



St. Mary Catholic Church



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April 28, 2024 Fifth Sunday of Easter

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday 5 PM
Sunday 8 AM St. Mary
10 AM St. Joseph
Tuesday & Thursday 8:15 AM
Reconciliation Saturday 4-4:45 PM
Or by Appointment

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

April 21, 2024

General Collection: \$1663

CSMA: Pledged: \$6027.50
Received: \$3509.50
Our parish goal for this year's campaign is \$10,984.00. We have reached 55% of our goal.

PARISH INFORMATION

Administrator: Fr. Uriel Salamanca
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Music Director: Rachel Kell
Parish Life Coordinator: Susan Belcher
Parish Secretary: Ellen Quertermous
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Contact information will be provided soon.

Please submit bulletin items to the church office no later than Thursday morning.
Please submit items for the Parish calendar no later than the Thursday before the last Sunday of the month.

GRADUATION MASS



Today we honor our high school graduates. Congratulations to these fine young people. Our prayers and best wishes go with them as they enter their next chapter. May it be awesome!

NO PSR CLASSES TODAY

CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS

Support the Catholic Home Missions Appeal today! Over 40% of dioceses in the United States and its territories are considered mission territories because they are unable to fund essential pastoral activities in their communities. Your support funds religious education, seminary formation, lay ministry training, and other programs that build vibrant faith communities right here in the United States, including our own Belleville Diocese. Please be generous!



BIBLES & BREWS

YOUNG ADULT FELLOWSHIP

Monday April 29 6:30-9PM

With Fr. Joel Seip

Peach Barn Winery & Cafe

560 Chestnut St.

Alto Pass IL



contact sarahkozuszek@yahoo.com with any questions

ANNUAL PRO-LIFE DINNER

WEDNESDAY MAY 1 5:30 PM

NEWMAN CENTER

715 S. Washington St. Carbondale

\$20 Donation for Adults, High School and College Students Free
Fr. Joel Seipp will be the keynote speaker. Proceeds and all additional donations will be split between St. Anne's Cradle of Hope and Clarity Women's Care.

Please RSVP with the number attending in your party by April 29.
(618)529-3311. Tickets available at the door.

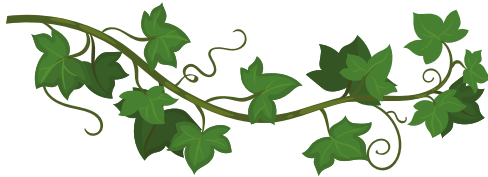


VOCATION CORNER

The word 'vocation' comes from the Latin word 'vocare', which means "to call". Everyone has a vocation, a calling, and all vocations come with their unique challenges. It may be as a mother or father in raising successful and faith-filled children, as a priest in striving to serve the needs of his parish, or as a religious brother or sister in working in a community of service and prayer.

In our Gospel today, we hear the story of the Vine and the Branches, and we are challenged to answer the question, "How is God calling me to bear fruit in my life?"

Listen quietly...



FROM THE MESSENGER

The Messenger will publish the High School Graduation Supplement May 23, 2024. Included in the special section will be a list of all Catholic high school graduates in the diocese.

Please indicate to the church office whether you would like your graduate recognized before May 1.

Memorial Day is fast approaching, and we hope to do a related story. If anyone in your parish has a story to tell about a friend or relative who died in war, send your information to David Wilhelm at editor@bellevillemessenger.org.

We also print the names of military service members who were killed in action (WWII onward) in The Messenger. Please send that person's name, military branch, rank if it is known, and the war in which they served and died.

In addition, we would like to include a list of military service people who are presently serving in harm's way, asking for prayers for their safe return home.

Please submit the information to The Messenger or the church office by May 1.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday April 27: Larry Lovell
Sunday April 28: Diana Perry
Tuesday April 30: Richard Pommier
Thursday May 2: Kathryn Halter
Saturday May 4: Jason Lovell
Sunday May 5: Ellen Dern

WORD OF LIFE



"Virgin of Guadalupe, Patroness of unborn children, we implore your intercession for every child at risk of abortion. ... Guide our public officials to defend each and every human life through just laws. Inspire us all to bring our faith into public life, to speak for those who have no voice. We ask this in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ, who is Love and Mercy itself. Amen."

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, "A Prayer to Our Lady of Guadalupe"

Intercession:

For elected officials:

May they work to protect human life from conception to natural death;

We pray to the Lord

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday April 27:

Lector: Jackie Beatty

Eucharistic Ministers: Susan Hoyle, Paul Cairatti, Joe Wendling

Sunday April 28:

Lector: Cole Kaufman

Servers: Liam Hale & Nick Hannan

Eucharistic Ministers: Jackie Beatty, Jim Poletti, Ellen Quertermous

Saturday May 4:

Lector: Cathy Belcher

Eucharistic Ministers: Paul Cairatti, Amy Ulrich, Joe Wendling

Sunday May 5:

Lector: Ellen Quertermous

Servers: Kendall Sweitzer, Nathan Brumleve, Logan Brumleve

Eucharistic Ministers: Susan Belcher, Mary Ellen Ecker, Jordan Jansen



*St. Mary Church
Honors Our Graduates
2024*

Congratulations! We're proud of you!



Liam Patrick Hale

Liam is the son of Caleb and Theresa Hale. He graduates from Anna-Jonesboro Community High School. He plans to attend Southern Illinois University and study cybersecurity.

Nicholas Ryan Hannan

Nicholas is the son of Ryan and Ashley Hannan. He graduates from Anna-Jonesboro Community High School. He plans to attend Shawnee Community College and then Murray State University to pursue a degree in Occupational Safety and Health.



Cole Evan Kaufman

Cole is the son of Brad and Kristin Kaufman. He graduates from Meridian High School. He plans to attend college to become certified to teach Physical Education.

Best wishes for a bright future.