

**RCIA:** Come join us this Wed., Oct. 12th at 7:00pm in St. Jerome Room. Session will be a Make-up Day. All are welcome!



**St. Stephen Preschool:** Will be having their annual bread sale this Sun. Oct. 9th. Regular loaves are \$5 and mini loaves are \$3 or 2 for \$5. Please stop by the Narthex after Mass and pick up a loaf. All proceeds go to support the preschool. Thank you!



**KoC Fall Fest:** Join us this Sunday, Oct. 9th to the Fall Fest 2022 from 11:00am-4:00pm. Great family activities, amazing food, fellowship, live music, our beer garden, and yes the 50/50 raffle.

**KoC Fall Fest:** Acompáñenos este dom. 9 de octubre al Festival de Otoño 2022 de 11:00am. a 4:00 p. m. Excelentes actividades familiares, comida increíble, compañerismo, música en vivo, nuestra cervecería al aire libre y sí, la rifa 50/50.

**Legion of Mary:** You are invited! What is the Legion of Mary? It is a world-wide organization of the lay apostolate, in which Catholic men and women sanctify themselves through prayer and spiritual work in union with Mary. There are 3 purposes: 1) To make its members better Catholics and to mobilize the Catholic Laity; 2) To raise the spiritual level of the entire community through direct contact with and interest in, every member and potential member of the Mystical Body of Christ; 3) To accomplish this through Mary, Mother of Souls and Mediatrix of All Grace. Meets every Wed. after Noon Mass in the St. Anne's Room.

**40 Days of Life:** Sat. Oct. 15th - 1:00pm English and 2:00pm Spanish, 40 Days for Life will join the national prayer of America Needs Fatima. We will begin with Marian Hymns, a short talk and conclusion with Rosary and other prayers for repentance and for Life. We will meet in front of the Patriarch House, 1230 W. Poplar, Rogers next to Planned Parenthood.

**Columbarium All Souls Special Blessing:** The Columbarium Committee will be hosting the annual All Saints/All Souls Blessing on Sunday, October 30th, beginning at 12:45pm. All families with loved ones interred in the St. Stephen Columbarium are invited to attend.

## HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL

**Columbario Bendición Especial Todas las Almas (Difuntos):** El Comité de Columbario presentara una bendición anual de Todos los Santos/Todas las Almas el domingo, 30 de octubre, comenzando a las 12:45pm. Todas las familias con queridos enterrados en el Columbario de San Esteban invitados a asistir.

**2022 Public Square Rosary Crusade:** Join us to pray the Holy Rosary Sat. Oct. 15th, 12 Noon at the Bentonville Square. For more information, please contact Aida Gaddi (630) 659-6925.



**A Baby Shower! (Sponsored by the Legion of Mary) Sun. Oct. 9th:** Help celebrate the awaited birth of a Spiritually Adopted baby! Baby item donations can be placed in the playpen at the Narthex. Donations will be given to Loving Choices. Thank you to those who prayed the Ven. Archbishop Fulton Sheen prayer.

**iBaby Shower! (Patrocinado por la Legión de María) domingo 9 de octubre:** ¡Ayuda a celebrar el esperado nacimiento de un bebé adoptado espiritualmente! Las donaciones de artículos para bebés se pueden colocar en el parque infantil en el Narthex. Las donaciones se entregarán a Loving Choices. Gracias a los que rezaron el Ven. Oración del arzobispo Fulton Sheen.

**Ozark Catholic Academy (OCA) 4th Annual BBQ & Auction:** Join us for OCA's 4th annual BBQ & Auction on Sat. Oct. 22nd from 5:30pm-10:30pm Enjoy some mouthwatering BBQ while supporting NWA's only Catholic high school! We look forward to fellowship and dancing under the stars with you! Purchase tickets online at <https://one.bidpal.net/ocabbq2022>

**Halloween Carnival:** On Wed. Oct. 26th, from 5pm-7pm, we will be hosting our annual Halloween Carnival in the Family Life Center. Come join us for games, crafts, contests, raffles and treats.

**The Diocese of Little Rock:** The story of our diocese is featured in an episode of "The Chair: The Diocese of Little Rock." "The Chair" is a new 85-episode series celebrating the best of Catholicism in the United States, from the physical beauty of our cathedral to the holy beauty of the bishops. In the Little Rock episode of "The Chair," you'll hear from Bishop Anthony B. Taylor about his role as bishop and learn more about our diocese and the Cathedral of St. Andrew. This intimate portrait of our diocese is an opportunity to see our history and the journey of Bishop Taylor from his youth to our shepherd of today. Watch "The Chair" for free at: [thechair.com/LittleRock](http://thechair.com/LittleRock).

**La Diócesis de Little Rock:** La historia de nuestra diócesis se presenta en un episodio de "The Chair: The Diocese of Little Rock." "The Chair" es una nueva serie de 85 episodios que celebra lo mejor del catolicismo en los Estados Unidos, desde la belleza física de nuestra catedral hasta la belleza sagrada de los obispos. En el episodio de Little Rock de "The Chair", escuchará al obispo Anthony B. Taylor sobre su papel como obispo y aprenderá más sobre nuestra diócesis y la Catedral de St. Andrew. Este retrato íntimo de nuestra diócesis es una oportunidad para ver nuestra historia y el viaje del obispo Taylor desde su juventud hasta nuestro pastor de hoy. Mire "La Silla" gratis en: [thechair.com/LittleRock](http://thechair.com/LittleRock).

**St. Vincent de Paul Catholic School:** Is accepting applications for substitute teachers. Please call the school office at (479) 636-4421 for details.

**Escuela Católica St. Vincent de Paul:** Está aceptando solicitudes para maestros suplentes. Por favor llame a la oficina de la escuela al (479) 636-4421 para más detalles.

**One Church:** The diocesan initiative One Church invests each year in a small mission church in our diocese that needs a leg up to become a thriving community. The 2022-2023 partner is Immaculate Heart of Mary Church in Magnolia. All funds donated to One Church for the next 12 months will help the church expand its parish center to include offices, larger kitchen, classrooms and conference room. Please pray for this project and give today. To give or for more information, visit [dolr.org/one-church](http://dolr.org/one-church).

**Una Iglesia:** La iniciativa diocesana Una Iglesia invierte cada año en una pequeña misión parroquial en nuestra diócesis que

necesite un empujoncito para convertirse en una comunidad próspera. La iglesia colaboradora de 2022-2023 es la Iglesia del Inmaculado Corazón de María en Magnolia. Todos los fondos donados a Una Iglesia en el transcurso de los próximos 12 meses ayudarán a la parroquia a expandir su centro parroquial para incluir oficinas, una cocina más grande, salones y salón de conferencias. Por favor oren por este proyecto y contribuyan hoy. Para donar o para más información: [dolr.org/one-church-spanish](http://dolr.org/one-church-spanish).

**Saint Teresa of Ávila:** Also called Saint Teresa of Jesus, baptized as Teresa Sánchez de Cepeda y Ahumada (28 March 1515 – 4 October 1582), was a prominent Spanish mystic, Roman Catholic saint, Carmelite nun, author during the Counter Reformation, and theologian of contemplative life through mental prayer. Feast Day: October 15th. Patron of headache sufferers, migraines and Spanish Catholic Writers. Source: [catholic.org/saints](http://catholic.org/saints).

Teresa of Avila taught people one of the most powerful lessons – to look for God within themselves; To pray with their own words and to seek to hear God's voice – not Outside themselves, but in their own Interior, which she called, the "Interior Castle."



The heart and the arrow are St. Teresa's symbols because she had a vision that a angel pierced her in the heart with a arrow . Her famous quote is below:

"Let nothing disturb you, nothing frighten you, all things are passing, God is unchanging. Patience gains all; nothing is lacking to those who have God: God alone is sufficient."

**The 15 promises of the Virgin Mary to those who pray the Rosary:**

1. Whoever shall faithfully serve me by the recitation of the Rosary, shall receive signal graces.
2. I promise my special protection and the greatest graces to all those who shall recite the Rosary.

3. The Rosary shall be a powerful armor against hell, it will destroy vice, decrease sin, and defeat heresies.

4. The Rosary will cause virtue and good works to flourish; it will obtain for souls the abundant mercy of God; it will withdraw the hearts of men from the love of the world and its vanities, and will lift them to the desire for eternal things. Oh, that souls would sanctify themselves by this means.

5. The soul which recommends itself to me by the recitation of the Rosary, shall not perish.

6. Whoever shall recite the Rosary devoutly, applying himself to the consideration of its sacred mysteries shall never be conquered by misfortune. God will not chastise him in His justice, he shall not perish by an unprovided death; if he be just he shall remain in the grace of God, and become worthy of eternal life.

7. Whoever shall have a true devotion for the Rosary shall not die without the sacraments of the Church.

8. Those who are faithful to recite the Rosary shall have during their life and at their death the light of God and the plenitude of His graces; at the moment of death they shall participate in the merits of the saints in paradise.

9. I shall deliver from Purgatory those who have been devoted to the Rosary.

10. The faithful children of the Rosary shall merit a high degree of glory in Heaven.

11. You shall obtain all you ask of me by the recitation of the Rosary.

12. All those who propagate the Holy Rosary shall be aided by me in their necessities.

13. I have obtained from my Divine Son that all the advocates of the Rosary shall have for intercessors the entire celestial court during their life and at the hour of death.

14. All who recite the Rosary are my sons and daughters, and brothers and sisters of my only Son Jesus Christ.

15. Devotion of my Rosary is a great sign of predestination.



**Church Operations for September**  
Operating Expenses ..... \$119,114

While only one of the 10 lepers returned to give thanks to the Lord for His miraculous cure of their disease, may we be forever grateful for His rich blessings of health and prosperity, rendering back to Him a portion, in thanksgiving.

Revenue	Month-to-Date	Monthly Goal
Stewardship & Other	\$107,156	\$135,000
Growth Fund	\$11,171	\$ 15,000

**Scripture Readings for 10/16/2022**

Ex 17: 8-13  
Ps 121 (120): 1bc-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8  
2 Tim 3: 14-4: 2  
Lk 18: 1-8



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**Bulletin Deadline:** Tue. 12:00 PM  
(5 days prior to publication date.)  
Email articles to:  
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**Mass Intentions for the Week**

**Saturday, October 8**  
5:00PM Dean Herting †

**Sunday, October 9**  
7:45AM Parishioners/Feligreses  
10:00AM Scripture Sisters  
11:45AM Ricardo & María Yesenia Almaraz  
5:00PM Peter Thong Le † & Maria Nhu Bui †

**Monday, October 10**  
12:00PM Ron D. Smith †

**Tuesday, October 11**  
12:00PM Joan Lovejoy

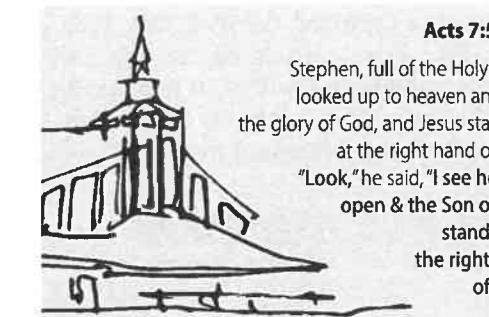
**Wednesday, October 12**  
12:00PM Jill Hopper †

**Thursday, October 13**  
12:00PM Deceased Family Members of Digiacomo & Pacheco †

**Friday, October 14**  
12:00PM Gary Leis †

**Saturday, October 15**  
5:00PM Gary Baumhover †

**Sunday, October 16**  
7:45AM Madelyn Spiller †  
10:00AM Dc. Clarence † & Betty Leis †  
11:45AM Parishioners/Feligreses  
5:00PM Bui & Le Ancestors †



**Acts 7:55-56**

Stephen, full of the Holy Spirit, looked up to heaven and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing at the right hand of God. "Look," he said, "I see heaven open & the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God."

**St. Stephen**  
Catholic Church Iglesia Católica San Esteban

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October 9, 2022

**Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

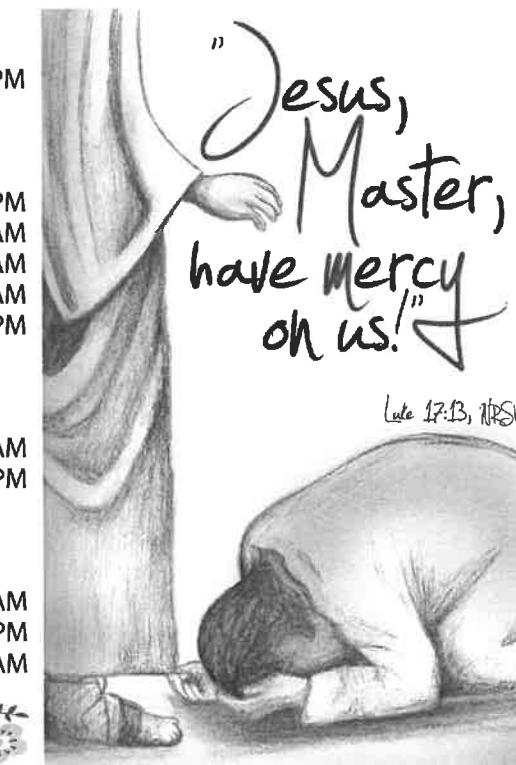
Vigésimo Octavo Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

**Weekday Mass**

Misa Entre Semana (Inglés)  
Mon-Fri / Lun-Vie ..... 12:00PM

**Sunday MASS & Saturday Vigil**

Misas de Domingo y Misa de Vigilia  
Saturday ..... 5:00PM  
Sunday ..... 7:45AM  
Sunday ..... 10:00AM  
Sunday – Español ..... 11:45AM  
Sunday ..... 5:00PM



**Reconciliation**

Reconciliación  
Mon – Fri / Lun – Vie ..... 11:30–11:55AM  
Sat (Bilingual) / Sáb (Bilingüe) ..... 3:00–4:00PM

**Adoration Hours**

Horario de Adoración  
Mon – Thu / Lun – Jue ..... 9:00–11:30AM  
..... & 12:45–3:00PM  
Fri / Vie ..... 9:00–11:30AM

**Office Hours**  
Horario de Oficina

Mon–Thu / Lun–Jue ..... 9:00AM–3:00PM  
Friday / Viernes ..... 9:00AM–12:00PM

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

**Membresía:** Extendemos nuestras manos y corazones en Cofradía Cristiana. Los residentes o recién llegados, póngase en contacto con la oficina de la parroquia para registrarse.

Mon–Thu / Lun–Jue ..... 9:00AM–3:00PM  
Friday / Viernes ..... 9:00AM–12:00PM

**Catholic Marriage:** Marriage preparation required. Contact the parish at least 9 months in advance. Two additional months' notice for wedding in another country. If you plan on getting married, always contact the church before booking a reception site or setting a date.

**Matrimonio Católico:** Preparación Matrimonial requerido. Comuníquese con la parroquia por lo menos con 9 meses de anticipación. Dos meses de antelación adicionales para la boda en otro país. Si planea casarse, póngase siempre en contacto con la iglesia antes de reservar un lugar de recepción o fijar una fecha.

**Infant Baptism:** Offered once a month in English and Spanish. Baptism preparation required. Parents must be registered members of St. Stephen. No baptisms in December.

**Bautismo Infantil:** Se ofrece una vez al mes en inglés y español. Se requiere preparación para Bautismo. Los padres deben ser miembros registrados de San Esteban. No habrá bautismos en diciembre.

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

**RICA:** Sesiones abiertas a aquellos interesados en aprendizaje o renovación de su conexión con la Fe Católica.

October 15-16	Lector	Eucharistic Minister HEM & Vessels	Eucharistic Minister Host & Cup	Usher	Lock Up	Sacristan & Vessels
Saturday, October 15 5:00 PM	Michael Janick	Mark Jechura	Sherolyn Johnson Susan McDaniel Cup: Kim Gollhofer James Sutton	NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Mark Jechura	Mark Jechura
Sunday, October 16 7:45 AM	Tom Stawicki	Chris O'Shaughnessy	Robbie Estes Kira O'Shaughnessy Cup: April Appleby NOT FILLED	Karen Howard Peggy Estes Jake Estes Greg Woodell		Ana Krus
Sunday, October 16 10:00 AM	Pam Willis	Joe Hartnett	Theresa Brauburger Ted Brauburger Cup: Claudia García Kathryn Gough	Charlotte Champagne Brian Rabal Steve Harrington Daniel Cruz		Joe Hartnett
Sunday, October 16 11:45 AM	Rosalba Ortiz	Mirna Serrano	Crimilda Viera Héctor Rangel Cup: María Niño Ricardo Almaraz	José Ortiz Bertha Váldez María Dalia López Víctor López		Mirna Serrano
Sunday, October 16 5:00 PM	Eric Belin	Cary Richard	Lisa Juan Chris Davis Cup: Susan Davis Lisa Richard	Rob Brothers NOT FILLED NOT FILLED NOT FILLED	Cary Richard	Cary Richard