

ST. STEPHEN CATHOLIC CHURCH

1300 NE J Street, Bentonville, AR 72712

October 21, 2018

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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HEBREWS 4:16, KJV

Weekday Mass (In the Chapel)

Tuesday NO Mass 5:30pm
Wednesday NO Mass 12:00pm
Thursday NO Mass 8:30am
Friday Mass 12:00pm

Saturday Vigil & Sunday Masses

Saturday 5:00pm
Sunday 7:45am & 10:00am
Sunday 11:45am – Spanish
Sunday 5:00pm – Life Teen

Please note: Any changes to the regular Mass schedule will be posted inside the bulletin.

Reconciliation/Reconciliación

Every Saturday/Cada Sábado
Bilingual/Bilingüe 3:30–4:30pm
30 minutes before each Weekday
Mass/30 minutos antes de cada Misa
de los días entre semana

No hay reconciliación los domingos

Bulletin Deadline

Tuesday by 12:00pm (5 days prior to the publication date of the bulletin). Drop off or e-mail articles to the parish office.

Catholic Marriage

Marriage preparation required. Contact the Pastor at least nine months in advance. Two additional months' notice is needed for a wedding in another country.

Membership

We extend our hands and hearts in Christian Fellowship. Longtime residents or newly arrived, contact the parish office to register.

RCIA

Sessions open to those interested in learning about or renewing their connection to the Catholic Faith.

Infant Baptism

Contact the parish office to schedule. Baptism preparation required. Parents need to be registered members of St. Stephen.

No baptisms in December.

Kids/Youth Faith Formation

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9:00am–12:00pm September–May

The month of November is dedicated to the Poor Souls in Purgatory – On all the days from November 1 through 8 inclusive, a plenary indulgence, applicable only to the Poor Souls, is granted to those who visit a cemetery and pray, Indulgences draw from the spiritual treasury of the Church, offering the souls spiritual graces for the remission of the temporal punishment due to their sins which have been forgiven. Indulgences are prayers or actions which merit the reduction of temporal punishment due to make reparation, healing the wounds of the past. In obtaining these indulgences a person, properly disposed, applies these from the treasury of satisfactions of Christ and the saints, which may be either partial or plenary. The requirements are: 1) Sacramental Confession: 2) Eucharistic Communion: 3) Prayer for the intention of the Pontiff; this condition is fully satisfied by reciting one Creed, Our Father and one Hail Mary. It is further required that all Attachment to Sin, even venial sin, be absent for a plenary indulgence. If this disposition is in any way less than perfect or if the prescribed three conditions are not fulfilled, the indulgence will be partial only.

Prayer for your dear ones in Purgatory

O most gentle Heart of Jesus, ever present in the Blessed Sacrament, ever consumed with burning love for the poor captive souls in Purgatory, have mercy on the souls of our departed friends and relatives (especially those who were near and dear to us in life). Bring them far from the shadow of exile to the bright home of Heaven where, we trust, You and Your Blessed Mother have woven for them a crown of unfading bliss. Amen

All Saints/All Souls Day Mass Times – All Saints Day is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass times at St. Stephen for All Saints/All Souls Day:



- Wednesday, October 31 – All Saints Vigil Mass in English at 5:30pm
- Thursday, November 1 – All Saints Mass in English at Noon and 5:30pm
- Thursday, November 1 – All Saints Mass in Spanish at 7:00pm
- Friday, November 2 – All Souls Mass in English at Noon
- Friday, November 2, Todos los Fieles Mass in Spanish at 7:00pm

Ministers, We need Your Help! There are many needs in the ministry schedule for this upcoming quarter. If you are a trained minister and are able to serve any of these times, please call or email the parish office.

- ♦ Sunday, November 25, 10:00am – 1 Usher
- ♦ Saturday, December 8 (Immaculate Conception), 10:00am – 2 Ushers
- ♦ **Monday, December 24 (Christmas Eve), 4:00pm – 2 Ushers**
- ♦ **Monday, December 24 (Christmas Eve), 6:00pm – 2 Cup Ministers, Head Eucharistic Minister, 6 Ushers**
- ♦ **Monday, December 24 (Christmas Eve), 8:00pm – 2 Cup Ministers, 3 Ushers, 1 Altar Server, Lock-Up**
- ♦ **Tuesday, December 25 (Christmas Day), 10:00am – 1 Cup Minister, 2 Ushers**
- ♦ Sunday, December 30, 5:00pm Life Teen – 2 Ushers

El mes de noviembre está dedicado a Las pobres Almas del Purgatorio – Desde el 1º de noviembre hasta el 8 de noviembre todos los días inclusive, una indulgencia plenaria, únicamente aplica a las pobres almas, se concede a aquellos que visitan un cementerio y rezan, las indulgencias se extraen del tesoro espiritual de la Iglesia, ofreciendo gracias espirituales a las almas para la remisión completa de la pena temporal que se debe por sus pecados cuya culpa ya ha sido perdonada. Las indulgencias son oraciones o acciones un merito de reducción de la pena temporal que se debe reparar, sanar las heridas del pasado. Al obtener estas indulgencias ya sea parcial o plenaria una persona, bien dispuesta, aplica esto desde el tesoro de satisfacciones de Cristo y de los santos. Los requisitos son: 1) Confesión Sacramental, 2) Comunión Eucarística, 3) Oración por las intenciones del Sumo Pontífice; esta condición es satisfactoria con solo recitar el Credo, un Padre Nuestro y un Ave María. Además es necesario, que todo apego al pecado, incluso el pecado venial, esté ausente a la indulgencia plenaria. Si esta disposición es de alguna manera menos perfecta o si no se cumplen las tres condiciones prescritas, la indulgencia será solamente parcial.

Oración por sus seres queridos en el Purgatorio

Oh más generoso Corazón de Jesús, que siempre estas presente en el Santísimo Sacramento, siempre consumido por el ardiente amor de las almas pobres cautivas del Purgatorio, ten piedad de las almas de nuestros amigos y familiares (especialmente los que estuvieron cerca y fueron muy queridos por nosotros en la vida). Llévalos lejos de la sombra del exilio, llévalos al hogar luminoso del cielo donde, confiamos, Tú y Tu Santísima Madre han tejido para ellos una corona inmarcesible de Felicidad. Amen

RCIA Calendar – October 24 session will be on Study of Scripture led by Deacon Pate. RCIA meets every Wednesday night at 7:00pm in the St. Jerome room.

Saint Procession will be prior to the 10:00am Mass on Sunday, October 28. All children 6th grade and under are invited to dress up as their favorite saints. A prop of some kind will be useful—for example a stuffed animal for St. Francis of Assisi to hold or a fishing pole for St. Andrew. Please email Suzanne or sign up in the education wing if you plan to participate.

Procesión de Santo – Habrá una Procesión de Santos antes de la misa de 10:00am el domingo, 28 de octubre. Todos los niños del grado 6º y menos están invitados a vestirse como su Santo favorito. Un objeto de algún tipo será útil, por ejemplo un animal de peluche para San Francisco de Asís para celebrar o una caña de pescar para San Andrés. Por favor envía Suzanne un correo electrónico o regístrate en el area de educación si usted planea participar.

St. Stephen Nursery has an opening for a part time Nursery Director. The qualifications for this position include: Experience with children, safe environment and CPR trained, and 21 years old or older. Must be available evenings. Pay is \$15/hour. If interested, please contact the parish at ststephen@ststephenbentonville.com.

11th Annual Columbarium All Souls Special Blessing – The Columbarium Committee will be hosting the annual All Souls Blessing on Sunday, October 28, immediately after the 11:45am Spanish Mass. All families with loved ones interred in the St. Stephen Columbarium are invited to attend.

11^o Bendición Especial Anual del Columbario para Todas las Almas (Difuntos) – El Comité del Columbario presentara una bendición anual de Todas las Almas el domingo, 28 de octubre, inmediatamente despues de la Misa de 11:45am. Todas las familias con queridos enterrados en el Columbario San Esteban están invitados a asistir.

Halloween Carnival – On Tuesday, October 30, from 5:00-7:00pm we will be hosting our annual Halloween Carnival in the Family Life Center. Come join us for games, crafts, contests, raffles and treats.

Carnaval de Halloween – Estaremos organizando nuestro Carnaval anual de Halloween en el Centro de Vida Familiar el martes, 30 de octubre, de las 5 de la tarde hasta las 7 de la noche. Vengan y diviertanse con nosotros, habra juegos, artesanías, concursos, rifas y golosinas.

Bingo Night (Mission Trip Fundraiser) – We will host a Bingo Night Saturday, October 27 from 6:30 to 9:00pm. We will have concessions, cash prizes, and a 50/50 raffle. All proceeds benefit the St. Stephen Youth Mission Trip.

Parish News – St. Stephen is now registered at Amazon Smile! Amazon donates 0.5% of the price of your eligible AmazonSmile purchases to the charitable organization of your choice. AmazonSmile is the same Amazon you know with the same products, prices, and service. Support your charitable organization by shopping at smile.amazon.com/ch/71-0339061.

Guardian Angels of the Blessed Sacrament is a ministry integrated by people called Adorers. Adorers make a commitment to be before the Blessed Sacrament for an hour every Thursday. You will spend time praying, meditating, telling God your worries, joys and asking for blessings. Without knowing, you become a Guardian Angel of the Blessed Sacrament before Him. In the presence of the Blessed Sacrament you make sure that nobody is going to hurt Him or do something inappropriate, assuring that He won't be alone. To be part of this ministry, we have time slots available at 10:00am, 3:00pm, and 4:00pm. Please call the parish to sign-up or for additional information.

Helping Hands – Volunteers Needed – Saturday, November 3 is set aside for St. Stephen parishioners to volunteer at Helping Hands. Volunteers are needed for morning and afternoon shifts (8:00am-noon and noon-4:00pm). Duties are working the sales floor, running the cash registers, and unloading donations at the back dock. Please arrive a few minutes early for training. Adults and teenagers are encouraged to volunteer and Confirmation candidates can get community volunteer hours. Please prayerfully consider giving your time. For information, or to volunteer, contact Tracy Sullivan at ts922@att.net or (479)426-0383.

St. Stephen Benevolent Conference (SSBC) – In the Gospel today Jesus tells his disciples: "Anyone among you who aspires to greatness must serve the rest; whoever wants to rank first among you must serve the needs of all." When you give the furniture, household items and clothing you no longer use to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, you give hope to your neighbors who have nothing. SSBC is having a food drive. Grocery bags with a list of food pantry needs will be handed out after Mass this weekend. The food will be collected next weekend, October 27-28 at the food pantry building. SSBC thanks you for your generosity.

Knights of Columbus (K of C) News – If you bought gift cards, you can pick them up after all the Masses the weekend of October 26-27. Thank you for your support to help reduce out building debit.

American Wheelchair Mission – Your K of C are teaming with the Knights of Springdale to support the American Wheelchair Mission. The organization is headed up by Chris Lewis son of Jerry Lewis. They are able to purchase \$500 wheelchairs for \$150 & donate them to people throughout the USA & Central America who are in dire need to become mobile. Please take an envelope (located on the information table across from the office), fill it out and mail to the American Wheelchair Mission. Any donation is appreciated. Any questions, contact Ed Viera at godwal5@aol.com.

One Church – We invite you to join the Diocese of Little Rock's newest initiative. One Church: Unite Arkansas in Faith and Mission supports a rural mission in our diocese that needs a leg up to become a thriving community. This year's partner is St. Luke Church in Warren, a growing congregation in Southeast Arkansas whose decaying, older building can no longer accommodate them. Pray for the success of this project and give today at dolr.org/article/one-church-help-local-parishes-need.

Una Iglesia – Los invitamos a que se unan a la iniciativa más reciente de la Diócesis de Little Rock. Una Iglesia: Uniendo Arkansas en Fe y Misión apoya a una misión rural en nuestra diócesis que necesite un empujoncito para convertirse en una comunidad próspera. El colaborador de este año es la Iglesia de San Lucas en Warren, una creciente congregación en el Sureste de Arkansas cuyo edificio viejo y decadente ya no tiene espacio para ellos. Ruegue por el éxito de este proyecto y done hoy en dolr.org/article/one-church-help-local-parishes-need-spanish.

Encounters of Youth Promotion (Encuentros de Promoción Juvenil - EPJ) is a Catholic young adult (ages 18-27) experience of service and evangelization in which each participant experiences a process of conversion within the dynamics of the triple encounter: with him/herself, others and God. It is presented in Spanish. The cost is \$110. To apply, download and return the application form with the fee to the address provided. For information, contact Sr. Ana Luisa Diaz Vazquez, MCP, associate director of Hispanic youth ministry, at (501)664-0340, ext. 320.

Church Operations for October

Month-to-Date - \$ 51,838.97
****Loan Balance - \$ 2,116,113.80**

True holiness is found in serving one another and giving ourselves as Jesus, even sharing in His suffering. With a grateful spirit of charity let us continue to support the work of the Church by our generous support of our volunteer time, and financial resources.

Revenue	Month-to-Date	Monthly Goal
Stewardship and Other	\$ 66,976.37	\$ 117,000
Building Fund	\$ 17,194.13	\$ 23,000

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, October 20
 5:00pm Alfred Joseph Mariotti †
Sunday, October 21
 7:45am Parishioners/Feligreses
 10:00am Nicholas LaChance
 11:45am Claudia Turcios y Familia
 5:00pm Tom Greeson †
Tuesday, October 23
 5:30pm NO MASS
Wednesday, October 24
 12:00pm NO MASS
Thursday, October 25
 8:30am NO MASS
Friday, October 26
 12:00pm Ann Thiele †
Saturday, October 27
 5:00pm Christine Dellinger †
Sunday, October 28
 7:45am The Glory Family
 10:00am Ben Birchem †
 11:45am Parishioners/Feligreses
 5:00pm Mark Kugler †

SCRIPTURE READINGS for 10/28/18

Jeremiah 31:7-9
 Psalm 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6
 Hebrews 5:1-6
 Mark 10:46-52

This Week – 10/22/18 to 10/28/18

Mon: 5:30pm LT – Monday Night Drop-In
 Mon: 6:00pm IMPACT
 Mon: 6:30pm CK Yellow Class
 Tue: 5:30pm **NO MASS**
 Tue: 6:30pm Choir Practice
 Tue: 6:30pm Ministerio Amor y Respeto
 Tue: 7:00pm Spanish Choir
 Wed: 12:00pm **NO MASS**
 Wed: 12:30pm Legion of Mary
 Wed: 6:00-8:00pm EDGE 7th / 8th
 Wed: 6:30-8:00pm LT Bible Study
 Wed: 7:00-8:00pm RCIA
 Thu: 8:30am **NO MASS**
 Thu: 9:00am-9:00pm Eucharist Adoration
 Thu: 9:30-11:30am Mujeres de Fe
 Thu: 6:30pm Guadalupe Play Practice
 Fri: 10:15-11:30am Women’s Scripture
 Fri: 12:00pm **MASS**
 Sat: 3:30-4:30pm Bilingual Reconciliation
 Sat: 5:00pm **MASS**
 Sat: 6:30pm Bingo Night –Mission Trip Fundraiser
 Sun: 7:45am **MASS**
 Sun: 8:45-9:45am CK Class
 Sun: 10:00am **MASS – Saint Procession**
 Sun: 11:45am **MASS – Spanish/Español**
 Sun: 12:45pm Columbarium Blessing
 Sun: 5:00pm **MASS – Life Teen**
 Sun: 6:00pm LT – Life Night

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October 27 – 28	Lectors	EMC - Host	EMC - Cup	EMC -Head Minister	Usher	Lock-Up	Altar Server	Sacristan
Saturday, 5:00 PM	Bob Monfils	Ron Brophy Kim Dial Pam Gander Jane Cornell Joyce Moppin	Jon Terlouw Lori Terlouw Philip Palmer Janet Palmer Amy Fulmer Mo Tignor	Kim Monfils	Gary VanOvershelde Dave Brandenburg Joseph Giovanni	Joseph Giannucci	Katie Palmer Sarah Palmer Beverley Harrington	Kim Monfils
Sunday, 7:45 AM	Pat Moberley	Bob Mader Brenda Kleck Gary Kleck	Susan Eagleson Amanda Cantu Peggy Estes Robbie Estes	Not Filled	Karen Howard Geri Oswald Len Oswald		Hans Edlund Katrina Edlund Nicholas Glory	Barb Hamernik
Sunday, 10:00 AM	Maria Mendez Paul Prebil	Steve Harrington Ted Brauburger Thomas Ganey James Sutton Charlotte Champagne	Krista Dooley Pamm Prebil Claudia Garcia Bonnie Kupillas TJ LaPlant Dayna Mohr	Theresa Brauburger	Ken Butler Tim Koch Brian Rabal		Audrey Dooley Emily Dooley Trinity Dooley	Ted Brauburger
Sunday 11:45 AM Spanish / Español	Arsenia Flores Fernando Barbosa	Beatriz Aguirre Eva Miramon Emilia Ortiz	Ivan Sanabria Crimilda Viera Carmen Sepulveda Maria Elena Calderon	Mirna Serrano	Martha Mendoza Antonio Sanchez Marugel Monzalvo		Brayan Miramon Isaac Barbosa Erick Chavez Karen Chavez	Ivan Sanabria
Sunday, 5:00 PM Life Teen		Susan Davis Chris Davis	Melanie Ray Terry Shepard	Cary Richard	Joe Poe		Jack Corey Anna Watson Tristen Watson	Cary Richard