

St. Mary’s Catholic Church

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

+Bishop Thomas John Paprocki

Father Albert (Al) Allen, Pastor

Reconciliation Time: Saturdays 3-3:30 pm

Or by appointment

Mass Times: Saturday 4:00 pm & Sunday 8:00 am

Wednesday 8:00 am

Phone: 1-844-536-6514 (leave a message)

During a life emergency please contact

217.703.1042 to reach a priest.

Website: [www.stmaryshumway.org](http://www.stmaryshumway.org)

Email: [stmarysshumway@gmail.com](mailto:stmarysshumway@gmail.com)

Address: PO Box 96, Shumway, IL 62461

To reserve the church basement please call  
1-844-536-6514.

Cemetery Committee

John Adams 618-322-2874

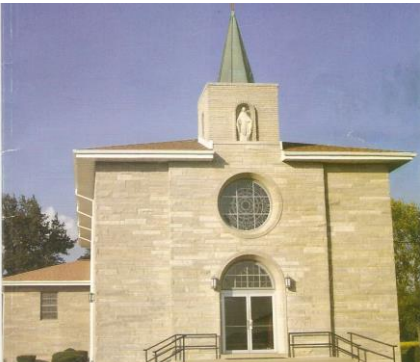
Matt Childerson 217-254-5896

Daphne Hoffman 217-821-7268

Funeral Meal Coordinators

Leslie Kemme 217-821-3399

Dot Thomas 217-259-8560



Green Creek Mass Times:

Friday – 8 am

Saturday – 6 pm

Sunday – 10:30 am

Diocese Website: [www.dio.org](http://www.dio.org)

**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

PRAYER LIST: Please remember them in your prayers!



Mardell Sheehan  
Cinda Held  
Beth Hewing  
Nelda McCoy  
Marita Kemme  
Larry Nation  
Jim Gordon  
Don Kemme  
Don Clark

Dan Zacha Sr  
Steve Moore  
Sally Wakefield  
Pat Kuhns  
Bill Hamilton  
Christie Dust  
Helen Kollinger  
Bill Nuxoll  
Marita Elson



Call: 1-844-536-6514 to add or remove someone. Thank You.

**June Committee:** Jodi McCormick, Hilary Conder, Diana Conder, Jill Conder, Barb Davis

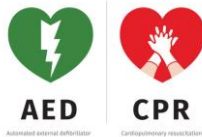
LITURGICAL MINISTERS					
SAT 4pm	June 1	June 8	June 15	June 22	June 29
Servers	Aubrey Brown Abby Brown Anna Brown	Madalyne Brown Tryston Brown Trey Brown	Abby Brown Anna Brown Aubrey Brown	Trey Brown Tryston Brown Madalyne Brown	Abby Brown Anna Brown Aubrey Brown
Lector	Alaina Miller	Mike Holland	Katrina Davis	Abby Brown	Donna Davis
Usher	Don Brown Doug Brown	Don Brown Doug Brown	Don Brown Doug Brown	Doug Brown Don Brown	Doug Brown Mike Holland
Ech Min	Donna Davis Don Brown Katrina Davis	Kathy Brown Rosemary Holland Don Brown	Kathy Brown Don Brown Katrina Davis	Don Brown Rosemary Holland Donna Davis	Mike Holland Kathy Brown Katrina Davis
Gift Bearers	Wanda Ohnesorge	Kathy Brown	Don Brown Family	Doug Brown Family	Jesse Davis Family
SUN 8am	June 2	June 9	June 16	June 23	June 30
Servers	Garrett Hoene Braxton Hoene Olivia Vonderheide	Rory Miller Wylie Miller Daisy Miller	Wade Conder Zoey Conder Jacob Vonderheide	Garrett Hoene Braxton Hoene Olivia Vonderheide	Rory Miller Wylie Miller Daisy Miller
Lector	Lisa Thompson	Terry Hoene	Lisa Thompson	Terry Hoene	Lisa Thompson
Ushers	Gene Doedtman Tom Doedtman	Josh Miller Justin Conder	John Neu Don Antrim	Jason Vonderheide Charley Vonderheide	Larry Lieb Jim Vonderheide
Ech Min	Linda Doedtman Leslie Kemme Barb Vonderheide	Roy Waldhoff Lisa Thompson Timber Miller	Linda Doedtman Leslie Kemme Barb Vonderheide	Roy Waldhoff Lisa Thompson Timber Miller	Linda Doedtman Leslie Kemme Barb Vonderheide
Gift Bearers	Deb Stremming	Wanda Ohnesorge	Rodney Hoene Family	Wally Thompson family	Charley Rhonda Vonderheide
Greeters	Brock Vonderheide Family	Wally Thompson family	Charley Rhonda Vonderheide	Barb Vonderheide	Jason Pruemmer Family
Money Counters	Doedtman Shadwell	Waldhoff Hoene	Kemme Adams	Bales Richards Sheehan, Hackman	Stremming Conder
WED. 8am Lectors	May 29	June 5	June 12	June 19	June 26
	Wiley Miller	Irene Koester	Linda Doedtman	Wiley Miller	Irene Koester

**Weekly Offering.....6-2-24**  
Adult.....\$1845.00  
Loose.....\$431.00  
Altar Donation.....\$370.00  
**Total.....\$2646.00**

**Parish Hall Update:**  
Our current funds -- \$97,046.93

**Upcoming events:**  
Aug. 24 – Poker Run  
Sept. 22- Pork Chop Dinner (in conjunction with the Shumway Sesquicentennial Celebration)

**UPCOMING MEETING:** Annual Parish Picnic planning July 10@ 6:30pm Anyone who would like to help with the organizing of the picnic this year please come to the meeting. This year’s picnic will be on Aug. 17 after 4 pm Mass.



Training  
June 29—9am

Anyone interested in getting trained needs to sign up by June 23 (sign up in the cry room). There is a \$25 fee if you want a certification card. Training will take place in the church basement.

Want to get more involved in the workings of our parish? What about becoming a member of the parish council? We are looking for 2 new members. Questions? Ask a current member- Ed Kemme, George Conder, Dennis Koester, John Adams, Larry Lieb, Lisa Waldhoff, and Justin Miller

**Day of Prayer for Life** – Please mark your calendars and make it a priority to come and pray for an end to our nation’s tragic disrespect for human life at the **50th** annual Day of Prayer for Life to be held **Wednesday, June 19th**, at St Francis Church in Teutopolis. Our honored celebrant for the 7:30 PM closing Mass will be the Most Reverend Thomas John Paprocki, Bishop of our diocese. The Day of Prayer will begin with Mass at 8:00 AM followed by Eucharistic Exposition and Adoration by area churches and organizations throughout the day. All are welcome. Benediction will be held at 7:00 PM. A reception with refreshments will follow the 7:30 PM closing Mass in St Clare Hall, adjoining the church.

St. Mary’s Shumway and St. Mary’s Green Creek Churches are scheduled to pray from 3:00-4:00 PM; silent hour with volunteers is noon – 1:00 PM; youth prayer hour is 4:00 – 5:00 PM; and all KC Councils pray from 6:00 – 7:00 PM. All are welcome to pray any time if these hours are inconvenient.

**June Prayer Vigil for Life** Everyone is welcome to attend the Deanery Prayer Vigil for Life to pray for the Protection of all Life at Immaculate Conception Church in Mattoon on Monday June 17. Praying the rosary will begin at 6:00 pm. Fr. John Titus will be the celebrant for the 6:30 pm Mass. The business meeting will follow in the lower level. Refreshments will be served while Valerie Kemme from Effingham reports on the status of assisted suicide in Illinois. Current pro-life issues will also be discussed.

The Baby Bottle Project, a fundraiser for the Family Life Center- Please **return it to church on Father’s Day**. You can just put them in the collection basket.

Teutopolis KC Cruise Night at the Teutopolis Banquet Hall Friday, June 14th  
Power Wheels Derby for Kids: 5:30pm-6:30pm  
Cruise through T-town – 5:30pm-8:30pm  
Car Show – 5:30pm-9:00pm



Saturday, June 8 –†Joseph Willenborg by family  
Sunday, June 9 –†Jim Slifer by Brian Karla Slifer  
Wednesday, June 12-†Hunter Barns by Alice Richards  
Saturday, June 15 –†Bernard Ruholl by Tim Patty Kessler  
Sunday, June 16 –†Sam Sheehan by Barb Vonderheide  
Wednesday, June 19 -†Matthew Tegeler by family

Please call or email (info on front page) to schedule an intention or put an envelope in the collection basket with the information. Envelopes can be found in the mailbox in the cry room. There is a calendar of available dates located in the cry room.

Happy Birthday



Marylou Vonderheide 6-9  
Madalyne Brown 6-9  
Stacie Vonderheide 6-9  
Doug Brown 6-10  
Kay Dust 6-12  
Justin Miller 6-12  
Karen Wakefield 6-14

**Happy Anniversary**  
**Jonathan & Carla Wakefield**  
6-10-2006  
18 years

**Doug & Tricia Holland**  
6-12-2004  
20 years

**Tim & Janice Monroe**  
6-15-2019  
5 years

Congratulations and Welcome  
to our newest parish family member,  
Nora Ray Tabbert.  
She was baptized on June 2, 2024.  
She is the daughter of Dylan and Natalie Tabbert.



I baptize you in the name  
of the Father and of the Son  
and of the Holy Spirit

**Attend the National Eucharistic Congress in Indianapolis July 17-21 –This is the beginning of a new chapter of faith in America. Will you be there? Register at [eucharisticcongress.org](https://eucharisticcongress.org). Very limited National Eucharistic Congress tickets available for nearly half price - Passes are \$200 (a savings of \$160) and can be purchased at <https://secure.acceptiva.com/?cst=XebMkt>. Confirmation of this purchase will come in an email in which you will receive a payment code. After you receive that payment code, you will then need to register for the Eucharistic Congress itself by going here: <https://www.eucharisticcongress.org/register>. When checking out after clicking a “full event pass,” you will then put in your code during the payment option so the price becomes \$0. Lodging, meals, and travel will need to be booked and paid for separately.**

**Called and Sent** – Join other high school students in our diocese for a 4 day/3 night retreat from July 14-17 at the Villa Maria Retreat Center in Springfield. Encounter Jesus in a new, deep, and meaningful way. Have loads of fun and enjoy the beautiful views at this lakeside retreat house. To register, go to [dio.org/events](https://dio.org/events). For questions, contact Daniel Heffernan at [dheffernan@dio.org](mailto:dheffernan@dio.org)



WALK WITH JESUS ON OUR CITY STREETS IN UNPRECEDENTED EXPERIENCE – You are invited to join the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage, coming to seven cities in our diocese July 8-12! This is a once-in-a-lifetime experience in which Catholics will pray and publicly follow Jesus through Eucharistic processions. Cities include Collinsville, Alton, Quincy, Girard, Springfield, Effingham, and Teutopolis. Adoration, potluck dinners, and powerful witness talks are also part of the experience. BE THERE WHEN GOD MOVES IN YOUR COMMUNITY! Go to [dio.org](http://dio.org) to learn more and register!



**THURSDAY, JULY 11 — SPRINGFIELD AND EFFINGHAM**  
7 a.m. — Mass at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Springfield (Bishop Paprocki is main celebrant)  
8 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. — Eucharistic procession through Springfield  
5:30 - 7:30 p.m. — Evening Prayer, potluck dinner and witness talks at Sacred Heart Church in Effingham  
7:30 - 8:30 p.m. — Eucharistic adoration at Sacred Heart Church

**FRIDAY, JULY 12 — EFFINGHAM AND TEUTOPOPLIS**  
8:30 a.m. — Adoration and procession beginning at HSHS St. Anthony's Memorial Hospital  
9:30 a.m. — Mass at St. Anthony of Padua Church in Effingham  
10:45 - 11:30 a.m. — Eucharistic procession/adoration at St. Francis of Assisi Church in Teutopolis

REFLECTIONS— [https://young-catholics.com/Disobedience and Hope in the Garden of Eden](https://young-catholics.com/Disobedience%20and%20Hope%20in%20the%20Garden%20of%20Eden)

On the 10th Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B, we see God confronting Adam and Eve after their disobedience in the Garden of Eden. They had eaten the forbidden fruit, and now they faced the consequences. God tells them what will happen because of their actions, but He also gives a promise.

In Genesis 3:9-15, God speaks of an offspring who will crush the serpent's head. This points to Jesus, who will overcome sin and death. Despite their disobedience, there is hope for the future. God's promise shows His love and mercy. This story reminds us that sin has consequences. When we disobey God, it affects our lives. But God's promise of redemption is always there. He never leaves us without hope.

*Faith and Hardship*

In 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1, Paul talks about faith during difficult times. He encourages believers to stay strong. Despite the hardships they face, they look forward to eternal glory. Paul reminds us that our troubles are temporary. They prepare us for the eternal life with God. Our focus should be on what is unseen and eternal. This passage encourages us to keep our faith strong. No matter what challenges we face, we trust in God's promises. Our hope in eternal life gives us strength.

*Redefining Family*

In Mark 3:20-35, Jesus faces opposition. His own family and religious leaders accuse Him of being possessed by evil. Jesus uses this moment to teach an important lesson. Jesus says that those who do the will of God are His true family. This means that spiritual kinship is more important than blood relations. Obedience to God makes us part of Jesus' family.

We are invited to examine our own understanding of community and spiritual kinship. We are called to embrace our fellow believers as brothers and sisters in Christ, irrespective of societal or familial divisions. Through this redefinition of family, we are challenged to extend the boundaries of our love, acknowledging the unity we share as part of God's spiritual family.

*Facing Opposition*

Jesus faced many challenges during His ministry. His own family did not understand Him. Religious leaders opposed Him. Despite this, Jesus stayed focused on His mission. We, too, may face opposition in our lives. People may not understand our faith. They might challenge us. But like Jesus, we must remain committed to God's will. The readings remind us to stay strong in our faith. We have hope in God's promises. We are part of His family when we follow His commands.

As we reflect on these readings, let us remember God's love and mercy. Despite our failures, He offers us hope. By staying strong in our faith and doing His will, we become part of His true family. Let us face our challenges with courage, knowing that God is with us. We look forward to the eternal glory He has promised. Our faith in God sustains us through all difficulties.

*Prayer*

Heavenly Father, thank You for Your love and mercy. Help us stay strong in our faith and follow Your will. May we always remember that we are part of Your family. Guide us and give us strength in our daily lives. Amen.

*Reflection Questions ry Time Year B*

- How do you see the consequences of sin in your life?
- In what ways can you demonstrate obedience to God's commands in your daily life?
- How do you stay committed to God's will despite opposition?
- What gives you hope during difficult times?
- How can you support others in your spiritual family who are facing challenges?
- What practical steps can you take to keep your faith strong during hardships?
- How can you strengthen your spiritual kinship with others?
- In what ways can you show that you are part of God's family?
- How can you find comfort in God's promise of redemption?