



ST. STEPHEN

CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

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OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

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- Music and RCIA**, Scott Goudeau.....130
- Life Teen Band**, Renee Campbell 615-516-2067

RECONCILIATION: Saturdays at 4:00 pm in the Reconciliation Room and by appointment.

INFANT BAPTISM CLASS: For registered members of the parish. Third Tuesday of every month at 7:00pm in the worship space, unless otherwise noted.

MARRIAGE: Contact one of the following: Deacon Hans Toecker, Deacon Tom Samoray, Deacon Steve Molnar, Deacon Paul Taylor, Rev. Pat Kibby or Rev. Emmanuel Dirichukwu (see contact numbers above) at time of engagement.

PRAYER CHAIN: For prayer for yourself or for someone else, call Rosetta at 615-889-9495.

SICK LIST: If you are going into the hospital or are homebound, please call the office, 615-758-2424.

24-HOUR CRISIS HOTLINE: If you are feeling lonely, depressed, overwhelmed, a caring voice is just a phone call away at 615-244-7444, 7 days a week, 24 hours a day.

“The rulers sneered ... the soldiers jeered ... one of the criminals hanging there reviled Jesus.” Is this the King of the Jews, the King of the Universe? If it is so, perhaps his kingdom is not at all what we would expect! In his letter to the laity, St. John Paul II spoke about how Christians share in the kingly mission of Christ. First, *“they exercise their kingship as Christians, above all in the spiritual combat in which they seek to overcome in themselves the kingdom of sin.”* In other words, before we give any thought to transforming society, we must first allow God to transform us. Through daily prayer, regular self-examination, and frequent confession, we can recognize our faults more readily and choose love instead!

Second, St. John Paul II writes that the laity *“make[s] a gift of themselves so as to serve, in justice and in charity, Jesus who is himself present in all his brothers and sisters, above all in the very least.”* Christ’s kingship, and our own participation in it, requires us to look beyond the privileged of society. It goes beyond networking and struggles of power. It goes with Jesus to the Cross!

Still, the kingship of Christ ought to effect society. *“The lay faithful are called to restore to creation all its original value ... ordering creation to the authentic well-being of humanity.”* Jesus does this in a radical way through his death and resurrection. We, too, are invited to bring new life to the world around us. This means holding the world and everything in it as sacred. It means advocating for civil policies that respect life and paying special care to the vulnerable and marginalized in every stage of life. It means being disciples of Jesus, inviting people into authentic love so that one day we will together *“be with [him] in Paradise!”*

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**MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTION SCHEDULE
NOVEMBER 23-DECEMBER 1**

Saturday	5:00pm.....Jack Nimmo
Sunday	8:30am Lisa Waynick
	11:00am John Bacques
	5:00pm..... People of the Community
Monday	8:00am Ron Darling
Tuesday	8:00am Marie Fedler
Wednesday	8:00am Marty Graham, Jr
	6:30pm..... Margaret Grunwald
Thursday	10:00am Alson Young
Friday	8:00am Eddie Sullivan
Saturday	8:00am Tanner Harmon
	5:00pm..... Edward Krueger
Sunday	8:30am Celeste Hamil
	11:00am Eligio Magpantay
	5:00pm..... People of the Community



Registration in the Parish: Forms are available in the office during office hours, in the literature racks in the narthex of the church, or on our website (www.saintstephencommunity.org) and can be filled out and returned electronically.

Sunday Adult Education meets from 9:45-10:45 am. **Monday Group** meets at 9am. Both groups meet in the Multipurpose Room of the Church.

LIFE TEEN All high school age youth of the parish are invited to attend the LIFE TEEN Mass held every Sunday at 5pm followed by LIFE Night in the Multipurpose Room of the Church.

PREP (Parish Religious Education Program) Classes for youth, age 3 through grade 8, are held on Sundays during the school year.

The Nursery is open during Sunday Masses for all children 12 months (and walking) through 3 years, located in the Holy Family Center.

Adult Choir & Children's Choir practices vary according to Mass times. Everyone is invited. Contact: Scott Goudeau.

Christian Initiation (RCIA) and (RCIC) All non-Catholic adults interested in learning about or becoming members of the Catholic Church contact Scott Goudeau. Meets every Thursday at 7:00pm in the Multipurpose Room of the Church. Youth, age 7 or older, contact Connie Blevins.

Catholics Returning Home. "Welcome home!" If you have been away from the Church for awhile and are wondering how to transition back, help is available. Contact Jerry Marcec (630-362-7150 or marcecjj@yahoo.com).

Parent's Day Out. Located at 108 Brookhollow. Call Nancy Otting at 615-754-8432 or email nancyotting@gmail.com for information and availability.

Buddy Break: Respite program for families with children of special needs. 3rd Friday of each month. Email Jill Tzompanakis for more details at ntzom@gmail.com.

AA every Tuesday morning at 7:00am.

Al-Anon meets every Tuesday and Thursday at 12:00 noon in the Lounge of the Holy Family Center. We can help, you are not alone.

Funeral & Bereavement Ministry. Information to share on ways to save on the cost. Pre-planning allows us to establish a personal relationship ahead of time. After the death of a loved one we all need to journey with our grief in order for closure to take place. For questions about Catholic funerals or to pre-plan, call Theresa Bradley at 615-758-2424, Ext. 111.

Financial Report—11-17-19	
Collection figures not available at time of printing.	
Regular Collection	\$
Capital Improvements Debt.....	\$
Monthly Loan Payment.....	\$20,063
Debt Owed.....	\$3,322,784
Income YTD (starting 7/1/19)	\$613,668
Income Last Year.....	\$600,818
Regular Collection (11/10/19).....	\$39,450
Capital Improvements Debt (11/10/10)	\$4,777

FAITH FORMATION



Adult Ed meets on Sunday and Monday. The **Sunday group** will meet on Nov. 24 and discuss the life and contribution of Flannery O'Connor. We will **not meet on Dec. 1.** We will meet on Dec. 8. The **Monday group** will meet on Nov. 25 and discuss Step. 11, p. 93-104. We will meet on Dec. 2 and discuss Step 12, p. 105-117. *The **Sunday group** meets at 9:45am in the Multipurpose Room of the Church. *The **Monday group** meets at 9am in the Multipurpose Room of the Church.

Catholic Basics Wednesday mornings at 8:30am. Join us in Room 100 as we look at the literary forms within the Bible in the book *And God Said What.* **We will not meet on Nov. 27.**

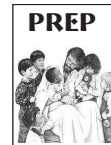
Wednesday Morning Scripture Group from 10am-11:15am in Room 105. We are studying Scripture by looking at the readings used at Mass for the following Sunday. This helps us prepare for the Sunday liturgy in a thoughtful way.

A Time to Seek—chapter-a-day readings: 1 Chron 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29; 2 John 1-13.



This Week: We prepare for the season of waiting and preparation as we talk all things Advent!

Next Week: No Life Night. Happy Thanksgiving!



• St. Stephen Religious Education Thanksgiving/Christmas Project: As Thanksgiving approaches, we pause and give thanks for the abundant blessings God has given us. Believe it or not, we only have a little more than 5 days until Thanksgiving, and only about 5 weeks until Christmas!

• Each Christmas, the Ladies of Charity provide baskets of food for those in need. Our Parish Religious Education Programs will once again be **collecting 1 lb. or larger bags/boxes of cookies for the Ladies of Charity Christmas baskets.** The need this year is anticipated to be at least **600 baskets.** Thanks to the incredible generosity of St. Stephen parishioners, we met our goal last year! Let's do it again! Place your **donations in the large blue totes.** There is one in the Social Hall and another in the entryway of the classroom building. **Drop off your donation anytime between now and Sunday, Dec. 8.** Thank you.

• Children's Christmas Eve Liturgy: All St. Stephen youth, ages 4 years old

through 5th grade are invited to participate in the **Children's Christmas Eve Liturgy on Dec. 24 at 4pm.** Sign ups for your children to participate will be this weekend (Nov. 16-17) and next weekend (Nov. 23-24).

• Participants in the Children's Christmas Eve Liturgy and Parents: Please plan to meet in the Church following the 11am Mass on **Sunday, Dec. 1** to practice.

• No Religious Education Classes (PREP/EDGE/Good Shepherd/5 YO and 3-4-5 Church) will be held on **Sunday, Dec. 1,** in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday. **Classes will resume on Sunday, Dec. 8.**

• Sunday, Dec. 1 is the First Sunday of Advent and also the beginning of the new 2019-2020 Liturgical Year!

Coming Attractions:

• Attention First Reconciliation/First Eucharist Parents: The annual Parents Retreat for those parents whose children are preparing to receive the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Eucharist next Spring is **Friday, Dec. 6 from 7pm to 8:30pm.** Make plans now to attend this retreat and grow more deeply in your own understanding of the Eucharist!

• First Reconciliation will be celebrated on **Mar. 7, 2020,** at 10am in the Church.

• First Eucharist will be celebrated on **Apr. 18, 2020** at the 5pm Mass.

• The Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated at the Catholic Pastoral Center on **Apr. 26, 2020** at 3pm.

• Note: Communication regarding PREP is handled by **emails, website updates, bulletin announcements, postcards, and handouts.** If you are not currently receiving emails, please contact Greg Karn at gkarn@ssccohtn.org to make sure our information is correct.



"...giving thanks to the Father, who has made you fit to share in the inheritance of the holy ones in light." (Colossians 1:12) God

wants us to be happy! Instead of looking at the Ten Commandments as being restrictive and telling us what we can't do, look at them as guides for living a joy-filled and peaceful life. Most of our problems arise when we put our own needs first or spend most of our time trying to acquire "things." Instead, try putting God first in all things. Ask Him how He wants you to use your gifts.

PARISH HIGHLIGHTS

The Church Office will close at noon on Wednesday for the Thanksgiving Holiday and will also be closed Nov. 28-29.



St Stephen Knights of Columbus are hosting the Tom Malone Annual Ice Skating Party the day before Thanksgiving, Wednesday, Nov. 27 from 6:30pm-8:30pm at the Centennial Sportsplex in Centennial Park, 222 25th Ave., in Nashville, just off West End. This event is free and all parishioners are invited (this is not open to the public).

Thanksgiving Day Mass will be at 10am. The offertory collection will go to the Ladies of Charity to help with their Christmas baskets. As is customary on Thanksgiving, we will collect canned and dry goods for the Mt. Juliet Help Center to be placed in front of the altar.

No Thanksgiving Plans? If you are not celebrating with family this year, or just are not up to cooking an entire meal, please join your church family members for a Thanksgiving meal in the Lower Hall of the Holy Family Center at 2 pm on Thursday, Nov. 28. We'll supply the turkey, stuffing, mashed potatoes, gravy and pumpkin pie (and a few other surprises) – you just bring a favorite dish of your choice to share. Please email suecartier@comcast.net with number attending and we'll have your seat ready for you at the table.

Life Teen & Edge Collection for Two Rivers Middle School: Life Teen and Edge will once again be collecting items to pack Snack Saks for students at Two Rivers Middle School whose families are experiencing homelessness or are food insecure. Items will be collected in the large blue tubs in the Social Hall. Please bring in multiples of the following items specifically: pop tarts, cheese crackers, granola bars, snack sized assorted chips. Also, lunch sized packets of the following items: Chef Boyardi, beanie weenies, Vienna sausages, fruit, squeezable applesauce, mac & cheese.

Loaves and Fishes: We will be serving breakfast only on Nov. 30 (the 5th Saturday of November) and 3 volunteers are needed.. Thanks. Use the sign up genius link: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050D48AFAD2B0-loaves6> or contact Tracey Doering at 615-347-9643. Families welcome (no age excluded) and community service hours can be obtained for this time. Meet at Holy Name Church in East Nashville (building behind the church). No open toed shoes please!



Christmas Wishes Tree – Coming Soon! Our Christmas Wishes Tree will be filled with gift request tags benefiting Big Brothers of Mt. Juliet and Haiti Medical Mission needs. Tags will be available starting Saturday, Nov 30. All gifts will need to be returned by Sunday, Dec. 15.



Advent Wreath Workshop Sunday, Dec. 1, 12pm to 2pm in the Social Hall. Celebrate the start of the Advent Season by making an Advent Wreath for your home with fellow parishioners. Cost is \$20 per wreath and all supplies and candles provided. Reservation required so we can plan supplies. Sign-ups after Mass, Nov 23/24. Questions, contact Laura Hooper –

lhooper@tds.net



Advent Adoration and Reconciliation: Each Wednesday during Advent (Dec. 4, 11, 18) from 7pm to 8pm, we will have a Holy Hour of Adoration. During this time, you will also have the opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Christmas Caroling: Ladies, join us for Christmas caroling and offering a little cheer to the residents of Maristone Assisted Living on Dec. 5 at 2pm. We need a few more voices, and if you play a musical instrument, that would be great. Call Linda Johnson at 615-847-4495 to volunteer.

Charity Poker Tournament: No Limit Hold Em Poker - FRIDAY, DEC. 6 - 6:30pm - ??? in the Social Hall. Fee is \$30 and includes: fee for your evening meal and \$4,000 in play chips at no charge. \$20 re-donation during first hour of play. Lots of great prizes will be awarded! Open to the first 80 players who register. Proceeds to benefit the MR Foundation. Contact Mike Porter to register at 615-308-6777 or email mjpknight9282@aol.com.



Breakfast with Santa is Coming! Come enjoy breakfast, crafts, music, games, cookies and a picture with Santa! Santa will arrive at 9am on Saturday, Dec. 7, in the Social Hall and stay until 11am. The breakfast and activities are FREE (donations accepted and appreciated). We are accepting donations of Toys for Kids: small toys, matchbox cars, crayons, pencils, paper, markers, play dough, etc. Any items that would make Christmas brighter for kids who get very little or nothing. Place them in the sleigh by the front door the morning of the breakfast. Thank you!! Select either a seating time of 9am to 9:45am or 10am to 10:45am. Sign-ups will continue through Dec. 3. Sign up for the Breakfast is easy - just go through the St. Stephen Parish App near the top under the "More" option on the front page. Enter the family name, family email address, number of adults attending, number of children attending and which seating you wish to attend. Breakfast with Santa is sponsored by the KC Ladies Auxiliary and Knights of Columbus. Everyone is welcome!



Advent and Christmas Concert presented by the St. Stephen Catholic Community Choir, and the Youth Chorale, Saturday, Dec. 7, 6:15pm, in the Social Hall. Featuring the singers of the St. Stephen choirs, conducted by Carol Orman and Musical Director Scott Goudeau. Come share the joy! Refreshments following the concert.

Christmas Painting Class: Mark your calendars for Tuesday, Dec. 10 at 6:30pm for another painting class with Karen Swint and Keepsakes Co. This class you will choose from a Christmas truck or a snowman design. Cost is \$30. Sign up link with painting choices are on the Parish App.

Baby Bottle Campaign: Thank you for taking a baby bottle home, but now it is time to bring them back so that we can distribute the money to Tennessee Right to Life and Wilson County Right to Life. Both organizations do a lot to defend Life.

Save The Date: Lent 2020 is the date we are resurrecting St. Stephen's FIAT small groups, that's Faith in Action Today! The book we will use is still in the works, but rest assured it will be great! If you were a group leader and wish to reconnect with your group, let me know. If you are new and interested in being a part of this FIAT small group program, let me know! If you have any questions at all, let me know. Stay tuned, more information to come!! Deacon Steve, MOL4@AOL.COM or 615-604-6059.

Eucharist for the Sick: If someone needs the Eucharist brought to a nursing home or their own home, email Deacon Steve Molnar at MOL4@AOL.COM or call the church office.

Young Adults Group: Young adults between the ages of 18-30 are invited to our Young Adults Group! Come grow in your faith on Tuesdays at 7pm. We meet in Room 103B of the Holy Family Center. After each session, we go out for fellowship to get to know each other and to be present to the world. For questions, contact Spenser Lee at 615-727-2221.

Digital Bulletin Service: Parishes Online has undergone some changes to its database. If you get an email copy of the bulletin, you will need to go to the Parishes Online website, follow the instructions, and resubscribe.

K of C Council 9282 Corner: Our Council 9282 will have our Leaders Meeting this Monday evening, Nov 25, at 7pm in the Lounge downstairs in the Holy Family Center. We will also hold our December monthly members only meeting, on Monday evening, Dec 2 in the Social Hall. We begin with a Rosary in the Chapel at 6pm for all who can attend. This month our Knight of Columbus Insurance Agent Stephen Regan, will provide dinner at 6:30pm before the business meeting that begins at 7pm. This is our final Business Meeting in 2019, so hope to see our brother knights there. KCLA members are also invited to join us for the Rosary and dinner on Dec 2. Also, if you know of any brother Knights who are ill or in distress, please let us know by calling or texting me at 615-594-4737. Roch Wegenka – Grand Knight, Council 9282

From the Pro-Life Committee of the Ladies Auxiliary: "Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus." Phillipians 4:6-7



HAPPY THANKSGIVING DAY



Altar Flower Donation

To donate flowers for the altar in memory of a loved one or to remember a special occasion, contact Connie Blevins (615-397-9255).

Mt. Juliet Help Center: Most needed items at the center are: Canned beef stew, conditioner, oatmeal, sugar, spaghetti pasta noodles, shampoo, snacks, crackers, deodorant, bar soap, canned mixed vegetables, canned carrots, canned cream soups.

Explore the roots of our Catholic Faith! The Office of Faith Formation's fall speaker series on *The Fathers of the Church* is open to everyone. Talks are offered both at 10am and repeated at 7pm. Nov. 25: Sr. Anastasia, O.P. Talks are at the Catholic Pastoral Center, 2800 McGavock Pike, Nashville, TN 37214. For more information, contact the Office of Faith Formation faithformation@dioceseofnashville.com or 615-645-9770.

Catholics United For the Arts: Dec. 7 at 2pm, Benefit Event for *40 Days For Life* with *Unplanned*, Screenwriter Barbara Nicolosi and more. Assumption Church, Nashville. <https://www.facebook.com/events/1150965635107837/>; www.CatholicsUnitedForTheArts.com.

Advent by Candlelight, Dec. 1, 5:30pm to 8:30pm, St. Mary of the Seven Sorrows, 330 5th Ave. N., Nashville. A women's evening of reflection sponsored by Regnum Christi Nashville. Free parking in the lot next to the church. Dinner provided, opportunity for confession. **RSVP by Nov. 24:** bridgetsmith9515@gmail.com.

WBOU 100.5 FM, Relevant Radio, Nashville's Catholic radio station. WBOU 100.5 FM is now live streaming online and on your mobile device at: wbou.org. Catholic programs 24 hours a day. Programs are in English during the day and in Spanish from 8pm until 5am.

Alive Grief Support Services offers individual bereavement counseling and grief support groups for adults and children. Anyone can take advantage of these services, regardless of whether a loved one was served by Alive Hospice. Info: 615-963-4732 or www.alivehospice.org.

Camp Marymount Open House, Dec. 15, 1pm to 3pm, 1318 Fairview Blvd., Fairview. Find out information and ask staff questions about attending summer camp. We will have activities such as a hayride thru camp, cookie decorating, and a bonfire to make s'mores. Special offer for new campers. There will be a RAFFLE for 50% off tuition rates (New campers only. Limited to sessions that have openings).

Father Ryan High School News: Placement Tests: The Placement Test for current 8th graders applying for admission to Father Ryan for next Fall will be offered on **Saturday, Dec. 7** with check-in at the Center for the Arts. To register, visit fatherryan.org/

apply.

Pope John Paul II High School News: Grandparents Breakfast: All Current JPII Grandparents ~ please mark your calendars and plan to attend the annual Grandparents Breakfast on **Tuesday, Nov. 26**. Please contact Jo Lind Weaver for details at jolind.weaver@jp2hs.org. **Baseball Hitting Camp, Nov. 29 and 30:** JPII Men's Baseball Coach Chris Parker invites boys, ages 7-14 years old, to its Thanksgiving Hitting Camp. It is located at the baseball diamond on the campus of JPII. Camp will take place "rain or shine." Cost - \$80/player (includes shirt). Pre-register by emailing chris.parker@jp2hs.org. **Boys Lacrosse Clinic, Dec. 7:** JPII Men's Lacrosse coach Pat Kennedy invites boys in 1st - 8th grades to a FREE "3 vs. 3" Lacrosse Clinic. 1st - 4th grades are from 1pm to 2pm. 5th - 8th grades are from 2:15pm to 3:15pm. It is located at the turf stadium on the campus of JPII. This clinic is for beginners through advanced players. For more information, contact pat.kennedy@jp2hs.org. **JPII Accepting Applications:** Parents of 8th grade students who are interested in attending JPII can complete the application process for the 2020-2021 school year right now! We are experiencing a high volume of interested applicants, so act fast. Visit <http://jp2hs.org/admissions/apply/> to begin the application process today.

St. Cecilia Academy News: Schedule Your Day at SCA: It's time to schedule your Day at SCA! Tour the school, spend time in the classroom, and see what it's like to be a St. Cecilia Girl! Contact the Admissions Team at admissions@stcecilia.edu to schedule today! **Christmas Tree Lighting: Dec. 8 from 5pm to 6pm.** Celebrating Advent and the coming of Our Savior at Christmas. Overbrook School and St. Cecilia Academy invite you and your families to ring in the season with a campus Christmas tree lighting celebration. The festivities will begin at 5pm and the evening will conclude with the lighting of the Christmas Tree.



TWO WEEKS AT A GLANCE

Sunday, Nov. 24—Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

- RCIA 9:45am
- PREP 9:45am
- Adult Ed 9:45am
- EDGE 6pm
- Life Teen 6pm
- Walking with Purpose 6pm

Monday, November 25

- Adult Ed 9am
- Rosary 6pm
- Toastmasters 6:45pm
- K of C Officers 7pm
- Life Band 7pm
- Boy Scouts 7pm

Tuesday, November 26

- Legion of Mary 8:30am
- Al Anon 12 noon
- Room in the Inn—UMC 6pm
- Young Adults 6:30pm

Wednesday, November 27

- Church Office Closes at Noon
- Scripture Group 10am
- Prison Ministry Rosary 6pm
- Mass & Adoration 6:30pm-8pm
- Choir 7pm
- Ice Skating Party—Off Campus 6:30pm

Thursday, November 28—Thanksgiving Day

- Church Office Closed
- Mass 10am
- Al Anon 12 noon
- Thanksgiving Dinner 2pm

Friday, November 29

- Church Office Closed

Saturday, November 30

- Reconciliation 4pm

Sunday, Dec. 1—1st Sunday of Advent

- RCIA 9:45am
- Baptism 11am
- Advent Wreath Workshop 12pm
- Walking with Purpose 6pm

Monday, December 2

- Adult Ed 9am
- Rosary 6pm
- K of C & KCLA 7pm
- Life Band 7pm
- Boy Scouts 7pm

Tuesday, December 3

- Legion of Mary 8:30am
- Al Anon 12 noon
- Room in the Inn—St. Stephen 6pm
- Young Adults Group 6:30pm

Wednesday, December 4

- Catholic Basics 8:30am
- Scripture Group 10am
- Prison Ministry Rosary 6pm
- Mass & Adoration 6:30pm-8pm
- Choir 7pm

Thursday, December 5

- Walking with Purpose 8:30am
- Thursday Lunch 11am
- Al Anon 12 noon
- RCIA /RCIC 7pm

Friday, December 6

- K of C Poker Party

Saturday, December 7

- Reconciliation 4pm

10% Donations

The following merchant has offered to donate 10% of your total purchase (excluding alcohol and sales tax) to St. Stephen Life Teen and EDGE on the day listed below to help with funding for Life Teen Summer Camp. Please present the bulletin or flyer at time of purchase.

El OK Corral—First Sunday of the month.



Place a floral order for \$25 or more with Brown's Florist and mention "St. Stephen Capital Improvements" and \$5 will be donated to the St. Stephen Capital Improvements Fund. Valid on walk-in or phone orders. Please contact Rip Beazley, Brown's Florist, 269 W. Main St., Hendersonville, TN. Phone: 615-824-0857 or 615-720-6504 (cell). www.brownsflorist.net.



Call the office to add your/ family member name to the prayer list. Names will be kept on the list until the end of the month. Let us know if we should keep someone on longer. Please inform the office of a loved one's death so they may be added to the deceased prayer list.

Prayers requested for the following: Ross Fine (brother-in-law of Kim Molnar), Diane Jones (cousin of Gail Cantrell), Jan Cason (cousin of Peggy & Charles Waterston), Gino Bosio (brother of John Bosio), Ted Hauser (cousin of Dan & Ellen Dammann), Bill Laurie, Joe Fiato, Marie Chabot (former parishioner), Randle Webber (daughter of Gerald Webber & granddaughter of Judy Webber Crowe), Corinne Roberts (cousin of Chip Harris), Marie Sullivan (mother of Sharon Brown), Maida Soghikian (daughter-in-law of Leon Ring), Kathy Siggins & Lillian Bosquez (sisters of Della Thompson), Sandra Kent (friend of Geana Larson), Bob Dwyer, Debbie Braud (sister-in-law of Teri Bosio & aunt of Angie Bosio), Jackson Funk (friend of Lucretia Baxa), Allen Smith (father of Leigh Anne Hartman), Angela Roberts & baby, Joshua Dill (grandson of Janice Fox), Tina Marcec, Halina Biddle, Cherylle Delaney (sister of Margaret Ingram), Syble Norman, Don Garvie (father of Elizabeth White), Bill Pauly (brother of Burton Pauly), Tracey Dill (daughter of Janice Fox), Fran Parker, Ashley Kelley (friend of Geana Larson), Terry Mansell (friend of Bill & Joan Gunter), Rosie Robinson (friend of Maddy Bennett), Rose Mary Steinmetz (sister of Al & Roberta Steinmetz), Bill Steinmetz (son of Al & Roberta Steinmetz), Lesley Jones (sister of Mark Bailey), Maureen Copeskey, Frieda Thompson (friend of Peggy Waterston), Walter Pope, Pete Harper, Walt Kowalski (brother of Theresa Bradley), Shelby & Carissa, Bev Camper (friend of Sr. Maria), Joan Gunter, Jan-Blaise MacEachern (grandson of Jessica & Kevin Poe), Jim Dooley (brother of Jerry Dooley), Billie Langnau (friend of Carol Dalglish), Tony Groce (friend of Mark Bailey), James Diehl (grandson of Gary & Joanne Rabideau), Pat Reisdorf (friend of Wen & Jerry Marcec), Greg Triplett (father of Andrew Triplett), Charles Louwerse (brother of Suzanne Valimont), Tom Doss, Victoria Burk (niece of Debbie Short), Ted, and Max Joumigan, Derrick Bailey, Ruth Holzwarth, and Margaret Turner (relatives of Renate Plasencia), Angela Young (daughter of Bob Young), Don Farwick (brother of Jan Marks), Ashley Vickers, George Mainville (brother of Betty Micol), Diane Kudrez, Beth Bojanski (niece of Suzanne Valimont), Bishop Mikaelian.

Please remember those who have died, especially: Susan Poindester, Joseph Sydlo, Will Besant (cousin of Connie Blevins), Lynn Loxton (friend of Barb Schultz).

