

St. Charles – It's time to start planning for our parish picnic. The meeting will be on Sunday, April 21st after the 8:00am Mass. All are invited to attend.

St. Charles is accepting bids for mowing the cemetery this year. For more information, please call the parish office at 618-787-2781, leave a message and we will get back to you as soon as possible. Bids are due back no later than April 5th. *Jack Boczek*

Clean up day at the cemetery will be Saturday, April 13th starting at 9 AM. Any help would be appreciated. All flowers and other decorations must be removed from the graves prior to that day, those remaining will be disposed. All flowers, etc. must be on the stones during the mowing season. Mowing will start the week of April 15th and continue through mid-October. *Jack Boczek*

St. Charles secretary will be out of the office April 10th. Please contact Fr. Oliver or the parish office if you need assistance. *Monica*

We are bringing the Senior Center to DuBois! Please join us Wednesday, April 17 for lunch and bingo at the St. Charles parish hall. Washington County Senior Services will deliver a lunch of roast beef & gravy, mashed potatoes & gravy, candied carrots and dessert. The suggested donation for lunch is \$6.00, but it is completely voluntary. We will eat at noon and enjoy bingo immediately after. Please RSVP to Okawville Senior Center by Monday, April 15th at 618-243-6533. The Senior Center serves people 60 years old and older. Hope to see you there.

CDA Meeting is scheduled for Monday, April 15th at 7 PM at St. Charles. Committees: Door Prize – Judy Pieszchalski; Student Burse- Barb Pokorny; Bingo Prizes- Kathy Rulevish and Marcella Spotanski. All committee members are to bring refreshments. See you then!! *Judy*

St. Michael – St. Michael's Calendar winners for April 7, 2024: Debbie Pieszchalski, Ashley, IL & Vincent Swoboda, Chesterfield, MO

Thank you to those who volunteered to clean the church during the month of March. The volunteers for the month of April beginning Sunday, April 7 are: Jean Kujawa, chairperson; Anita Jurkowski, Bernice Winka, Joyce Hood, Marilyn Watters

Congratulations to our First Communicants on their special day! Those making their First Communion are Jaylee Wisniewski, daughter of Jason and Haley Wisniewski and Cora Helm, daughter of Kevin and Stacy Helm. Congratulations!!! Please remember them in your prayers.

Our Appreciation to Melinda Bock and Her Family

While we continue to pray for the happy repose of the soul of Michael Bock, and the grace of God's comfort to his family, be it known to the parishioners of St. Michael the Archangel Church that Melinda and her family donated \$1,685.00 to St. Michael's Cemetery fund and \$40.00 to the Church fund in memory of Mike Bock.

—Thank you for including the well-being of our parish in your good wishes for Mike. May he rest in peace. Masses will be celebrated in due time as requested by his family and friends. Be assured of our prayers and thoughts as you go thru this painful time. *Fr. Oliver Nwachukwu, Ph.D.*

St. Barbara Congratulations to our First Holy Communicants, Ledger Andrew Restoff and Hamilton Jeffery Smith, who will be making their First Holy Communion. May God bless you and your families.

Our sympathy goes to the Klingler family. Stacey's mother, Brenda Jo Kash, passed away on April 1st. Please keep the Klingler family in your prayers.

Thank you to everyone who helped with the Easter egg hunt last Sunday!

The parish would like to congratulate Bob & Linda Frisch on their upcoming 60th wedding anniversary. There will be a special Mass intention next Sunday for their anniversary.

If you would like to schedule a Mass Intention for a Sunday or Wednesday Mass at St. Barbara, please put an envelope in the basket with the date you want and the suggested \$10 donation for a Mass, or you may call Christy at 279-1322 or text/call 435-7196.

Rest Knights of Columbus meeting Wednesday, April 10th at 7 PM.

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY -- APRIL 7, 2024



St. Michael the Archangel Church

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**Weekend Mass: Saturday
5:00pm**

**Weekend Mass: Sunday
10:30am**

Office Hours: Tues., Thurs., Fri.
9am-3pm

Administrative Staff

Father Oliver Nwachukwu, Ph.D.
(Administrator)
Jerry Watters, Marvin Winka
(Trustees)
Carla Chesnek (PSR Director)
Jackie Herzog (Music Director)
Bernadine Kabat (Hall Rental)
Marvin Winka/Jerry Watters
(Cemetery)
Bernadine Kabat (Secretary)



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**Weekend Mass: Sunday 8:00am
Sunday - Also Live Streamed 8 AM**
Office Hours: Wed., 4:00 – 5:00pm

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Judy Pieszchalski (PSR Director)
Monica Bochantin (Music
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Richard Majewski (Hall Rental)
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St. Barbara Church

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Weekend Mass: Sunday 9:15am

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Tiffany Kluck (PSR Director)
Walter Wagner, Steve Wagner
(Cemetery)
Christy VanDeveer (Music Director
/ Secretary)

Readings for the Week: Monday – The Annunciation of the Lord: Reading 1: Is 7:10-14, 8-10; Reading 2: Heb 10:4-10; Gospel: Lk 1:26-38;
Tuesday: Reading: Acts 4:32-37; Gospel: Jn 3:7b-15; Wednesday: Reading: Acts 5:17-26; Gospel: Jn 3:16-21; Thursday: St. Stanislaus,
Bishop and Martyr: Reading: Acts 5:27-33; Gospel: Jn 3:31-36; Friday – Reading: Acts 5:34-42; Gospel: Jn 6:1-15; Saturday – St. Martin
1, Pope and Martyr: Reading: Acts 6:1-7; Gospel: Jn 6:16-21; Third Sunday of Easter: Reading 1: Acts: 3:13-15, 17-19; Reading 2:
1 Jn 2:1-5a; Gospel: Lk 24:35-48

Liturgical Assistants

St. Charles Borromeo: Sunday, April 14, 2024 – 8:00am Mass – Lector: Kathy Conner; Eucharistic Ministers: Host: Rosalie Kostecki; Cup: Rich Majewski, Rick Reidelberger; Server: Volunteer; Offertory Gifts: Family of Carole & Wally Waldman; Rosary Leader: Monica Bochantin; April 2024 Ushers: Cliff Polczynski, Mike Wisneski, Jim Wojtowicz

St. Charles Borromeo Contributions – March 31, 2024– Adults: \$3,511.00; Loose: \$565.00; Holy Land: \$251.00; Easter Flowers: \$20.00.

St. Michael the Archangel:

Saturday, April 13, 2024 – 5:00pm Mass – Lector: Volunteer; Eucharistic Ministers: Host: Bernadine Kabat; Servers: Abby & Allie Cottom; Offertory Gifts: Family of Mark Pieszchalski; Rosary Leader: Dominic Grzegorek; April 2024 Ushers: Jerry Watters, Don Wisniewski, Jason Wisniewski, Louis Bauza, Bob Buretta, James Buretta

Sunday, April 14, 2024 – 10:30a.m. Mass – Lector: Matt Chesnek; Eucharistic Ministers: Host: Bernice Winka; Cup: Debbie Colgrave, Fred Epplin; Servers: Waylon Wojtowicz, Lily Czerniejewski; Offertory Gifts: Family of Mike Bock; Rosary Leader: Bernice Winka; April 2024 Ushers: Jerome Barczewski, Matt Chesnek, Jerome Dreas, James Dreas, Fred Epplin, Ken Gill

St. Michael the Archangel Contributions – March 31, 2024 – Adults: \$7,251.00; Loose: \$520.00; Catholic Relief Services: \$50.00; Holy Land: \$407.00; Easter Flowers: \$5.00; Maintenance: \$350.00

St. Barbara: Sunday, April 14, 2024 – 9:00a.m. Mass - Lector: John Kabat; Servers: Steven Bunk, Gage Peterson, Gentry Restoff; Eucharistic Ministers: Gretchen Witter, Janet & Alan Estes; Offertory Gifts: Family of Bob & Linda Frisch; Ushers: Charles & Monica Witter; April Rosary Leader: Christy VanDeveer; Sunday Collection Counters: Yvette Peterson & Marcia Kabat

St. Barbara Contributions: March 31, 2024 – Adults: \$2,128.00; Loose: \$367.00; Youth: \$70.00; Catholic Relief Services: \$5.00; Good Friday: \$48.00

The 2024 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal *Serve the Lord with Gladness – Psalm 100*

“Each year the faithful of our Belleville Diocese are asked to help the works of Christ continue and grow through their support of The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal. By making a gift you are helping build up the Body of Christ in our various ministries and providing help for the poor and vulnerable.” Please consider a gift to the appeal today!
Bishop Michael McGovern

Second Sunday of Easter -- Divine Mercy Sunday -- April 7, 2024

The glory of the Resurrection permeates God’s word on this joyous day that continues our Easter celebration. No longer are the disciples confused and adrift, as they were when first seeing the empty tomb. In the first reading, we hear that the entire community of believers bears witness to the Resurrection by what they do and how they live. They treat each other with mercy and love, as Jesus did when he appeared to all the disciples, even Thomas, who had doubted. Let us join in praise, for God’s mercy endures forever.

The North Central Vicariate Council of Catholic Women and the ladies of St. Mary of Immaculate Conception Parish in Mt. Vernon welcome all ladies to the NCVCCW Spring Meeting & Day of Spiritual Reflection. This event will be on Wed., April 24th from 8am-2:30pm in St. Mary’s Parish Center. The day includes presentations of How to Live Your Best Life as a Catholic Woman; How to Enhance Your Home Prayer Life; Mass and parish sharing. Cost is \$15 which includes lunch. Registration forms are available at the entrances to the church or the parish office. Any questions should be directed to Helen Essenpreis, President of the NCVCCW at 618-980-1875.

This Week's Schedule of Events

Saturday	April 6, 2024	5:00pm Mass	Bill Smalley	Radom
Sunday	April 7, 2024	8:00am Mass	Pauline Kania	DuBois
(Mass also Livestreamed at 8 AM)				
Sunday	April 7, 2024	9:15am Mass	First Holy Communicants	<i>Scheller</i>
Sunday	April 7, 2024	10:30am Mass	Alice Pytlinski	Radom
Sunday	April 7, 2024	10:30am Mass	First Holy Communion (Fr. Mike Powell – Celebrant)	Radom
Monday	April 8, 2024	No Mass		
Tuesday	April 9, 2024	8:00am Mass	Ray & Marcella Majewski	DuBois
Tuesday	April 9, 2024	6:00pm	Parish Council Meeting	DuBois
Wednesday	April 10, 2024	9:00am Mass	Andrew & Martha Kryger, Mary Jane Kujawa	<i>Scheller</i>
Wednesday	April 10, 2024	6:00pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Radom
Wednesday	April 10, 2024	6:30pm Mass	John Tomaszewski, Jeff & Leroy Rosancki	Radom
Wednesday	April 10, 2024	7:00pm	Parish Council Meeting	Radom
Thursday	April 11, 2024	8:00am Mass	Mary Hatzel Mary Buckman	DuBois
Friday	April 12, 2024	9:00am Mass	Mary Bielong	Radom
Saturday	April 13, 2024	5:00pm Mass	Mark Pieszchalski	Radom
Sunday	April 14, 2024	8:00am Mass	Carole & Wally Waldman	DuBois
(Mass also Livestreamed at 8 AM)				
Sunday	April 14, 2024	9:00am Mass	Bob & Linda Frisch (60 th Wedding Anniv.)	<i>Scheller</i>
Sunday	April 14, 2024	8:30am – 10:15am	Last PSR Class	Radom
Sunday	April 14, 2024	10:30am Mass	Michael Bock	Radom

Remember in Your Prayers: Rhonda Aldridge, Albert Barciszewski, Dan Barczewski, JoAnn Barczewski, Butch Bauza, Kori Beckerman, Phyllis Berge, Scott Bevil, Cheryl Blumhorst, Evelyn Bochantin, Bella Boyer, Elliot Browder, Angelo Bruno, Ruth Burde, Marion Buretta, George Carrigan, Kathy Castic, Paul Chwasczinski, Jill Cox, Mary Czerniejewski, Tammy Dial, Pat Dickson, Gabe Draper, Jacob Draper, Dennis Dreas, Kristi Elms, Amie Evans, Edwin Gajewski, Adam Gibson, Laura Gill, Ron Grzechowiak, Douglas Habbe, Wendy Hampton, Eric Harris, Stacy Helm, Krystal Henry, Elmer Herzog, Larry Huett, Kris Hug, Emily Jones, Delores Kachuba, Cindy Kasban, Katie Kauer, Eileen Koenegstein, Russ Kohonen, Sharon Kubiak, Dianne Kujawa, Jane Kujawa, Jake Kraft, Kailie Laramie, Bob Lameczyk, Clarence Lameczyk, Dorothy Lameczyk, James Lashley, Emily Lentz, Landon Lentz, Jerry Leonard, Marty Lepacek, Clara Liszewski, Irene Luchinski, Ellen Werner Lusko, Bob Majewski, Regina Matecki, Seth Miller, Dan Mogan, Sarah Morgan, Daniel Morski, Sr., Rita Nadolski, Shirley Nadolski, Callen Newborn, Asa Newell, Zaida Nowicki, Roberta Pelka, Ben Peters, Shelia Patton, Alice Pyszka, Randy Pytlinski, Linda Przygoda, Allie Reidelberger, Rustin Robinson, Leonard Rybacki, Tracy Sanders, Elizabeth Schultz, Bill Sheriff, Cheryl Skibinski, Judy Smolley, Leo Suchomski, James Swambar, Debbie Szatkowski, Evelyn Szatkowski, Luke Tomaszewski, Theresa Traiteur, Mark Triller, Kathy Williams, Ainsley Wills, Henry Winkeler, Don Wisniewski, Becky Wojtowicz, Dave & Rosemary Wojtowicz, Michael Wojtowicz, Amber Zoller