



**June 25, 2017
12th Sunday of
Ordinary Time**

In lieu of my normal bulletin article, I had asked that Father Manny share a few words here as this will be his final weekend with us at S. Jude's. I want to express my profound gratitude for all that he has done for us as a parish. He has been a delight to live with as we have the privilege of serving all of you in your journey of faith. Please join me in promising Father Manny of our prayers for him, that as he transitions to his new parish, the Lord will bless him abundantly as he shares the blessing of his life and ministry with his new flock.

-Father Alford

THANK YOU! *Words are not enough to express my sincere thanks to everyone: to God for giving me an opportunity to serve Him through His people; to Rev. Fr. Alford, my pastor for trusting me as his parochial vicar; and to all the parishioners for the warm hospitality, kindness, and generosity. I am grateful also for all the kind words and best wishes as I move to my new place of ministry. Rest assured my prayers to all of you. Please do me a favor, to include me in your prayers once in a while. Don't forget to smile every day because "God loves a cheerful giver."*

- Fr. Manny Cuizon

SCRIPTURE READINGS: June 25th – July 2nd

Sunday:	JER 20:10-13	ROM 5:12-15
		MT 10:26-33
Monday:	GN 12:1-9	MT 7:1-5
Tuesday:	GN 13:2, 5-18	MT 7:6, 12-14
Wednesday:	GN 15:1-12, 17-18	MT 7:15-20
Thursday:	Solemnity of Ss. Peter & Paul	
	ACTS 12:1-11	2TM 4:6-8, 17-18
		MT 16:13-19
Friday:	GN 17:1, 9-10, 15-22	MT 8:1-4
Saturday:	GN 8:1-15	MT 8:5-17
Sunday:	2KGS 4:8-11, 14-16A	ROM 6:3-4, 8-11
		MT 10:37-42

**In case of an emergency,
call 217-498-9197, choose option 2.**

Anointing of the Sick:

If you are going into the hospital for surgery or have a serious illness, receive the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick. Please call the parish office to receive the Sacrament, administered privately or during daily Mass. Call Barb Scoggins at 217-498-9197 to have a family member placed on the prayer list.



Prayer List:

Joyce Hogan, parishioner
Evelyn Conboy, parishioner
Andrew Lacy, son of David & Kelly Lacy
Rachel Copp, parishioner
Jim Hundley, husband of Elaine Hundley
Tracy Medler, sister of Chuck Kuntzman
Tony Magro, Sr., father of Tony Magro Jr.
Jack Zucco, son of Marc & Carrie Zucco
Jim & Mary Kates, parishioners
Len Howard, parishioner
Harold Sheppard, parishioner
David Laub, parishioner
JoAnn Camille, parishioner
Betty & Ray Rowden, parishioners
Nick Riordan, cousin of Amy Zack
Jerry Wessling, father of Peggy Gunter
Steven Butts, brother of Michelle Bullock
Mary Ann Midden, mother of Kathleen Quinn
Reba Cloyd, mother of Anita Schwab
Ray Roth Sr., father of Deacon Ray Roth
Jim Reiser, father of Kevin Reiser
Joanne O'Connor, sister of Ginger Rentschler
F. Ray Camille, brother-in-law of JoAnn Camille
Jennifer Harbeck, cousin of Brad Zack
Fr. John Sohm, Retired Priest
Elizabeth Moose, friend of Barb Scoggins
Joanna Laabs, wife of Deacon Al Laabs
Madeline Conant, friend of Laurie White
Joe Hittler, nephew of Sarah Clare



In observation of the July 4th Holiday, the parish office will be closed Monday and Tuesday, July 3rd & 4th. Have a safe Independence Day!

Mass will be at 7:30 a.m. on July 3rd, with no 5:30 p.m. mass or confessions that day.

HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK!!!

The † symbolizes the Mass is someone who is deceased.

Saturday, June 24th

3:45 p Confessions
 4:30p **Mass** (Int: Ken Feraris, Sr.†)
Farewell Potluck Dinner for Fr. Manny following Mass

Sunday, June 25th

7:30 a **Confessions**
 8:00 a **Mass** (Int: For the Parish)
 9:30 a Wyndcrest: Fr. Alford
 9:45 a **Confessions**
 10:00 a **Rosary**
 10:30 a **Mass** (Int: Fred Bartlett†)
Reception after both Masses for Fr. Manny

Monday, June 26th

9:00 a **Counting Team #4**
 5:00 p Confessions/Reconciliation
 5:30 p **Mass** (Int: Mary Long-for health)

Tuesday, June 27th

7:00 a Morning Prayer
 7:30 a **Mass** (Int: Limper/Engeling Families)
 8:00 a Scriptural Rosary

Wednesday, June 28th

7:00 a Morning Prayer
 7:30 a **Mass** (Int: Lorraine Blasko†)
 8:00 a Scriptural Rosary

Thursday, June 29th

7:00 a Morning Prayer
 7:30 a **Mass** (Int: All Souls†)
 8:00 a Scriptural Rosary
 6:30 p **RCIA**

Friday, June 30th

7:00 a Morning Prayer
 7:30 a **Mass** (Int: Thomas O'Connor Sr.†)
 8:00 a Scriptural Rosary

Saturday, July 1st

10:00 a Cullen Baptism
 3:45 p Confessions
 4:30p **Mass** (Int: David Sendejas†)
 Welcome reception for Fr. Adam following Mass

Sunday, July 2nd

7:30 a **Confessions**
 8:00 a **Mass** (Int: Brandis Family)
 9:30 a Wyndcrest: Fr. Alford
 9:45 a **Confessions**
 10:00 a **Rosary**
 10:30 a **Mass** (Int: For the Parish)
 Welcome reception for Fr. Adam following both Masses

Parish Sacrificial Giving Fiscal Year 7/1/16-6/30/17

	Last Week	Year to Date
Collection (92)	\$ 3,892.10	\$266,178.87
Electronic funds (1)	\$ 200.00	\$ 52,344.10
Bldg. Dev. Fund (3)	\$ 50.00	\$ 13,870.00
EFT – Dev. Fund (0)	\$ 0.00	\$ 8,351.00
Poor Fund	\$ 21.00	\$ 3,385.66
Children's Stewardship (3)	3.00	\$ 70.30
Calvary Cemetery (1)	\$ 20.00	\$ 1,051.00
Pentecost (4)	\$ 42.00	\$ 1,761.80
Peter's Pence (1)	\$ 5.00	\$ 157.00
Mission Co-op (3)	\$ 45.00	\$ 413.00
Number of collection envelopes used:	104	
Number of electronic contributions:	1	

LITURGICAL MINISTERS:

Saturday, July 1st – 4:30 p.m.

Euch. Min.: Fr. Alford, Fr. Adam, Thull, Deacon Tom
Lectors: Blumhorst, Day
Servers: Gladson, Long, Jr., Sommer
Hospitality: Egizio, V Walker, A & D Urbanckas

Sunday, July 2nd – 8:00 a.m.

Euch. Min.: Fr. Alford, Fr. Adam, J & N Calvert
Lectors: Helling, Nelson
Servers: C & M Fairbanks, R McClintock
Hospitality: G & K Park, R & B Yong

Sunday, July 2nd – 10:30 a.m.

Euch. Min.: Fr. Alford, Fr. Adam, Livengood Warren
Lectors: Kerley, Kohlrus,
Servers: G, K, J Petty
Minister of Care: J & N Calvert
Hospitality: Decker Family
CLOW: Kohlrus

Volunteer for this week: June 26th – July 2nd:

Church Dusters: Dianne Felts
Recycling Vol. June: John Fox
June Food Volunteer: Steve & Debra Decker
Coffee & Donuts: Sun, July 2nd:
 Lenna DeGroot & Leanne Collings

Called & Sent

Are you a high school aged Catholic this fall?
 Consider joining Father Alford and his team at the Villa Maria on Lake Springfield for a week (July 9-14) of growing in your Catholic faith in a fun and interactive setting with other teenagers from throughout the diocese. Check out the website for more information: <http://www.dio.org/vocations/cas>

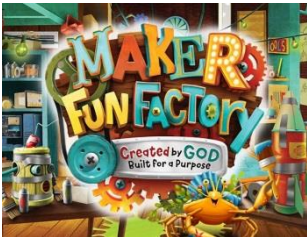
Upcoming Parish Meeting/Events:

Sat., June 24 5:30 pm Farewell Potluck Dinner
Sun., June 25 Receptions for Fr. Manny after
Both Masses
Thurs, June 29 6:30 RCIA
Sat., July 1 5:30 pm Reception for Fr. Adam
Sun., July 2 Receptions for Fr. Adam after
Both Masses
Mon., July 3 Parish Office closed
Tues., July 4 Parish Office closed
Sat., July 8 1:00 pm Sew-n-Sews
Mon., July 10 2:00 pm Fishes & Loaves Team 2
Wed., July 12 1:00 pm Ladies Tea/Bunco

→PSR NEWS←

Have you registered for the 2017-18 PSR classes?

Now is the time to register for next year's classes.
Please contact Frances Tomashavich for
registration information by calling the parish office
(498-9197) or email ftomashavich@stjude.dio.org.



It's SIGN UP TIME for Maker Fun Factory VBS!

If your child is entering kindergarten through the 5th grade, here's your chance to bring them to an experience of church that will fire up their spirit and make them want to come each night. As is our custom, our parish VBS takes place during the final full week of July. This year VBS runs Sunday, July 23rd through Thursday, July 27th from 6:00pm to 8:30pm at the Parish Center. To register, visit <https://vbspro.events/p/stjudevbs> which will take you to the on-line registration page. The cost will stay the same so please mail or bring in \$10 per child or \$20 for two or more children. We won't be ordering T-shirts this year. For any other questions contact Frances Tomashavich @ the parish office ext. 105.

ROCHESTER CHURCH SOFTBALL LEAGUE



Our schedule for next Sunday, July 2: **No Games** due to the Sparks in the Park Independence Day Festival.

Any men, women, or high school students interested in playing can sign up in the back of the Church or contact Barry Houmes at 971-1631. Adult players (over 18 years of age) must have attended a Protecting God's Children session.

Rock the Rotunda for Religious Freedom



Join Bishop Thomas John Paprocki at the Illinois State Capitol Rotunda on Wednesday, June 28th at noon.

The speaker will be Hillary E. Byrnes, Asst. General Council for the USCCB in Washington, DC. Bring a brown bag lunch and enjoy music by Michael James Mette. This is free and open to the public. Sponsored by the Diocese of Springfield in Illinois, and funded by ACSA.

Help Wanted!

St. Jude Parish Liturgy Ministries could use your help! We are in need of more people for Hospitality, particularly for the 10:30 a.m. Sunday Mass, and more people for the Children's Liturgy of the Word (CLOW). If you are interested in volunteering, we offer on the job training. All adult volunteers (18 years of age and older) must have attended a Protecting God's Children Session. Please contact the parish office (498-9197).

Welcome Fr. Adam Prichard!



On July 1st, Fr. Adam Prichard will begin his work with St. Jude Parish as Parochial Vicar. Please join us in the Parish Center as we welcome him after the Masses the weekend of July 1st & 2nd. Cookies will be served following the 4:30 p.m. mass, and donuts will be served following the 8:00 a.m. and the 10:30 a.m. masses.

Father-Son Holiness Adventure and Pilgrimage July 13 – 15, 2017

Join Bishop Paprocki, Msgr. Hoefler and Fr. Thompson. Young men ages 13-18 and their fathers (grandfathers, uncles & brothers can accompany their grandsons, nephews or brothers, too) are invited on this three-day pilgrimage and adventure trip where we will play paintball, eat a Brazilian steakhouse and go kayaking. Participants will learn how to respond more profoundly to their baptismal call to holiness in community with other courageous men. Reserve your spot today! <http://www.dio.org/familylife/events.html>

Considering Catholic Education for your family? Look into Little Flower Grade School, on Stevenson Drive near South Sixth St., Springfield, located close to the I-55 & I-72 interchange. We currently enroll students from Springfield, Chatham, Rochester, Taylorville, Virden, Glenarm, Riverton, Girard, Illiopolis, New Berlin, Tovey, Sherman, Auburn and Mechanicsburg!

Full-day Preschoolers and students in gr. K-8 learn in a faith-based environment, with a 21st century curriculum. Students compete in school sports programs and academic extracurricular activities. **Student-teacher ratio is 18:1. Tuition rates have NOT increased for the 2017-18 school year. Visit our website for complete details – www.little-flower.org . Call today for a tour** and see what Little Flower can offer your family (217-529-4511).

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Belleville/Springfield Encounter

“Nothing is concealed that will not be revealed, nor secret that will not be known.” Experience increased trust and intimacy in your marriage by working through a WorldWide Marriage Encounter Weekend on August 4-6, 2017. To register or for more information, call 314-649-7317 or go online to www.stl-wwme.org .

12 Day Pilgrimage to the Holy Land and Jordan

Under the Spiritual guidance of Fr. Dean Probst, a trip to the Holy Land and Jordan (thru Holylands Arts) is available. The trip will be from November 5-17, 2017. For those interested, information is available on the Church bulletin board or in the parish office.

Pilgrimage to Poland with Prague August 2017

On this pilgrimage through Poland led by a Catholic priest, you will discover this country's deep faith. You will be immersed in moments that will build your devotion as you travel the homeland of the beloved Saints Pope John Paul II, Faustina & Maximillian Kolbe. Then, get to know traditional Czech culture in Prague, known as the Golden City, and attend Holy Mass in the presence of the miraculous Infant of Prague. For information and brochure: call 217-793-3733 or tourwithpi@gmail.com . Perfect Impressions Cruises & Tours

July 4th Mass of Remembrance



Start your celebration of our nation's freedom with the Mass of Remembrance in Honor of Veterans. Proudly provided by the Bishop McNicholas Catholic War Veterans Post 1916 and the Staab Family, Mass will begin at 10:00 a.m. on July 4th at Oak Ridge Cemetery, south of Lincoln's Tomb. Please bring lawn chairs for your comfort. In the case of rain, Mass will be held at the Oak Ridge Cemetery Chapel. For more information, call 528-6461.

RECYCLING CANS FOR ST. PATRICK SCHOOL



Don't forget to save your aluminum cans, bag them and bring them to the brown wooden box at the front of the Parish Center. Volunteers take them in to the Recycling Center and all monies are donated to St. Patrick School!



FOR ST. MARTIN DePORRES

Each Sunday you are invited to bring non-perishable food items to mass and place them in the baskets as you enter the Church. All food is taken to St. Martin dePorres Center in Springfield to help their great mission to feed the poor and hungry. Volunteers take the food in weekly to the Center.

Pre-Jordan Class.

Your child's baptism is a time for celebration and joy. And, naturally, you want the best for your child. We want to help you plan and prepare for the baptism in the best possible way. Please call or e-mail Deacon Tom at 498-8651 or twalker@stjude.dio.org to inquire about the next Pre-Jordan class.



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