

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](http://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](mailto:stmarysshumway@gmail.com)

**RESERVING CHURCH BASEMENT-**  
Please contact Donna Davis to get on the calendar.

Diocese Website: [www.dio.org](http://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.....10-24-2021**

Adults	1268.00
Children	2.00
Loose	251.00
World Mission	55.00
Total	1576.00

**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](http://dio.org/podcast) to listen and subscribe or search “Dive Deep” on all the major podcast platforms.

**Family Connection** Mark 12:28b-34

As Christians, our moral behavior is guided by the two-part commandment taught by Jesus in today's Gospel: love God and love your neighbor as yourself. Many of us learned to use this framework as an examination of conscience. By examining our lives through the lens of these commandments, we have learned that the challenge of these commandments is not in our desire to follow them but in our capacity to consistently honor these commandments in our daily lives.

For one week, identify and collect news reports of how Christians show their love for God by loving and serving their neighbor. Clip these news items and share what you have heard when you gather as a family. Read together today's Gospel, Mark 12:28b-34. Talk about ways in which your family might contribute to the examples of Christian service you found. Choose one of these actions to do together as a family. Conclude in prayer together asking God to help us show love to our family members and friends. Pray together the Act of Love.

**Upcoming Meetings-**

CCW – Tuesday, Nov. 2 – **6:30 pm**  
Parish Council – Wednesday, Nov. 3 – 6:30 pm

Happy Birthday



Denver Curry 11-1  
Hilary Conder 11-3  
Judy Carroll 11-4



Sundays @ 7 pm Church basement  
For more info contact Kathy Adams 217-994-3144  
Leslie Kemme 217-821-3399  
Go to [walkingwithpurpose.com](http://walkingwithpurpose.com) to order a book.  
IT 'S NOT TOO LATE TO JOIN!!!



Saturday, Oct. 30 –  
Sunday, Oct. 31 – Johnny Ochs  
Wednesday, Nov. 3 –  
Saturday, Nov. 6 –  
Sunday, Nov. 7 – Roy Wakefield by Sally Wakefield and family  
Wednesday, Nov. 10 – Mary Ann Richy by family

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.

St Mary's Youth Group has started a fundraiser with Sock Religious. Take a look at these products and place an order soon these will make a fun and unique catholic Christmas present for your family and friend. Click on the link to see all the products.

<https://st-mary-s-youth-group.cheddarup.com>



We will be taking orders until Nov. 16 so we can get orders back in time for Christmas.

Questions—contact  
Jesse Davis  
217-821-2309



*Families in Faith*



Next classes Nov. 14. 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.

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.

**UPCOMING EVENTS:**

Monthly Prayer Vigil for Life

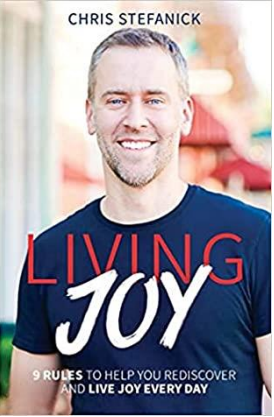
Nov. 15 (Monday) at St. Anthony Church in Effingham. Praying the scriptural rosary at 6 pm, Mass at 6:30 pm with a meeting immediately after in the parish center. Fr. Michael Berndt will be the presider at the Mass. Please join us as we pray for respect for all life. Refreshments will be served and local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

**Effingham K of C Family Picnic – RESCHEDULED**

The K of C Family Picnic, scheduled for October 24th, was postponed due to the wet weather. The picnic has been rescheduled for Sunday November 14th. It will start at noon and we will plan to eat at 1:00. In case the bad weather follows us to that weekend too, we will move the picnic into our banquet rooms. All members and their families are welcome and if you know of someone who is not member but would be a good one, invite them and their families to come along too.

**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 Day God 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...** We remember the saints and allow the memory of their faith to spur us on to deeper worship and greater service to the Lord. All Saints Day, also known as All Hallows' Day, or Halloween, is a Christian celebration in honor of all the saints from Christian history. Who is a saint? You are. That is if you're a follower of Jesus. God calls a "saint" anyone who trusts in Christ alone for salvation (see Acts 9:13, Acts 26:10, Romans 8:27, 1 Corinthians 1:2).

All Saints Day, also known as All Hallows' Day, or Halloween, is a Christian celebration in honor of all the saints from Christian history. In Western Christianity, it is observed on November 1st by the Roman Catholic Church, the Methodist Church, the Lutheran Church, and other Protestant denominations. The Eastern Orthodox Church and associated Eastern Catholic churches observe All Saints Day on the first Sunday following Pentecost.

The Christian festival of All Saints Day comes from a conviction that there is a spiritual connection between those in Heaven and on Earth. In Catholic tradition, the holiday honors all those who have passed on to the Kingdom of Heaven. It is a national holiday in numerous historically Catholic countries. In Methodist tradition, All Saints Day relates to giving God earnest gratitude for the lives and deaths of his saints, remembering those who were well-known and not. Additionally, individuals throughout Christian history are celebrated, such as Peter the Apostle, as well as people who have personally guided one to faith in Jesus, such as one's relative or friend.

Sainthood isn't given by a group of religious leaders. It's granted by God Himself to any common, salt-of-the-earth person who simply trusts Christ (1 Corinthians 1:2). Words matter, and sowing confusion about good, biblical words like "saint" is not from God. The gospel message is that God the Son came to earth, lived a perfectly obedient life, died on the cross to pay for our sins (Romans 5:1), and rose again proving His atoning work was complete (Romans 4:22-25). Saints are those who give up the anti-faith alternative of trying to please God by their good deeds and, instead, trust Christ alone. Scripture says that the person of faith actually becomes the very righteousness of God (2 Cor. 5:21)!

Through the channel of human faith (the means of salvation) we become united to Christ (the source of salvation) and we are saved from God's judgment as well as from the futile way of life that we naturally follow (1 Peter 3:18). In other words, we are granted sainthood! Skeptical? Think about this: if God calls the worldly, sinning believers in Corinth "saints"—and He does in 1 Corinthians 1:2—couldn't He call you a saint as well? Friend, anyone who trusts in Christ alone for salvation is a saint in God's sight. Pope Boniface IV formally started the celebration of All Saints' Day in the seventh century in honor of all the saints at the same time instead of individual celebrations. Initially, Christians celebrated the day on May 13. However, Pope Gregory III moved the tradition of celebrating All Saints' Day on November 1 every year when he was in office from 731 to 741 AD.

*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.





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.

