

St. Mary’s Catholic Church

Annunciation Church of B.V.M., Shumway, IL

+Bishop Thomas John Paprocki

Father Albert (Al) Allen, Pastor

Father Michael Berndt, Parochial Vicar

Deacon Joe (Pat) Emmerich

Reconciliation Time: Saturdays 4:15-5:00 pm

Or by appointment

Mass Times: Saturday 5:30 pm & Sunday 8:30 am

Wednesday 8:00 am



LIVE STREAMING OF MASS

Monday through Friday at 6:30am

Saturday at 4:30pm

You can find our livestream Masses on YouTube. The easiest way to find them is to go to stanthony.com and click the link that says “Click here to view the Daily Live Streamed Mass.”

Other Parishes’ Mass Times:

St. Anthony –Mon. thru Friday 6:30am

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 8:30am

Saturday: 4:30 pm

Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:15 am & 11:00 am

Sacred Heart – Saturday 4:00 pm

Sunday 8:30, 10:30 am Spanish 7:00pm

Victim Assistance Contact Information-To Report Child Sexual Abuse by Church Personnel or to inquire about Safe Environment Programs in the Diocese of Springfield call 217-321-1155 or Children & Family Services Child Abuse Hotline 1-800-25-ABUSE

Ph #- St. Mary’s 690-2640 (general inquiries)

St. Anthony 347-7129 (make appt w/priest)

Emergency 703-1042

www.stmarysshumway.org

Contact info for Bulletin Announcements

Donna Davis,

162 N. 3000 E. Rd, Stewardson, IL 62463

682-5707 or 690-2640

stmarysshumway@gmail.com

RESERVING CHURCH BASEMENT-

Please contact Donna Davis to get on the calendar.

Diocese Website: www.dio.org

PRAYER LIST: Please remember them in your prayers!

Kay Dust  
Jane Emmerich  
Cheryl Gross  
Christie Dust  
Timber Miller  
Helen Kollinger  
Bill Nuxoll

Eugene Westendorf  
Debbie Meyer  
Clete Westendorf  
Keith Willenborg  
Marilyn Zerrusen  
Mrs. Scott (Stacey)  
Vonderheide



Contact Donna Davis to add or remove someone. Thank You.

October Committee: Donna Davis, Kara Brown  
Christy Brown, Kathy Brown, Betty Gengler,  
Jamie Brown

	LITURGICAL MINISTERS			
SATURDAY 5:30pm	Oct. 30	Nov. 6	Nov. 13	Nov. 20
Servers	Grady Spannagel Trey Brown Isaac Wells	Anna Brown Abby Brown Weston Spannagel	Trey Brown Isaac Wells Madalyne Brown	Abby Brown Grady Spannagel Weston Spannagel
Ushers	Thomas Davis Jason Wells	Mike Holland Jesse Davis	Don Brown Josh Spannagel	Doug Brown Jesse Davis
Lector	Jesse Davis	Thomas Davis	Donna Davis	Christy Brown
Euch. Ministers	Donna Davis	Rosemary Holland	Jesse Davis	Mike Holland
Gift Bearers	Doug Brown Family	Josh Spannagel Family	Jesse Davis Family	Jason Wells Family
Greeters	Wells Family	Davis Family	Wells Family	Davis Family
SUNDAY 8:30am	Oct. 31	Nov. 7	Nov. 14 (Families in Faith)	Nov. 21 (Families in Faith)
Servers	Rory Miller Claire Holland Joe Holland	Noah Pruemmer Isaac Pruemmer Wiley Miller	Zoey Conder Jacob Vonderheide Shae Conder	Olivia Vonderheide Garrett Hoene Braxton Hoene
Ushers	Jason Pruemmer Josh Miller	Justin Conder John Neu	Don Antrim Jason Vonderheide	Charley Vonderheide Larry Lieb
Lector	Lisa Thompson	Reagan McCormick	Jason Pruemmer	Terry Hoene
Euch. Ministers	Linda Doedtman	Lisa Thompson	Barb Vonderheide	Lisa Waldhoff
Gift Bearers	George Conder Family	Jason Vonderheide Family	Tom/Helen Doedtman	Ed/Leslie Kemme
Greeters	Jim/Mary Miller	John/Karen Neu	Rosemary Vonderheide	Wanda Ohnesorge
Money Counters	Waldhoff Spannagel	Doedtman Shadwell	Kemme, Hoene Adams	Bales, Richards Sheehan, Hackman
	WEDNESDAY 8:00 am			
Lector	Nov. 3 Kay Conder	Nov. 10 Linda Doedtman	Nov. 17 Teresa Tegeler	Nov. 24 ? Irene Koester

Weekly Offering.....9-17-2021

Adults	1175.00
Children	2.00
Loose	1087.00
Total	2264.00

Mass - \$10.00

Dive Deep: Catching up with Bishop Carl Kemme: Bishop Carl Kemme grew up in Effingham County. After becoming a priest, he spent many years in several parishes across our diocese. Then in 2014, he received a call that changed everything. Pope Francis had appointed him Bishop of Wichita. Dive Deep catches up with Bishop Kemme to see how he’s doing, what he misses about our diocese, how often he comes back, and what life is like as a bishop. Go to dio.org/podcast to listen and subscribe or search “Dive Deep” on all the major podcast platforms.

**Family Connection** Mark 10:46-52

Today's Gospel offers us a powerful example of faith and persistence in prayer. Those around him rebuked Bartimaeus for his efforts to attract Jesus' attention. When silenced by the crowd, however, Bartimaeus called out all the more. He is persistent and bold in his confidence that Jesus will show mercy on him and do what he asks. His persistence and great confidence that Jesus would help him reminds us of the confidence with which our children bring to us their needs. In their faith and trust we can find an example of the attitude with which we might approach God in prayer.

As a family, recall a request that has been made repeatedly by one family member to another. Talk about why the request continues to be made if the answer continues to be no. Then read together today's Gospel, Mark 10:46-52. After reading the Gospel, pose questions such as these to your family: Why must Bartimaeus be persistent in calling out to Jesus? (Some people in the crowd are telling him to be quiet.) What does Bartimaeus do when some try to stop him? (He calls out to Jesus all the more.) When Jesus stops and calls for him, what does Jesus do and say? (He restores Bartimaeus's sight; Jesus tells Bartimaeus his faith has saved him.) When we pray, God wants us to be so confident he will help us that we don't permit anyone to keep us from bringing our needs to God in prayer. Invite family members to identify the things they need most from God. Pray these prayers of petition together as a family, confident that God will hear and answer your prayers. Respond to each petition, "Jesus, Son of David, have pity on us." Conclude by praying the Glory Be to the Father.

**Upcoming Meetings-**

Parish Hall Committee – Sunday, Oct. 24 – 11am  
CCW – Tuesday, Nov. 2 – 7 pm  
Parish Council – Wednesday, Nov. 3 – 6:30 pm



**HAPPY  
ANNIVERSARY**

*Rodney & Terry Hoene 10-29-2005  
16 years*

**Happy Birthday**



Kara Brown 10-24  
Lisa Thompson 10-25  
Roger Zacha 10-26  
Richard Hankins 10-27  
Olivia Vonderheide 10-28  
Rodney Hoene 10-28



Saturday, Oct. 23 – Charlotte Ruholl by family  
Sunday, Oct. 24 – Leon Vonderheide by Allen & Geannine Kessler  
Wednesday, Oct. 27 –  
Saturday, Oct. 30 –  
Sunday, Oct. 31 – Johnny Ochs  
Wednesday, Nov. 3 -

Please call, text, or email Donna Davis (info on front page) to schedule an intention or put an envelope in the collection basket with the information. Calendar of available dates is on the bulletin board at church.

The parish family extends  
its deepest sympathies  
to the family of  
Florence Doedtman.  
May she rest in peace.

Visitation will be held from 4:00 p.m.  
to 7:00 p.m. Monday, October 25 at  
Johnson Funeral Home in Effingham.  
A Mass of Christian Burial will be  
held at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday,  
October 26 at St. Mary's Catholic  
Church in Shumway, IL. Burial will be  
in St. Mary's Church Cemetery in  
Shumway.

**COMING UP NEXT FRIDAY!!!**  
**We need trunks of candy and kids**  
**to eat the candy.**  
**This event is for the entire parish.**  
**Come enjoy hot apple cider,**  
**caramel apples, hot dogs, etc.**



A Fall celebration for the whole family  
**TRUNK OR TREAT**

When: Friday, October 29, 2021  
Time: 6:30-8:30 p.m. (setup should be  
completed by 6:15)

Where: St. Mary's west parking lot  
What: Car Trunks or Truck Beds decorated with a theme of  
your choice and filled with candy and treats.

**We need parishioners to volunteer to put together a "trunk."**

The event will include a  
**Wiener Roast with all the fixin's**  
Questions: contact Jesse Davis 217-821-2309



*Families in Faith*



Next classes Oct. 24. See you there.

*The family that prays together,  
stays together.*

Next Youth group meeting will be Sunday, Nov. 21  
from 5:30-6:30pm in the church basement.  
Questions? contact Jesse Davis 217-821-2309

**ST MARY'S CHURCH FALL BREAKFAST**

Parish Hall Fundraiser  
NOVEMBER 7, 2021 7:00 AM – 11 AM  
SHUMWAY KLUTHE CENTER, SHUMWAY, IL  
Pancake & Sausage, Coffee, Milk, Juice, Breads and  
Rolls

FREE WILL DONATION  
We will also have a several raffles.

*A sign-up sheet is in the cry room for those who  
would like to help with the breakfast by working or  
donating raffle items or sweet breads.*

**K of C Membership Drive**

The Knights of Columbus is an International Order of Catholic men who are called to lead with faith, protect our families, serve others and defend values in a busy changing world. Effingham Council 665 will be holding a membership drive at all masses the weekend of October 23rd and 24th. Once you become a member you will find that Knights of Columbus membership brings Catholic men together in a powerful way. If you would like to join today, simply go to [KofC.org/join](http://KofC.org/join) us and enter council #665 for local information. You can also contact Bob Utz of the Effingham council at 217-994-4140.

**UPCOMING PRO-LIFE EVENTS:**

Effingham Area Right to Life is in need of a person to handle social media needs. If you would consider this position, please come to the next EARTL meeting at Guardian Angel Adult Daycare on Oct. 26 at 7 pm.

Effingham Halloween Parade  
Oct. 31 (Sunday) at 2 pm. They need helpers to walk with the Effingham Area Right to Life float, pass out candy and carry signs. Line up along Maple St. Call or text Judy Repking if you can help. 217-690-7285.

Monthly Prayer Vigil for Life  
Nov. 15 (Monday) at St. Anthony Church in Effingham. Praying the scriptural rosary at 6 pm, Mass at 6:30 pm with a meeting immediately after in the parish center. Fr. Michael Berndt will be the presider at the Mass. Please join us as we pray for respect for all life. Refreshments will be served and local pro-life events discussed.

**Living Joy with Chris Stefanick**

An online video retreat that will change your life! Launching this Advent. Receive FREE inspirational content from Chris Stefanick and the Real Life Catholic Team. Rediscover and Live Joy Every DayGod created you for JOY—and he wants that for you here and now! You just have to cooperate with his plan and follow some simple steps. This Advent, we’re unleashing a new, totally free online video retreat based on the life-changing rules in Chris’ bestselling book, Living Joy. The short, daily video lessons are full of wisdom, experience, and common sense. Sign up today to discover the joy YOU were made for!

Living Joy 9 Rules that Will Change Your Life  
Based on Chris's best-selling book, Living Joy, this program will walk you through 9 rules that will change your life. Access is totally free and will begin on the First Sunday of Advent—November 28, 2021. Sign up now to get ready to experience a new joy this Advent! To sign up go to [reallifecatholic.com](http://reallifecatholic.com)



**Fr. Al’s Ramblings…** Rite of Committal (Burial or Interment)

Over the past few weeks, I have been posting information on the Catholic funeral rite as a reminder of the importance of the respect and dignity due to our deceased brethren. As I have previously pointed out, it is divided into several stations, or parts, each with its own specific purpose. No less important is the Burial or Interment as this final stage of the funeral is the culmination of the rite and is intended to allow the living to reach the point of “closure” as we commit our loved ones back to the earth from which they came

The Rite of Committal, the conclusion of the funeral rite, is the final act of the community of faith in caring for the body of its deceased member. It should normally be celebrated at the place of committal, that is, beside the open grave or place of interment. In committing the body to its resting place, the community expresses the hope that, with all those who have gone before us marked with the sign of faith, the deceased awaits the glory of the resurrection. The Rite of Committal is an expression of the communion that exists between the Church on earth and the Church in heaven: the deceased passes with the farewell prayers of the community of believers into the welcoming company of those who need faith no longer, but see God face-to-face.

"At the death of a Christian, whose life of faith was begun in the waters of Baptism and strengthened at the Eucharistic table, the Church intercedes on behalf of the deceased because of its confident belief that death is not the end, nor does it break the bonds forged in life. The Church also ministers to the sorrowing and consoles them in the funeral rites with the comforting Word of God and the Sacrament of the Eucharist."  
(Order of Christian Funerals, no. 4)

*Blessings,*  
*Fr. Al*

Interested in the Diaconate? If you have ever considered a vocation to the diaconate, then consider attending a gathering at Immaculate Conception Church Parish Center, 320 N 20th Street in Mattoon on Tuesday, November 16 at 6:30 PM. A new cohort of men studying to become deacons will hopefully begin in 2022. Information will be presented to those interested in serving God and His people through this vocation. The Permanent Diaconate is open to men between the ages of 32 and 57, who are active in the practice of our faith, and who desire to grow in their relationship with God and in their service to the Church. If interested, and if married, wives are welcome and encouraged to attend. Snacks will be provided, and the session will last approximately one hour. Please consider this amazing opportunity...you won’t regret it.

All Saints' Day 2021: Because the Solemnity of All Saints, November 1st, falls on a Monday this year, it is not observed as a holy day of obligation this year, though it is still to be celebrated as a solemnity.

**FISH Fall Cook-out**, sponsored by Save A Lot, will be Friday, Oct. 29, from 10:30am to 1:00pm, in the Save A Lot parking lot. The meal includes a sandwich, chips, cookie/brownie, and drink. Call or text Adam Donsbach for orders of 5 or more to 217.821.7643 or email [dbach1982@yahoo.com](mailto:dbach1982@yahoo.com) by 5:00pm on Oct. 27.





THE DIOCESE OF SPRINGFIELD IN ILLINOIS

*Welcomes*

## ST. PADRE PIO'S RELICS



### CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

524 E. Lawrence,  
Springfield, IL 62702

### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6

Following 4 PM Mass to 8 PM

### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7

Following 10 AM Mass until  
4:30 PM

### EVENT IS FREE

Good will donations are  
appreciated and a second  
collection will be taken up  
during the 10 AM Mass.

