards and birthday cards. They want our parishioners to know that they matter and that they are loved. Jesus in action!

Blessings to these and the many other opportunities people in our parish provide to spread the love of Jesus.

## MEDICAL SUPPLIES NEEDED

I am in need of walkers and/or shower chairs. If you happen to have these items, I would certainly appreciate receiving them to pass along to someone in need! Please call me and we can arrange a drop off or pick up.



## MONTHLY GAME DAY THURSDAY, AUGUST 2ND ALL ARE WELCOME!

**GAME  
DAY**

Our first Game Day was a success! Twenty people came to play Pinochle, Tripoly, Yahtzee, Dominoes and Gulf (a card game). **Our second gathering will be on Thursday, August 2nd from 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. in Rectory Meeting Room.**

As of now we are open to seeing what Game Day will look like. There are games such as Scrabble, Sequence, Dominoes, LCR (Left Center Right), Yahtzee, Phase 10 and cards for Pinochle, Canasta, Spades, Gulf and more. Light Refreshments will be provided.

Mental activity such as socializing and playing games can help keep your mind sharp. Although results aren't conclusive, more and more scientists and physicians are supporting and recommending activities that will stimulate your mind.

Come on your own or bring someone with you. All are welcome. Game Day will promote friendships and mind enrichment. Any questions, call Debbie 481-9385.

## VETERANS' ASSISTANCE

The Sarah Community at DePaul is offering: "Veterans' Assist." This event is taking place on **Thursday, August 30th, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm.** Learn tips for applying, how much you are entitled to, aid and attendance and spousal benefits. **RSVP** to 314-209-8814. The address is 12284 DePaul Drive – Bridgeton 63044.

Debbie - 314-481-9385

**GOT STUFF.....**



**That Needs a New Home?**



**DO YOUR CLEANING  
&  
SUPPORT  
Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish  
AT THE SAME TIME!!**

**Our 6th Annual  
“New To You” Rummage Sale  
In the Father Keaney Center**

**Saturday, September 15th, 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
&  
Sunday, September 16th 7:30 a.m. to 12: 00 Noon**

Our Rummage Sale Committee again hopes to feature a wide variety of useful, gently used items for the entire family, but we cannot do this without YOUR STUFF!!

**Last Monday to drop off at the School- August 13th**

**Times: 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. & 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.**

Items should be brought to the School building through the door across from the Rectory.

**Last Two Dates for Drop Off at the Father Keaney Center  
September 11th/12th - Noon - 7:00 p.m.**

We would appreciate if clothing could be separate from other donated items

**Info on Drop Off items**  
Chris Verplancke 314-481-5353  
camlverp@gmail.com

**To Volunteer:**  
Elizabeth Cassmeyer 314-832-0541  
ramflor@sbcglobal.net

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT!**

**Items we cannot accept:**

Heavy exercise equipment; old, analog televisions; bulky furniture & large appliances; magazines or encyclopedias and any items that have been recalled or taken off the market due to revised safety standards: car seats, cribs, strollers, etc.



## TRIVIA!

**Sponsored by Santa Maria  
Knights of Columbus**

**Saturday, October 20th  
Doors Open at 6:00 p.m.  
Immaculate Heart of Mary  
Father Keaney Center**

**Cost: \$20/person 10/table  
Beer, Soda & Snacks Provided  
Baskets & Attendance Prizes  
50/50 Drawings**

**Proceeds donated to:  
Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish  
& Santa Maria K of C**

**For more information contact:  
Bob Bullman @ 314-846-4325**



## ROSES FOR EXPECTANT MOMS!!!

If you are expecting a child, we as a Parish would like to pray for you throughout your pregnancy. There are red roses on the table in front of the Blessed Mother's statue in the back of Church. Please write the parents-to-be names and due date on the card attached to one of the roses asking for prayers until the delivery. After baby(ies) arrive, please call Kathy at 314-832-6553. We will then share your blessing in our bulletin.

### Keep the following couples in your prayers:

Elle & Joe	August
Liz & Darren	September
Sarah & Jerry	October

God Bless,  
Immaculate Heart of Mary Pro-Life

## LOOKING FOR SOMETHING NEW?

**Come join the joy and laughter  
at Peter & Paul Men's Shelter**

**We leave from Immaculate Heart of Mary at 5:00 p.m. and return before 9:00 p.m.** The men look forward to the evening when it's **IHM's Night!** We give out food, clothing, necessities and **we play BINGO!** They love it!

Please call or email me with your availability,  
or if you have any questions:

Juanita Bishop:

ihmpps@gmail.com or 314-605-5110

### August Dates:

**Thursday, August 9th  
Friday, August 17th**

## CONCERTS IN CARONDELET PARK

**Sundays, July 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.**

July 29th Mystic Voyage (Variety)

**August Sunday Concerts  
begin at 5:30 p.m.**

August 5th Memories of Elvis  
August 12th Abbey Road Warriors  
(Beatles Tribute)  
August 19th Cornet Chop Suey  
(Jazz & Swing)



## CALENDAR DATES ORGANIZATIONS/GROUPS

**Requests** for reserving the FKC, Cafeteria, Classrooms, and/or Rectory Meeting Rooms from **January - December 2019** need to be submitted in writing/email to the Rectory no later than this **Wednesday, August 1st**. Dates may not be "confirmed" over the phone. Thank you. Email address is:

adonohue@ihm-stl.org

## KEEP OUR MEN AND WOMEN WHO SERVE OUR COUNTRY TO KEEP US SAFE IN YOUR PRAYERS!



P2 Derek Ryan, U.S. Army  
Sgt. Lou Bollasina, U.S. Army  
A1C John Pipes USAF  
Staff Sgt. Jeffrey Clark U.S. Force  
Todd Bruemer, U.S. Navy

M.K. 2 Brett Winkelmann, Coast Guard  
Cpl. Matthew T. Straub, U.S. Marines  
Sgt. Victor A. Will, U.S. Army  
Sgt. James A. Will, U.S. Army  
Tech Sgt. James Dobrynski, U.S. Air Force  
SSgt. Steve Appelbaum, U.S. Air Force



is a south county young adults group which meets two Thursdays a month at 7:00 p.m. in the school building of Immaculate Heart of Mary, for fellowship and a discussion on a topic of faith, followed by Eucharistic Adoration.

Join *Spirit and Truth* this **Thursday at 8:00 (one hour later this week)** for Eucharistic adoration and fellowship at Immaculate Heart of Mary in south city. All young adults are welcome! Also, be sure to **check our website for details on our upcoming one-day, young-adults retreat on August 11th.**

For details visit us at [spiritandtruthstl.org](http://spiritandtruthstl.org) or like us on Facebook at [fb.me/spiritandtruth.stl](https://fb.me/spiritandtruth.stl)



**ATTENTION  
ALL HIGH SCHOOLERS**

Join us this **Wednesday, August 1st from 7-9:00 p.m.** at Bishop DuBourg High School ( please use the Clifton Avenue entrance) for a night of praise, prayer, and community.

For more information and upcoming events about Saint Louis Lifeteen  
Contact Lauren at 314.288.8873  
or [lauren@saintlouislifeteen.org](mailto:lauren@saintlouislifeteen.org)



**SOUTH CITY DEANERY  
PARISH SCHOOL  
OF RELIGION (PSR)**

Registration packets are available for the 2018-2019 school year. We are accepting students in grades PK - 8. **It is the Board's policy** that all students who are preparing for sacraments must be in our program for two years before receiving the sacrament; that means that students must be enrolled in our 1st grade class to receive First Communion in second grade. Students must be in our Pre-Confirmation class before the Confirmation preparation class.

There will be two On-Site Registration opportunities at the St. John the Baptist Parish Center:

**Sunday, August 12th - 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.**

**Monday, August 20th - 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.**

**Classes begin August 27th, with a Parent/Student Orientation.** Contact the SCDPSR at 314-773-3070 or [stl.scdpsr@gmail.com](mailto:stl.scdpsr@gmail.com) with questions.

**FREE to ATTEND  
MOST Missouri's 529 Savings Plan  
Parent Information Session  
6:00 - 7:00 p.m. Or 7:30 - 8:30 p.m.  
The information at the 6:00 p.m. session  
will be repeated at 7:30 p.m. session**

**August 1st :**

St. Peter School Cafeteria - Kirkwood

**August 2nd:**

St. Margaret Mary Alacoque Parish Center

**August 15th:**

St. Joseph Cafeteria - Manchester, MO

**August 16th:**

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Hall - Washington

**August 20th:**

St. Dominic High School - O'Fallon, MO

**August 22nd:**

Incarnate Word Academy

**August 23rd:**

Cardinal Ritter College Prep

**Questions:** Julie at [MOST529@archstl.org](mailto:MOST529@archstl.org)



**IHM CLASS OF 1969  
We are celebrating  
50 years!!!**

We are looking for former classmates from 1969 who attended Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic School. If you are from this class or know someone that has yet to be contacted, please call Vicki (Kern) Villani at 314-420-4402 or email [vilvic@hotmail.com](mailto:vilvic@hotmail.com)



**ST. GEORGE SCHOOL  
CLASS OF 1968  
CELEBRATING 50 YRS.  
THIS SEPTEMBER**

Come and reminisce with your class from 1968 on **Sunday, September 2nd** with a Progressive-Style event. We will **begin with 11:00 a.m. Class Mass** at the John Paul II Parish (formerly St. George). Meet about 10:45 a.m. in the foyer of Church. Class photo will be taken. Mrs. Raimondo will be joining us! **1 - 4:00 p.m. Class Luncheon at Parish Center** (\$15.00 donation) St. Louis Food Favorites and refreshments. Bring your memorabilia! **4:30 - 7:30 p.m. After-Party at Syberg's** on Gravois. Food & drink at your own expense.

**Please share this invitation with anyone from our class.** Significant others are welcome! For more details, to **RSVP**, plus where to send pictures you might have for a slide show contact Barb Lang Conboy at: [barb.conboy@hotmail.com](mailto:barb.conboy@hotmail.com) **no later than August 18th.**



## NEWS AROUND TOWN

### PROJECT RACHEL RETREAT - August 17-19th

Abortion can leave deep, unresolved wounds in the hearts and souls of women. If you or a woman you know is hurting from an abortion experience, the **St. Louis Project Rachel Team** is offering a retreat on **August 17-19th** for women seeking hope, healing and peace. To learn more: Marisol at 314-792-7451 or email: [ihnpfaff@swbell.net](mailto:ihnpfaff@swbell.net)

### HOLY HOUR FOR VOCATIONS

All are invited to come to the Holy Hour for Vocations! This is for everyone, those who are discerning a vocation, and those who would like to pray for vocations. Our next Holy Hour for Vocations will be **August 17th at 7:30 p.m. at the Main Church of Ascension Parish**, with Transitional Deacon George Staley preaching the homily. Confessions will also be available. A social will follow the Holy Hour.

### MOVIE SCREENING:

#### "I LIVED ON PARKER AVENUE"

The Daughters of St. Paul in collaboration with Missouri Right to Life are hosting a screening of the short documentary film, "I Lived on Parker Avenue" on **Thursday, Aug. 23rd, 7:00 p.m. at Pauline Books & Media, 9804 Watson Rd.** Call 314-965-3512 for more info and to register. Admission is free.

### JUBILEE MASS

Annual Silver and Golden Wedding Jubilee Mass Couples celebrating their 25th, 50th or 50-plus wedding anniversary during 2018 are invited to this annual Mass to be held **Sunday, September 16th, 2:30 p.m. at the Cathedral Basilica (4431 Lindell Blvd)** Couples registered by **August 24th**, will have their names and wedding date printed in the program and receive a certificate of congratulations. You may register online by visiting [archstl.org/jubileemass](http://archstl.org/jubileemass). Questions: Office of Laity & Family Life, 314.792.7170.

### A GUIDED SCRIPTURE SILENT RETREAT

Scheduled for **Friday, September 21st at 7:00 p.m. to Sunday, September 23rd, at 3:00 p.m. at 29446 Meadowlark South, Warrenton, MO 63383.** A guided retreat includes considerable private prayer time, silence and solitude. The retreat directors are Sr. Ginny Jaskiewicz, CPPS and Sr. Carol Orf, CPPS. **A free will offering and a non-refundable \$25.00 registration fee are requested.** Meals are taken in silence. **Bring a Bible. This retreat is open to women of all ages.** The deadline for registration is **Friday, September 14th.** For more information or to register, call Sr. Carol Orf at 314-560-1028.

### NEED TO TALK?

*"There is no grief like the grief that does not speak."* Henry Longfellow. The grief over an abortion experience is often so deep that it seems to be silent. Women and men may bear this burden for years thinking that there is no hope of forgiveness or peace.

Project Rachel and Project Joseph - 314-792-7565.

## MINISTRY SCHEDULE

### LECTORS

#### July 28th/29th

4:30 p.m.	Paula Bonn
7:30 a.m.	Diane Van Zandt
10:00 a.m.	Judy Hudson

#### August 4th/5th

4:30 p.m.	Jo Gaal
7:30 a.m.	Barb Vineyard
10:00 a.m.	Maureen Lampert



### MINISTERS of COMMUNION

All Masses need 7 ministers - Six (6) if Deacon Jim or a visiting priest is on the altar.

#### 10:00 a.m. July 29th

Ed Bradley, Kathy Jackson, Kevin O'Sullivan, Mary Pfeiffer, Jo Ann Ratermann, Annette Sandheinrich, Eileen Schindler

#### 10:00 a.m. August 5th

Scott & Betty Bollasina, Rich & Alison Bradley, Ed Bradley, Ann Sutter, Sadat Martinez-Cassmeyer



### SERVERS' SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEKEND OF: July 28th/29th

**Saturday, 4:30 p.m.** Peter & Paul Pham

**Sunday, 7:30 a.m.** Jack Feldmeier

**Sunday 10:00 a.m.** Mikayla & Olivia Murphey

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