

July 14, 2019
Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Weekly Mass Schedule

Saturday	July 13	5:00 p.m.	Lawrence Prosser
Sunday	July 14	8:00 a.m.	Msgr. Ken Schaefer
		10:00 a.m.	Norman Becherer
Monday	July 15	8:00a.m	-----
Tuesday	July 16	8:00 a.m.	Jimmy Peyer
Wednesday	July 17	8:00 a.m.	Robert Schaefer
Thursday	July 18	8:00 a.m.	Cath. Extension Donors
Friday	July 19	8:00 p.m.	Rosemary Piantinada
Saturday	July 20	5:00 p.m.	Donald Wild
Sunday	July 21	8:00 a.m.	Michael Westhoff
		10:00 a.m.	Roseann and Ken Renneker

SERVERS

July 20	5:00 p.m.	Tatum and Taylor Stapf, Chase Bernasco
July 21	8:00 a.m.	Owen and Sean Woodcock
	10:00 a.m.	Alaina Lester, Aubrey and Bryce Schaltenbrand

THIS WEEK IN THE PARISH

Sunday	6:00 p.m.	Summer Festival Mtg.
Tuesday	4:30 p.m.	Quilting

CHURCH CONTRIBUTIONS
July 7, 2019

Loose	146.50
Envelopes	4223.00
Assumption of Mary	10.00
Peter's Pence	20.00
Sister Parish	85.00
Building Fund	120.00
Debt Reduction	95.00
School Endowment	32.00
SVDP	15.00
Votive Candles	37.50

LOVING MEANS ACTING

In the First Reading, Moses pleads for us to heed the voice of God. It is not that hard.

In the Gospel, a scholar poses two worthy questions to Jesus. How do I get to heaven? What do I do and with whom do I do it to get there? Jesus tells a story to provoke suitable answers. The Good Samaritan, this good foreigner, puts the natives to shame. He has the right motive, compassion. I causes him to act with mercy?

*When will I set aside time each day to heed God's voice?

*What will I do and not do to keep my sights on heaven?

*Since to love is to act, whom will I treat with mercy today?

PARISH NEWS

Special welcome to our new parishioners, Kyle and Nicole Luechtefeld and their daughter, Reese and son, Chase.

ONLINE GIVING- If you would like to sign up, go to the St. James Home Page and click on the Online Giving link. Thank you.

"NO COW PATTY" BINGO TICKETS –Purchasing **"No Cow Patty Bingo Tickets** gives you an opportunity to win one of 25 prizes. The drawing for the winning square will be at the Summer Festival on August 3. Only \$10 for a ticket and you could be a big winner.

"No Cow Patty" Bingo, Golf Cart tickets and Summer Festival Tickets are available in the rectory.

Signup opportunities for your photo to be taken are available on the St. James Home page or through email. Dates have been slated for July and more will be available later. This is a great opportunity to be included in the St. James Parish Directory. Signup as soon as you can.

SUMMER FESTIVAL-AUGUST 3, 2019
ALL INTERESTED PERSONS PLEASE
COME TO THE SUMMER FESTIVAL
MEETING THIS SUNDAY, JULY 14 AT
6:00 P.M. IN THE PARISH CENTER



The Workers' list will be available at the meeting and on St. James webpage.

Solicitation donations can be placed in the collection basket or brought to the rectory.

We are asking for donations of 2 liter Bottles or 12 ct. cans of soda (popular flavors), 24ct bottled water and garden produce for the Country Store.

All monies may be placed in the collection basket or brought to the rectory.

There is a need for donations of alcoholic beverages for the Wheelbarrow of Spirits raffle. Please bring your donations to the rectory.

Attendance prizes are needed for adults and children, e.g. kid's games, services, cash or script.

Baskets for the Basket Boutique may be brought to the rectory during office hours Monday-Friday (8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.) or on Sunday morning. Baskets are available in the back of church. Basket are due the weekend of July 27-28.



Cake and pie orders for IGA are due July 23rd.

If you have not taken care of your Solicitation, please do as soon as possible.

Thank you for all you are doing to make the Summer Festival a success.

SCHOOL NEWS

If you need to meet with the principal, Mr. Kidd, please call the school office 476-3510

OVER 50 CLUB

The members will be going to the Senior Center on July 16 (Fried Chicken), July 18 (Generals Chicken), July 23 (Mostaccioli) and on July 25 (Baked Ham). If you plan to attend please call Darleen at 476-1542 or the Senior Center 476-3731.

Need some good summer reading/reflection this summer? Subscribe to **The Messenger** at 233-8670. To subscribe online go to: www.bellevillemessenger.org.

The Belleville Council of St. Vincent de Paul is in need of bottled water and Gatorade (or similar drinks). Please bring these to the rectory and they will be delivered to SVDP office in E. St. Louis.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! JULY 23RD! Believing in Jesus Christ doesn't make us immune to the struggle of sin in our lives. We stumble and fall, then collapse in the love and grace of our Lord's forgiveness. But what about the murderer of serial

killer? Does the grace of God reach into the darkened walls of a maximum security, where men and women are condemned and sentenced to live the rest of their lives behind bars? Our brother, Tom Braun will describe the life changing experience of serving Christ at the Menard Penitentiary through the Kairos Prison Ministry. Kairos is a Greek word meaning "God's Special Time," and the 4 day program is an opportunity for the inmates to embrace the love, mercy, grace and transformation forgiveness. Tom's stories and songs will re-create the faithfulness of the Holy Spirit.

Where: SS Peter and Paul, Waterloo, Adult Faith Formation House

When: Tuesday, July 23rd from 7:15-8:15 p.m.
No need to RSVP

A Pilgrimage of Peace to the Holy Land

Co-sponsored by: Catholic Relief Service in the Diocese of Belleville, The Messenger, and Aquinas Institute of Theology

12 Days: November 30-December 11, 2020
Pilgrimage Director: Rev. Sean Martin, M.A.S.T.L. S.T.D. Group coordinator: Ms. Cheryl Sommer-CRS Diocesan Animator for the Belleville Diocese. Pricing, Color Brochure and Registration available after Feb. 11, 2020. For more info contact Cheryl Sommer 234-1166 or email crsdibelle@gmail.com.

SPRITUAL/ENRICHMENT OPPORTUNITIES

*Novena to Our Lady of the Snows. Shrine. July 28-Aug. 5. Mass begins at 7:30 p.m. Special music, Scripture reflection and prayers. Each evening concludes with candlelight rosary procession.

SOCIALS, FESTIVALS AND MORE

- *Picnic. St. Bruno, Pinckneyville. July 20. Raffle tickets are available on the bulletin board.
- *Rummage Sale. St. Agatha Parish Center. July 18 9-7PM. July 19. 9-7PM. July 20. 9 AM-noon. \$4 Brown Bag Day.
- *Quilt Show. St. Francis of Assisi Parish Center, Aviston. July 20 and 21. 11AM-3PM. \$3 fee.
- *Rummage Sale. St. Patrick Tipton. July 26 and 27. 7AM-noon. In rectory basement.
- *Chicken Plate Dinner/Auction. St. Patrick, Tipton. Aug. 4. Mass 10AM. Dinner 11AM-4PM. Auction beginning at noon.