

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
August 7, 2022

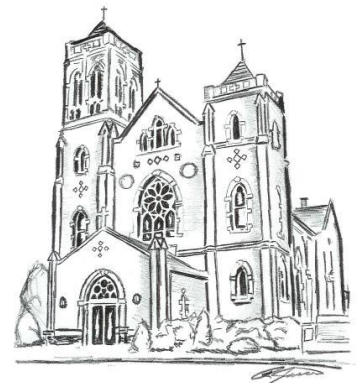


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MASS SCHEDULE:

MONDAY, AUGUST 8th
NO MASS/NO PRAYER SERVICE

TUESDAY, AUGUST 9th
NO MASS/NO PRAYER SERVICE

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10th
8:00 AM Mass @ St. Damian
For All Parishioners

THURSDAY, AUGUST 11th
8:00 AM Mass @ St. Bernard
Fr. Vincent Haselhorst

FRIDAY, AUGUST 12th
NO MASS/SERVICE

SATURDAY, AUGUST 13th
Mass in Church
4:00 PM @ St. Bernard
Delmond & Eleanor Huegen
Cynthia Huegen
Marcel Korte

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14th
Mass in Church
9:30 AM @ St. Damian
John & Alice & Dean Luitjohan
Alvin Toennies

Hispanic Mass in Church & Live Streamed
11:00 AM @ St. Damian

LITURGY OF THE WORD:

Wisdom 18: 6-9; Hebrews 11: 1-2, 8-19; Luke 12: 32-48

The readings from Wisdom and Hebrews look back in time to pivotal events when believers had to put great faith in God. In captivity in Egypt, the Chosen People trusted that the Lord would pass over their homes on the night that the firstborn were slain. Generations before that, Abraham and Sarah left everyone they knew to follow God to the promised land. It is that kind of faith that Jesus tries to instill in his disciples so that they will be ready when he comes again in glory. Let us pray that our own faith may be strengthened as we listen to God's word.

HAPPENINGS/MEETINGS:

Sunday, August 7th

Mass in Church

9:30 am @ St. Damian

Hispanic Mass in Church & Live-Streamed

11:00 am @ St. Damian Church

Monday, August 8th

NO MASS/NO SERVICE

Tuesday, August 9th

NO MASS/NO SERVICE

7:00-8:00 pm @ St. Bernard

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday, August 10th

8:00 am @ St. Damian

Mass at St. Damian

Thursday, August 11th

8:00 am @ St. Bernard

Mass at St. Bernard

Friday, August 12th

NO MASS/NO SERVICE

Saturday, August 13th

Mass in Church

4:00 pm @ St. Bernard

Sunday, August 14th

Mass in Church

9:30 am @ St. Damian

Hispanic Mass in Church & Live-Streamed

11:00 am @ St. Damian Church

Baptism of Hadley Lucille Steinkamp

11:00 am @ St. Bernard

BLESSED THE PEOPLE THE LORD HAS CHOSEN TO BE HIS OWN!

FAITH FORMATION 2022-2023 BEGINS ON MONDAY, AUGUST 22nd FOR BOTH PARISHES.

If you did not register for Faith Formation in either Parish and still need to do so, please contact Deacon Glenn as soon as possible.

The forms are also available on our website:

www.stbernardandstdamian.org.

Questions: Contact Deacon Glenn by phone at 772-9343 or email deaconglenn36@gmail.com.

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FAITH FORMATION TEACHERS NEEDED:

St. Bernard Faith Formation Program is in need of **teachers for Grades 1 & 4** for the 2022-2023 school year. If you are interested in helping, please contact Deacon Glenn at 618-772-9343 or email

deaconglenn36@gmail.com.

If we do not get teachers, we may have to move those grades PSR to Sunday mornings before Mass.

When school begins on August 22, the weekday schedule for Masses will be as follows:

Monday-Prayer Service @ St. Damian @ 7:45

Tuesday-Prayer Service @ St. Bernard @ 7:45

Wednesday-Mass @ St. Damian @ 7:45

Thursday-Mass @ St. Bernard @ 7:45

Knights of Columbus Monthly Drawing Winners

May \$400 - Joe Ottenschnieder

\$ 60 -Dale Gall

\$60- Rex Schomaker

June \$400 - Pete Kassen

\$ 60 - Tom Langenhorst

\$60 -T.J. Rensing

July \$400- Dave Spihlmann

\$ 60- Paul Rickhoff

\$60- Pete Schumacher

Congratulations to all the winners!

The 2022 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal Go and do likewise... -Luke 10:37

Did you know YOUR GIFT to The 2022 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal can be made online? Visit your Belleville Diocese's website at www.diobelle.org and click on "Giving". It's that simple! Every donation – large or small – is needed to continue our diocesan ministry to those in need. We are counting on YOU. Please visit www.diobelle.org today!

ST. DAMIAN PARISH CONCERNS:

CHURCH SUPPORT: July 30th

Loose: \$34.00+ Envelopes (24): \$1,085.00
+ Mass in Spanish: \$575.00 \$1,694.00
Budget for week: \$3,102.00
Fiscal year-to-date collected: \$11,172.25
Fiscal year-to-date budget: \$15,510.00
Over (under) year-to-date budget: **(\$4,337.75)**
Fiscal year (7/22-6/23) budget: \$161,300.00

(**Reminder:** The fiscal year budget **does not** include the \$35,000.00 transferred from: Savings, Building Fund, & Picnic Checking Accounts, which is needed in order to balance the budget.)

Thank you for your faithful and generous support!

MINISTRY SCHEDULE FOR AUGUST 14th

Servers: Ethan & Simon Toennies, Brant Horstmann
Lector: Kathleen Hodges
Organist: Chris Brandmeyer
Cantor: Lauren Cleeton
Ushers: Steve Kalmer, Jerry Arentsen
Eucharistic Minister: Kevin Toennies
Coll. Counters: Anita Rakers, Dave Kassen
Thank you for being ministers of your parish!

PICNIC FINAL REPORT has been sent via email to parishioners and is also available in the back of church and on the Website. Thanks again to all those that helped in any way to make for such a successful year.

RESPECT LIFE CORNER

“We thank you, heroic mothers, for your invincible love! We thank you for your intrepid trust in God and in his love. We thank you for the sacrifice of your life.”
Pope Saint John Paul II, Evangelium vitae
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ST. BERNARD PARISH CONCERNS:

CHURCH SUPPORT: July 31st

Loose: \$146.00
+ Envelopes (25): \$1,385.00 \$1,531.00
Budget for week: \$3,264.00
Fiscal year-to-date collected: \$15,489.00
Fiscal year-to-date budget: \$16,320.00
Over (under) year-to-date budget: **(\$831.00)**
Fiscal year (7/22-6/23) budget: \$169,725.00

(**Reminder:** The fiscal year budget **does not** include the \$28,500.00 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!**

MINISTRY SCHEDULE – August 13th

Servers: Kynley Barth, Alex & Emree Athmer
Lectors: Ray Gill
Cantor: Ann Cannaday
Greeters: Nick & Kathy Friedrich
Eucharistic Minister: Melissa Netemeyer
Coll. Counters: KrisAnne Becker, Lynn Athmer
Thank you for being ministers of your parish!

FEAST OF ST. BERNARD RAFFLE. The prize package is one \$5,000 grand prize and three \$1,000 prizes. The drawing will be held on Saturday, August 20, 2022, after Mass. Please return all tickets by August 15th whether sold or unsold, to the parish office via the collection basket, mail or dropped in the secure lock box on the front porch of the rectory. Thanks so much for supporting St. Bernard's Parish. If you are interested in purchasing a ticket, please call Angie at (618) 322-6096 or finance council member.

St. Bernard's Children's Liturgy of the Word

will be returning on Sunday, September 4th and will continue during the Sunday masses through May. Children in grades pre-k -4th grade are encouraged to participate. Father Steven will gather the children in the front of the altar after the opening prayer. The children and leader will proceed to the church library. Children will listen to the First Reading, Psalm, and Gospel proclaimed from the Children's Lectionary. An age-appropriate reflection on the Word is shared by the adult leader. Children are encouraged to share their thoughts and ideas. Children will pray their Prayers of Intercession and will proceed back to their family at the Presentation of Gifts. If you would like to be a leader or helper, please contact Karen Schroeder (618-691-9038) or Brenda Richter (618-267-1181).

ARE YOU BEING CALLED TO BE A PERMANENT DEACON?

Come and see...Join us in prayers, discussion and information as you discern if God is calling YOU!

The Office of Diaconate Formation of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Belleville is beginning a new cycle of recruitment and preparation of men for the Permanent Diaconate. Formation of the new class for ordination in 2028 will begin with a retreat in August of 2023 to start a period of aspirancy. The initial selection process for this class will begin with a series of "Come and See" events at various parishes around the diocese August through November 2022. You need only attend one gathering. Potential applicants should review the schedule above for the locations and dates of these events in order to take advantage of the opportunity to attend and learn more about the permanent diaconate and the formation program. Applicants must be baptized Catholic men between the age of thirty and 60, active in the parish, and recommended by their pastors. The formal application process will begin in January 2023. Dates: St. Joseph, Olney on Sunday, August 7, St. Francis Xavier, Carbondale, Tuesday, September 13, Belleville Cathedral, October 15, St. Mary, Mt. Vernon on November 16. Contact Fr. Steven Pautler at (618) 722-5043 or email: spautler@diobelle.org.

MUSIC IN THE PARK every Thursday through August 11 at Albers Lehrter Park from 7:00 – 9:00. Bring your lawn chairs and come join us for live entertainment.

ALBERS HOOTENANNY: Sunday, September 4, 2022. Outdoor Mass at 9:30 AM on the stage. Bring lawn chairs. Kickball tournament at 1:00pm. Contact Haley at 618-741-1991 to get your team in! Vendor Fair: 1:00-6:00pm. Concessions open at 11:00am. Inflatables 12:00-6:00pm. LIVE music all day long! \$20 raffle tickets available. Contact Kelsie Kharibian at 618-972-6459. Visit our Facebook page for additional information: Albers Commercial Club.

ST. PATRICKS TIPTON, WATERLOO Annual Chicken dinner and Oral auction to be held on Sunday, August 7, 2022. Mass at 10 AM. Dinner 11-4, Auction beginning at noon. Rummage Sale July 29 & 30 7-12.

BIBLE STUDY! We finally emerge from the COVID Cave and resume Bible study, taught by Deacon Steve, August 10, 7:00 to 8:30 PM in the St. Francis parish center Primary Room 2. It continues for 6 Wednesdays until the final session on Sep 14. We will begin the Book of Judges. If you still have your "Judges and Ruth" pamphlet from last year, please bring it – only a few new ones will be available. All ages are invited. You do not have to commit to any sessions – you may attend any or all of the sessions. Books are free for members of the partnership (St. Francis, St. Rose, & St. Felicitas). All others are asked to pay \$10 for the book. If you have not previously attended, please RSVP to Deacon Steve. E-mail is best (steveaub@ezeeweb.com), but phone is acceptable (228-7936).

ST. GEORGE PARISH PICNIC, New Baden, Saturday, August 13. Chicken & Roast Pork Dinner from 3-7, Mass at 4:00 with The Prairie Travelers, Quilt & Gift Card Bingo-5:45 Lightning Round, 6:30 Bingo. Free children's bounce houses, poker, basket stands, raffle, sandwich stand, beer, wine & soda.

ST. AUGUSTINE, HECKER, Annual Picnic on Saturday, August 20, with Mass at 3:00, Fried Chicken & Pork Sausage Dinner begins at 3:00, 6:30 Quilt Bingo. Music by Pick N an Grin N from 7-11 PM.

WHEN MENTAL ILLNESS HITS HOME, a unique conference for friends and family members who journey with people with mental illness and for professionals in the mental health field. Living in the Now: Moving from Anxiety and Depression to Recovery and Peace. Held at the Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows on August 26, 2022, from 9:00AM – 4 PM. Please call 618-394-6281 for more information or to sign up.

SAVE THE DATE! ALS Golf Scramble-2nd Annual Tee'd Off with ALS, Saturday, October 1, at Roland Barkau Memorial Golf Course in Okawville, IL. All Proceeds go to research to find a cure. Ways to donate include golfing, sponsors, raffle tickets, or monetary donations. For more info go to FB page 2nd Annual Tee'd Off with ALS or contact Melissa Netemeyer @ (618) 691-9413.

CATHOLIC YOUTH MINISTRY (HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS):

Find the latest information at <http://www.stbernardandstdamian.org/catholic-youth-ministry.html>