

**The Weekly Mass Schedule/ Calendar
January 12, through January 20, 2013**

01/19/2013, Saturday

4PM Mass for Alois Zelinski

5:30PM-7:30PM Fish Fry & Tournament at K of C

01/20/2013 Sunday

9AM Mass for Jo Sullivan

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

6:00PM Potluck & class for Life Teen/Edge

01/21/2013, Monday

No Mass

01/22/2013 Tuesday,

8:30AM Mass for Glen Daniels

3:30PM PSR Youth Class

01/23/2013 Wednesday

8:45AM Mass at Lincoln Nursing Home

10:00AM Mass at Good Samaritan, Cole Camp
and other pastoral duties

01/24/2013 Thursday

No Mass

01/25/2013, Friday

8:30AM Mass for Donny Keele

01/26/2013, Saturday

4PM Mass for Jarmilla Oseka

01/27/2013 Sunday

9AM Mass for St. Ann / Sts. Peter & Paul Parishes

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

6:00PM Potluck & class for Life Teen/Edge

The next Youth Leadership Mass will be Sunday, 2/10/2013 evening at 5:00PM. All are welcome.

Let us pray for: Debbie Cummings, Edith Lusher, Mick Porter, Adeline Cislo, George and Dora Fowler, Karl Keen, Ed Hoyer. Fr. Dennis Schaab, Bill Weaver, Bob Cross, George Sullivan,.....and all who suffer physically and mentally.

Altar & Rosary Society The ladies will be collecting dues of \$7.00 this weekend and next weekend. All ladies of our parish automatically belong to the Altar & Rosary Society. Information about their good works, will also be available. Please consider coming to the meetings and becoming more involved with this group.

Our sadness continues...Two of our parishioners, Bill Ware, husband of Sandy, and Dale Whitted, husband of Marie, passed away this last week. We offer our support and prayers to the families and friends of these fine men.

May the Lord who blesses and sustains, Who sends the sun to chase the rain, Bring a balm to soothe your soul, and make your broken spirit whole. May you feel His loving presence now more than ever.

St. Ann Parishioners

Contribution Statements are in the lobby for pick-up. If there are mistakes that need to be corrected, please see Jeanne in the Church Office.

Pro Life Event There will be a Pro-Life Rosary in Capital Rotunda, Jefferson City, 12Noon, January 25th Contact Bonnie Walker 573-564-2670

Server's Schedule

Saturday, January 26, 2013

4:00PM Blake Brodersen & Amber Gillham

Sunday, January 20, 2013

9:00AM Kaci Cooner & Rebecca Letcher

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Collections for Jan. 12 & 13, 2013= \$ 870.00

K of C Fish Fry & Partners Poker Benefit

**Come and enjoy a fish and chips dinner with your family and friends. The Knights will be serving from 5:30PM-7:30PM on January 19th (A free will donation will be accepted.)

Stay for the **PARTNERS POKER BENEFIT!!** with 6:00PM (check-in) and 6:30PM (start).

Proceeds will benefit community Charities!

Sign-up seating "if available" up to starting time! Call Joe Gazarek 660-885-8082 or 660-890-5013 for more information.

Safety first! As we find ourselves in the dead of a Missouri winter, this is a good time to remind folks that we need to take due caution as we travel in our vehicles or even walk outside due to slippery conditions. Our dear Lord always wants us to promote safety for ourselves and others. If it can't be done safely, it can't be done! We certainly take serious our opportunity to celebrate Eucharist, but we must ask, is it safe to travel? Even getting in or out of our vehicles of entering or exiting buildings can be very dangerous at times. We must make choices that promote our well being.

Our bad weather policies are: P.S.R. Is canceled if school has been canceled, also, daily Mass and evening activities are canceled if school is called off due to weather or road conditions. When it comes to Holy Days of Obligation, which includes every weekend, one must use a heavy dose of caution. Let us pray that we all have a very safe winter. Fr. Mike

Pre-Lenten Retreat available:

Friday evening through Sunday noon, February 8-10, 2013 Pre-Lenten retreat: "Praying the

Psalms in Lent." The Book of Psalms is the Church's prayerbook, and its fitting to reflect on how the Psalter could become more fruitful for your personal prayer as Lent begins Wednesday, February 13. Fr. Joel Derks and Oblate Sherry Reid will provide you with ideas for your reflection and Lenten disciplines. Besides conferences and discussions, there will be ample time for personal prayer, reflection and journaling. You'll also be invited to pray the Liturgy of the Hours with the monks and celebrate the Eucharist with the monks and seminarians. (Suggested donation for lodging, meals, conferences and reception: \$160 for single accommodations, \$130 per person for double accommodations.)For more information, please call the Abbey Guest Center at 660-944-2809 or email us at guests@conception.edu.

Pastor's Column 01/20/13

Often, when a new pastor is assigned in a parish, it takes time both for him and the parish to adjust.

Consequently I try to be careful regarding the changes that are implemented. Some changes are inevitable due to pastoral style or even bringing a particular activity into compliance with church law. As much as possible, I consider the ways things have been done as well as consult with appropriate parish committees and parish council.

I am aware that St. Ann/Sts. Peter & Paul often have Visitation and Vigil services at our beautiful parishes. In particular I would like to address what the church calls the Vigil Service. This is the prayer service the night before the funeral mass or service.

On November 2, 1989 the Church mandated a specific type of prayer laid out in the "Order of Christian Funerals". Prior to this the Church did not have an official Vigil Service. Consequently the Rosary of other prayers were often prayed at this time.

Because some Catholics have a deep devotion to the Rosary it can be very appropriate to pray the Rosary in addition to the official prayer of the Vigil service.

When I meet with a family to discuss our prayerful time together, I give them a number of options to help them in their dealing

with their loss. It is truly a time of the heart. Some options that the family might suggest are not allowed because of Church law. However, I strive to accommodate as much as the Church allows. My concern is always to care for the family as much as I can.

Our faith helps us deal with the grieving process for we believe with all our heart that God will take care of our loved ones.

*Peace in Christ,
Fr. Mike Murphy*

