



## OUR LADY OF THE LAKE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Sunday, October 15, 2023  
28th Sunday in 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 14	5:00 pm	Paul & Earline Distler	Vigil Mass
Sunday	October 15	8:00 am	Parishioners	Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday	October 15	10:00 am	Shafer Gross	Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Domingo	Octubre 15	6:00 pm	Tom Chapman	Vigésimo Octavo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario
Monday	October 16	No Mass		
Tuesday	October 17	8:00 am	Jim & Helen Herron	St. Ignatius
Wednesday	October 18	5:30 pm	Poor Souls in Purgatory	St. Luke
Thursday	October 19	8:00 am	SI-Tom Achey	North American Martyrs
Friday	October 20	8:00 am	Fred Imhoff	Weekday Mass
Saturday	October 21	5:00 pm	John & Dorothy Heinz	Vigil Mass
Sunday	October 22	8:00 am	Parishioners	Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday	October 22	10:00 am	SI-Alice Hand	Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Domingo	Octubre 22	6:00 pm	Leo & Mary Burke	Vigésimo Noveno Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

#### Pastor

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

### 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 those who have experienced trauma in their lives; may the Holy Spirit, comforter of hearts, heal their wounds and may the Church, like a loving mother, show the way to justice and wholeness.

Por aquellos que han experimentado trauma en sus vidas, para que el Espíritu Santo, consolador de los corazones, sane sus heridas, y para que la Iglesia, como madre amorosa, muestre el camino hacia la justicia y la plenitud.

### LIVE STREAMING

Mass is streamed at 10:00 AM on Sunday 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 16**  
OFFICE CLOSED

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 17**

Mass in Chapel | 8:00 am  
Rosary | 8:30 am  
Grateful Living | 10:00 am  
Staff Meeting(Office Closed) | 1:00 pm  
Finance Meeting | 4:00 pm  
Welcome Meeting (L) | 5:30 pm  
Welcome Continuation (FH) | 5:30 pm  
K of C Rosary/Meeting | 6:30 pm

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18**

Wednesday Workshop | 9:00 am  
Mass in Church | 5:30 pm  
Family Faith Form. Class | 5:30-7pm  
Stump the Pastor | 6:00 pm

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19**

Mass in Chapel | 8:00 am  
Fellowship Breakfast | 8:30 am

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20**

Mass in Chapel | 8:00 am  
Adoration in Chapel | 8:30 am - 2:00 pm

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21**

Reconciliation | 4:00 pm  
Mass in Church | 5:00 pm

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22**

Mass in Church | 8:00 am  
Rosary | 9:30 am  
Mass in Church & Online | 10:00 am  
Misa en la Iglesia | 6:00 pm

# From the Pastor's Desk:

Twenty-eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our life with God is often referred to as a banquet, luscious and plentiful. The Lord always provides for us, and, Jesus, the Bread of Life, sustains us on our pilgrim journey to Him. As in any invitation or relationship, we have the free will to accept or reject our place at the banquet. The Lord calls us to nourishment, and we can choose whether to be satisfied by Him. Shall we find our satisfaction with the world's good or from the Eternal Good, God Himself, who invites us into His company at the Banquet of Life? May we choose the Good and always seek to be nourished and satisfied by Him. ~ Fr. Penn

## PARISHIONER NEWS

### DONUTS! DONUTS!

#### Today is the Day!!

There will be donuts, bagels, coffee, juice and milk after the 8:00 and 10:00 Masses. Hope to see you there! Help support our youth going to NCYC!



We pray for the repose of the soul of our sister in Christ, June Berhorst, sister of Charlie Cassmeyer

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

#### ATTENTION LECTORS!!!

If you would like a new lector book, they can be found in the Welcome Center in the Fellowship Hall or you can stop in the office during our regular office hours.

## STEWARDSHIP

Chair: Gay Ann Christy



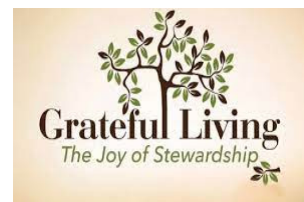
**"As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stewards of God's varied grace"**  
(1 Peter 4:10).

### 2023 Catholic Stewardship Renewal: Dates will be changing

Unfortunately, the publisher of our Catholic Stewardship Renewal (CSR) Packets is running behind schedule. We will keep you updated, and the CSR packets will be mailed to you as soon as they are received. Once the packets are received, we will adjust the dates of our 2023 Catholic Stewardship Renewal and let you know when to return your Time & Talent form and your Tithing Commitment form.

Thank you for your patience, please continue to pray about your commitment to stewardship.

**Want to be more involved? Want to discuss an opportunity to join the Stewardship Commission?** Contact Gay Ann Christy by email at [gayannchristy@gmail.com](mailto:gayannchristy@gmail.com) or cell phone at 573-280-9192.



### Grateful Living

Session 2 will be hosted again from October 23 through December 2. Be sure to connect with your Grateful Living Small Group Host to determine the best schedule for your small group. We are so excited to journey through the last 6 chapters just in time to begin Advent.

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](http://ourladylake.diojeffcity.org) and click the Donate Now button on the top bar to sign up.

## SOCIAL CONCERNS

Chair: Deacon Jim Hankins

### HOPE HOUSE

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

Food related items ONLY.

Paper or Plastic Bags are needed.

**Egg Cartons are NO longer needed!**

Donations for October 8th  
40 Cans & 17 Misc.  
2 Lg Bags of Bags

We **CANNOT** accept clothes or home items here at the church.

Please take donations for the thrift store directly to Hope House, 40 Lakeland Rd, Lake Ozark.

More info:

[www.hopehouseofmillercounty.org](http://www.hopehouseofmillercounty.org)

To Volunteer Contact:

Annette Miller @ 573-280-7244

Bring your CAN to Church.



Support the Hope House Food Pantry

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

#### HOPE HOUSE THRIFT STORE

NEXT OLOL DAYS: October 23, 26, 27, 28 and 30. Contact me if you join us! We welcome all those interested!

Hope House needs Our Lady of the Lake volunteers to assist at the front register and also around the thrift store.

If you enjoy people and working in a Christian environment, Hope House will prove to be a fulfilling experience!

Contact Karen Blevins if seeking further information and let her know which day or days you can assist: 573-291-1363.

### BOOK CLUB

The Our Lady of the Lake Book Club next meeting will be: Monday, November 13th at 6:00 pm in the Church Fellowship Hall.



We will be discussing the book,

*The Department of Sensitive Crimes*

by

Alexander McCall Smith

ALL ARE WELCOMED!

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



JOY IN JESUS  
NOVEMBER 4-5, 2023

LADIES!!!  
Join us for the  
Women's Welcome Weekend!

This is a joyful journey of faith and friendship for all women of our parish, not just those who are new to Our Lady of the Lake.

A full day on Saturday, returning on Sunday for Mass followed by a partial day. This is not an overnight.

Registration forms are on the wall in the fellowship hall, or you may contact the office at 573-365-2241.

"Welcome is an experience that helps you discover what's missing in your life, and what to do about it."

-Matthew Kelly

The Cursillo logo features a stylized cross with a blue and white design. To the right of the cross, the word 'CURSILLO' is written in large, colorful, outlined letters. The background is a colorful, abstract pattern of lines.

#80 Women's Weekend  
October 19 - 22, 2023,  
St. Joseph Retreat Center,  
Edina, MO

Check out the website:

<https://diojeffcity.org/cursillo/>.

If you are interested in attending either weekend, contact Kelly in the office to get a registration form and sponsor.



**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, university, trade school, 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 qualified applicants.

Criteria and applications will be available on the website and in the office on Tuesday, October 10th. They should be turned in by **November 30th**. Grants will be awarded in the second semester.

**OCTOBER 17TH PRAYER & FASTING FOR PEACE**



The Most Reverend W. Shawn McKnight, Bishop of Jefferson City, is asking all parishes and Catholics to join in a global day of prayer and fasting for peace on Tuesday, Oct. 17.

All in the Diocese of Jefferson City are asked to participate by fasting, praying for peace and abstaining from eating meat.

The urgent call for this day of prayer and fasting was originated by Cardinal Pierbattista Pizzaballa, the Latin Patriarch of Jerusalem. Cardinal Pizzaballa is also asking for Catholics to participate in Eucharistic adoration and to pray the Rosary.

“Only in this way we can draw the strength and serenity needed to endure these hard times, by turning to Him, in prayer and intercession, to implore and cry out to God amidst this anguish,” said Cardinal Pizzaballa in his statement.

**FAMILY FAITH FORMATION CORNER**

**Stump the Pastor**

Guess what fun event is coming up...Stump the Pastor is scheduled for this Wednesday, October 18 after 5:30 Mass in Fellowship Hall. We had quite a lively group with last month’s debut. Let’s see if we can top the attendance this time around. I challenge you to test Father with some really good questions. There were a number of great questions coming from the Youth Group last month. You parents should be proud!!

**Family Faith Formation**

Wednesday, November 1 is All Saints Day and a Holy Day of Obligation. I would ask that each family discuss what saint they would like to be the “Family Patron Saint”. If you as a family would put together a poster or write out a couple of paragraphs explaining why you chose that saint, it would be a great event to share with the whole FFF group. All parishioners are invited to participate as well. We will not have regular class that evening. This event will be following the 5:30 Mass that evening. We will gather in Fellowship Hall. There will be treats!!

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

- October 15—Donut Sunday. Please help support our youth that will be attending NCYC.
- Monday, October 16—Grades 7-12 Hope House from 9:00-12:00.
- Wednesday, October 18—Stump the Pastor after 5:30 Mass.
- November 1—All Saints Day celebration following 5:30 Mass. Select a “Family Patron Saint” and share with the group why your family chose that saint.

If you have any questions or comments, please don’t hesitate to contact me at the parish office (573) 365-2241 ext. 4 or on my cell phone (816) 210-8223.... Michele Haggerty, DRE.

**O.C.I.A. ORDER OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS**

Jesus sent His disciples out to spread the Good News! We are also asked to give His message to others. One way we do this is through the O.C.I.A. (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults). You can share the Good News by telling those you may know who are interested in our faith and encouraging them to join the inquiry group this fall.

“Let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice” (Psalm 105:3).

O.C.I.A. (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) is the process in which adults study the Catholic faith, and if they desire, they become full, active, participating members of the Catholic Church. Weekly meetings are held to discuss scripture, our relationship with God, and much, much more.

For more information, please contact Father Penn.



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

## WORSHIP COMMISSION

Chair: Karri Brauman

### LITURGICAL ROLES FOR NEXT WEEKEND

	Saturday 5:00 PM	Sunday 8:00 AM	Sunday 10:00 AM
Mass Coord.	Tony Otto	Joan Wolf	Joan Wolf
Reader	Laura Nelson	Mary Scarlett	Maria Davis
Eucharistic Ministers	Kay Boyd Barbara Hemreck Jenn Otto Marilee Pualter	Ann Wallace Paulette Spriggs Ken Gray	Zuzan Stipanitz Pam Scherer Susan Andres Marlene Matyshak
Greeter/ Usher	Steve Konuch George Parise Jay Bukalski David Kneeter	Elaine Tracy Gary Hecktor Lorraine Harrison Mary Dorge	Stephanie Koch Rick Meyerpeter Diane Elia Vicki Irsik
Streamer			Michael Stipanitz

All liturgical assistants should sign in the book in Fellowship Hall prior to Mass: Greeter/Ushers 30 minutes prior, Extraordinary Ministers no later than 5 minutes prior. Mass Coordinators are instructed to fill any open spots at these times. Thank you for all your help participating in celebrating the Eucharist.

### PRAYERS NEEDED

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

Arlene Kelly, Pat Caswell, Vickie Gross, Catherine VanGogh, Gary McCullen, Amanda Imhoff, Lexi Vandermierden, Dr. Clem Haggerty, Gunther Skaletz, Bob Friedewald, Theresa Stiers, Bob & Kitty Bagby.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Contact: Ken Gray



[ourladylake.diojeffcity.org/knights-of-columbus/](http://ourladylake.diojeffcity.org/knights-of-columbus/)

### LADIES AUXILIARY

Contact: Theresa Brown

We will be putting together snack bags for the kids attending NCYC in November. There are 28 students attending. Please bring a snack to our October 17th meeting to put into the bags.

We are participating in the Operation Christmas Child program again this year. If you'd like a shoebox to fill, please let Karen Blevins or Theresa Brown know. We will have the shoeboxes available at our October meeting.

If you are interested in being a member, please contact President Theresa Brown at [aunttt8309@sbcglobal.net](mailto:aunttt8309@sbcglobal.net) or 417-425-5185.

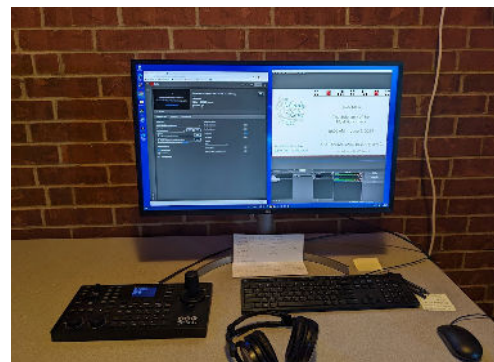


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### LIVE STREAMERS NEEDED

We are in need of people who would like to assist with live streaming our 10 am Mass. You must be good with computers and be at least high school age or older.

Please contact Karri Brauman or the office.



### PRAYERS FOR THE MILITARY



Please pray for our active duty military members:

Logan Rackers  
U. S. Air Force  
Commander Christopher Boehm  
Navy  
Sergeant Major Christopher Metz  
Army  
Private Christian Fisher  
Marine Corps

If you have a family member who is an active duty service member and you would like them listed here, please contact Joan in the office.

*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*

SCAM ALERT!

### PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!!

Father Penn will NEVER ask for a favor via email or text. He would talk to you in person if he needs anything. He also will never ask for gift cards of any kind. Please be extra careful as a many parishioners have already been contacted.

Are you or a family member ill, in the hospital, or in hospice and would like in the bulletin for prayers needed? Please contact the office. Names will be listed for one month unless the office is notified otherwise.

# Desde el escritorio del pastor

*Vigésimo Octavo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario*

A menudo nos referimos a nuestra vida con Dios como un banquete, delicioso y abundante. El Señor siempre nos provee y Jesús, el Pan de Vida, nos sostiene en nuestro peregrinaje hacia Él. Como en toda invitación o relación, tenemos libre albedrío para aceptar o rechazar nuestro lugar en el banquete. El Señor nos llama a recibir alimento y podemos elegir si queremos ser satisfechos por Él. ¿Encontraremos nuestra satisfacción en el bien del mundo o en el Bien Eterno, Dios mismo, que nos invita a Su compañía en el Banquete de la Vida? Que elijamos el Bien y busquemos siempre ser nutridos y satisfechos por Él. ~ Padre Penn

## RETIRO DE CRECIMIENTO

### Escuela Sacred Heart, Sedalia (18 y 19 de noviembre)

Este retiro es para mujeres y hombres que ya vivieron el retiro de vida en el Espíritu. Es una experiencia de fortalecimiento y reencuentro con Jesús para renovar su compromiso bautismal. Así, los participantes pueden contribuir de una manera más comprometida en la misión de la Iglesia comparando sus dones y talentos en sus comunidades. Para más información contacte a Ilsi Palacios al (316) 530-1004 o por correo electrónico a ComiteDiocesanoRCCH@gmail.com.

## ORACIONES NECESARIAS

Que depositen su confianza y seguridad en el Señor Jesucristo:

Arlene Kelly, Pat Caswell, Vickie Gross, Amanda Imhoff, Lexi Vandermierden, Gary McCullen, Catherine VanGogh, Dr. Clem Haggerty, Gunther Skaletz, Bob Friedewald, Theresa Stiers, Ashley Howerton, Bob & Kitty Bagby.

¿Está usted o un miembro de su familia enfermo, en el hospital o en un hospicio y desea recibir en el boletín las oraciones necesarias? Comuníquese con la oficina. Los nombres se incluirán en la lista durante un mes, a menos que se notifique lo contrario a la oficina.

## RINCÓN DE FORMACIÓN EN LA FE FAMILIAR

### Preguntas para el sacerdote

Adivina qué evento divertido se avecina... Stump the Pastor está programado para este miércoles 18 de octubre después de la misa de las 5:30 en Fellowship Hall. Tuvimos un grupo bastante animado con el debut del mes pasado. Veamos si podemos superar la asistencia esta vez. Te desafío a que pruebes a Padre con algunas preguntas realmente buenas. El mes pasado surgieron varias preguntas interesantes del grupo de jóvenes. ¡¡Ustedes padres deberían estar orgullosos!!

### Formación de fe familiar

El miércoles 1 de noviembre es el Día de Todos los Santos y Día Santo de Obligación. Yo pediría que cada familia discuta qué santo les gustaría que fuera el "Santo Patrón de la Familia". Si ustedes como familia armaran un cartel o escribieran un par de párrafos explicando por qué eligieron ese santo, sería un gran evento para compartir con todo el grupo FFF. Todos los feligreses están invitados a participar también. Esa noche no tendremos clases regulares. Este evento será después de la Misa de las 5:30 esa noche. Nos reuniremos en el Fellowship Hall. ¡¡Habrà delicias!!

### PRÓXIMOS EVENTOS

15 de octubre: Domingo de donas. Ayude a apoyar a nuestros jóvenes que asistirán a NCYC.

Lunes 16 de octubre: Hope House para grados 7 a 12, de 9:00 a 12:00.

Miércoles 18 de octubre—Stump the Pastor después de la Misa de las 5:30.

1 de noviembre: Celebración del Día de Todos los Santos después de la Misa de las 5:30. Seleccione un "Santo Patrón de la Familia" y comparta con el grupo por qué su familia eligió ese santo.

Si tiene alguna pregunta o comentario, no dude en comunicarse conmigo a la oficina parroquial (573) 365-2241 ext. 4 o en mi celular (816) 210-8223.... Michele Haggerty, DRE.



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