

19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

*Truly, you are
the Son of God.*

MATTHEW 14:33



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**DONATIONS**

August 2, 2026

Regular/Loose \$2,881.00
School Support..... \$50.00

Total..... \$2,931.00

Cemetery Fund..... \$489.00
Building Fund \$440.00
Food Pantry \$10.00

Mass Schedule**Saturday, August 8th**

4:00 pm/Madonna & Michael Hettinger

Sunday, August 9th

10:30 am/For the People of the Parishes

Monday, August 10

NO MASS

Tuesday, August 11th

5:30 pm @ St. Joseph

Wednesday, August 12th

8:00 am/Richard Colbert

Thursday, August 13th

8:00 am @ St. Joseph

Friday, August 14th

8:00 am/Jim & Pat Like

Saturday, August 15th

4:00 pm/Patti Castor

Sunday, August 16th

10:30 am/Frances Wood

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES**Saturday, August 8th @4:00 pm Mass**

Lector: Randy Wojan

Ushers: Rick Bates, Dennis Winslow

EMHC: Becky Hand, Beth Hewing

Gifts: Volunteers

Sunday, August 9th @10:30 am Mass

Lector: Linda Hewing

Ushers: Larry Hewing, Mike Miller

EMHC: Larry Hewing, Michele Ducey

Gifts: Volunteers

Money Counters: Carol Miller, Brian Barnes

Hospital Rules

Please note that if you or a loved one are in the hospital and would like the priest to visit, you will have to notify Father directly. Due to the HIPPA laws, the hospital will not notify the priest directly. This also applies to nursing homes and assisted living places. Please call Father Pat at 217-485-1224 if you need to have him come for a visit.

Father Pat's Office Hours

If you would like to speak or meet with Fr. Pat, please call the Rectory at 217-485-1224 or email frpkoneal@yahoo.com

Confession Schedule

Saturday: 3:15-3:45pm Anytime by appointment.
Please call the Rectory 217-485-1224

Prayer Requests

Please remember the following people in your prayers this week: Reese Baird, Nancy Brown-Smith, Mary Humer, Patty Kirby, Frank Norton, Cathryn Pfeffer, Zoey Smith, Jay Warfel, Jeff Holt, Helen Birtcher, Katelyn Humer, Theresa O'Brien, Becky Benson, Debra Bialeschki, Joann Hesselmann-Smith, Robert Smith, Maggie Grimm, Sharon Oakes, Randy Wojan, Madison Riley Houser, Ernie Goode, Joseph William Baird, John Henry Baird, Don Eckstein, Gary Divan, Derick Park, Rick Davis, Marco & Celia, Sandra Novak, Amanda Clark, Jeff Hester, Gavin Holt, Jodi Huebner, Alice Kaufman, Mike Adams, and Bob Bernicky.

ST. THOMAS MORE NEWS**STM Golf Outing**

The High School of St. Thomas More 2026 Memorial Tim Murphy Golf Outing will be held at Lake of the Woods Golf Course on Friday, September 18, 2026. For more information on how to be a sponsor or sign up to golf visit www.hs-stm.org/page/golf. Proceeds will go towards irrigation efforts and upgrades to The High School of St. Thomas More fields and grounds.

STM Job Opportunities

STM is currently seeking applications for a Full Time Special Education Teacher, Head Cheerleading Coach, Assistant Boys Basketball Coach, Girls Tennis Head Coach, Boys Tennis Head Coach, Girls Softball Coach, Part-Time Custodian, and an Athletic Bus Driver. If interested email Sr. M. Bridget at srmbridget@hs-stm.org and John Delaney, Athletic Director at jdelaney@hs-stm.org.

Admissions Application Open for 2026-27

STM is accepting admissions applications for the 2026-2027 school year. Go to www.hs-stm.org and click on the menu in the upper right corner, then "Apply Now" to get started today. Have questions or need help with the application? Contact the Enrollment Office at admissions@hs-stm.org. We hope and pray to welcome you and your child to the Saber family! If you and your student would like a tour of the school, contact Mrs. Yallaly at jyallaly@gmail.com to make an appointment.

SENIOR LUNCHEON

This month's Senior Luncheon will be on Wednesday, August 12th, beginning at 11:30 am.

The theme of the luncheon will be "Luau." Entrees will include pulled pork and pineapple chicken. Attendees are encouraged to wear bright, flowered, Hawaiian shirts.

All age 55 and over are invited to attend and bring a dish to share.

ST. THOMAS SCHOOL PHILO— OPENINGS

Music Teacher Part-Time St. Thomas School is seeking a part-time music teacher! We are happy to work with the teacher to create a schedule that fits both their availability and the school's needs. Responsibilities include teaching music to students in PreK through 5th grade. Experience with or willingness to lead a beginning band program would be a plus.

AfterCare Aides Part-Time St. Thomas School is seeking part-time AfterCare Aides for the 26-27 school year! Hours would be from 2:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. AfterCare staff care for and work with students in a nurturing environment during playtime, homework time, and snack time.

Please contact Mrs. Cothron at 217.684.2309 or jcothron@stthomasphilo.org if you are interested in finding out more about any of the above positions or know of someone that may be interested in applying.

FAREWELL RECEPTION

Join us to wish Fr. Pat well in his new assignment at St. Philomena in Monticello.

On Sunday, August 16th, from 1-3 pm we will have an open house reception, with cake and punch, at the Parish Hall.

All are welcome to attend.

B-I-N-G-O

Catholic Charities BINGO night at the Elks Club in Savoy will be on Saturday, August 29th.

Doors will open at 5 pm with the 10 BINGO games starting at 6pm. The cost is \$30 (\$2 for dauber if you don't have one) Cash Bar

Our Catholic Charities Advisory Board members are gathering prizes for games (\$50 or more in value) plus getting gift baskets to raffle off and providing desserts for a donation.

Parishioners are welcome to contact Diane Ducey, dianeducey@yahoo.com, for more information, if you have any questions, want to donate or sponsor, or get involved with our mission!



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RETREAT AT ST. MATTHEW

The Shalom Catholic Community, together with Our Lady of Aparecida Prayer Group of St. Matthew, invite you to Be Filled on Saturday, September 12, 9:30 AM - 4:00 PM at St. Matthew Parish in Champaign. This charismatic retreat is led by Fr. Cristiano Pinheiro and missionaries from Brooklyn. Be Filled will help you experience the endless love of God who is your Father, and the joy and life-giving power of the Holy Spirit. This retreat will be in English and Portuguese. All ages are welcome, but children must be accompanied by an adult.

Registration is now open through September 4th! A \$30 registration fee includes lunch. Sign up at bit.ly/shalom912.

Prior to the retreat day, there will be three online talks for English speakers to watch and pray with at home that will prepare you for September 12th. More information is available on our website at stmatt.net.

FOOD PANTRY

Reminder—The Food Pantry at St. Patrick's Hall is open on Mondays from 5-6:30 pm and Fridays from 9-10:30 am.