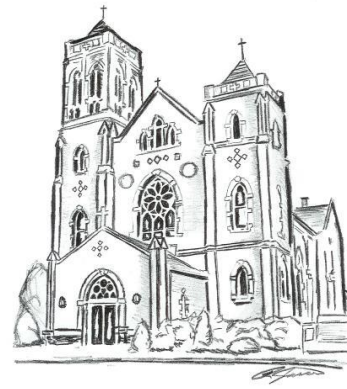




*Sixteenth Sunday
In Ordinary Time
July 21st, 2019*



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Monday & Tuesday: Office Closed,

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St. Bernard Catholic Church-Albers

MASS SCHEDULE:

MONDAY, JULY 22ND

*8:00 am Prayer Service @ St. Damian
In Thanksgiving for a Successful Picnic*

TUESDAY, JULY 23RD

*8:00 am Prayer Service @ St. Bernard
For Political Leaders*

WEDNESDAY, JULY 24TH

*8:00 am Mass @ St. Damian
For All Memorial Donors*

THURSDAY, JULY 25TH

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

FRIDAY, JULY 26TH

NO Mass/NO Prayer Service Scheduled

SATURDAY, JULY 27TH

*4:00 pm Mass @ St. Damian
For All Parishioners*

SUNDAY, JULY 28TH

*8:30 am Mass @ St. Damian
Kim Brennan
Herman & Mildred Wegmann
Cliff Kolb*

*10:00 am Mass @ St. Bernard
Norbert Buehne
Marcel Korte*

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

LITURGY OF THE WORD:

Two of today's Readings focus on hospitality, the way we treat a guest. Abraham receives a visit from three strangers and he treats them extravagantly, only discovering in the end who they really are. Martha & Mary welcome Jesus to their home, each serving Him in her own way. In between we hear from Paul, who as a missionary was welcomed by faithful Christians in towns around the Mediterranean. **Through our actions, may we offer the hospitality our Lord desires.**

"He who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord."

HAPPENINGS/MEETINGS:

Sunday, July 21st

Masses: 8:30 am @ St. Damian Church

10:00 am @ St. Bernard Church

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

Monday, July 22nd

NO AM Mass – Prayer Service w/Communion

8:00 am @ St. Damian Church

Tuesday, July 23rd

NO AM Mass – Prayer Service w/Communion

8:00 am @ St. Bernard Church

Wednesday, July 24th

Mass 8:00 am @ St. Damian Church

Eucharistic Adoration w/ Benediction

7:00 pm @ St. Damian Church

Thursday, July 25th

Mass 8:00 am @ St. Bernard Church

Casey Etter/Patrick Thole Wedding Rehearsal

6:00 pm @ St. Bernard Church

Friday, July 26th

Communion to the Homebound

Jose Reyes/Margarita Cruz Wedding Rehearsal

6:00 pm @ St. Damian Church

Saturday, July 27th

Jose Reyes/Margarita Cruz Wedding

1:00 pm @ St. Damian Church

Casey Etter/Patrick Thole Wedding

1:30 pm @ St. Bernard Church

Mass 4:00 pm @ St. Damian Church

Sunday, July 28th

Masses: 8:30 am @ St. Damian Church

10:00 am @ St. Bernard Church

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

VOCATION CORNER:

"I was 24 years old, and having fallen away from the faith, I felt broken, lost and unfulfilled in life. One Sunday morning, I decided to go back to Mass, where I felt a great peace wash over me. I suddenly fell in love with the Lord and asked him about my vocation in this life. It would still be another 10 years before I entered seminary, but God's grace always works at the right time. That initial spark of love for the Lord deepened over those years through my experience of going to Mass, confession and Eucharist Adoration, preparing me to finally say yes to the priesthood. Now, as a newly ordained priest of Jesus Christ, I feel fulfilled in answering God's call."

-- Fr. Edward Shikina; Columbus, Ohio
Columbia September, 2018, pg. 34

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (VBS):

St. Bernard/St. Damian Vacation Bible School presents "*Jesus Christ ALL-STAR*"

on **Sunday, August 4th** from 1:00-3:00 pm

@ St. Damian Gym. VBS is open to Pre-K through 4th grade students. **Registration is easy!** Pick up a

form in the back of church or go to the website

www.stbernardandstdamian.org under Faith

Education and print the form. Send your

registration form to Andra Goestenkers - PO Box

446 - Albers, IL 62215; via the collection basket or

via email to andra14@hotmail.com. For additional

information, please call or text Andra Goestenkers

at 618-334-1240.

Deacons Glenn Netemeyer & Kevin Templin are on NDICE Retreat from July 20th - 24th.

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST & LECTOR TRAINING:

Refresher/Active & Initial Extraordinary Lay Ministers Training is being offered on **Monday, August 5th** at 7:00 pm @ St. George Church in New Baden. Active Lay Ministers, you are encouraged to attend refresher training (required every three years). Also, if you or if you know of someone who wants to become an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion or a Lector, invite them to attend? The session will be presented by Deacon(s) Glenn Netemeyer and John Fridley. This training is open to all and you will take away a renewed appreciation for this important ministry. This training will satisfy the mandated Diocesan three-year re-certification of Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist (Refresher Training). Please contact St. George office at (618) 588-4323 to register.

ST. DAMIAN PARISH CONCERNS:

CHURCH SUPPORT: July 13th/14th, 2019

Envelopes: \$1,020.00 + Loose: \$364.20

+ Mass in Spanish: \$388.00

- \$100.00 error from last week = \$1,672.20

Budget for week: \$3,038.46

Fiscal year-to-date collected: \$5,272.30

Fiscal year-to-date budget: \$6,076.92

Over (under) year-to-date budget: (\$ 804.62)

Fiscal year (7/16-6/17) budget: \$158,000.00

(**Reminder:** The fiscal year budget **does not** include the \$59,675.00 transferred from: Savings, Building Fund, Cemetery & Picnic Checking Accounts, which is needed in order to balance the budget.)

Thank you for your faithful and generous support!

ST. DAMIAN PICNIC

Gross Income:

Bar	\$ 12,635.00
Bingo	15,445.75
Candy/Popcorn	50.25
Country Store	1,065.25
Dice Game	1,547.00
Face Painting	56.00
Fantastic Pops	125.00
Faith Formation Basket Stand	750.00
Fruit Basket Stand	525.00
Hispanic Corn on the Cob/Fruit	726.55
Kitchen Sales	999.25
Margaritas/Nachos	1,636.00
Poker Stand	2,942.00
Raffle	4,080.00
Sandwich Stand	3,171.00
Small Bar	488.85
Soda Stand	1,022.00
Supper	21,813.00
Yoga	340.00
Total Gross Income	\$69,417.90

A BIG THANK YOU to those who worked so hard to prepare for the picnic, prepared the food, worked the stands, everyone who attended, and all who helped in any way to make this picnic a success. Your time, dedication and service to St. Damian Parish is extremely appreciated. **Thank you!!**

ST. DAMIAN CEMETERY:

Two or Three Volunteers are needed to serve on *St. Damian Cemetery Committee*. If you are interested in helping make decisions regarding the cemetery, or if you are currently on the cemetery committee but do not wish to continue, please call the parish office 618-248-5134 or Jeanne at 618-979-5933. **Thank you.**

ST. DAMIAN PICNIC:

Raffle Winners:

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| o Quilt | Dan Billhartz |
| o TV | Clarence Goebel |
| o RTIC Cooler | Blanche Goebel |
| o Baking Basket | Bill Hummert |
| o \$200 Cash | Dale Deiters |
| o Metal Frame Park Bench | Mary Aimerito |
| o Free Style Rockers | Anita Rakers |
| o Drury Inn One Night Stay | Kurt Hille |
| o Bowling Vouchers & 4 Cardinal Tickets | Diana Jansen |
| o 4 Cardinal Tickets | Betty Santel |
| o Cooler of Goodies | Susan Drees |
| o \$100 Cash | Lori Breiner |
| o Basket of Goodies | Cheryl Heimann |
| o Milwaukee Cooler & \$25 to Pete's Bar | Bob Hitpas |
| o 50 Piece Fried Chicken, Oak Terrace Lodging & Golf, & \$50 | Phillip Arentsen |
| o BND Subscription, Free Oil Change & Tire Rotation, & \$50 | Nick Fuehne |
| o Dairy King Cooler Packet/Certificates, Knotty Pine Certificates, 4 RBM Golf Passes & \$50 | Rusty Renth |
| o Breese Journal Subscription, 4 Magic House Passes, & \$50 | Carol Dunn |
| o \$200 Certificate to Unforgettable Photography, St. Louis Symphony Tickets, \$30 Gift Certificate to Behrmann Meat & Processing | Nancy Innes |
| o 2 Holiday World Tickets, 4 RBM Golf Passes, Lawn Chairs & \$20 | Mary Wuebbels |

ST. DAMIAN MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Weekday of July 22nd & 24th, 2019 @ 8:00 am

Reader — Mary Innes

Servers — Ethan & Simon Toennies

Saturday, July 27th, 2019 @ 4:00 pm

Communion Ministers — Virgil & Marilyn Jansen

Reader — Mary Innes

Ushers — Jerry Innes, Ed Kramer

Servers — Ethan Korte, Aidan Toennies

Organist — Jan Hitch

Sunday, July 28th, 2019 @ 8:30 am

Communion Ministers — Rosann Horstmann, Julie Langenhorst

Reader — Chris Kalmer

Ushers — Steve Kalmer, Jared Ron Horstmann

Servers — Brant Horstmann, Anthony & William Athmer

Organist — Jan Hitch

Counters — Tina Tonnie, Dave Kassen, Sandy Kramer

ST. BERNARD PARISH CONCERNS:

CHURCH SUPPORT: July 14th, 2019

Envelopes: \$1,355.00 + Loose: \$34.00 = \$1,389.00

Budget for week: \$3,134.14

Fiscal year-to-date collected: \$4,427.00

Fiscal year-to-date budget: \$6,268.28

Over (under) year-to-date budget: **(\$ 1,841.28)**

Fiscal year (7/19-6/20) budget: \$162,975.00

(**Reminder:** The fiscal year budget **does not** include the \$41,250.00 transferred from: Men's Club, Ladies Sodality, & Fund Raiser Checking Accounts, which is needed in order to balance the budget.)

Thank you for your faithful and generous support!

ST. BERNARD MINISTRY SCHEDULE

Weekday of July 23rd & 25th, 2019 @ 8:00 am

Reader — Jackie Peters

Servers — Alaina Huegen, Corinne Hegger

Sunday, July 28th, 2019 @ 10:00 am

Communion Ministers — Dan & Lee Love, Robbin Netemeyer

Reader — Volunteer

Ushers — Tom & Mitchell Broeckling, Kurt & Allison Rickhoff

Servers — Carson Rickhoff, Sophia Kennett, Ben Morris

Counters — Tim Schroeder, James Williams, Phyllis Albers

"FEAST OF ST. BERNARD" RAFFLE:

TICKETS ARE HERE!! The price is \$100.00 each with a chance to win: **Grand Prize** of \$5,000 or **Three Prizes** of \$1,000 each. **Prizes will be awarded on August 18th.** Please buy or sell the tickets and return **by August 1st.** The parish has a goal of selling 300 tickets and needs your assistance. **Currently 144 tickets have been sold with 156 still needed to reach our goal.** We can make this a successful fundraiser if everyone helps out. For questions or additional tickets, please call a member of the parish council, finance council or Jeanne. **Reminder Calls:** If you do not wish to receive a call reminding you to turn in your tickets, please return them as soon as possible. If you wish to purchase ticket(s), please mail your payment with name, address, and phone number to: St. Bernard Parish – 202 N. Broadway-PO Box 10 – Albers, IL 62215. **PLEASE RETURN YOUR TICKETS ASAP!**

ST. BERNARD FAITH FORMATION:

Teachers for grades 1, 2, 4 & 5 for the 2019/2020 school year are needed for the Faith Formation Program. If you are interested in helping, please contact Deacon Glenn at 618-772-9343 or email deaconglen36@gmail.com.

COMMUNITY CONCERNS/EVENTS:

St. Francis of Assisi, Aviston: *Quilt Show* on **Sunday, July 21st** in the air conditioned parish center located on 2nd & Clinton Streets from 11:00 am-3:00 pm. Preview 2019 picnic quilts, and the 2019 special quilt, queen and her court. \$3 admission includes refreshments and attendance prizes. quilt tops, baby quilts and baby quilt tops for sale. More information is also available at www.stfrancisav.org.

Damiansville Development Club: *Annual Men's Softball Tournament* on **Friday, July 26th** beginning at 5:00 pm with steak dinner, baked potato & salad (Friday only) for \$12. Other menu items include burgers, chicken, pulled pork, nachos, and fish. **Saturday, July 27th** live music by "One Night Stand". Great food and a variety of canned beer & soda held @ the Development Club Park. **Everyone welcome!!**

St. Mary Church, Trenton: *Church Picnic* on **Saturday, July 27th** from 6:00 pm to midnight (rain or shine). *Mass* at 4:00 pm. *Fried Chicken & Roast Pork Dinner* with all the trimmings including dressing; dine-in from 3:00-6:30 pm in the air conditioned hall and carry outs from 3:00-7:00 pm. Delivery available within city limits, call 224-9274. *Quilt/Cash Bingo* starts at 7:00 pm in the air conditioned hall with one quilt each series (BL-51720). *Inflatables* from 6:00-11:00 pm. *D.J. Music* 7:30-11:30 pm. *Games, Refreshments, & More.*

HSHS St. Joseph's Hospital Breese welcomes the *National Kidney Foundation of Illinois' KidneyMobile®* on **Tuesday, July 30th** @ the Breese Knights of Columbus Hall. A series of free kidney and diabetes screenings will be offered starting at 10:00 am. Screenings will continue until everyone is seen or until 2:00 pm – whichever comes first. Attendance is limited, so an appointment is strongly encouraged. Call the hospital at (618) 526-5336 to schedule. Those walking in without an appointment will receive the next available slot.

St. Boniface Church, Germantown: *Church Picnic* on **Tuesday, July 30th** (always the last Tuesday in July!!) on the church grounds. *Fried Chicken & Roast Pork Dinner* with our famous dressing starting at 3:00 pm served in the A/C cafeteria. *Carry Outs* served from 3:00-7:00 pm. *Quilt/Cash Bingo* at 6:30 pm. Inflatables for the children, popcorn, soda, games, can beer, Nachos, raffles and all your picnic attractions!