ST. STEPHEN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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July 14, 2019

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Arkansas only Pro-Life Camp Joshua 2019 planned for July 26-28! If you know a teen who has an interest in making a difference for life Camp Joshua is the place where they will spend a weekend learning about the issues of abortion, euthanasia, infanticide while enjoying Cross Heirs Lodge, eating great food, playing pool and meeting new friends from around the state who share their love for life! Cost per student is \$100. Registration opens June 1ST. To register or for information visit <u>campioshuaar.com</u>. Limited scholarships available. Sponsored by Arkansas Right to Life 501-663-4237 or artl4237@att.net.

The Catholic Diocese of Little Rock is committed to protecting children and young people. If you are aware of abuse or have been abused by clerics, church volunteers, or church workers, please contact the State of Arkansas Hotline for Crimes against Children at 1-800-482-5964 and the Chancellor for Canonical Affairs, Dc. Matthew A. Glover, 501-664-0340 ext. 361. For pastoral assistance please contact the Victim Assistance Coordinators for the Diocese of Little Rock: Dr. George or Dr. Sherry Simon at 501-664-0340, ext. 425. Diocese of Little Rock, 2500 N. Tyler Street, Little Rock, AR 72207.

La Diócesis Católica de Little Rock está comprometida a proteger a los niños y jóvenes. Si usted está enterado de algún abuso o ha sido abusado por clérigos, voluntarios o funcionarios de la Iglesia, por favor comuníquese a la Línea de Ayuda del Estado de Arkansas para Crímenes contra Niños al 800-482-5964 y con el Canciller para Asuntos Canónicos, Diác. Matthew A. Glover 501-664-0340, ext. 361. Para asistencia pastoral, por favor comuníquese con los: Coordinadores de Asistencia para Víctimas de la Diócesis de Little Rock Dr. George Simon o Dra. Sherry Simon 501-664-0340, ext. 425. Diócesis de Little Rock, 2500 N. Tyler Street, Little Rock, AR 72207.

Taste of Faith (Benefiting the Seminarian Fund) is a fundraising dinner to help pay for seminar education in the Diocese of Little Rock. In addition to a meal, attendees are treated to musical entertainment, testimonies & talks from the diocesan vocations director and our bishop. Estimated cost to the diocese is \$36,000 a year to educate one man per year. The dinner will be Saturday, August 3 at the Four Points by Sheraton in Bentonville. No cost to attend but you are asked to make a donation during the evening. Reservations required, if you are interested please contact Dianne Brady at 501-664-0340 or dbrady@dolr.org.

St. Vincent de Paul Catholic School in Rogers is seeking an elementary teacher starting immediately. Candidate must be active in their Catholic faith and have a current elementary teaching license. Salary is commensurate with experience and education. Benefits package includes health, dental, 403(b) eligibility, and tuition remission. Interested candidates should contact Alice Stautzenberger, Principal at (479) 636-4421 or stautzenbergera@svdpschool.net.

Retreat in Daily Life "Ignatius Transposed" - Longing to go on a retreat but can't leave home? Consider one of two retreats being offered in your area this year - Retreat in Daily Life or Ignatius Transposed, each a 30-week retreat experience based on the teachings of St. Ignatius of Loyola. For information contact Alice Nahas, anahas@me.com or Lainie Snider, lainiesnider@gmail.com.

Campamento de Pro-Vida 2019 en Arkansas el 26, 27, y 28 de julio. Sabe de algun joven que tiene interés en hacer diferencia a favor de la vida? El Campamento Joshua es el lugar en donde estarán un fin de semana; aprendiendo sobre los problemas del aborto, y eutanasia mientras disfrutan de una gran comida, jugando al billar y conociendo a nuevos amigos de todo el estado que comparten su amor por la vida! El costo por estudiante es de \$100. Para inscribirse o más informacion por favor visite campioshuaar.com. Becas son limitadas. Patrocinado por Arkansas Derecho a la Vida 501-663-4237 o artl4237@att.net.

Church Operations for July

Month-to-Date - \$ 13,323.54 Loan Balance - \$ 1,745,458.74

Jesus tells us to imitate the Good Samaritan, who cared for the needs of the wounded man. In our charitable outreach we support the various ministries of the Church as she fulfill the Lord's command to love Him with all our heart, mind, being, and strength.

Revenue	Month-to- Date	Monthly Goal
Stewardship and Other	\$ 21,435.41	\$ 117,000
Building Fund	\$ 15,240.49	\$ 23,000

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, July 13 5:00pm In Thanksgiving Sunday, July 14 7:45am Virginia Hamernik + 10:00am Shirley Morris + 11:45am Parishioners/Feligreses 5:00pm Andrew Lac Tran + Tuesday, July 16 5:30pm M.L. Fox + Wednesday, July 17 12:00pm In Thanksgiving Thursday, July 18 8:30am Paula Sanders + Friday, July 19 12:00pm Shirlev Morris + Saturday, July 20 5:00pm Ruben, Claro, & Trinidad Aliangan + Sunday, July 21

7:45am Parishioners/Feligreses 10:00am Peter Thong Le † 11:45am Maria Rodriguez † 5:00pm Paula Sanders † "If you obey my voice and keep my covenant,



you shall be my treasured possession out of all the peoples."

Exodus 19:5, NRSV

Scripture Readings for 07/21/19

Genesis 18:1-10a Psalm 15:2-3, 3-4, 5 Colossians 1:24-28 Luke 10:38-42

<u>This Week - 07/15/19 to 07/21/19</u>

lue:	5:30pm MASS
Tue:	6:30pm Choir Practice
Tue:	6:30pm Spanish Choir
Wed:	12:00pm MASS
Wed:	12:30pm Legion of Mary
Wed:	6:30-8:00pm LT Bible Study
Thu:	8:30am MASS
Thu:	9:00am-9:00pm Eucharist Adoration
Fri:	12:00pm MASS
Fri:	6:00pm Quiceañera Rehearsal
Sat:	11:00am Quiceañera
Sat:	3:30-4:30pm Bilingual Reconciliation
Sat:	5:00pm MASS
Sun:	6:00pm Rosary Prayer Group
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"Got first place in Bible trivia by being a Noah't all!"

July 20-21	Lector	EMC -Head Minister	EMC - Host	EMC - Cup	Usher	Lock-Up	Altar Server	Sacristan
Saturday, 5:00 PM	Bob Monfils	Mark Jechura	Jon Terlouw Lori Terlouw Kim Monfils	Kim Dial Joyce Moppin Maxine Olson Amanda Cantu	Dave Brandenburg Todd Albert Joseph Giovannucci	Kim Monfils	Emily Stockand Gabrielle Stockand	Mark Jechura
Sunday, 7:45 AM	Pat Moberley	Bruce Peterson	Maggie Peterson Chris O'Shaughnessy Kira O'Shaughnessy	Elizabeth Costantini Catherine Costantini Amanda Cantu Cheryl Helms	Fred Costantini Everett Costantini Karen Howard		Karianne O'Shaughnessy Helena Bacon Lukas Bacon	Bruce Peterson
Sunday, 10:00 AM	Steve Harrington Paul Prebil	Bruce Beckham	Mary Kate Beckham Vince Biondo TJ LaPlant Thomas Ganey Charlotte Champagne	Pamm Prebil Theresa Brauburger Patricia LaChance Maxine Olson Bonnie Kupillas Greg or Mandy Brandenburg	Daniel Cruz Brock Schulte Bo Patterson		Moorea Swango Meleea Swango Peter Kreuter	Ted Brauburger
Sunday, 11:45 AM (Spanish Mass)	Ramon Portilla Teresita Perez	Mirna Serrano	Beatriz Aguirre Eva Miramon Olga Serrano	Emilia Ortiz Carmen Sepulveda Maria Elena Calderon Crimilda Viera	Julian Serrano Maria Dalia Lopez Victor Lopez		Erick Chavez Karen Chavez April Limon Brayan Miramon	Ivan Sanabria
Sunday, 5:00 PM (LifeTeen Mass)	Teen	Bill Murphy	Melissa Godoy Susan Davis	Lisa Richard Michelle Evans	Joe Poe		Collin Harris Hayden Poe Peter Kreuter	Jolene Murphy

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Colecta para Peter's Pence, una colecta a nivel mundial que financia las obras de caridad del papa Francisco. Los fondos recaudados en esta colecta ayudan a las víctimas de la guerra, la opresión y los desastres naturales. Tomen esta oportunidad para unirse al papa Francisco y sean testigos de la caridad para nuestros hermanos y hermanas. Por favor, sean generosos hoy. Para más información, visiten usccb.org/peters-pence.

Arkansas only Pro-Life Camp Joshua 2019 planned for July 26-28! If you know a teen who has an interest in making a difference for life Camp Joshua is the place where they will spend a weekend learning about the issues of abortion, euthanasia, infanticide while enjoying Cross Heirs Lodge, eating great food, playing pool and meeting new friends from around the state who share their love for life! Cost per student is \$100. Registration opens June 1ST. To register or for information visit <u>campioshuaar.com</u>. Limited scholarships available. Sponsored by Arkansas Right to Life 501-663-4237 or artl4237@att.net.

The Catholic Diocese of Little Rock is committed to protecting children and young people. If you are aware of abuse or have been abused by clerics, church volunteers, or church workers, please contact the State of Arkansas Hotline for Crimes against Children at 1-800-482-5964 and the Chancellor for Canonical Affairs, Dc. Matthew A. Glover, 501-664-0340 ext. 361. For pastoral assistance please contact the Victim Assistance Coordinators for the Diocese of Little Rock: Dr. George or Dr. Sherry Simon at 501-664-0340, ext. 425. Diocese of Little Rock, 2500 N. Tyler Street, Little Rock, AR 72207.

La Diócesis Católica de Little Rock está comprometida a proteger a los niños y jóvenes. Si usted está enterado de algún abuso o ha sido abusado por clérigos, voluntarios o funcionarios de la Iglesia, por favor comuníquese a la Línea de Ayuda del Estado de Arkansas para Crímenes contra Niños al 800-482-5964 y con el Canciller para Asuntos Canónicos, Diác. Matthew A. Glover 501-664-0340, ext. 361. Para asistencia pastoral, por favor comuníquese con los: Coordinadores de Asistencia para Víctimas de la Diócesis de Little Rock Dr. George Simon o Dra. Sherry Simon 501-664-0340, ext. 425. Diócesis de Little Rock, 2500 N. Tyler Street, Little Rock, AR 72207.

Taste of Faith (Benefiting the Seminarian Fund) is a fundraising dinner to help pay for seminar education in the Diocese of Little Rock. In addition to a meal, attendees are treated to musical entertainment, testimonies & talks from the diocesan vocations director and our bishop. Estimated cost to the diocese is \$36,000 a year to educate one man per year. The dinner will be Saturday, August 3 at the Four Points by Sheraton in Bentonville. No cost to attend but you are asked to make a donation during the evening. Reservations required, if you are interested please contact Dianne Brady at 501-664-0340 or dbrady@dolr.org.

St. Vincent de Paul Catholic School in Rogers is seeking an elementary teacher starting immediately. Candidate must be active in their Catholic faith and have a current elementary teaching license. Salary is commensurate with experience and education. Benefits package includes health, dental, 403(b) eligibility, and tuition remission. Interested candidates should contact Alice Stautzenberger, Principal at (479) 636-4421 or stautzenbergera@svdpschool.net.

Retreat in Daily Life "Ignatius Transposed" - Longing to go on a retreat but can't leave home? Consider one of two retreats being offered in your area this year - Retreat in Daily Life or Ignatius Transposed, each a 30-week retreat experience based on the teachings of St. Ignatius of Loyola. For information contact Alice Nahas, anahas@me.com or Lainie Snider, lainiesnider@gmail.com.

Campamento de Pro-Vida 2019 en Arkansas el 26, 27, y 28 de julio. Sabe de algun joven que tiene interés en hacer diferencia a favor de la vida? El Campamento Joshua es el lugar en donde estarán un fin de semana; aprendiendo sobre los problemas del aborto, y eutanasia mientras disfrutan de una gran comida, jugando al billar y conociendo a nuevos amigos de todo el estado que comparten su amor por la vida! El costo por estudiante es de \$100. Para inscribirse o más informacion por favor visite campioshuaar.com. Becas son limitadas. Patrocinado por Arkansas Derecho a la Vida 501-663-4237 o artl4237@att.net.

Church Operations for July

Month-to-Date - \$ 13,323.54 Loan Balance - \$ 1,745,458.74

Jesus tells us to imitate the Good Samaritan, who cared for the needs of the wounded man. In our charitable outreach we support the various ministries of the Church as she fulfill the Lord's command to love Him with all our heart, mind, being, and strength.

Revenue	Month-to- Date	Monthly Goal
Stewardship and Other	\$ 21,435.41	\$ 117,000
Building Fund	\$ 15,240.49	\$ 23,000

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, July 13 5:00pm In Thanksgiving Sunday, July 14 7:45am Virginia Hamernik + 10:00am Shirley Morris + 11:45am Parishioners/Feligreses 5:00pm Andrew Lac Tran + Tuesday, July 16 5:30pm M.L. Fox + Wednesday, July 17 12:00pm In Thanksgiving Thursday, July 18 8:30am Paula Sanders + Friday, July 19 12:00pm Shirlev Morris + Saturday, July 20 5:00pm Ruben, Claro, & Trinidad Aliangan + Sunday, July 21

7:45am Parishioners/Feligreses 10:00am Peter Thong Le † 11:45am Maria Rodriguez † 5:00pm Paula Sanders † "If you obey my voice and keep my covenant,



you shall be my treasured possession out of all the peoples."

Exodus 19:5, NRSV

Scripture Readings for 07/21/19

Genesis 18:1-10a Psalm 15:2-3, 3-4, 5 Colossians 1:24-28 Luke 10:38-42

<u>This Week - 07/15/19 to 07/21/19</u>

lue:	5:30pm MASS
Tue:	6:30pm Choir Practice
Tue:	6:30pm Spanish Choir
Wed:	12:00pm MASS
Wed:	12:30pm Legion of Mary
Wed:	6:30-8:00pm LT Bible Study
Thu:	8:30am MASS
Thu:	9:00am-9:00pm Eucharist Adoration
Fri:	12:00pm MASS
Fri:	6:00pm Quiceañera Rehearsal
Sat:	11:00am Quiceañera
Sat:	3:30-4:30pm Bilingual Reconciliation
Sat:	5:00pm MASS
Sun:	6:00pm Rosary Prayer Group
Sun:	7:45am MASS
Sun:	8:45am SSBC Mtg.
Sun:	10:00am MASS
Sun:	11:45am MASS - Spanish/Español
Sun:	5:00pm MASS - Life Teen



"Got first place in Bible trivia by being a Noah't all!"

July 20-21	Lector	EMC -Head Minister	EMC - Host	EMC - Cup	Usher	Lock-Up	Altar Server	Sacristan
Saturday, 5:00 PM	Bob Monfils	Mark Jechura	Jon Terlouw Lori Terlouw Kim Monfils	Kim Dial Joyce Moppin Maxine Olson Amanda Cantu	Dave Brandenburg Todd Albert Joseph Giovannucci	Kim Monfils	Emily Stockand Gabrielle Stockand	Mark Jechura
Sunday, 7:45 AM	Pat Moberley	Bruce Peterson	Maggie Peterson Chris O'Shaughnessy Kira O'Shaughnessy	Elizabeth Costantini Catherine Costantini Amanda Cantu Cheryl Helms	Fred Costantini Everett Costantini Karen Howard		Karianne O'Shaughnessy Helena Bacon Lukas Bacon	Bruce Peterson
Sunday, 10:00 AM	Steve Harrington Paul Prebil	Bruce Beckham	Mary Kate Beckham Vince Biondo TJ LaPlant Thomas Ganey Charlotte Champagne	Pamm Prebil Theresa Brauburger Patricia LaChance Maxine Olson Bonnie Kupillas Greg or Mandy Brandenburg	Daniel Cruz Brock Schulte Bo Patterson		Moorea Swango Meleea Swango Peter Kreuter	Ted Brauburger
Sunday, 11:45 AM (Spanish Mass)	Ramon Portilla Teresita Perez	Mirna Serrano	Beatriz Aguirre Eva Miramon Olga Serrano	Emilia Ortiz Carmen Sepulveda Maria Elena Calderon Crimilda Viera	Julian Serrano Maria Dalia Lopez Victor Lopez		Erick Chavez Karen Chavez April Limon Brayan Miramon	Ivan Sanabria
Sunday, 5:00 PM (LifeTeen Mass)	Teen	Bill Murphy	Melissa Godoy Susan Davis	Lisa Richard Michelle Evans	Joe Poe		Collin Harris Hayden Poe Peter Kreuter	Jolene Murphy