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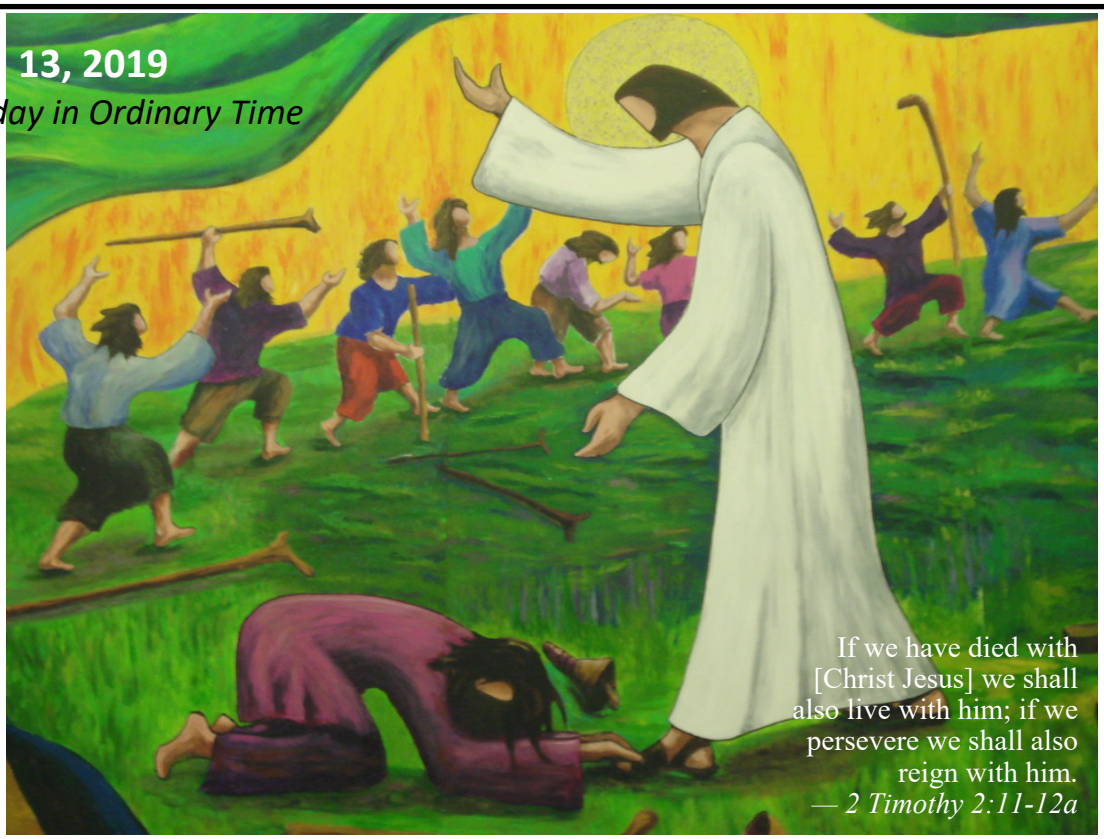
October 13, 2019
28th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Mission Statement

The Catholic Community of Saint Stephen Cathedral serves as the Mother Church for the Diocese of Owensboro to welcome, evangelize, and worship in the name of Jesus Christ.

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saint Stephen Cathedral

Monday-Friday: 7:00AM and 12:05PM
Saturday: 9:00AM and 5:00PM (SUNDAY VIGIL)
Sunday: 7:00AM 9:00AM and 11:00AM
Holy Days: 7:00AM and 12NOON

Blessed Sacrament Chapel (602 Sycamore St)

Sunday: 10:00AM (Holy Days: 6:00PM)

Membership in Parish:

We give a hearty welcome to all new families moving into our parish. Please register in the Office as soon as possible. Those who plan to move from our parish community are requested to inform us.

Bulletin Material Deadline:

Friday, 8:00AM, in writing, ten days in advance of publication. Deadline firm. Earlier deadline applies when holidays occur.

SACRAMENTS:

Baptism:

Baptisms are usually celebrated during one of the regularly scheduled Masses. Parents are encouraged to call the parish office before the birth of their child to make an appoint-ment for instructions.

Marriage:

Couples wishing to share their lives with one another in sacramental Marriage are asked to call the Office for an appointment with one of the priests. We suggest the first appointment must be scheduled nine (9) months before the proposed date of marriage.

Reconciliation:

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated communally two times a year, during Advent and Lent. Other oppor-tunities for reconciliation are Saturdays from 9:30-11:30AM and 4:30-5:30PM on the Thursday before First Friday, and by appointment.

STEWARDS for the WEEK of OCTOBER 19/20, 2019
The TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY in Ordinary Time

5:00PM VIGIL MASS
SACRISTAN: Laurie Hicks
Altar Servers: Lindsey Warren, Jacob Warren
Lectors: Bill Goetz, Garry Pierce
Minister of the Host: Laurie Hicks, Kathryn Warren, Scott Warren
Minister of the Cup: Sue Gough, Denise Payne, *OPEN*, Sr. Monica Seaton
Minister of Hospitality: Abby Baughman, Kara Baughman, Molly Baughman, Nadine Higdon, Lisa Kyle, Janice Walker

7:00AM MASS
SACRISTAN: TBD
Altar Servers: *OPEN, volunteer now*
Lectors: Rita Roberson, Bob Stone
Minister of the Host: Nancy Hendricks
Minister of the Cup: LaWanna Brand, Vickie Davis
Minister of Hospitality: Logan Lanham, Jim Marold, Thomas Smiley, Mike Wade

9:00AM MASS
SACRISTAN: Sr. Consolata Ojemeh
Altar Servers: Michael Sullivan, Noah Knoop, Max Knoop
Lectors: Donna Murphy, Mike Sullivan
Minister of the Host: Sharon Bell, Sr. Consolata, Ben Rhodes
Minister of the Cup: Jacob Fischer, Jade Flaherty, Charlie Payne, Luke Payne
Minister of Hospitality: Briley/Jacob Breeden, Dana Breeden, Lewis Breeden, Richard Flaherty, Barry Hearth, Windy Kretman

11:00AM MASS
SACRISTAN: Debra Sikes
Altar Servers: Michael Calhoun, Jack Calhoun, Katie Calhoun
Lectors: Jennifer Welch, Margaret Windl3e
Minister of the Host: John Calhoun, Debra Sikes, Robin Tomes
Minister of the Cup: Brenda Clark, Tanja Wells-Walker, Bill Wright, Shannon Wright
Minister of Hospitality: Shanna Ballard, Mark Howard, Rhonda Troutman, Janie Moseley, Katherine Grace Moseley, Jim Murphy

Pastor's Corner

II. Insiders and Outsiders: "And one of the lepers, realizing he had been healed, returned glorifying God in a loud voice, and he fell at the feet of Jesus and thanked Him" (Luke 17:11-19). If we, like that leper, realize as we travel through life, that God has spontaneously reached out with healing and forgiveness, and has raised us to the dignity of children in God's household—and indeed that has already happened—what other prayer need we say but, "Thank You?" Can we name a moment when we felt like an outsider and experienced Jesus' healing words? Is that something about which we need to give thanks? In turn, who are the outsiders whom we must welcome into our lives and our community?

I. Annual Disciples Response Fund (DRF): If you are registered at a parish in our Diocese, you have probably received a letter from Bishop Medley asking for support of the Disciples Response Fund annual appeal. The good works funded by the DRF appeal deserve our support, including youth & young adult ministries, parish grants, charitable works, faith enrichment, and clergy and seminarian formation. This year our target goal is $26,000, which is the same target as last year. Once our parish exceeds the target goal in DRF contributions, 50% of that surplus will be returned to our parish to be used as we choose. Our parish received a rebate of just over $9,400 from your generosity of last year's DRF. We have made excellent use of the rebate, including a donation for computer and technology improvements to our parish Saint Vincent de Paul conference to help them better serve those in need, as well as a donation to VOCARE to support vocations, priesthood, and religious life. The theme for the appeal this year is "A Community of Faith." I continue to be humbled by the prayers, generosity, and service of the Saint Stephen Cathedral faith community! Thank you for your prayerful consideration, and I ask you to be as generous as you can. Your donation makes a difference.

III. Baptized and Sent: *The Church of Christ on Mission in the World*: we will celebrate World Mission Sunday on October 20, 2019. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe, where priests, religious and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities. Please keep these missions in your prayers and be generous in next week's collection for the Society for the Propagation of the Faith. We are missionaries in a universal missionary church! http://www.usccb.org/about/national-collections/wms-resources.cfm

IV. Fed to the Lions: Saint Ignatius of Antioch (c. 37-107), an apostolic father and possible disciple of John the Evangelist, served the community of Antioch as bishop. Living during the anti-Christian reign of Roman emperor Trajan, he was sentenced to be fed to the animals in the Roman Colosseum because he would not engage in the worship of idols. His journey to Rome was marked by extensive writing in which he composed seven letters, as he was bound in chains and "carted" through seven towns, to create fear in "followers of the Way." These letters, directed to various churches, emphasized the humanity ***and*** divinity of Christ, the centrality of Eucharist, and the importance of Church unity. We celebrate his feast on Thursday, October 17. I invite you to our 7:00am or 12:05 (noon) Mass.

V. My Favorite Writer of Good News! Saint Luke the Evangelist (first century) is traditionally known as the author of the Gospel that bears his name as well as the Acts of the Apostles. Luke was a gentile from Antioch in Syria, and his roots show both in his writing style and in his sympathetic treatment of gentiles in the gospel that bears his name. Luke accompanied Paul on some of his evangelizing journeys, and he stayed with Paul while he is in prison in Rome. Some sources claim he was martyred, but it is thought that he died an old man of natural causes. A tradition states that he was the first icon painter, and the black Madonna of Częstochowa is attributed to him. His symbol is an ox or bull because the Lukan Gospel begins with Zachariah, the father of John the Baptist, offering a sacrifice in the temple. Luke, patron of Artists and Physicians, is my favorite Scripture writer! Why not give thanks by celebrating Mass (7:00am or 12:05, noon) on his feast day, Friday, October 18.

Please Pray for all the Sick†

Harry Baumgarten
Larry Bishop
Juanita Brown
Richard/Mary Ann Clouse
Ruth Ann Cureton
Vickie Davis
Grace Medley Ebelhar
Jean Fulkerson
Sally Halbig
Mary Horn
Barbara Huff
Colene Jennings
Frank/Theresa Jones
Josanna Lamastus
Wilma/James McManaway
Margaret O. Mills
Donna Montalvo
JoAnn Moore
Lucy Neal
Joyce Payne
Dorothy Reynolds
Iona Simon
Louise Thompson
Rita Ward
Joan Wells
Margaret Whittinghill
Robert Wiekel
Carrie Wieder
Florence Wieder

Sick Family and Friends

Jackie Ballard, friend of Fr. Jerry Riney; Bill Booth, husband of Patty Booth; Virginia Curry, mother of Deacon Dirck Curry; Brooke Ferris, daughter of Jackie Mattingly; Jerry Hagan, brother of Sharlene Hatfield; Tim Harley, uncle of Troy Mills; Shirley Kelley, mother of Karen Tomes; Dan Kramer, brother-in-law of Beni Howell; Charlotte Landers, mother of Russell Vaughn; Cathy Leonard, sister of Ruth Ann Carrico; John and Sue Mudd, brother-in-law and sister of Sharlene Hatfield; Patricia Murphy, mother of Bob (Lynn) Stone; Leona Rogdier, sister of Norma Axley; Dianne Taylor; Gordon Tomes, brother of Randy Tomes; Darlene Wead, friend of Jackie Mattingly; Paul Duke Windsor, brother of Alison Serey.

Names in bold are those currently in the hospital, under nursing care, or have had surgery recently. Names will be ROTATED off these lists every SIX WEEKS unless a parishioner calls and extends the prayer request.

PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS IN NURSING HOMES

Carmel Home—Juanita Clark, Mary C. Kelley, Beverly Emmick, Agatha Lindemann, Helen Miles, Margie Hill, Bertha Horrell, Sister Catherine Shoenborn, Rose Bender, Dr. Carroll and Margie Howard, Regina Lewis. **Owensboro Center**—Margaret (Rosie)Whittinghill. **Heritage Place**—Maury Schaefer, Sr., Jackie Abshier. **Hermitage Manor**—Mary Ann Calhoun, Mary Jo Schadler, Vincent Wink. **Hillcrest**—George Collignon, Hallie Lott, Wilma McManaway. **One Park Place**—Kay Meisenhelder, Francoise Grant. **Twin Rivers** —Elizabeth Finch. **Fern Terrace** —Sarah Welborn, Gary Ashworth, Robert Danhauer, Freddie Payne, Betty Wimsatt. **Wellington Parc**—Joe Rhodes, Dick Flaherty.

PRAYING FOR THE DECEASED

Please pray for those who have recently died, especially ***Charles "Boots" Norris, former parishioner and Byron Woodward, friend of Pat Baker.***

Please remember to pray for those who are dying.
*(Please call the **office** when there is a death in your family.)*

St. Vincent de Paul Diocesan Council of Owensboro

—hosts 1st annual Power of the Purse "Women Helping Women" Silent Auction and Gala, **November 1st** AT 7PM AT The Bluegrass Museum in Owensboro. This is St. Vincent de Paul's signature fundraiser. Make a measurable difference in the lives of women within the Diocese of Owensboro. Tickets are $50 each.

Contact nancygharris@yahoo.com or 270/315-5747 to purchase tickets or for more information.

DIOCESAN DISCIPLES RESPONSE FUND

October 19-20th is Disciples Response Fund Sunday. We will be presenting the Bishop's remarks and distributing envelopes for families who have not yet responded. Every parish in the Diocese has benefitted from the Disciple's Response Fund. Our parish goals were not increased this year, so please be as generous as you can. Thank you!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR PARISH MEMBERS

Parish Birthdays from October 13-19

Happy Belated Birthday to Larry Taylor and Joe Harris! Sherry Ballard, Dean Behnke, Sydney Bertram, Sam Booth, Howard Brown, Vince Carrico, Joshua Foster, Barbara Fowler, Alison Grant, Christie Hagan, Molly Head, Margie Hill, Jodi Ivey, Max Kurtz, Meghan Kyle, Carl Lewis, Creek Matthews-Simon, Patrick Padgett, Kenneth Payne, Kevin Payne, Catherine Ray, Sister Monica Seaton, Matt Steele, Jason Toth, Vickie Warren, Mike Weafer, Patty Wilkerson, William Wright

THIS WEEK'S WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

We are pleased to wish those couples celebrating their Wedding Anniversary a very happy and blessed day.

October 13—Matt and Jessica Weafer, 13 years
October 13—Aaron and Hayden Morris, 1 year
October 15—Daniel and Emily Evans, 8 years
October 17—Michael and Janice Scherm, 38 years
October 18—Mark and Rita Heinz, 39 years
October 18—Jeff and Edna Murphey, 33 years

Daughters of Isabella Bunco Party and Raffle

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Hall
Thursday, October 24, 2019—10:00 AM - 2:00 PM
$8.00 includes lunch
All are welcome to come and have a good time

Financial Update: October 5/6

Weekly & Month-to-Date Collections: $26,125.71
Weekly & Month-to-Date Budget: $20,770.00
Weekly & Month-to-date +/-: $5,355.71

Year-to-Date Collections: $280,969.77
Year-to-Date Budget: $290,780.00
Year-to-Date +/-: **(-$9,810.23)**

Great News! Have you heard? Space is still available, it's not too late!

The Cathedral Preschool is now offering **After School Care** for students enrolled at the preschool! Cathedral Preschool has been serving families with children 3, 4 and 5-years old since 1986. We are a loving, learning center where your child will be enriched and engaged in preparation for kindergarten. You don't want to miss out on attending our 5-STAR school. Call us today at (270) 926-1652 for a tour or to get additional information about registration. A few openings remaining for the 2019-2020 school year.

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Sacrament NEWS

Sacrament of Confirmation
There will be a **Parent/Confirmandi meeting on Wednesday October 16 in the Community Center at 6 PM** (there was a misprint in the letters that went out on the date and time) Here at Saint Stephen, we Confirmation is traditionally received in the 8th Grade. As a reminder, Confirmation Preparation is a 2 year process – students need to be enrolled in either Faith Formation either through the parish or the school the year prior to receiving the Sacrament. If you have any questions regarding Sacramental Preparation, please contact Crissy Stevenson

Sacrament of Baptism Preparation
Baptism Preparations sessions are offered once a month to prepare parents for this memorable and sacred Sacrament. Completion of the two-hour session is required before the Baptism is scheduled, even if this is not your first child. First-time parents are encouraged to attend Baptism Prep before your child's arrival; your example of faith begins the moment the child is born. The next Baptism Preparation session is on Monday, October 21 at 6:00 PM in the Youth House. ***Please contact Crissy at the Parish Office to reserve your spot for the October session***.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

Baptized and sent

We are Baptized and Sent! Next week is World Mission Sunday, October 20, in a special Extraordinary Missionary Month. We are called through our baptism to be part of the Church's missionary efforts, through prayer, self-sacrifice and support of missionary vocations through material aid. Remembering that we are baptized and sent as a Universal Church of Christ on mission in the world, we can. . . . PRAY for the Church's worldwide missionary work OFFER financial HELP and CHARITY through The Society for the Propagation of the Faith for vulnerable communities throughout Asia, Africa, Latin America and the Pacific Islands.

Rosary Coast to Coast

Come join us THIS Sunday, October 13th, at 3:00pm in joining our voices to God, for the protection of America, and our Holy Mother Church. Please join your voices with thousands of other Americans, and the many other nations as well, as we pray for the protection of America, and our church. This year you can attend one of these three local churches to pray the rosary together, the Carmel Home Chapel, St. Anthony's in Utica (Brown's Valley), or at Immaculate Church in Owensboro.

To learn more, please visit http://rosarycoasttocoast.com/.

NOTHING BUT GOD

I need nothing but God, and to lose myself in the heart of God. —St. Margaret Mary Alacoque

Are you having surgery? Please call the office and we will arrange for you to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick during 7:00 a.m. or 12:05 p.m. weekday Mass the day before your procedure.

Cooler weather has arrived, and we are feeling the transformation to autumn. It's a season that traditionally focuses on giving thanks; the secular reminders are beginning all around us in stores, on television, and on social media. But as disciples—as Christian stewards—we are called to give thanks all year through. We are called to give back to God, with grateful hearts, a generous portion of the many blessings we receive.

In early November, as is our tradition at Saint Stephen Cathedral, we will be asked to pray to discern our offerings of time, talent, and treasure to our parish for the coming year. ***Why does our parish ask for an annual renewal?*** Renewals give us the opportunity to examine our blessings and make prayerful decisions about our commitments of financial support and volunteer service in parish ministry for the coming year.

Praying. Consider the role of prayer in your life. ***Do I give thanks each day for my blessings? Am I willing to make prayer a daily priority? Am I too busy to pray?***

Giving. A decision about our annual (Sunday) giving to our parish should be made prayerfully and according to our means. Financial offerings should be sacrificial ***(does it pinch a little?),*** proportionate ***(does it adequately reflect a measure of our financial blessings?),*** planned ***(does it involve making advance decisions?)***, free ***(is our gift unconditional?)***, and a prayer ***(is it an expression of gratitude to God?)***.

Serving. Using our talents and skills wisely glorifies God, the Giver of all gifts. Though different from those of others, we are all given gifts and talents to share. To discern how to best offer your talents in parish ministry, you might consider: ***What do I do well? What do I enjoy? What do friends and family tell me that I do well? How can I best offer my time and God-given talents?*** Our Ministry Directory provides descriptions of all our parish ministries. There's something for just about everyone!

Featured Ministry Opportunities

- Liturgical volunteers are essential to all of our Masses. We are in need of more Sacristans, Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Altar Servers, and Hospitality Ministers. Pray about serving in a liturgical ministry! Training and ongoing formation are provided.

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Praying. Giving. Serving.

Mass Intentions for the Week

	7:00AM	12:05PM
Mon	Charlotte M. Oberst †	Mary Weisbrook Hagan †
Tues	Jerry Huff †	Wanda Payne †
Wed	Martha Lee Howard †	Merici Millay †
Thu	Ann Vaughan †	Grace Medley Ebelhar
Fri	Katherine Conkright †	Mildred McCarthy †

Sat 9:00AM Kolbe Reffitt

Sunday, October 20

Sat 5:00PM Sr. Fidelis Weise †
Sun 7:00AM **The People of Saint Stephen**
9:00AM Edwin Gard †
11:00AM James E. "Horse" Johnson †

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rom 1:1-7; Ps 98:1-4; Lk 11:29-32
Tuesday: Rom 1:16-25; Ps 19:2-5; Lk 11:37-41
Wednesday: Rom 2:1-11; Ps 62:2-3, 6-7, 9; Lk 11:42-46
Thursday: Rom 3:21-30; Ps 130:1b-6ab; Lk 11:47-54
Friday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b; Ps 145:10-13, 17-18; Lk 10:1-9
Saturday: Rom 4:13, 16-18; Ps 105:6-9, 42-43; Lk 12:8-12
Sunday: Ex 17:8-13; Ps 121:1-8; 2 Tm 3:14 — 4:2; Lk 18:1-8

Annual March for Life in D.C.

The Diocese of Owensboro is in the planning stages of offering an adult and family oriented trip to the 47th Annual March for life in Washington, D.C. on **January 24, 2020** to be the voices for the voiceless unborn and advocate for the sanctity of human life. You are invited to be part of this trip. We depart from Owensboro on Wednesday, January 22, 2020, at 8:00 PM, spend two days in Washington, D.C. at the Hotel where the convention is to be held. While there we plan to go to the Vigil Mass for Life at the National Basilica of the Immaculate Conception the night before the March, attend the March on the 24th, and depart for home on Sunday, January 25th. The estimate for the price per person is $325. A $50 deposit to register is required for the trip on or before October 25, 2019. For more information please contact Deacon Richard Murphy at the Diocese at 270.683.1545.

Rachel's Vineyard—Healing After Abortion

Come join us for a weekend of emotional healing and spiritual renewal. Rachel's Vineyard offers post-abortion healing retreats for women & men who are suffering from the lingering effects after abortion. **The next retreat is November 8-10, 2019 in the Owensboro area**. Contact Wendy by cell: (707) 287-5911 or email: wendyc@hopeafterabortionky.com. Visit http://hopeafterabortionky.com.

The Week Ahead

Sunday, October 13—28th SUNDAY in Ordinary Time
Masses at 7:00AM, 9:00AM 11:00AM; Pss IV
CHILD CARE, 9:00AM, Preschool Building
Children's Liturgy of the Word, 9:00AM
NO FAITH FORMATION (Fall Break)
Youth Ministry, grades 7-12, 6:30PM, Movie Night, Youth House

Monday, October 14—Weekday
Saint Callistus I, Pope, Martyr
Daily Mass at 7:00AM and 12:05PM; Pss IV
Rosary, 7:30AM

Tuesday, October 15—Saint Teresa of Jesus (Avila), Virgin, Doctor of the Church
Daily Mass at 7:00AM and 12:05PM; Pss IV
Rosary, 7:30AM
Hermitage Mass, 10:00AM
Vespers, 5:30PM, Church

Wednesday, October 16—Weekday
Saint Hedwig, Religious
Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque, Virgin
Daily Mass at 7:00AM and 12:05PM; Pss IV
Rosary, 7:30AM
RCIA, 6PM, McRaith Catholic Center (basement)
Choir Practice, 6:00PM, Church
CONFIRMATION PARENT/STUDENT Meeting, 6:00PM, Community Center

Thursday, October 17—Saint Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop, Martyr
Daily Mass at 7:00AM and 12:05PM; Pss IV
Rosary, 7:30AM
Scripture Study, 10:30AM, Office, Emmaus Room
Vespers, 5:30PM, Church

Friday, October 18—SAINT LUKE, EVANGELIST
Daily Mass at 7:00AM and 12:05PM
Rosary, 7:30AM
Miller/Riney Wedding Rehearsal, 5:30PM, Church

Saturday, October 19—Saints John de Brébeuf and Isaac Jogues, Priests; and Companions, Martyrs
TMIY, That Man Is You! 7:00-8:30AM, Community Center
Daily Mass at 9:00AM; Pss IV
Confessions, 9:30-11:30AM, Church
Evening Mass (Vigil) for Sunday, Church, 5:00PM; Pss I
Miller/Riney Wedding, 6:30PM, Church

Sunday, October 20—29th SUNDAY in Ordinary Time
WORLD MISSION SUNDAY
Masses at 7:00AM, 9:00AM 11:00AM; Pss I
CHILD CARE, 9:00AM, Preschool Building
Children's Liturgy of the Word, 9:00AM
FAITH FORMATION 10:15-11:30AM, Classrooms
SPACE, 1:30-2:30PM, Community Center and Church
Youth Ministry, grades 7/8, 5:00-6:15PM, Youth House
Youth Small Groups, 6:30-8:00PM

Right to Life Banquet | October 17, 2019

The Right to Life Banquet takes place on October 17 at the Owensboro Convention Center. Doors open at 5:30 PM with dinner at 6 PM. Tickets are $50 per person or $400 for a table of eight. Please call 270-685-4922 to reserve your spot.

YOUTH MINISTRY

SAINT STEPHEN CATHEDRAL

This Sunday, October 13: Dinner & a Movie 6-8 PM for Grades 7-12 in the Youth House!
Next Sunday, October 20 – 7-8 Grade Youth meet 5-6:15 PM

NCYC - The National Catholic Youth Conference will take place in Indianapolis from November 21-23. We are blessed to have **6 youth** and **5 adults** from Saint Stephen Cathedral who have answered that call to come together for three days of prayer, song, service, and community as they learn ways to deepen and implement the message of the Gospel into their Faith lives. *We have $1,897 left of our total goal ($3,210) to raise in order to cover the remaining cost of this trip.* Donations can be dropped off at the office or through ***WeShare*** on our parish website. All donations are greatly appreciated! May God reward you for your generosity and investment in the faith and lives of these young men and women of our Cathedral parish family! Your donations will help the Youth of St. Stephen Cathedral to make this pilgrimage of faith!

Divorced and Separated Koinonia

DASK Divorced and Separated Koinonia – John 12:24 –

Still hurting from divorce? Or separated from a spouse? DASK #2(Divorced and Separated Koinonia) is taking place October 25 –27 at Gasper River Retreat Center. DASK is an overnight, spiritual retreat that focuses on the Pascal Mystery—the passion, death, and resurrection—of Jesus and its meaning in each person's life. The retreat begins at 5 PM Friday through approximately 3 PM on Sunday.

Visit OwensboroDiocese.org/DASK for more information and an online registration.

World Mission Sunday Collection on October 20th

Social Concerns Outreach—can you help?

Each year at this time, we collect items for the shelters and for our own food pantry. Please mark your calendars and bring the item listed each week and leave it in church in the baskets at the foot of the altar. Thank you for helping those less fortunate:

October 27, 2019: Backpack Ministry: Ravioli (canned pasta) and individual Mac-n-cheese.

November 3, 2019: Cathedral Soup Kitchen (Pitino Shelter): canned corn, canned green beans, and sugar

November 10, 2019: Crossroads Emergency Shelter for Women: travel size deodorant and shampoo, coffee, toilet paper

November 17, 2019: Help Office: pasta, canned fruit, canned meats (tuna and chicken)

Children's Ministry SAINT STEPHEN CATHEDRAL

Today's Gospel shows us a great example of gratitude. The grateful leper who comes back to show his appreciation to Jesus is a model for how we should live our lives. Showing gratitude is not just for Thanksgiving. We should acknowledge and thank the Lord for the things we are grateful for every day. How do you show your appreciation to God in your daily life? Start a gratitude journal with your kids. Dedicate a notebook for each child and for yourself to write four things you are grateful for every day. This is a great way for your kids to start seeing God work in their lives, and to always have a spirit of thanksgiving for all the Lord has done for them. Happy Sunday!

Check this out! Free for you!

Formed.org will be easier to use then ever. Starting September 9th you will be able to watch content from Formed.org straight to your TV through an app on your smart TV, Roku, Apple TV, Fire Stick and Chromecast. Log in on September 9th to see all the new features.

If you haven't signed up for Formed.org yet, it is free for St. Stephen Cathedral Parishioners. Go to ststephencathedral.formed.org to sign up for your free account.

SAVE THE DATE/TRUNK-OR-TREAT & COAT DRIVE Sunday, October 27, 4:00PM, Saint Stephen Cathedral parking lot. Trunk decorating contest and of course, a Chili Cook-off! We also need gently used or new coats. Call the office to volunteer for this great event. 270/683-6525.

All Souls Vespers
Monday, November 4th, 6PM

Each year, we remember those who have died and were buried from our parish. We also remember the family and friends of our parishioners who have passed away. Please join us for Solemn Vespers for the Dead on Monday, November 4th—we want to help you remember and celebrate the life of your loved one. A reception will follow in the Community Center.

Advertiser of the Week

If you need services, please check the bulletin first.

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BIBLE STUDY

Let sleep find you holding your Bible, and when your head nods let it be resting on a sacred page. —St. Jerome

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Eucharistic Ministers	Tom & Amy Payne	270-686-7739
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Ministers of Hospitality	Donna Tarantino	270-683-6525
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Eucharistic Ministers to the Homebound	Fr. Sinoj Pynadath HGN	270-683-6525
Children's Liturgy	Mary Beth Hurley	270-316-4587
Music Ministries	James Wells	270-683-6525
Art/Environment	Michael Bogdan	270-852-8327

EDUCATION

Christian Initiation/ RCIA	Rick Rhodes	270-683-6525
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"	LaWanna Brand	270-852-8421
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"	Taylor West	270-590-1636
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