



OUR LADY OF THE LAKE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Sunday, Oct 10, 2021
28th Sunday of Ordinary Time

We envision a church where Jesus Christ is proclaimed in a way that when parishioners are gathered, all may encounter the Living Word in their midst.

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS

Saturday	October 9	5:00 pm	Ralph Franklin	Vigil Mass
Sunday	October 10	8:00 am	Parishioners	Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday	October 10	10:00 am	Marie Seiter	Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Monday	October 11	8:00 am	Donald Kennon	Pope St. John XXIII
Tuesday	October 12	8:00 am	Bill Tweedie	Weekday Mass
Wednesday	October 13	6:00 pm	Rose Bouzek	Weekday Mass
Thursday	October 14	8:00 am	Mary Ann Donelson	Pope St. Callistus
Friday	October 15	8:00 am	Giani Van Daalen	St. Teresa of Jesus, Doctor of the Church
Saturday	October 16	5:00 pm	Joe Schutzenhofer	Vigil Mass
Sunday	October 17	8:00 am	Parishioners	Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday	October 17	10:00 am	Shafer Gross	Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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WELCOME

We extend a warm welcome to all our guests and visitors who have graced us with their presence at today's liturgy. We hope that you feel at home here; please let us know if we can be of any assistance while you are with us.

BISHOP'S MONTHLY PRAYER INTENTION

For our local church of the Diocese of Jefferson City; that we may become a sign and instrument in the world of the presence of Christ through our communion in charity, faith, and the Eucharist.

Por nuestra iglesia local de la Diócesis de Jefferson City. Para que seamos signo e instrumento en el mundo de la presencia de Cristo a través de nuestra comunión en la caridad, la fe y la Eucaristía.

LIVE STREAMING

The 10:00 AM Sunday Mass and all weekday masses will be streamed on YouTube as an outreach to those who are physically unable to attend church in person. We need to inform you that your entry and presence in the church constitutes your consent to be depicted in any/all applicable media in perpetuity. If you have questions or concerns, please contact the Parish Office.

WEEKLY PARISH SCHEDULE

MONDAY, OCTOBER 11

Mass in Chapel & Online | 8:00 am
K of C Planning | 7:00 pm

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 12

Mass in Chapel & Online | 8:00 am
Rosary in Chapel & Online | 8:30 am
Welcome Formation | 4:30 pm

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 13

Wednesday Workshop | 9:00 am
Adoration & Benediction | 5:00 pm
PSR K-6 | 5:15 pm
Mass in Chapel & Online | 6:00 pm

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14

Mass in Chapel & Online | 8:00 am
Fellowship Breakfast | 8:45 am
Social Concerns Comm. | 6:00 pm

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15

Mass in Chapel & Online | 8:00 am
Adoration in Chapel | 8:30 am - 4:00 pm

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16

Baptism | 2:00 pm
Reconciliation | 4:00 pm - 4:30pm
Rosary | 4:30 pm
Mass in Church | 5:00 pm

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17

K of C Breakfast | 8:00 am - 11:30
Rosary | 7:30 am
Mass in Church | 8:00 am
Rosary | 9:30 am
Mass in Church & Online | 10:00 am

CONFESSION

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is offered Saturdays from 4 - 4:30pm or by appointment.

HEARING IMPAIRED

For those with moderate hearing difficulties, hearing assistance units are available in the Fellowship Hall behind the Sanctuary. Please ask an usher if you need one.

PARISHIONER NEWS

OCTOBER COUNT

The Diocese of Jefferson City asks that all parishes take a census of attendees at every weekend Mass in October. To do this WE NEED YOUR HELP. We need to have greeters at all 4 entrances half an hour before each Mass to count those that enter. Counting clickers are provided. Please contact Mary in the office if you are available to assist.

We pray for the repose of the soul of our brothers in Christ,

Glen King, parishioner

Richard Amsinger,
nephew of Don & Polly Amsinger,

Donald Kennon,
father of Tina Adrian

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord; and let perpetual light shine upon them. May their soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

MEN'S RETREAT

All men are invited to the annual Fall Retreat, sponsored by Men of St. Joseph, Saturday, October 16th at 9am at the Old St. Pat's Church on O-Road in Laurie. Call the St. Pat's parish office at 573-374-7855 to register or with any questions.



Altar Flowers:
Would you like to commemorate a special occasion or honor a deceased loved one? You can do so with altar flowers. The cost for a basic bouquet is \$50 and a specialty bouquet is \$75. Contact the office for available dates.



Our Lady of The Lake Education Grants for College Students:

To actively demonstrate support for the active, participating youth in our parish who are pursuing post-secondary studies at an accredited college or university, or trade or vocational school. Our Lady of The Lake will award scholarship grants to qualifying students. Our church has set aside \$5,000 for this purpose and awards will depend on the number of applicants with a maximum of \$1,500 per applicant.

Criteria and applications are available on the website:

ourladylake.diojeffcity.org/our-lady-of-the-lake-college-grant-2020-2021

They should be turned in by **November 15th**. Recipients will be notified by February 15, 2022.



WELCOME...There is MORE to LIFE.

Women's Weekend Experience

When:
October 23 & 24 2021

Where:
Our Lady of the Lake Bestgen Hall

Contact:
ourladylake.diojeffcity.org/welcome

Or call...
Kelly at the Parish Office
573-365-2241 ext. 5

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Contact: John Akscin

BREAKFAST

Join us **NEXT** Sunday, Oct. 17th
8:00 – 11:30 am for a
Great Country Breakfast.

Includes:

Pancakes, sausage, eggs, biscuits & gravy, coffee & juice, all for \$7.

ROSARY

October is the month of the Holy Rosary. We invite you to join us half an hour before every weekend Mass as the Knights of Columbus/Ladies Auxiliary lead us in praying the rosary.



ourladylake.diojeffcity.org/knights-of-columbus/

LADIES AUXILIARY

Contact: Karen Blevins

The Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary State Chairman Amy Mathias recently presented the Outstanding Ladies Auxiliary Award to our current President Karen Blevins and Vice President Theresa Brown. This occurred at an area meeting of central Missouri chapters. Also presenting the award was the K of C State Family Director Chuck Paquette. Our local chapter has welcomed nine new members since early spring. We welcome all new membership inquiries.



ourladylake.diojeffcity.org/parish-life/organizations/ladies-auxiliary-2/

We are grateful for your support of our church. Online Giving allows you to make contributions to our church without having to write checks or worry about donations. The site lets you set up automatic contributions and enables you to change the timing or the amount of your gift at any time. Go to: ourladylake.diojeffcity.org and click the Donate Now button on the top bar to sign up.

WORSHIP COMMISSION

Chair:

PRAYERS NEEDED



May they place their trust and confidence in the Lord Jesus Christ:

Cathy King, Gordon Russel, Tyler Andrews, Dan Sprutt, Baby Adalyn Harres, Ray Pearia, James Glennon, Raymond Oaks, Don Draper, Richard Pacelli, Blake Hemmel, Jeff Caswell, Pat Caswell, Barbara Sefcik, Mary Ann Rayfield, David Kneeter, Elijah Torres, Lucille Needham.

EUCCHARISTIC PROCESSION

St. Patrick in Laurie is having a Eucharistic Procession, and Adoration, in Laurie Park Saturday October 16th at 10am. All Christians are invited to take part in this public witness to the Real Presence of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament. To ask questions or register interest, please phone the St. Pat's parish office at 573-374-7855.



PRAYERS FOR THE MILITARY

Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle. Be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil; May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; And do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly Host, by the divine power of God, cast into hell Satan and all evil spirits who wander through the world for the ruin of souls. Amen

SOCIAL CONCERNS

Chair: Deacon Jim Hankins

MEETING

The next Social Concerns Commission is Thursday, Oct. 14th at 6 pm in Fellowship Hall.

HOPE HOUSE

Please remember to bring your unused, nonperishable, non-expired food donation each week.

Week of Sept. 26th:
11 Bags, 1 Box, 57 Cans, and 91 Misc.
3 bags of bags

"Our Lady" Volunteers next scheduled work day is
Thursday, Oct. 28th.

They are also in need of volunteers specifically to work the checkout and cash register. The following dates need to be filled; please consider volunteering. October 29 & 30, December 3 & 4.

Contact Annette Miller.

More info:

www.hopehouseofmillercounty.org

Bring your CAN to Church.



BOOK CLUB

Our Lady of the Lake Book Club
Next Meeting will be:
Tuesday, Oct 12th at 6:30 p.m.



The book being discussed is:
The Pecan Man by Cassie Dandridge
ALL ARE WELCOME!

If you would like to zoom the meeting or have questions please call or text Lusica - 915-490-5765 by Oct. 11th

EDUCATION COMMISSION

Chair: Barbara Steinman

CATECHIST APPRECIATION

Please join us to celebrate the devoted and amazing teachers who are at PSR every single week! These ladies bring to your children the love and mercy of God, while teaching them the basics of our Catholic Faith. There are truly no words to convey thanks for all they do!

K-1st Grade:

Karri Brauman & Terri Wedding
2nd Grade (First Holy Communion):
Joan Wolf

3rd Grade: Linda Bukalski

4th Grade: Cindy Long

5th Grade: Andrea Anderson

6th Grade: Amy Fowler

7th Grade (Confirmation)

Karen Blevins and Melodi Graessle

8th Grade:

Linda Adams and Pat Metz

High School 9-12:

Beth Wright and Sara Barlett



RCIA Our faith is in Jesus Christ and membership in our faith is the greatest gift we have in life and the greatest gift we can share with those we care about. If you know anyone who might be interested in becoming a Catholic or learning more about the Catholic faith, please share that gift by inviting them to attend RCIA classes which will start late October. Contact Deacon Paul at deaconpaul@ourladylakeozark.org or call the parish office at 573-365-2241, extensions 5 or 6.

LEARN MORE ABOUT YOUR CATHOLIC FAITH

We are all pilgrims on a journey of faith. As Catholics, understanding our faith gives us wisdom for this journey. Join us for a monthly discussion on Church doctrines and teachings.

Contact Deacon Paul at deaconpaul@ourladylakeozark.org or call the parish office at 573-365-2241, extensions 5 or 6.

Are you or a family member ill, in the hospital, or homebound and would like to be included in the Prayers of the Faithful at Mass, on the Prayer Chain, or in the bulletin? Please contact the office at 365-2241 or email office@ourladylakeozark.org. Names will be listed for one month unless the office is notified that continued prayer is needed.

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PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

GRADES K-6 EVERY WEDNESDAY 5:15 – 6:30 PM*	Oct 13 Oct 20 Oct 27	Your children are busy at PSR! Some learned the Guardian Angel Prayer, some about St Micheal and learned to sing, “Jesus loves me.” I hope all these bring back your own memories!
GRADES 7-8 ALTERNATING WEDNESDAYS 6:00 – 7:30 PM*	Oct 13 (See Note) Oct 20 Nov 3 Nov 17	All 7th and 8th grade students and families are invited to attend Fields of Faith at Osage High School, October 13 from 7-8 at the football stadium. Students may also be dropped off; they can check in with Mrs. Blevins and sit with her or join the students in the track bleachers. This is a wonderful event for students led by students from varying dominations. Mark your calendar now! -Grade 8 is working on Moral Decision Making! Whew, that is tough at any age. Ask God to help you through this process and He will be there for you.
HIGH SCHOOL GRADES 9-12 WEDNESDAYS SEE CALENDAR DATES 6:30 – 8:00 PM*	Oct 13 (See Note) Oct 27 Nov 10	-- NO CLASS OCT 13: FIELDS OF FAITH AT SOTO HS We would love to meet all of you soon! Sports and activities are important to all of us, but make time for God, too. Even if you can't be at class, you can actively participate! Call Vicki at 417-846-3134 for details! -We are exploring the big question of, “Is it reasonable to believe in God?”
PARENTS	PSR Fees DUE NOW PLEASE! -One child \$25 More than one \$45	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>CLOSELY READ THE LETTER BELOW</u></p> MOMS: We have a few openings for the Women’s Welcome Retreat on Oct 23-24. Two days are dedicated to developing a support network and community of faithful women who often experience similar family and work situations. Our faith is our best weapon in overcoming all obstacles and experiencing the love of God on a daily basis! Call Vicki at 417-856-3134 or the office at 573-365-2241 for a registration form! Call SOON!

NOTES FROM VICKI

Dear Parents:

Over the last three years, we have gotten to know each other fairly well through PSR and church activities. I come to you now as a teacher, a program leader, a mother and a grandmother. Our children are gifts from The Lord Himself and our sole purpose in life is to love and protect them; making them disciples of Christ and leading them in faith. This responsibility is a grave one we all gladly accept!

Each year we are required to present the program Teaching Safe Boundaries that the Catholic Church has developed for the faithful. The purpose of the program is to educate everyone, not just children, about those who would intentionally harm them. It covers the protection of all vulnerable people such as handicapped, autistic, nursing home residents and others unable to protect themselves, like children.

Over thirteen years as a VIRTUS Facilitator, I have conducted live training sessions for both our diocese and the Springfield-Cape Girardeau diocese. In all my experience, I have yet to conduct a session without someone asking for help or support in a current situation. This tells me that many abuses are going undetected.

Here is the simple truth:

1. People who would sexually harm or abuse others are mentally ill. Period.
2. Perpetrators are patient and sometimes take years to groom their victims to desensitize them.
3. The vast majority of perpetrators and pedophiles are known to their victims.
3. Awareness of unsafe situations and behaviors can prevent abuse
5. Teaching Safe Boundaries will take 30 minutes or less.

YOU are your child’s primary educator, and as such, the information contained in this program is something you should be involved in presenting to them. In the past, your child’s teacher has presented the Program in PSR. Frankly, it should come from you.

<https://diojeffcity.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/01/Teaching-Boundaries-and-Safety-Guide-English.pdf>

This link will take you directly to the materials on the Diocese website. There will also be copies of the teaching handouts available in the Fellowship Area after Masses. The material is easy to follow and much effort has gone into making it as digestible as possible.

Education is the best prevention, and thirty minutes of time is all it will take. I do ask that you send a quick email to virsik12@gmail.com, or call me at 417-846-3134 to let me know you have completed the training at home. I can then report the number of families from our parish who choose to participate. Nothing would be more pleasing than reporting to Bishop McKnight 100% participation! Also as parents, you certainly have the right to opt out completely from presenting this program if circumstances within your family would make it difficult.

If you are hesitant about talking to your family, I am at your service to set up a personal session with your family or a group of families. However, parents must be present with their children. Call me soon to set up a date. God Be With You and Those You Love!

Bulletin announcements should be into the office by Wednesday at 4:00 PM for publication in that weekend’s bulletin.