

SAINT JULIE BILLIART

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

St. Julie Billiart is a welcoming Roman Catholic community that deepens our personal relationship with Jesus Christ by worshipping together, reaching out to others and building up the Kingdom of God.

April 26, 2020

PASTOR: Rev. George A. Vrabel

Deacons: Rev. Mr. John Rivera

Rev. Dr. Ken DeLuca, retired

PSR Principal: Kelly Reed

Music Director: Danny O'Brien

LITURGY SCHEDULE

All Masses Are Suspended

Saturday.....5:00 p.m.

Sunday.....9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m.

Weekday Masses at the Chapel

Monday-Friday.....8:30 a.m.

(Excluding Thursdays)

Holydays.....Consult the Bulletin

For updates check St. Julie's Website

CONFESSIONS

Saturdays.....4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

(Cancelled)

PSR - PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES

All Classes Are Suspended Until
Further Notice.

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH MINISTRY

Grades 9 - 12: 11:45 a.m. Sundays (CANCELLED)

RCIA & RCIC (Rite of Christian Initiation
of Adults and Children)

BAPTISMS

Call or email the office.

MARRIAGE

Arrangements must be made 6 months
in advance

NEW PARISHIONERS

You are welcome to call the office
or register on line.



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SUNDAY OF EASTER

Then the two recounted what had taken place on the way and how he was made known to them in the breaking of bread. —Lk 24:35

From the Desk of Father George

Greetings Parishioners and friends of St. Julie's,

On this Third Sunday of Easter, the wonderful Emmaus Gospel recounts how the disciples recognized Jesus in the breaking of the bread. We too are called to have our eyes opened and be filled with enthusiasm for our faith, our church and our sacraments.

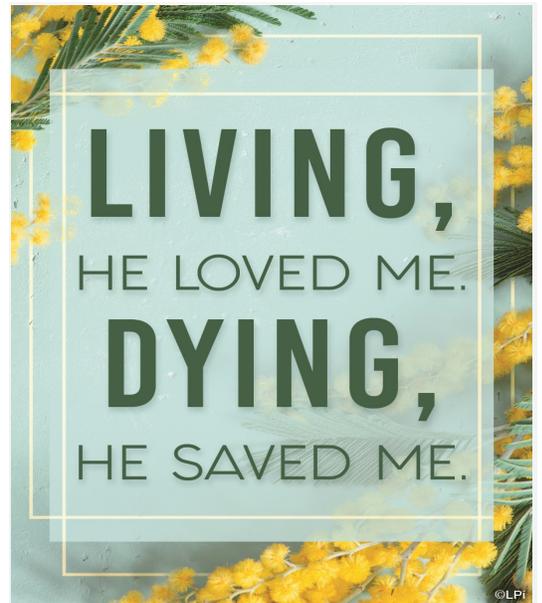
As the weeks go on during this pandemic, I find myself checking a calendar to see what day it is or repeatedly opening my desk calendar hoping there is something to do. My guess is that it is the same for many of us! This would have normally been an exciting time of the year with First Communion, Confirmation and the nearness of summer vacation, graduations, and all sorts of activities. Currently all things are still on hold. It is my understanding that the Bishops of Ohio will soon be offering some guidelines for churches that will be in line with those that Governor DeWine is issuing. Meanwhile, stay home... stay healthy, and remember to pray for those who have died and those on the front lines providing for others.

As spring and the Easter Season continue, they are both opportunities to see all things new. The fresh foliage and the greening lawns can be reminders of our budding forth in God's love. In two weeks we celebrate Mother's Day. The gift of life we have come from God through them. And yet, there are many women who have loved and cared for us. They too are mothers in many ways. Take a moment to give thanks for those who have loved you. Where would we be without them! Thank you, you are all very special.

Fr. George

I want to sincerely thank all parishioners and non-parishioners alike who are able to support St. Julie's. I am overwhelmed by the creative ways your contributions are showing up at the office... from the one dollar bill that was in the mail slot, the drop off envelopes, those coming in the mail, the distributions from IRA's, the on-line donations and even the children's envelopes that come through the mail slot. THANK YOU for keeping St. Julie's afloat during this time!

And remember, if there is anything we can do for you... please call!



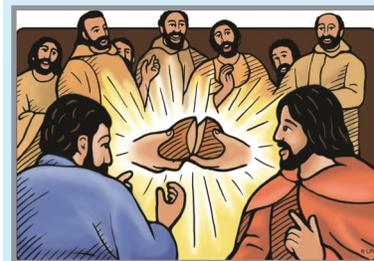
Prayer During A Health Crisis

Compassionate and Loving Father,
In the face of confusion and concern
impart to us the calm of your presence.
In You allow us to find hope and healing.
Be with those who serve the sick and
give them Your caring hands.
Be with those who lead and give them
Your Spirit of wisdom.
Be with those who have fallen ill and give
them Your comforting heart.
Wrap your arms around our world
and hold us in your love.
Allow us at this time of trial to then
serve as instruments of that love to all
we meet.

We ask this in Your Name.

Amen.

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They set out at once and returned to Jerusalem where they

found gathered together the eleven and those with them who were saying, "The Lord has truly been raised and has appeared to Simon!" Then the two recounted what had taken place on the way and how he was made known to them in the breaking of bread. - Lk 24:33-35



Religious Education (all classes are suspended)

PSR - Parish School of Religion, Pre K - 8th grades (Sundays, 9:00 a.m.)
FLY - Faithfully Leading Youth - St. Julie's High School Youth Ministry
 Grades 9 - 12 (Sundays, 11:45 a.m.)



the health of, and caregivers of:
 Fr. George, Shelley Frameli (daughter of Tony Frameli), Nathan Sears (grandson of Donna Lis), Mary Begany, Marian Juskiewicz, Larry Kolarik (brother of Linda Koch), Ruth Geierman, Ginny Umpirowicz, Dolores Rivera, Elaine Klepek, Terry Flanagan, Alma Hamilton, JoAnne Bellomo, John Murphy, Patrick Tinics, June Seman, Jerry Moran, Carol Polak, Irene Kollin, Regula Family, Sondra Jirousek, Carol Straub; for the repose of the soul of William Selee, father of Mark Selee; for the repose of the soul of Rev. Arcangelo Manzi, O.de.M.; for our men & women in uniform, our police, firefighters, doctors and nurses; and for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life.

Prayer to St. Michael
 Saint Michael, the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, O prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God, thrust into Hell Satan and the other evil spirits who prowl about the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.

Pope Leo XIII (1810-1903)



If You Grew Up in the '50s....

- Pasta had not been invented. It was macaroni or spaghetti.
- Curry was a surname.
- Pizza? Sounds like a leaning tower somewhere.
- Bananas and oranges only appeared at Christmas time.
- All chips were plain.
- A Big Mac was what we wore when it was raining.
- Brown bread was something only poor people ate.
- Tea was made in a teapot using tea leaves and never green.
- Chickens didn't have fingers in those days.
- Healthy food consisted of anything edible.
- Cooking outside was called camping.
- Kebab' was not even a word, never mind a food.
- Pineapples came in chunks in a tin; we had only ever seen a picture of a real one.
- Water came out of the tap.
- The one thing that we never had on at our table in the fifties...was elbows, hats and phones!

Everyday Stewardship - Recognize God In Your Ordinary Moments Mean What You Say

Missouri is known as the "Show Me" state. There seem to be differing points of view as to how this motto came into existence, but today it is said to speak of a people who operate with common sense and are not easily fooled by slick-talking or show. We would be prudent to adopt such a disposition ourselves. To be this way is not really like St. Thomas in the Gospel when he doubts what he clearly sees right in front of him. It is more about holding ourselves to a standard explained in another motto: "Say what you mean and mean what you say."

If we claim to be Christians, disciples of the risen Jesus, then those around us should be able to tell by our actions. Can someone truly be a disciple of Jesus and not be a good steward of all he has given? Jesus makes himself known to us continually in the Holy Eucharist. When we come together to break bread at Mass, Jesus shows us his love by becoming truly present to us. He is willing to show us. What are we in turn willing to show him?

Every day, Jesus calls us to respond in some way. Our response shows whether we are who we claim: his disciples. I am pretty sure Jesus is not from Missouri, but I know he is not fooled by our half-truths and misguided intentions. He also means what he says and says what he means. Shouldn't his disciples do the same?

—Tracy Earl Welliver, MTS ©LPi

What Next?

God was talking to one of his angels and said, "Do you know what I have just done? I've just created a 24-hour period of alternating light and darkness on Earth. Isn't that great?"

The angel said, "Yes, but what will you do now?"

God said, "I think I'll call it a day."

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Parish Stewardship

April 19: Envelopes used: 54 (out of 688 mailed)	\$2010
Online Giving: Envelopes used: 10	\$275
Children's	\$0
School Subsidy	\$0
Capital Improvement	\$45
Net Offertory	\$2330

Thank you for sharing your blessings.

A Prayer For Healing In The Midst Of The Corona Virus Pandemic



Jesus Christ, Healer of All, stay by our side in this time of uncertainty and sorrow.

Be with those who have died from the virus. May they be at rest with You in Your eternal peace.

Be with the families of those who are sick or have died. As they worry and grieve, defend them from illness and despair. May they know your peace.

Be with the doctors, nurses, researchers and all medical professionals who seek to heal and help those affected and who put themselves at risk in the process. May they know your protection and peace.

Be with the leaders of all nations. Give them the foresight to act with charity and true concern for the well-being of the people they are meant to serve. Give them the wisdom to invest in long-term solutions that will help prepare for or prevent future outbreaks. May they know your peace, as they work together to achieve it on Earth.

Whether we are home or abroad, surrounded by many people suffering from this illness or only a few, Jesus Christ, stay with us as we endure and mourn, persist and prepare. In place of our anxiety, give us your peace.

Jesus Christ, heal us.

Written by: Kerry Weber, executive editor for America Magazine

Prayers of the Faithful

Like David, we abide in confidence in the Lord for we trust that God will never abandon us. Therefore we address God with our needs and the needs of all.

- For the Church, that like the early disciples we may testify sincerely to Christ's power over sin and death and his promise of salvation to all humanity, we pray. . .
- For our Holy Father, Pope Francis and for the Church of Cleveland that the Holy Spirit will give all leaders a spirit of wisdom and counsel to discern God's will, we pray. . .
- For those who hold public office, that they may empathize with those whom they serve, especially those who are the least well-off and most vulnerable, we pray. . .
- For farmers and farmworkers, who plant the seeds and tend the seedlings that will grow and bear fruit that will nourish and delight us, we pray. . .
- For all those who have been or will be baptized during this Easter season, that they may be outward signs of the faith of their families, friends, and communities, we pray. . .
- For all of those affected by the Corona Virus especially the health care workers, the fire and police, all essential workers, the victims, and all of the families that are grieving, we pray. . .

For the recently deceased William Selee, father of Mark Selee and those listed in the Book of Resurrection, we pray. . .

For all the prayers that we hold in the silence of our hearts; for all our intentions spoken and unspoken, we pray. . .

Prayer to End Abortion

Lord God, I thank you today for the gift of my life. I rejoice that you have conquered death by the Resurrection of Your Son, Jesus. I beg you to spare the lives of all the unborn babies that are in danger of abortion. Through Christ our Lord, Amen.

20/20 is considered perfect vision. Maybe God is using 2020 for us to see clearly He's in charge and the only one who can help us!



Puzzle

What letter **begins** each picture name? Circle the beginning letter. Then color the pictures.

	F	F	E	T
	S	C	R	S
	C	R	O	C

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Mission for the Week

I will say, "I'll be glad to help. Tell me what to do first."

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Growing with the GOSPEL

My Family and Me

Luke 24:13-35 ■ 3rd Sunday of Easter

CYCLE A



Read the Gospel and Color



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Sharing the Gospel

Pretend Jesus is at your home. He sits at the dinner table with your whole family. He breaks bread with you. He fills each cup with a drink. He plays with you and helps you with your homework. He tells you that he loves you. You thank him for the food and ask him to bless your family. Jesus says, "I've got to go, but I'll remain in your heart forever."



Prayer

Lord, help me show others that I am a Christian by my words and actions.

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Something to Draw

Draw Jesus and two men walking and talking together on the road to Emmaus.

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Puzzle

Unscramble words from today's Gospel:

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|---------|----------|---------|
| Emmaus | Christ | village |
| talking | Moses | bread |
| Cleopas | Prophets | Simon |

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- Pohprets _____
- vliagel _____
- taklign _____
- Crihts _____
- berda _____
- Clapoes _____
- Mesos _____
- Sonim _____

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Mission for the Week

Pack a bag with some snacks and your Bible, and take a long walk with your family. When you stop to eat your snacks, read your favorite story about Jesus.

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Growing with the GOSPEL



Luke 24:13-35 ■ 3rd Sunday of Easter

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Sharing the Gospel

Even though he had risen from the dead, two of Jesus' friends had not seen him yet. These men were still sad and confused. Imagine their surprise when Jesus walked with them, explained the Scriptures about the Savior, and then broke bread for a meal. They saw him alive!



Prayer

Jesus, when I am sad or confused, help me to remember that you are alive and with me always.

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Something to Draw

Draw a picture of Jesus walking with you on a long road.

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