St. Cletus Catholic Church
Welcoming Christ in the Face of Others
June 4, 2023

PLEASE FIND OUR EXTENSIONS BELOW AFTER DIALING THE MAIN. NUMBER OF: 636-946-6327

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GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD THAT HE GAVE HIS ONLY SON.
—JN 3:16
THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

**Liturgy Schedule and Mass Intentions for the week**

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**Please pray for the sick**

Tina Adams  
Joan Andrzejewski  
Pete Balotti  
Patrick Beckman  
Jerry Belew  
Marnie Boyle  
Sue Brockelmeyer  
Dot Browning  
Carol Buerman  
Harold Buescher  
Butch Carr  
Charlene Carson  
Peaches Conoyer  
Jeff Cook  
Gene Dallas  
Dorothy Davis  
Susan Dauten  
Patty Derhake  
Jim Doyle  
Fred Dyer  
Charli Elliston  
Emelia Emke  
Carole Ermeling  
Deacon Tony Falbo  
Joe Flood  
Margie Fortman  
Randi Gravemann  
Katherine Green  
Ron Haas  
Al Hagedorn  
Michelle Haines  
Bella Herman  
Vi Higgins  
Jason Hoag  
Erin Hogan  
Kelly Hurley  
Jack Kaiman  
Chuck Lammert  
C J Lindner  
Joyce Lumentta  
Liz McCarthy  
Trace Gillam Martin  
Joe Marzaloes  
Lisa Masek  
Rich Meyer  
John Miller  
Norma Miller  
Mary Minton  
Ron Niften  
Keith R. Noah  
Mary Fran Oldani  
Sandra Perry  
Phillip Peters  
Jim Pini  
Dave Raley  
Rita Rast  
Jerry Reese  
Rita Reeves  
Jim Reeves  
Laura Rehagen  
Eric Reinholz  
Kenneth Robinson  
Barbara Roth  
Ed Scagliione  
Elise Scheu  
Sue Schneider  
Tim Schneider  
Mark Schoene  
Jim Schoonover  
Bob Sheils  
Suellen Shuey  
Andy Stoltman, Sr.  
Caron Story  
Samantha T  
Debbie Teson  
Linda Tocco  
Barbara Tuma  
Tom Walsh  
Dorothea Wallace  
Michelle Weinrich  
John Whitener  
Jenny Whitman  
Richard Wieck  
Shelly Wilfong  
Fred Wilkinson  
Mason Wlodarski

**To keep current with our sick list above, please let us know when we need to add or remove anyone. Thank you!**

**From Death to New Life**

*Please pray for the repose of the soul of:*

† Rose Andrzejewski, mother of Karen Sepe, Brian Andrzejewski, Jim Andrzejewski, and grandmother of Alex  
*May her soul rest in our Lord’s eternal embrace.*
As we celebrate the mystery of the Trinity, we also realize the mystery of how much God loves and cares for us each day. Believing in this our lives can then overflow in thanksgiving and praise. Your gift in the St. Vincent de Paul Poor Box (located at the rear of the church in the main aisle), will help the poor to believe in the mystery of God’s love for them.

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ON TRINITY SUNDAY, WE REFLECT ON THREE VERY DIFFERENT WAYS IT IS PRESENT TO US:

**IN THE OTHER:**
All are welcome! And all means ALL!

We extend a special welcome to those who are single, married, divorced, LGBTQ, filthy rich, dirt poor, y no habla Inglés. We offer a special welcome to those who are skinny as a rail, could afford to lose a few pounds, or who have a crying baby. We welcome you if you can sing like Andrea Bocelli, or like our pastor who can’t carry a note in a bucket.

You’re welcome here if you are “just browsing,” just woke up, or just got out of jail. We don’t care if you are more Catholic than the pope or haven’t been to church since little Timmy’s baptism. We extend a special welcome to those who are over 60 but not grown up yet, and teenagers who are growing up way too fast.

We welcome soccer moms, NASCAR dads, starving artists, tree huggers, latte sippers, vegetarians and junk food eaters. We welcome those who are in recovery, and those who are still addicted. We welcome you if you are having problems or are down in the dumps. We’ve been there too. If you blew all your money at the racetrack or you don’t like organized religion, you are welcome here.

We offer a special welcome to those who think the earth is flat, work too hard, don’t work, can’t spell, or came because Grandma is in town and wanted you to go to church. We welcome those who are inked, pierced, or both. We offer a special welcome to those who could use a prayer right now, had religion shoved down your throat as a kid, or thought you were turning onto Highway 94 and wound up here by mistake.

We welcome the flexible, inflexible, the tolerant and intolerant, those who laughed at this welcome as well as those who gasped. We welcome tourists, seekers, doubters, bleeding hearts, and ---- with all our hearts ---- we welcome you!

**IN THE SELF:**
Children seem to get it. They seem to understand that God dwells in their hearts. Of course, if you asked them how they know this they may look at you with a confused look and not know how to respond. But, nonetheless, somehow they do understand that God dwells within them. So what would you say if someone asked you, “How do you know that God comes and makes His dwelling within you?” Perhaps you also may be at a loss for words to describe this incredible mystery of our faith. Do you believe this to be true? That God wants to make your heart and soul His dwelling place? If so, how does this happen?

By the gift of faith, we, like little children, just know that God wants to dwell within us. We know that He wants to possess our souls, speak to us, strengthen us, lead us and guide us. We know, by the gift of faith, that God is real and desires the deepest and most intimate relationship with us. We just know.

The good news is that faith leads to understanding. This means that the more we are attentive to the voice of God speaking within us, leading and guiding us, the more we begin to understand His indwelling presence. As St. Augustine said, “Faith is to believe what you do not see. The reward of faith is to see what you believe.” Faith in God’s indwelling presence leads us to the answer of the question above. The answer is one that God and God alone can give to us. We can share our faith with others, give witness to His presence in our lives, and give those around us the answer to that question through faith. How do I know God dwells within me? The answer: Because I see Him there, I speak to Him there, and He speaks to me.

Reflect, today, upon the Lord living within you. Let Him speak to you and, in that ever deepening conversation, allow His Indwelling Presence to grow and to become manifest to others. God wants not only dwell within you, He also wants to shine through you.

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We cannot adequately name God, yet we experience the **UNAPPROACHABLE MYSTERY** inviting us to awe and drawing us close. Through creation and revelation, we can experience uncountable ways in which the unimaginable one lures us to share divine life. Now, we can bask in miniature glimpses of God. We await the day when “we will be like Christ because we will see him face to face” 1 Jn 3:2
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Pilgrimage of Beauty
St. Charles

Each visit will feature a prayer before the Blessed Sacrament, a short history of the church tour, followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. This is a wonderful opportunity to recognize and appreciate the truth and beauty of the Sacrament of the Eucharist as it is mirrored in the beauty of the treasures of the church!

The journal “A Passport to the Eucharist” will be given to participants and enable them to record their reflections after each visit!

6. Shrine of St. Rose Philippine Duchesne
Wednesday, July 12, 7-8 PM
619 N 2nd Street, St. Charles, MO 63301

5. St. Peter
Wednesday, July 5, 7-8 PM
221 First Capitol Dr., St. Charles, MO 63301

3. St. Paul
Wednesday, June 21, 7-8 PM
1223 Church Rd., St. Paul, MO 63366

2. Immaculate Conception
Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Wednesday, June 7, 7-8 PM
403 North Main Street, O’Fallon, MO 63366

4. All Saints
Wednesday, June 28, 7-8 PM
7 McManamy Rd., St. Peters, MO 63376

7. Immaculate Conception
Dardenne Prairie
Wednesday, July 19, 7-8 PM
7701 Town Square Ave., Dardenne Prairie, MO 63368

Visit bit.ly/3Vu98yf or Scan the QR code to sign up!
St. Cletus Corpus Christi Procession

Sunday June 11
Starting as the 11:30 Mass ends
Processing around the Parish grounds Concludes with Benediction in Church

The Feast of Corpus Christi, now known as the Feast of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ, is the celebration of the Real Presence of Christ in the Eucharist. When the Eucharist is carried through the streets in a solemn procession (in our case the parish grounds), the Catholic Christian people give public witness of their faith and devotion to the sacrament of the Eucharist. It is a sign of our unity in the Mystical Body of Christ.
MONTHLY ROSARY FOR HEALING AND HOPE

Please join us in the Daily Chapel, 6:00-6:30 p.m. on the First Tuesday of each month as we come together to pray the Rosary for your special intentions. There will also be opportunity to place your prayer intentions at the altar in the prayer basket.

The next gathering will be June 6.

“Where two or three are gathered, there I am…”

HELP WANTED

The Parish School of Religion is looking for teachers in multiple grades for the 2023-2024 school year. No experience necessary—just a love for your faith and children.

Contact Laura Henderson at 636-255-1717 or lhenderson@saintcletus.org.

God doesn’t call the qualified, he qualifies the called.
Sweet Treat for Fathers

Father’s Day, June 18, is a day to honor husbands, fathers, grandfathers, great grandfathers, and uncles for the role they play in our lives. The Respect Life Ministry will be selling sweet treats that weekend for you to give to that special man.

We will also have carnations available to place at the Blessed Virgin Mary’s statue in remembrance of a deceased family member or friend. Cost is $2.00

Hey Parents!

Duchesne is offering a variety of fun & engaging Grade School Academic Camps this summer!

Your child might enjoy performing science experiments, painting a masterpiece, or putting their problem-solving skills to the test!

Register today for some summer FUN!
**Marian (adj.):** relating to the Virgin Mary

**Pilgrimage (noun):** a journey, especially a long one, made to some sacred place as an act of religious devotion

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**Save the Date:**

**7th Annual Katy Trail Marian Pilgrimage:**

10/09/23 – 10/13/23

Come for the day or stay for the week!

As in years past, highlights include daily mass, adoration, prayer and fellowship; overnight accommodations and transportation provided as well as reasonably priced dinner arrangements.

**Questions?**

Please send an email to:

MarianPilgrimage77@gmail.com

Please note, our website www.katytrailpilgrimage.com is currently UNDER CONSTRUCTION … please continue to visit periodically for important updates regarding Pilgrimage plans!

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**St. Charles Young Married Couples**

June 17, 2023

**Lilly’s Snow Cones**

4:00 PM

8621 Highway N, Lake St. Louis

Join Young Married Couples (20s & 30s) for a trip to Lilly’s Snow Cones in Lake St. Louis. Please bring your whole family for a fun afternoon. Lilly’s Snow Cones is owned and employs individuals with disabilities. Contact John & Zoey Plummer with questions zjplummer@gmail.com or 636-627-1756.
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**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

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**Welcome New Parishioners!**

To receive a registration form or indicate an address change or move from the parish, please fill out the form below and drop it in the collection basket, or call the Parish Office (636-946-6327).

| **Names:** | ____________________________ |
| **Adults:** | ____________________________ |
| **Children:** | ____________________________ |
| **Address:** | ____________________________ |
| **Phone:** | ____________________________ |
| **Email:** | ____________________________ |

**St. Cletus Sports Family**

Registration for soccer is now open until June 26. Please ensure you sign up on time as we cannot accept late registrations. If you are interested in being a coach, please sign up using the same link.

Please visit [www.teamsideline.com/cyosaintcharlesmo](http://www.teamsideline.com/cyosaintcharlesmo)

Please send any soccer inquiries to Tina or Jill @ stcletussoccer@gmail.com

**The Sisters of the Most Precious Blood**

The Sisters of the Most Precious Blood will offer an open house tour opportunity from **1-4 p.m. on June 11, 2023, and August 13, 2023**. in their beautiful historic chapel and heritage area. **No reservation needed.** For more information or to schedule a tour at another time contact Sr. Cecile Gunelson at 636-293-8013.

**Address:** 204 North Main Street. O'Fallon. MO

**Directions:** Use the entrance at Main and 3rd street and take the first right. Parking is available on the south side of the chapel. Chapel is handicapped accessible.

**Mid-life Singles:** Are you looking for a renewed sense of purpose & belonging? Register today for a life-changing REFLECT weekend retreat at La Salle Retreat Center, Wildwood, MO (35 min from downtown St. Louis), on July 21-23, 2023. Take a chance and get involved... you won't regret it! Early bird cost is $240 including meals and a single room. Visit [www.ReflectRetreat.com](http://www.ReflectRetreat.com), e-mail reflect.stlouis@gmail.com, or call (314) 283-0044 for details.