

# ST. CECILIA CATHOLIC CHURCH

## WEBSITE

<http://www.steparish.org>

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## ST. CECILIA PARISH OFFICES

In the Family Life Center

155 North Main St. Glen Carbon, IL 62034

Phone: 618-288-3200 or 288-5523

Monday-Thursday

Hours: 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

*Welcome to  
St. Cecilia Parish*

APRIL 3, 2016

**SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER/  
DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY**

Rev. Albert Allen, Pastor      revalallen@yahoo.com  
Jerry Cato, Deacon/YouthMinistry      jcato@dio.org  
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Ed Peck, Director of Maintenance      ed-peck@att.net

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### RECONCILIATION

Saturdays from 3:30 to 4:00 p.m.

### MASS SCHEDULES

Daily: Tuesday—Friday 8:00 a.m.

Monday-Communion Service—8:00 a.m.

Saturday: 4:30 p.m.

Sunday: 8:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

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### ST. JOHN NEUMANN PRE & GRADE SCHOOL

142 Wilma Drive, Maryville, IL 62062

Phone: 618-345-7230 Fax: 618-345-4350

Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Website: [www.sjncrusaders.org](http://www.sjncrusaders.org)

### FR. MCGIVNEY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL

7190 Bouse Road, Glen Carbon, IL 62034

Phone: 618-855-9010 Fax: 618-855-9011

Website: [www.mcgivneygriffins.com](http://www.mcgivneygriffins.com)

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 13216

Grand Knight, Sam Trauernicht, 618.659.1803

strauernicht@ne.com      <http://www.steparishkofc.org>

Council Meetings 2nd Wednesdays 7:00 pm Parish Hall

Officer Meetings 4th Sunday 9:30 am Church Conf Rm

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ASSEMBLY

Faithful Navigator—Jon Hicks

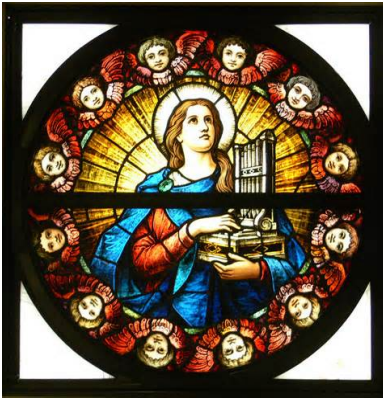
rmejon@yahoo.com 618.789.0821

4th Degree Meeting 4th Wednesdays 6:30 pm Parish Hall

**BULLETIN DEADLINE:** Monday, 9:00 a.m.

Email: [rlscheibal@hotmail.com](mailto:rlscheibal@hotmail.com) or drop off at the Parish Office





# St. Cecilia Catholic Church

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**APRIL 3, 2016—SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER/DIVINE MERCY**

**— Mass Times —**

**Saturday** (Vigil): 4:30 pm  
**Sunday**: 8:30 am & 11:00 am  
**Sacrament of Reconciliation**  
**Saturday**: 3:30-4:00 pm  
*Anytime by Appointment*



This week's intentions:

Monday, April 4  
NO MASS  
8 am Communion Service

Tuesday, April 5  
8 am For Dale Fortner

Wednesday, April 6  
8 am For Norman Nekola

Thursday, April 7  
8 am For Jerry Gwin

Friday, April 8  
8 am For Rob Lepping

Saturday, April 9  
4:30 pm For Patricia Cato

Sunday, April 10  
8:30 am For William & Leona Henry  
11 am For St. Cecilia Parish Community

Fr. Al can be reached at 618-288-3200. If there is an end of life emergency, please call Fr. Al at 217-622-6688.



## *Pastor's ramblings....*

My Dear Friends,

Now that the Easter season is underway, the church has resumed a more normal schedule. I'd like to share a word with you concerning our memorial garden project. I wanted to do this from the pulpit prior to Easter but a sudden and prolonged bout with laryngitis precluded that plan.

Discussions about this project actually began over a year ago when it was determined that our present fountain has deteriorated beyond repair. It had been nursed along for probably a couple of years and now the end of its useful service has arrived. At the suggestion of a number of you, I came to believe we should expand the fountain area into a memorial garden where parishioners or even friends of St. Cecilia could memorialize their loved ones with a beautiful and lasting memorial while adding even more beauty to our already beautiful campus. My vision is to provide an area of beauty and complete accessibility. The idea is a space where all people can enjoy a comfortable gathering and resting area one conducive to meditation and prayer amongst the spirit of their loved one(s).

Some parishioners, me included, began by making private donations and one person has volunteered to purchase the new fountain. A small committee of us asked Ed Peck and Russ Marti to contact several landscape architects and submit some drawings and proposals. Subsequently, a presentation was submitted to the parish council for their review and with some input we all agreed on a design. We have posted the chosen design at the Chicken Dinner as well as in the portico of the church.

This project will be funded one hundred percent through donations from those willing to donate directly (St. Cecilia Church with "fountain" written in the memo line of your check or indicated on a memo when cash is tendered). Anyone desiring to memorialize their loved one(s) with a paver stone(s) may pick up a form in the portico and return it to the office. No church funds will be used in the construction of this project.

We would like to begin construction on this project in April and would like to have many pavers sold prior to construction so they can be engraved.

*God's Blessings,*

*Fr. Al*

# St. Cecilia Faith Formation

—Family Life Center—

155 North Main Street — Glen Carbon, IL 62034

Office: (618) 288-5523

Email: [faithformation@stcparish.org](mailto:faithformation@stcparish.org)

## **PSR News.....**

Next week, April 10th sign up for next year's PSR classes will go home. You can return them to the front desk in the box marked registration. If you wish to pay on the Sunday you return the registration form, you can attach your check to the form and put it in the box with the registration. All forms will be picked up and copies will be made of your check that day, so we have verification of your payment other than recording it on the registration form. The other option is to return it on the 15th of May, our last class day, preferably before the ice cream treat in the back parking lot. The early registration really helps in ordering textbooks and supplies as well as the number of Catechist that will be needed for next year. If your child is not present next Sunday for class, your child will not receive the registration form and our goal is in vain. We have dropped in enrollment these past few Sundays, in fact there was only one fifth grader that showed up for class on the 20th of March. Sister Therese was having the opportunity to teach the class and was very disappointed when there wasn't a class to teach. Please try to attend the remaining classes for PSR. They are just as important as the beginning and middle of the year.

*Sr. Therese*

## **APRIL YOUTH GROUP MEETINGS**

**2nd Sunday, April 10th—5:00-7:00 pm**

**4th Sunday, April 24th—5:00-7:00 pm**

*Blessings, Deacon Jerry*

### **RENEW—PLEASE JOIN US!**

Renew is a scripture-based weekly reflection of the upcoming week's readings and Gospel. We meet each Wednesday morning @ 10 am at the FLC. All are WELCOME and you don't need to attend every week!

For more information, please call Marty Micheletto @ 618.288.8822

### **RCIA**

**THURSDAYS @ 7 PM IN THE FLC**

**Mystagogy/Closing Series  
April 7-28**

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### **Family Life Center**

Monday -- Thursday  
8:30 am to 4:00 pm

### **Baptisms & Weddings**

Contact  
*Fr. Albert Allen*  
288-3200

### **Parish School Of Religion (PSR)**

Contact  
*Sr. Therese Flerlage: 288-5523*

### **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults RCIA**

Contact  
*Fr. Albert Allen: 288-5523*

### **Adult Opportunities Bible Studies**

**Adult Faith Formation**  
Contact  
*Fr. Albert Allen: 288-5523*

### **Youth Ministry Grades 5-12th**

Contact  
*Deacon Jerry Cato: 447-0826*

# COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS



Please join us in the Church Hall downstairs this Sunday, April 3rd after the 11:00 am Mass, as we Celebrate Ron Lorilla's Ordination.  
Congratulations, Ron!

## HOST AN EXCHANGE STUDENT ON A U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE SCHOLARSHIP!

These high school students will be with the host family for two semesters beginning in August, 2016. They have earned their scholarships in a competitive process. They must maintain a "B" average in their host high school, complete 30 hours of volunteer service, and join a leadership club or activity. They receive a monthly stipend for spending money and some funds for school-related expenses. They come with full health coverage.

Host families must provide three meals per day, a place to sleep, a place to study, a comfortable home environment, and transportation to and from school and school activities (school bus is fine). Host families must be US citizens and English needs to be the primary language used in the home.

Who can host? Couples with or without children, singles, and empty nesters.

Who to contact? James E. Kerr, Local Coordinator, American Councils for International Education. American Councils places ONLY State Department Scholarship winners.

Please contact: James E. Kerr @ 618.667-9858 or [jekerr@charter.net](mailto:jekerr@charter.net)

## ST. CECILIA KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 2ND SUNDAY BREAKFAST

APRIL 10th—9 am to 1 pm



Please join us in the Church Hall for a delicious breakfast prepared by St. Cecilia Knights of Columbus. We'll be serving Eggs, Pancakes, Sausage, Hash Browns, Coffee, Milk, and Juice.

## Cabbage Roll Dinner Holy Family Church, Granite City

APRIL 10th, 2016

Holy Family in Granite City will be hosting their first annual Cabbage Roll Dinner on April 10th in the Community Center. The cost is \$9.00 per person and includes cabbage rolls, green beans, mashed potatoes, homemade fruit cobbler and a beverage. If you are not a cabbage roll lover, we will also have Salisbury Steak. Please join us for some great food and good company. We will also have a bake sale where visitors may purchase yummy goods!

Contact Cathy Carmody @ 618.877.7158 for more information.

## Mid-Life Singles (mid 30s-50s)

Register today for a life-changing RE-FLECT weekend retreat at King's House Retreat Center, Belleville, IL on April 15-17, 2016. Cost is \$195 for materials, meals, and a single room. Take a chance and get involved ... you won't regret it! Call 312.532.8286 or email [Reflect.stlouis@gmail.com](mailto:Reflect.stlouis@gmail.com) or [www.ReflectRetreat.com](http://www.ReflectRetreat.com) for details.



## **St. John Neumann School Hour**

**Students from St. John Neumann  
will be live on the air on  
Covenant Network AM 1080 or 90.3 FM  
sharing all the great things happening  
at our school!**

**Friday, April 8<sup>th</sup> 10 – 11 a.m.**

### **3 Ways to Listen:**

Radio: AM 1080 or 90.3 FM

Online: [www.covenantnet.net](http://www.covenantnet.net)

Mobile App: Download **Covenant Network**

**1-877-305-1234 (toll free)  
or 314-752-7000**

Call in your support during our hour. You can make a pledge in honor of a student, teacher, or priest!

# GOOD DEEDS HERE!

## ST. CECILIA FOOD PANTRY

As a Parish family we provide direct service to those who are less fortunate. If you would like to assist as a volunteer please contact Bernie Guy-Marshall guymarshall60@yahoo.com; 618.344.9950. We helped 1 family with groceries and 3 families with utilities this past week.

### Items Needed:

Razors, Laundry Soap, Pepper, Ravioli, Ketchup, Miracle Whip

Your Generosity is Appreciated!



### St. Cecilia's 90th Anniversary

August 1926

Was the beginning of St. Cecilia  
Catholic Church In Glen Carbon

If you are interested in helping with  
this celebration or if you have histori-  
cal items to share, Please contact  
LeAnne @ The FLC 618.288.5523

*Thanks to all parishioners for your continued generosity to the local conference of the Society of St. Vincent DePaul. Our mission is service to the poor within the Edwardsville School District—primarily housing and utility expenses. If there are needs that we are unable to meet, we refer to other agencies that can help. We are always interested in having new members join our organization and make a special outreach to minority individuals who are interested in our mission.*

*In these difficult economic times, you may know someone who has lost a job or is otherwise struggling to make ends meet. We have a hotline where individuals in need can leave a confidential message, and one of our members will contact them to arrange a visit. All contacts are handled confidentially. If you know someone who may need assistance, give them our number 1-800-775-0712, Extension 7777.*

# PARISH GENEROSITY REPORT

Weekly Generosity	Weekly Totals	Fiscal YTD
March 19th/20th, 2016	\$ 7,764.90	\$ 343,253.42
Online Giving	<u>1,940.00</u>	<u>52,646.00</u>
Total	\$ 9,704.90	\$ 395,899.42
Budget Goal	<u>9,700.00</u>	<u>359,200.00</u>
Difference	\$ 4.90	\$ 36,699.42
Add'l \$1,330 to Diocesan Special Coll. & Memorial Garden		

Weekly Generosity	Weekly Totals	Fiscal YTD
March 24th-27th, 2016	\$ 12,434.91	\$ 355,688.33
Online Giving	<u>1,075.00</u>	<u>53,721.00</u>
Total	\$ 13,509.91	\$ 409,409.33
Budget Goal	<u>9,700.00</u>	<u>368,900.00</u>
Difference	\$ 3,809.91	\$ 40,509.33
Add'l \$1,819 to Diocesan Special Coll. & Memorial Garden		

Major Parish Expenses recently paid include \$17,500 for Pension and \$8,600 to Catholic Times. Remaining large expenses due this fiscal year by July 1, 2016, include \$18,000 for Property Insurance and approximately \$22,000 for the Annual Catholic Services Appeal (ACSA). Your committed and continued financial support to the Parish is very much appreciated. This allows us to be good stewards and give back to the community at or above 12% each year.

Thank  
You!

Go GREEN—Consider giving online @  
<https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/default.aspx?cid=1030> Link can  
also be found at [www.stcparish.org](http://www.stcparish.org)  
You may also download the New APP @ OLGApp.com

### ST. CECILIA MASS COUNTS

March 24-27: 7=181; 7=150; 7=205; 8:30=265; 11=389; 1190  
March 19/20: 4:30=176; 8:30=200; 11=194; Total=570  
March 12/13: 4:30=203; 8:30=120; 11=195; Total=518  
March 5/6: 4:30=143; 8:30=165; 11=188; 2=212; Total=708

### THANK YOU!



Our community changed lives this Lent, and CRS Rice Bowl wants to say THANK YOU!! St. Cecilia Parish donated over \$800 to this worthy cause helping so many around the world. Visit [crsricebowl.org](http://crsricebowl.org) for more.

APRIL 9TH & 10TH			
Ministry Name	Saturday Vigil	Sunday 8:30 am	Sunday 11 am
Sacristan	Klie, Jan	Tennant, Charles	
Altar Servers	Massie, Joelle	Trauernicht, Gabby	Rodgers, Jackson
	Massie, Mikayla	Trauernicht, Taryn	Schoeberle, Jakob
	Sholl, Trent	Moore, Colin	Woolsey, Brent
Ordinary Min HC	Cato, Deacon Jerry	Lorilla, Ron	Lorilla, Ron
Extraordinary Ministers Holy Communion	Holshouser, LaDonna	Moore, Nathan	Hicks, Kristy
	Klie, Jan	Moore, Jen	Luitjohan, Frank
	Ley, Frank	Rubner, Carl	Luitjohan, Marlene
Gift Bearers	Harms, Ellen	Tennant, Terry	Maliszewski, Ben
	Schaake, Gayle	Trauernicht, Cheri	Nalefski, Mary
	Schaake, Alan	Trauernicht, Sam	Nalefski, Ed
Greeters	Soehnlín, Carol	Raffaella, Paula	Billhartz, Marcia
	Soehnlín, Bob	Raffaella, Tim	Billhartz, Keith
Readers	Winans, Carol	Wallace, Kristine	Laswell, Sharon
	Winans, Kevin	Hite, Patsy	Schoeberle, Robert



### SACRISTY NEWS:

Are you interested in becoming a Sacristan? A Sacristan sets up for Mass by setting out the bread, wine, and vessels among other things. You will find this to be a very rewarding ministry and a great way to better understand your faith.

This would also be a terrific ministry for your entire family to participate in together. Your participation level is up to you and volunteering your time for one Mass once a month would be a tremendous help. Preparation normally takes 15 minutes prior to Mass and 10 minutes after Mass. Training will be one-on-one and instructions are very detailed and straightforward. If you have any questions or are interested in becoming a sacristan, contact: Rodney Almos 618.670.1008, rdalmos@gmail.com

### **PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN DIOCESAN TRAININGS**

April 7, :30-9:30 pm: St. Paul, Highland  
 April 10, 2-5 pm: Little Flower Church, Springfield  
 April 14, 6-9 pm: St. Francis of Assisi, Teutopolis  
 April 19, 6:30-9:30: St. Francis Solanus, Quincy  
 May 5, 6:30-9:30: St. Paul, Highland  
 June 2, 6:30-9:30: St. Paul, Highland  
 July 7, 6:30-9:30: St. Paul, Highland  
 August 4, 6:30-9:30: St. Paul, Highland  
 September 1, 6:30-9:30: St. Paul, Highland  
 October 6, 6:30-9:30: St. Paul, Highland  
 November 3, 6:30-9:30: St. Paul, Highland



**If you'd  
like to be  
part of St.  
Cecilia**

**Prayer Chain or like  
the group to pray for  
you (share joys, con-  
cerns, illnesses, needs,  
etc., simply email  
StCprayerchain  
@Gmail.com**

### **Prayer List**

Patricia Aleman,  
 Linda Arnet,  
 Brian & Janice Brogan,  
 Vincent Floeter Calabrese,  
 Alex Christian,  
 Jeannette Crony,  
 Bob Curtis,  
 Sarah Davis,  
 Theresa Glueck,  
 Mary Anne Griffin,  
 Amber Hopfinger,  
 Michael Hogan,  
 Alyson Horn,  
 Don Jozwiak,  
 Larry & Esther Kacer,  
 McKenzie King,  
 Jan Klie,  
 Maureen Kobler,  
 Barbara Kordenbrock,  
 Francis Korte,  
 Maria LaBrie,  
 Danny Leach,  
 Bobbie Lewis,  
 Helen Lorden,  
 Nicole Lupton,  
 Brian Markle,  
 Karen McBride,  
 Robert Meder,  
 Bette Menard,  
 Judith Meyer,  
 Madonna Mills,  
 Kathy Modene,  
 Gerry Moeller,  
 Mark Morgan,  
 Bill Newbold & Family  
 Rose Leach-Newman,  
 Steve Novosel,  
 Val Novosel  
 John Polson,  
 Mary Jane Sepanski,  
 Mary Sido,  
 Leger Stenger,  
 Stan Stimac,  
 Dorothy Strain,  
 Binnie Valencia,  
 D.W.  
 Kyle Warnecke,  
 U.B. Weiss,  
 Ron Williamson,  
 Allison Winkler,  
 Jay Zabrowski