

**The Weekly Mass Schedule/Calendar  
January 23, through January 31, 2010**

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**01/23/10, Saturday**

10:00AM Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors, Meeting  
4:00PM Mass for Jo Sullivan

**01/24/10, Sunday**

9:00AM Living Mass for Eric Marousek  
(11:00AM Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul, Cole Camp)  
10:00AM – RCIA – Early church and History of Church

**01/25/10, Monday**

No Mass

**01/26/10, Tuesday,**

8:30AM Mass for Stella Carrol

**01/27/10, Wednesday**

(10:00AM Mass and pastoral duties in Cole Camp)  
3:30PM Rainbow Colors & Edge Youth Programs

**01/28/10, Thursday**

No Mass

**01/29/10, Friday**

8:30AM Mass for Alois Zelinski

**01/30/10, Saturday**

4:00PM Mass for Leo & Angeline Hirsch Family

**01/31/10, Sunday, 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday**

9:00AM Mass for all living and deceased members of  
the Knights of Columbus

10:00AM 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Breakfast

(11:00AM Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul, Cole Camp)

10:00AM – RCIA Consistent Life Ethic and Dignity of  
Life

(11:00AM Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul, Cole Camp)

(2:00PM Mass for World Day of the Sick at Our Lady  
of Lourdes Church, Columbia, Missouri)

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**Let us pray for:** Bruce Brosnahan, Perry McGhee,  
Corena Wright, Fred & Mary Pepple, Bill Weaver,  
Francis Mulich, Minnie Goffinett, Bob Cross, George  
Wise, Leroy Risse, ...and all who suffer physically and  
mentally.

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**5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Breakfast**

The Knights of Columbus will be cooking their  
mouth-watering breakfast next Sunday after the  
9AM Mass. They hope you'll bring your family and  
friends and start your day off with a great meal!

**“Why Catholic”** will be held on three consecutive  
THURSDAYS, beginning February 25, with Mass at  
5:00, dinner and discussions from 6-8PM. More  
information will follow.

**Altar & Rosary Society** will be taking dues after  
the weekend masses. All ladies of St. Ann's Parish  
are invited to join.

**Contribution Statements** St. Ann's household  
2009 contribution statements are available, in the  
lobby. The Church office does it's best to keep track  
of your contributions. Please let us know if more  
assistance is needed.

**Picture Directory** Pictures will be taken for our  
St. Ann Directory Tuesday February 2, through  
Saturday February 6. We will be making appoints  
for you, after the next two weekend Masses.  
Appointments can also be made on-line, through a  
link at St. Ann's website [www.stannwarsaw.org](http://www.stannwarsaw.org).

**BINGO!!** The Knights of Columbus hope to see you on  
Friday evenings, 6:00PM for BINGO! Come out, enjoy  
the games and the great food too!

**Servers Schedule**

**Saturday, January 30, 2010**

4:00PM Dallas & Austin Larsen

**Sunday, January 31, 2010**

9:00AM 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday K of C

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**Collection for January 17, 2010= \$ 4144.88**

**Special Collection for the people of Haiti**

The Church mourns the terrible suffering of the people  
of Haiti. Archbishop Dolan of the USCCB said”...Our  
faith compels us to pray for and reach out to our  
brothers and sisters in their time of suffering.”

**The 37<sup>th</sup> Annual March for Life** was held Friday,  
Jan. 22 in Washington D.C. Let us join our prayers with  
theirs.

Lord God, I thank you today for the gift of my life,  
and for the lives of all my brothers and sisters. I know  
there is nothing that destroys more life than abortion,  
yet I rejoice that you have conquered death by the  
Resurrection of Your Son. I am ready to do my part in  
ending abortion. Today I commit myself never to be  
silent, never to be passive, never to be forgetful of the  
unborn. I commit myself to be active in the pro-life  
movement, and never to stop defending life until all my  
brothers and sisters are protected, and our nation once  
again becomes a nation with liberty and justice not just  
for some, but for all, Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

**A Message from Bishop Gaydos - The National  
Council of Catholic Women**

acts through the  
membership to support, empower and educate all  
Catholic women in spirituality, leadership and service.  
NCCW programs respond with Gospel values to the  
needs of the Church and society in the modern world.  
The NCCW stands in solidarity with Catholic women  
who share the same faith, the same values and the same  
dedication to serving others. NCCW has a strong  
national voice for all those who cannot speak for  
themselves, especially women and children. They  
want to share the spiritual enrichment, the fellowship  
and the opportunities for personal growth that makes  
the NCCW the perfect organization for every Catholic  
woman. You are represented at: United States  
Conference of Catholic Bishops' Meetings, Catholic  
Social Ministries Gathering, Annual Pro-Life March in  
Washington, DC, Religious Alliance Against  
Pornography, and many more national coalitions and  
committees. To be among those who received the  
Catholic Woman magazine – articles by theologians and  
Catholic authors, important information for US Bishops  
advocating for peace and justice – contact: National  
Council of Catholic Women, 200 N. Glebe Rd., Suite  
703, Arlington, VA 22203.

**Scholarship opportunity** The William H. (Bill)  
Simon Scholarship Fund awards scholarships to Catholic  
students who are in financial need for the purpose of  
attending an accredited college or university of the  
student's choice. The scholarship is \$1,000 per semester  
(up to 8 semesters) to assist the student in meeting  
educational needs. The deadline for submission of the  
application, SAR, and letters of recommendation is  
March 31, 2010. All applicants will be notified of the  
results by May 1, 2010. To request an application, please  
contact your Parish Office.

**Provide-A-Ride (PAR)** PAR is a volunteer  
transportation service operating through the Warsaw  
Senior Center. They are recruiting additional drivers and  
also making older adults aware of this program. For  
more information call 660-438-3300.

## **Notes from Fr. Keith, 1/24/2010**

Considering the effectiveness of our prayers, I think we should remember something very important about what may be God's Greatest Gift to every human being: Free Choice. Even though some choices we have may not seem to make sense, God will let us make a Free Choice every time, even if that choice is against His will, even if we choose not to believe in Him at all. Some intellectuals ask why God couldn't give us Free Choice and have us always choose Good, but that seems to me not a Free Choice after all (this is a complicated subject: talk to me if you want to know more). God never takes back Free Choice: God will not make us puppets for any reason.

Multiply a few million people making genuinely Free Choices, and conflicts are bound to happen. It's also good to remember that God loves all of us, unconditionally and equally. Asking for something specific in prayer the wrong way can ask God to stop someone from making a Free Choice. That doesn't mean He can't persuade: God tries to persuade everyone to do Good all the time. However, there are times God may not seem to answer prayer because He has to let someone else make a Free Choice, even a catastrophically bad one.

Next: God's organization of the world, natural disasters and how it affects Prayer.