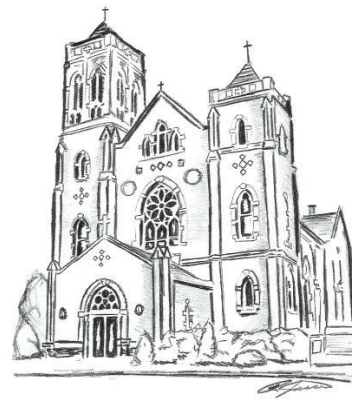


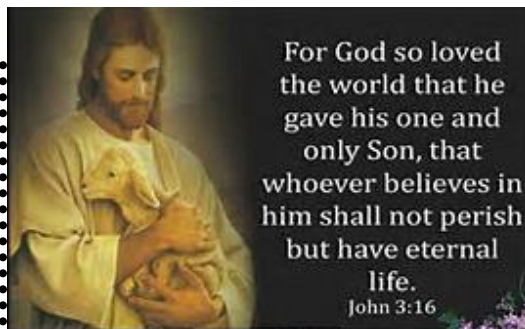


*The Most
Holy Trinity*
June 11, 2017



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Monday (8 am to 5 pm) @ St. Bernard or St. Damian;

Tuesday & Thursday
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Wednesday (Working From Home);

Friday (8 am to 1 pm) @ St. Bernard or St. Damian.

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MASS SCHEDULE:

MONDAY, JUNE 12TH

8:00 am Prayer Service @ St. Damian
For a Plentiful Harvest

TUESDAY, JUNE 13TH

8:00 am Mass @ St. Bernard
Cyril, Dorothy, & Marvin Foppe

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14TH

8:00 am Mass @ St. Damian
Fr. James Jeffrey

THURSDAY, JUNE 15TH

8:00 am Prayer Service @ St. Bernard
For All with Mental & Physical Conditions

FRIDAY, JUNE 16TH

NO Mass or Service Scheduled

SATURDAY, JUNE 17TH

5:00 pm Mass @ St. Bernard
Clarence & Rita Netemeyer
David, Marian, & Davey Sudholt
Archie & Marie Santel

SUNDAY, JUNE 18TH

8:30 am Mass @ St. Damian
For All Parishioners

10:00 am @ St. Bernard

Irene Stricker
Robert "Bob" Albers
Urban "Shorty" Behrman

11:00 am Mass @ St. Damian
Mass in Spanish

LITURGY OF THE WORD:

Today's Gospel includes one of the most often-quoted and cited Christian scripture verses: "**God so loved the world that He gave His only Son,**" *John 3:16*. Christians cite this verse so often because it describes the act of God that transformed creation for all time. When we believe in Christ, we are saved and promised eternal life. We are deeply loved and encountered by a God who is with us and is shown to us in many ways and through many faces. As we live out this reality, we are called to share it with one another. Let us give thanks to God for this gift of salvation in Christ Jesus.

"Glory and praise forever!"

HAPPENINGS/MEETINGS:

Sunday, June 11th

NO Children's Liturgy of the Word

NO Pre-School Sunday School Classes

Monday, June 12th

NO Mass – Prayer Service w/Communion

8:00 am @ St. Damian

Tuesday, June 13th

Mass 8:00 pm @ St. Bernard Church

St. Damian Parish Council Meeting

7:00 pm @ St. Damian Meeting Room

Knights of Columbus Meeting

7:30 pm @ Albers Jaycee Hall

Wednesday, June 14th

Mass 8:00 pm @ St. Damian Church

Bible Study

7:00 pm @ Deacon Glenn's Residence

Thursday, June 15th

NO Mass – Prayer Service w/Communion

8:00 am @ St. Bernard

Friday, June 16th

Communion to Homebound

Saturday, June 17th

Hispanic Youth Day

9:30 am-4:30 pm @ Pastoral Center

Sacrament of Reconciliation

4:15-4:45 pm @ St. Bernard

Sunday, June 18th

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!!!

NO Children's Liturgy of the Word

NO Pre-School Sunday School Classes

SUMMER WEEKDAY SCHEDULE:

NOTE: weekday Masses & Prayer Services

w/Communion will begin at **8:00 am**. *Masses* will be

on **Tuesdays** @ St. Bernard & **Wednesdays** @ St.

Damian; *Prayers Services w/Communion* will be

Monday @ St. Damian & **Thursdays** @ St. Bernard.

BIBLE STUDY:

The *Bible Study* that is on **every Wednesday night at**

7:00 pm will be held at Deacon Glenn Netemeyer's

house located @ 3609 Court Road in Germantown, IL.

TEACHERS NEEDED:

St. Bernard & St. Damian Faith Formation Programs

are in need of **one teacher per parish** for the

2017/2018 school year. If you are interested in

helping, please contact Deacon Glenn at 618-772-

9343.



PARISHES SECOND COLLECTION:

The second collection will be taken **this weekend June 10th/11th**. The collection will

be used to support the **St. Vincent DePaul**

Summer Water Program instead of the residents within Albers & Damiansville.

Please be a generous as possible.



VOCATION CORNER:

Men who enter a seminary are ordinary individuals who are discerning God's will for them in a Christ-centered way. There are four main areas of formation that seminarians focus on to become more balanced young men in an effort to be more like Jesus, the High Priest: ***Apostolic, Spiritual, Intellectual, & Character***. There are many questions one might ask about seminarians as to what is their daily schedule. Like ordinary men, seminarians work hard, but also know how to have fun. They have hopes and fears; however, on their journey they seek out what will bring them the most authentic happiness and joy in life. They have the witness and the support of their brother seminarians to help them along the way. They strive to become centered on Christ and achieve balance in all areas of life. *Tower Topics*, "Conception Seminary", Spring Edition, 2016 Pgs. 7-9.

ST. DAMIAN PARISH CONCERNS:

CHURCH SUPPORT: June 4th, 2017

Envelopes: \$1,684.00 + ACH: \$615.00

+ Loose: \$59.00 + Mass in Spanish: \$275.00 =

\$2,633.00

Budget for week: \$2,831.73

Fiscal year-to-date collected: \$137,825.93

Fiscal year-to-date budget: \$138,754.77

Over (under) year-to-date budget: **(\$ 928.84)**

Fiscal year (7/16-6/17) budget: \$147,250.00

(Reminder: The fiscal year budget **does not** include the \$58,000.00 transferred from: Savings, Building Fund, Cemetery & Picnic Checking Accounts, which is needed in order to balance the budget.)

Catholic Service & Ministry Appeal (CSMA):

Total Pledged: \$6,894.40 (42) 😊 *Goal: \$5,950.00 (187)*

Thanks for your faithful and generous support!

QUILT COMMITTEE:

- ❖ **Quilt Collecting** will be **this Sunday, June 11th**.
- ❖ **Quilt/Cash Sign-Up Sheet** for the picnic is posted at both entrances of the church. Please mark if you intend to donate cash or a quilt for the picnic **ASAP** so we know how many quilts need to be purchased.

ST. DAMIAN PICNIC:

Saturday, July 8th, 2017

- **Masses:** 4:00 & 5:30 pm picnic night, there will be **NO 8:30 am Mass on Sunday morning**. Volunteers are needed to assist with the picnic Masses as *Eucharistic Minister, Lector, Servers, Greeters/Ushers, or Organist*. **PLEASE SIGN UP.**
- **Gym Cleaning** on **Thursday, June 22nd starting at 4:00 pm**. Please bring a bucket and a few rags. Everyone's help will be greatly appreciated.
- **Raffle Tickets & Flyers** are available for pick up in the main entrance of church. Tickets can be returned by: ❶ the collection basket, ❷ to the parish office, ❸ mail, or ❹ to one of the committee members. Please pass out the flyers to everyone you know.

CONGRATULATIONS!!



Congratulations to Reid Joseph Toennies & Alexis Marie Toennies, children of Thomas "TJ" & Amber (Vollmer) Toennies, who received the saving waters of baptism on Sunday, June 4th @ St. Damian Church. May God watch over and guide them in their journey of life.

ST. DAMIAN MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Sunday, June 18th, 2017 @ 8:30 am

Ministers of Communion — Ken Mank, Sharon

Kalmer, **Pete Toennies**

Reader — Jackie Toennies

Ushers — Garry Kalmer, Dave Pingsterhaus

Servers — Ethan & Simon Toennies, Reece Deiters

Organist — Chris Brandmayer

Collection Counters — Pete Toennies, Gwen Toennies, Anita Rakers



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ST. BERNARD PARISH CONCERNS:

CHURCH SUPPORT: June 3rd/4th, 2017

Envelopes: \$1,638.00 + ACH: \$1,705.00

+ Loose: \$85.00 = \$3,428.00

Budget for week: \$2,964.43

Fiscal year-to-date collected: \$143,409.92

Fiscal year-to-date budget: \$145,257.07

Over (under) year-to-date budget: **(\$ 1,847.15)**

Fiscal year (7/16-6/17) budget: \$154,150.00

(Reminder: The fiscal year budget **does not** include the \$32,000.00 transferred from: Men's Club, Ladies Sodality, Capital Fund, Cemetery & Fund Raiser Checking Accounts, which is needed in order to balance the budget.)

Catholic Service & Ministry Appeal (CSMA):

Total Pledged: \$6,825.00 (42) *Goal: \$7,700.00 (241)*

Thanks for your faithful and generous support!

ST. BERNARD MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Saturday, June 17th, 2017 @ 5:00 pm

Ministers of Communion — Melissa Netemeyer,

Nettie Broeckling, Deb Schomaker

Reader — Steve Schomaker

Ushers — Nick & Kathy Friederich

Servers — Coryn & Kaitlyn Toennies, Kalie Wellen

Sunday, June 18th, 2017 @ 10:00 am

Ministers of Communion — **Brenda Morris**,

Dan & Lee Love, Michelle Kennedy

Reader — Ray Gill

Ushers — Brian & Brooke Zurliene, Ed & Sharon Wuebbels

Servers — Brady Reynolds, Jacob Kehder, Sophia Kennett

Counters — Janel Zurliene, Sean Kennedy, Brenda Morris

DAMIANSVILLE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE will conduct their *Quarterly Meeting* on **Monday, June 26th** beginning at 7:00 pm at the park shelter.

FROM THE DIOCESE...

INTO MY VINEYARD is for lay Catholic men and women who will help Pastors lead their Parishes and Partnerships. The once-a-month formation will begin in **September 2017 and continue for two years**. Parish Pastoral Councils should now be asking: "**Whom will we send?**" Interested adult Catholics should talk with their Pastors. More information -- a brochure, FAQs, the schedule, and an application form for **INTO MY VINEYARD** -- is at the diocesan website: <http://www.diobelle.org/offices/into-my-vineyard>.

CLIN-CLAIR FIRE DEPARTMENT:

Big News from the Fire Department: We apologize for delay, but effective May 1, 2017 the department's ISO rating has improved! ISO evaluates municipal fire-protection efforts in communities throughout the US evaluating structural fire suppression capabilities. Through the department's continuous training efforts, equipment, pre-planning, etc. along with 911 dispatch center communications and community water supplies, the ISO rating for the Clin-Clair Fire Department has been lowered from a 6/9 to a 05/5Y.

What does this mean for you? The new rating could potentially improve your home owners and/or commercial insurance premiums if your insurance company uses ISO ratings to determine your premiums. For more information on ISO and the 05/5Y rating specifics see: <https://www.isomitigation.com/about-us/about-iso.html>.

COMMUNITY CONCERNS/EVENTS:

Music in the Park: Bring your family and friends, lawn chairs and refreshments for a great night of music every **Thursday in June & July** from 7:00-9:00 pm @ Lehrter/JC Park Stage in Albers, IL.

St. Dominic Church, Breese: *Picnic* is **Saturday, June 17th** with *Mass* at 4:30 pm. *Chicken & Roast Beef Dinner* from 3:30-7:30 pm; *Quilt Bingo* starting at 6:30 pm; Basket Raffle, Lemon Shake-ups, Kids' games and Inflatable rides, Funnel cakes, Beer garden and the "*I Dood It*" game. Something for everyone to enjoy a great evening.

Albers American Legion: *Father's Day Breakfast* on **Sunday, June 18th** from 8:00 to 11:30 am @ the legion. Carry outs available. Dads will receive \$1.00 off their breakfast. *Proceeds benefit Legion Youth Programs.*

St. Anthony Church, Beckemeyer:

- ❖ **Bunko & Dessert Party** on **Monday, June 19th** at 1:00 pm in the parish center. \$5.00 per person includes drink and dessert. Must be 18 or older to play. *Benefits St. Anthony Cemetery Fund.*
- ❖ **Church Picnic** on **Saturday, June 24th**. *Mass* at 5:30 pm, *Chicken & Mostaccioli Dinner* from 4:00-7:00 pm in the air-conditioned hall. *Quilt Bingo* starts approximately at 7:00 pm. Lots of games, inflatable balloons, food, drinks and more. Come join us and enjoy the evening.

St. Pancratius Church, Fayetteville: *Church Picnic* on **Saturday, June 24th**. *Polka Mass* by Polka Connection at 4:00 pm in church. *Fried Chicken Dinner* from 4:00-7:30 pm in the air-conditioned parish center. *Quilt/Cash Bingo* with \$500 *Bonus Cover-All Chance* at the end of the evening for our patrons. Hamburgers, hot dogs, French fries, cakes and many other picnic attractions held on the parish grounds.

JOB OPPORTUNITY:

Diocese of Belleville is seeking a part time (maximum 16 hours per week) **Program Assistant/Onsite Coordinator**. The Program Assistant/Onsite Coordinator is responsible for the coordination of "Into My Vineyard Formation for Lay Ecclesial Ministry in our Parishes" under the direction of the Lay Ecclesial Ministry committee. Regular duties include scheduling facilitators, managing the program webpage, coordinating with the parish host sites, obtaining copyright permissions, and acting as a liaison between facilitators, program participants and Lay Ecclesial Ministry committee. The Program Assistant/Onsite Coordinator must be available to be onsite one Saturday per month during the program period of September - May.

Essential qualifications include a Bachelor's Degree or equivalent; an understanding of the Catholic faith and knowledge of media equipment including troubleshooting.

Some telecommuting may be considered for this position. To apply send cover letter with resume and preferred salary range to Human Resources, Diocese of Belleville, 222 S. 3rd St., Belleville, IL. 62220. FAX to 618-722-5020; email to humanresources@diobelle.org. **Application deadline: June 23, 2017**