

**The Weekly Mass Schedule/Calendar**  
**August 27 through September 4, 2011**

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**08/27/11, Saturday**

4:00PM Mass for George Wise

**08/28/11 Sunday**

7:00AM Mass for Paul Benton

9:00AM Mass for St. Ann & Sts. Peter & Paul Parishes  
(11:00AM Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul, Cole Camp)

**08/29/11, Monday**

No Mass

**08/30/11, Tuesday**

8:30AM Mass for Roman & Tillie Schulte

**08/31/11, Wednesday**

(10:00AM Mass at Good Samaritan and other  
Pastoral duties in Cole Camp)

**09/01/11, Thursday**

No Mass

**09/02/11, First Friday**

8:30AM Mass for Addie Hirsch

9:00AM-3:30PM Adoration of Blessed Sacrament  
3:30PM Benediction

**09/03/11, Saturday**

4:00PM Mass for Randy Turgot

**09/04/11 Sunday**

7:00AM Mass for Sid Williamson

9:00AM Mass for St. Ann & Sts. Peter & Paul Parishes  
(11:00AM Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul, Cole Camp)

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**Let us pray for:** George Fowler, Perry McGhee,  
Dorothy Grate, Fred Pepple, Bernie Scheutz, Karl  
Keen, Roy and Ann Futvoye, Ed Hoyer, Fr. Dennis  
Schaab, John Spears, Leo & Rita Porter, Bill  
Weaver, Bob Cross, Minnie Goffinett, George  
Wise, George Sullivan,...and all who suffer  
physically and mentally.

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**Please don't forget** to sign up for Adoration of  
the Blessed Sacrament next Friday! We need You to  
be part of this important ministry of prayer.

**Our last 7AM Sunday Mass for this summer  
will be next Sunday, Sept. 4, 2011.**

**RCIA time again.** This is an opportunity for  
anyone interested in learning more about the  
Catholic Faith, especially those interested in  
possibly learning about Catholicism. We begin with  
an inquiry time. We need you to get the word to  
anyone who may be interested. Please contact them  
and, or us. We will begin Sept. 11. We meet on  
Sundays after the 9:00AM Mass. Call Jeanne in the  
office, Dennis Hamilton – 438-8393, or Kay Hirsch  
438-6005.

**Registration for Religious Youth Programs**

Please fill out and turn the registration forms  
a.s.a.p. PSR (Rainbow Colors) begins Tuesday,  
Sept. 13 at 3:30PM. The Edge Program is moving to  
Sunday, Sept. 11, 2011 and will begin at 6:00PM.

**Mass Intentions** Would like to have a Mass said  
for a loved one? You can stop in the office or put  
your request in an envelope along with the \$5.00  
donation in the collection basket. Specific dates will  
be treated as “first come first serve” and will be set  
up on the closest day that a mass is conducted.

**Servers Schedule**

**Saturday, September 3, 2011**

4:00PM Ryan & Amber Gillham

**Sunday, September 4, 2011**

7:00AM Fran Catron & Jack Hahn

9:00AM Aidan Comer & Samantha Blake

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**Collection for August 20 & 21 = \$3,512.00**

**Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Weekend of August 27/28, 2011

In today's Gospel reading, Jesus brings up the topic  
of the cross to his followers. They would not realize  
the cross was part of God's plan and was to be their  
legacy until after the Resurrection. Today's  
followers of Christ recognize they are stewards of  
his entire legacy, including his cross; that through  
their mutual sacrifices God's glory is revealed. They  
don't live their life in Christ only when it is  
convenient for them. They make a decision to take  
up their cross and carry it, no matter what the cost.  
What crosses do we bear in order to reveal God's  
glory?

**Attention all Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors  
and Greeters:**

I am making the new schedule for  
October through December. If you know of any  
plans to be unavailable during that time, please let  
me know as soon as possible. Thank you.

Dennis Hamilton 660-438-8393

**Important Bazaar Meeting** Tuesday, Sept. 6 at  
6:00PM. All Chairmen & Co-Chairs are asked to  
attend.

**St. Ann's Annual Picnic is Sunday Sept. 18  
at the State Park on UU.**

Everyone is invited to  
come and have FUN!! The Parish Council will  
provide the hot dogs hamburgers and drinks and  
ask that you bring your family and a side dish!  
There will be games for all ages so come on out,  
*servicing food at 1:00PM*, for a great afternoon!

**Rummage Sale** It's time again to begin collecting  
your treasures for our fall rummage sale which will  
take place September 8 & 9, 2011. Please be sure all  
wearing apparel is clean. Unfortunately we cannot  
accept computers. Small appliances should be in  
working order. Thank you so much for your  
contributions which have always been very  
generous. *Ellen Julius & Cecile Smith Chairpersons*

**Missouri Catholic Conference** On Saturday,  
Oct. 1, 2011, the MCC will hold its 2011 Annual  
Assembly at the State Capitol in Jefferson City.  
This year's Assembly will commemorate the 150<sup>th</sup>  
anniversary of the start of the Civil War by posing  
the question: how do we unite a divided nation?

There are many workshops and events of the  
assembly. The day is free and so is lunch. You can  
register at [www.mocatholic.org](http://www.mocatholic.org) or call MCC at  
(573)635-7239 *See brochure on bulletin board.*

**St. Joseph Parish Homecoming Picnic, Pilot  
Grove** is Sunday, Sept. 4, 4-8:30PM. See bulletin  
board for more information.

## Notes from Fr. Keith 8/28/2011

Roadside Assistance is a necessary thing in our lives. If we break down, have a flat or other problem, we want to know who to call on for help. We take our journeys for granted, the places we pass as scenes on a slide show until we have to make an unexpected stop at one, then it becomes real as it never did before. We tend to notice the in between places only when we're in trouble.

In the Middle Ages, life was seen as a pilgrimage. It's different from how we travel today: they traveled on foot, even for great distances, and for a pilgrim, the way you make a journey is just as important as arriving at the destination. For a pilgrim, how you walk with your fellow pilgrims, how you deal with what you encounter on the road, how you open yourself to every moment on the road are journeys of faith in themselves, and part of a larger journey of enlightenment. A pilgrim learns more about himself and more about God on the journey.

We tend to see our relationship with God mostly as Roadside Assistance, it's a message our culture reinforces very strongly. But Christ is our companion on all our journeys, whether we realize it or not, and if we take on a pilgrim's attitude then the meaning of life opens up in a new way, takes on an unexpected richness and depth. We still have help in time of trouble, but we also have insight that keeps us from letting momentary "feel good" moments dominate us as well. Life with Christ is life in balance, and an attitude that keeps us on the right path.