

May 25, 2025 Sixth Sunday of Easter

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 Home & School
 573-468-4423

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 573-468-8671

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 1-877-238-3228 #3365

 Parish Center Rental
 573-468-6101

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 573-860-2458

Counseling or Help with an unwanted Pregnancy

 BirthRight
 1-800-550-4900

 LifeLine
 573-885-3040

 Pregnancy Assistance Center
 636-239-1840

CHILD ABUSE Hotline 1-800-392-3738 Adult Abuse & Neglect 1-800-392-0210

BLOOD DRIVE – TUESDAY MAY 27, 2025 SULLIVAN KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALL

EVERY 2 SECONDS SOMEONE IN THE USA NEEDS BLOOD.

You can help another person in need by giving blood living in our Sullivan MO area. Your donation of a pint of blood is the gift of life so many now desperately need. Give a Pint.to Save a Life...MAYBE YOURS OR A FAMILY MEMBER. SIGN UP NOW...DON'T WAIT.

WHEN: May 27, 2025 Tuesday from 12:30 – 5:30 PM .
WHERE: KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALL
231 S HWY 185 SULLIVAN, MO

PLEASE CALL 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT OR VISIT: www.RedCrossBlood.org and enter: 63080

You can also drop by and donate.

Mass Schedule

Saturday Evening 4:00 p.m.

Sunday Morning 11:00 a.m.-(Children's Liturgy)

Weekdays Thursday & Friday 8: 00 a.m.
Confessions

Saturdays-3:00 PM – 3:45 PM Thursdays after Mass

Sacramental Preparation for Marriage

Please contact the rectory <u>at least 6 months prior</u> to your marriage. Attending "Preparing for Christian Marriage" lectures or an alternate approved program is required. No Weddings will be performed after 1:00p.m. on Saturdays.

Sacrament of Baptism

Arrangements are to be made to attend Baptismal Classes for Parents prior to the baptism. Contact the rectory office to make arrangements, at 573-468-6101.

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Have you ever heard the expression,

"the struggle is real?" Well, with the price of groceries going up, utility bills over due, and all other expenses costing more, help is desperately needed in our own community.

Please consider making a donation to our St. Vincent de Paul Society today. Thank you!

The School Support Envelope

If you receive envelopes it is the yellow one. We are designating the first weekend of the month for the collection.

If you do not use envelopes, you may drop your check in the basket in the vestibule on the table marked school support.

You may also drop it in the regular Sunday collection basket.

WELCOME

A warm welcome to all of you who have come to worship with us. If you are visiting, we are honored by your presence. If you are interested in becoming a member, please call the rectory at 573-468-6101.

Parish Website: www.stanthonysullivan.com



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Sunday Connection



Memorial Day

What we remember—and honor—on Memorial Day is heroic sacrifice. We acknowledge those who nobly gave of themselves, even unto death, for a purpose they believed was greater than themselves. Since the days just following the end of the Civil War, Americans have gathered in late May to honor those who died in military service to their country. In the spirit of the day, we can also recall, honor, and pray for all those we know who have lived lives of service and sacrifice for the good of others.

Sacrifice is more than suffering

One definition of *sacrifice* is "the destruction or surrender of something for the sake of something else." Though suffering is always a part of sacrifice to some extent, seeking suffering for its own sake is *not* sacrifice. Sacrifice implies giving up one good for a higher good. For example, a child gives up a day of play to visit an ailing grandparent, or a parent sacrifices watching a favorite television program to help a child who is struggling with homework. Life in the family is full of opportunities for service and sacrifice.

Jesus: the perfect example of sacrifice

What counts in this definition is the phrase "for the sake of something else." Is that "something else" worthy of the sacrifice we make? True sacrifice is always at the <u>service of life</u>. We learn this from Jesus, who made the ultimate sacrifice and remained faithful through his Passion, death, and Resurrection. Jesus' greater purpose for this sacrifice was our well-being—that we might have life and have it abundantly.

This Memorial Day, as we remember all who have served and sacrificed on our behalf, let us not forget what Jesus was willing to give up for us—and the lessons we can learn from that perfect example of sacrifice.

To all of our veterans past and present, may God bless each of you. Thank you for your service!



School News

Incoming Parents & Volunteers:

A reminder to incoming parents and volunteers, you must complete the Prevent and Protect workshop and background check to volunteer in our school. This consist of watching a video and answering questions as well as completing a background check.

This is completed online. You may pick up an instructional sheet at the school or parish office to register. his is an Archdiocesan requirement. **There will be NO Exceptions!**

If you have questions, please contact Marcia at the rectory office.

During summer break, Tammy will be in the office on Wednesday's, from 7:00 AM-3:00 PM.

You may of course leave a message on the school answering machine and she will get back with you.

MOScholars

Missouri's Empowerment Scholarship Program

About MOScholars:

The Missouri Empowerment Scholarship Program provides financial support to qualifying families to off-set educational expenses including tuition.

You may contact the Today & Tomorrow Educational Foundation: Jeanette Katic, Program Director 314-792-7043 email: mottef@archstl.org

There are flyers in the vestibule with full details.

Mass Intentions

Monday, May 26

8:00 a.m. **NO MASS**

Tuesday, May 27 Communion Service

Perpetual Help Devotions

Wednesday, May 28

8:00 a. m **NO MASS**

Thursday, May 29

8:00 a. m.

Needs of Joan Marie Klinger

Friday, May 30

8:00 a.m.

Needs of Gabriel Clonts

Saturday, May 31

4:00 p.m.

Calvin Horstmann

Sunday June 1

11:00 a. m. Robert Rivet

Lector and Minister Schedule

Saturday, May 31

4:00 p. m. J Klinger Ministers R Abel, M Berry

Sunday, June 1

11:00 a. m. Volunteer

Ministers J Brendel, J Childress

<u>Servers</u>

Saturday, May 31

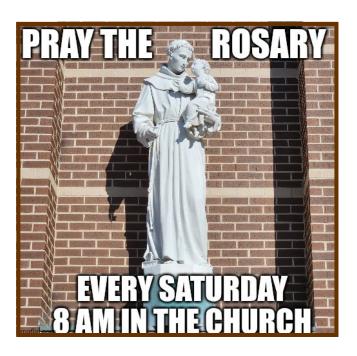
4:00 p. m. Andy Prater

Sunday, June 1

11:00 a. m. Aubrey Reed & Blake McCulloch

Gift Bearers

The Ushers will be the gift bearer's at all Masses



Altar Candles Altar Flowers \$55.00 and Altar Candles are \$10.00 In memory or honor of a loved one.



Call the rectory for available dates.

SICK LIST May God grant them healing of soul and body

If you have someone that you would like to add, please call the rectory. If they are well, please let us know.

Christina Lambing Harvey Richards John Cooper

Chuck Caltry Ronnie Schliefer

Charlene Woodcock Patti Day Aiofe Smith

David Jost Don Heidenfelder

Scott Staufenbiel Dorothy Eftink David Columbo Kayden & Jayden Eftink Ada Puhse Bella Matchell Warren Kaemmerlen Sr. JoAnn Kuchler Joan Barber George & Barb Epple Joanie Klinger Vic Heidbrink Scott Lambing Mark Woodring Noah Ayers Doyle Stack Dan Carey Evalyn Day Kevin Bruecker Frances Wright Pauline Payne Deanya Breeden Dolores Farrell Harold Weiskopf If someone has recovered or passed away, please call and let us know. The bulletin for the weekend goes in for publication on Monday morning.

Pray for our Service Personnel

If you wish to add someone to the list please call the rectory.

Alec McCormick/Air Force
Jonathan Cox/Army Reserves
Jacob Cargill/Air Force
Mark Johnson/Marines
Ray Schoonveld/Marines
Mary Kate Wetzel/Marine
Kim Hurt/Air Force Reserves

Chris Carter/Air Force
Cooper Sellars/Marines
Cory Garrus/Marines
Bradley Rigdon/ Marines
Wyatt Seaton/Marines
Jordan Bodi, Army

Kim Hurt/Air Force Reserves
Jaison Ronsick/National Guard

Ethan Kackley/Marines Timmy Kloos/ Air Force Luke D. Ryan/Marines Oliva Price/Navy

If someone is no longer in the Military, please let us know. If you would like to add someone to list please call the rectory office. Thank you.

Our Thanks Offering

697.00 **1,788.00**

This is the Offertory for May 17 & 18, 2025

Adult Envelopes	\$	3,295.00
Envelopes: (101)		
Electronic	\$	1,160.00
Loose\$	5	331.00
General Fund Offertory	,	4,786.00
St. Vincent de Paul		
Assessment	\$	30.00
School Support	\$	280 00

Electronic Special Collections.....\$