

Pentecost Sunday

“To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good.”

1 CORINTHIANS 12:7

To receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit you must open your heart and invite Him in! Ask the Holy Spirit to guide your thoughts, words and actions every day! Be grateful for all the gifts God has given you! Regardless of our individual circumstances, God has given all of us many blessings. What we do with those gifts is our gift back to God! By generously sharing everything we have and everything we are, we become more “God-centered” and less “self-centered” and our lives truly reflect God’s light, love and mercy.

Ferdinand Trip: Our parish’s annual Mission Trip to the convent in Ferdinand, IN, will be held on July 6-10. Any youth age 12 and above are welcome. Friends, whether Catholic or not, may be invited. There is no cost for participants. Adults are also welcome if they have completed diocesan child protection training. This can now be done online and takes about an hour, however, the State Police background check can take weeks, so that would need to be started soon. For more information or to sign up, call Mark York at 499-3801. **The deadline for registering is May 31.**

Tend My Sheep: Addressing Poverty Through Catholic Social Teaching - Thursdays June 4 -July 30, except for July 23. 10:00-11:30 a.m. CT Facilitated on Zoom by Sr. Elizabeth Greims, DC Registration Cost: Sliding Scale of Participant's Choice of \$45, \$65, or \$85. In a time of deep division and social inequity, this JustFaith Ministries program will return to the foundational principles of our Catholic faith as we discern how we are called to love one another, including and especially our neighbors experiencing poverty. Brief weekly assignments will include Pope Leo's recent encyclical, *Dilexi Te* and resources from the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops. For a more detailed program description and registration, email cchddiobelle@gmail.com.

Coalition Life Circle is the Nation’s Largest 9-Day Public Prayer for Life, a movement uniting believers across America in public, faithful prayer outside, anywhere in the public square. This could be sidewalks outside abortion facilities, or the street corner of the busiest intersection in your town. Learn more about opportunities to pray or lead a circle campaign in your community at: CoalitionLifeCircle.com Sign up to pray June 11th through 19th.

Discernment Float Trip: Step away from the noise of daily life and into something deeper. Single young adult men ages 18 and older are invited to join Fr. Thomas Luge, Fr. Levi James, & Fr. Steven Beatty for a summer retreat June 8th-10th to encounter Christ and His call in the beauty of the outdoors. Spend a few days on the Current River in Missouri while building brotherhood with other men seeking purpose and direction. Please email vocations@diobelle.org for more information.

Graduates: Please provide the Parish Office with the graduate’s name and school of our Parish graduate, college, high school, or 8th grade, who would like to be recognized in the bulletin. You may email, drop note in collection basket or call Parish office.

Congratulations!

Preston Seely 8th grade-Warhorse Christian School in Carmi.

When submitting a donation to the cemetery please specify which cemetery you’re donating to. Please write a separate check for the cemetery donations. This will ensure we use funds according to your intentions. Thank you!

The four church cemeteries are supported by donations, and mowing expenses are a significant expense. Donations through the collection are helpful. The rotation of Memorial Day Mass at the cemetery falls to St Patrick Cemetery, Pond Settlement this year. Mass will be celebrated May 25th at 8 am.

Huge Indoor/Outdoor Flea Market at Benton, IL: Saturday, June 6, 2026, from 8:00 am to 3:00 pm at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 506 West Main St, Benton, Il. Tools, Art, Collectibles, Glassware, Musical Instruments, Appliances, Fabric, White Elephant items, Plants, Yard Art, Furniture, Toys, Holiday Items and much more! 50/50 and Quilt Drawings. Food/Refreshments. Donations accepted though May 29th. For More Information call 618-438-9941 (Ellen Neikes, Church Secretary)/

Your Calendar:

May 25, Monday: Memorial Day Mass-St. Patrick Cemetery at 8:00 a.m.

May 26, Tuesday: St. Kateri Parish Council Meeting beginning with Mass at 6:30 p.m.

May 27, Wednesday: Help Center 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at Equality Parish Hall

May 29, Friday: Adoration after Mass at St. Kateri

May 31, Sunday: L. A. Lambert Knights of Columbus will have a Corporate Communion at St. Kateri 10:30 a.m. Mass. Members are asked to sit together in the reserved pews.

June 3, Wednesday: Knights of Columbus 3rd Degree Meeting at 7:30 p.m. at the Columbus Club in Ridgway

June 5, Friday: Adoration after Mass at St. Kateri

June 10, Wednesday: St. Joseph of the Woods-#3936 KofC Meeting Harrisburg 7:00 p.m.

If anyone has a person that needs a card, please text name and address to Jane Bond 618-313-1817

Care Bears with cards are available in the Narthex for those that are sick or shut in. If you visit someone at home or in the hospital, please take them a bear and note from the parish.

Compassionate Miscarriage Bundles are available for anyone in need. Please contact Emily York 618-841-9076

St. Kateri

Pray for those who are sick or in hospital: Beverly Mills, Jeff Dearmon, Charlie Wargel, Alice Duvall, Tim Duvall, David Schmitt, Ty Hollingsworth, Gregg Drone and Kay Johnson.

St. Joseph

Pray for those who are sick or in hospital: Carolyn Ellis, Susan Williams, Nathan Clark, Filii Tuliao, Steve & Sharon Robbs, Hadley Stowers, Pam & Dickie Pease, Sue Leonberger, Erin Adams, Tom Hirsch, Ronnie & Maryanne Armstrong, Deborah Smoot, Jim Patton, Ken Schimp, Becky Barnard, Sarah Humm, Erin Armstrong, Rusty Cornell, Christy Busler, Janice Downey, Pat Rochford, Dora Kay Warren, Craig Fuller, Miranda Hutchison, Rachel Martin, Tammy Parkinson, Charlie Joyner, David Helmers, Larry Brugger, Jim & Cheryl Thornton, Lori Price, Dewayne Simmons, Jimmy Summers, Gary Carr, Bob Gibbs, Carol Wolf, Regina & Larry Hall, Ricky Williams, Christie Tetford, Peyton Daymon, Steve Hunt, Jerry Humm, Betty Monroe, Mike Carver, David Dunstan, Mike Belford, Danny Sanders, Troy Hirsch, Larry Robinson & Diane Darnell

OUR RETURN GIFTS TO GOD LAST WEEK: Thank you for your generosity.

St. Kateri Parish	(58 Envelopes)
Sunday Envelopes:	\$3630.00
Loose Collection:	\$476.00
Building:	\$125.00
Weekend Snack Pack:	\$100.00
For the Needy:	\$100.00
Seminarian Education:	\$120.00
Catholic Communication Campaign:	\$140.00
St. Mary Cemetery:	\$100.00
St. Joseph Equality Cemetery:	\$110.00
St. Patrick Cemetery:	\$200.00
St. Joseph Ridgway Cemetery:	\$625.00

CSMA GOAL: \$14,971.00
CSMA Collection/Pledges
Totals: \$9399.00

St. Joseph Stewardship weekly budget goal	
(Our weekly goal \$1600.00)	
Sunday Envelopes:	\$415.00
Loose Collection:	\$200.00
Weekly Sunday Envelope Total:	\$615.00

CSMA GOAL: \$4,223.00
CSMA Collection
Totals: \$3765.00

Liturgical Ministers Schedule:

Saturday, May 30, 2026 - St. Kateri
Lector: Ella Lydick
Eucharistic Ministers: Magan Lydick, Jacki Drone
Servers: Norah Lydick, Zac Stanford, Lydia Browning
Greeters: Tom, Leslie Stanford, Nic Stanford

Sunday, May 31, 2026 – St. Kateri
Lector: KC Corporate Communion
Eucharistic Ministers: KC Corporate Communion
Servers: KC Corporate Communion
Greeters: KC Corporate Communion

Sunday, May 31, 2026 - St. Joseph
Lector: Tamera Berger
Eucharistic Ministers: Kim & Sharon Newbold
Ushers: Dempsey Lievers, Gary Gross

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Office Hours:
 Monday through Friday
 8:30am - 12:00pm
 1:00pm - 4:00pm

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 Bishop of the Diocese of Belleville

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Pentecost Sunday
May 23rd, 2026 & May 24th, 2026
Mass Schedule for this week

Saturday	May	23,	5:00 PM	RDWY	Joyce Drone, Don, Phyllis & Peter Drone, June Drone
Sunday	May	24,	8:00 AM	ETWN	Paul Hubbs
Sunday	May	24,	10:30 AM	RDWY	For Our Parish
Monday	May	25,	8:00 AM	St. Patrick Cemetery	St. Patrick Cemetery-Memorial Day
Tuesday	May	26,	6:30 PM	RDWY	Jerry Cain, J.R. & Carolyn Boulds, Judy Atkins
Wednesday	May	27	8:00 AM	RDWY	Delbert & Mary Jo York, Frank Wills, Val Wargel
Thursday	May	28,	6:00 PM	ETWN	For Our Parish
Friday	May	29,	8:00 AM	RDWY	Marion & Theresa Zirkelbach
Saturday	May	30,	5:00 PM	RDWY	For Our Parish
Sunday	May	31,	8:00 AM	ETWN	William Smoot
Sunday	May	31,	10:30 AM	RDWY	Knights of Columbus Deceased Members