



OUR MISSION

Nourished by the Word and Eucharist, we imitate Christ, the Prince of Peace, through unconditional love and service to others.



WELCOME!

A warm welcome to all our guests and visitors who have joined us at today's liturgy. We hope that you feel at home here. Please let us know if we can be of any assistance while you are among us.

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00 pm (Sunday Liturgy)
Sunday: 8:00 am, 9:45 am & 11:30 am
Monday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday: 8:00 am
Tuesday, Wednesday: 6:30 am & 8:00 am

CONTACT US

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Fri. 8:00 am - 12:00 pm
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Dear family,



Accessed at: <https://www.washingtonian.com/2016/05/19/25-bags-mail-found-dc-sewer-seinfeld-newman/>

“Helloooo..., NEWMAN.”- Jerry Seinfeld

“Breathe In, Breathe Out, Move On...”- Jimmy Buffett

One of the greatest adversarial TV sitcom relationships in the past 30 years has been Jerry Seinfeld and Newman, friend to Jerry’s eccentric neighbor, Cosmo Kramer. No first name given, no first name needed. Just Newman. Newman is Jerry’s archnemesis. What is a nemesis? “A righteous infliction of retribution manifested by an appropriate agent.” Or the inescapable agent of someone’s or something’s downfall. Or simplest put, one’s enemy, someone with whom I am in conflict.

Ahh, Conflict. No one likes it. It’s a part of life that we all must deal with to some extent. With family members, co-workers, neighbors, teammates, friends, you name it, conflict of some sort is pretty much inevitable. In the workplace, we seek out HR, or the Human Resources department, to help us find solutions to conflicts between co-workers, among other things. And there is always a process involved, steps to take. Where do these steps come from? Not surprisingly, they find their genesis in the Gospel this weekend, as Jesus walks us through the steps to conflict resolution. Go back and check them out.

At about the same time as *Seinfeld*, the phrase “What Would Jesus Do?” “Or WWJD?” was popular, or actually re-popularized, as it first started in the late 1800’s. Yep, you read that right, the late 1800’s! Back in the time of *Seinfeld*, “WWJD?” could be found on bracelets, on shirts, everywhere, as a reminder to Christians of the moral imperative to act as Jesus would. It’s not as popular anymore, but it is still a question we should always ask ourselves when making a big decision. What would Jesus do in this situation? That’s what disciples of Jesus should do. That’s what WE should do.

On another note, “WWJD?” prompted other acronyms during the time as well, including “WWJBD?” or “What Would Jimmy Buffett Do?” As a Parrothead, or fan of Jimmy Buffett since I was 14, so for almost 40 years, I loved this merging of two worlds together. I loved Jimmy before PHISH, the DEAD, before anyone, really. I saw him 29 times in concert over the years; the only band I’ve seen more is PHISH, at 30 times. We lost Jimmy Buffett last week at the age of 76. Born on Christmas Day, 1946 and a former Catholic, Jimmy brought love and light to the world through his island-tinged music, which helped us to “forget about life for awhile.” So, what *would* Jimmy Buffett do? Have fun, laugh a little more, love those around you, and enjoy life. Good advice. If that included a margarita and/or a cheeseburger, if that’s your thing, so much the better. Rest in Peace, Jimmy.

Ever thought about becoming Catholic? Wish you knew more about the faith? Please see me for more information after Mass, or email me at cdunlap@cpopschool.com, or call the rectory. Sessions started last week- but it’s not too late to sign up! Sessions are held on Wednesdays at Holy Infant from 7-9 p.m.

Upcoming Events:

THS WEEKEND! OFFERTORY PROCESSION RETURNS!

Saturday, Oct 7- CPOP OKTOBERFEST sponsored by the CPOP Knights of Columbus - SPECIAL 4 p.m. Mass, followed by food, drinks, music and fun from 5-9 p.m.

Have a good week!

LET’S GO CITY SC!!

LET’S GO CARDS!

In Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rev. Christopher J. Dunlap". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Fr. Chris Dunlap



SCHOOL DAY FUN!

This week in PE, the classes played Gaga Ball! Gaga is a variant of dodgeball that is played in an octagonal pit. The game combines dodging, striking, running, and jumping, with the objective of being the last person standing. Check out our 2nd graders in Gaga action!

Children's Liturgy of the Word

Sunday Mass at 9:45 a.m.

Liturgy of the Word for Children is a program that seeks to reach the hearts and minds of our littlest parishioners by offering an opportunity for children to learn the Gospel on their own level. We welcome children from grade K-2 at the 9:45 a.m. Mass from September through May. Any child in this age group may participate. No registration is necessary.

What exactly do they do?

The children gather with their leader in the front of the altar after the Opening Prayer and are sent forth by the presider. In each session, an age-appropriate reflection on the Word is shared by the leader through stories, discussions, or pictures - whatever the leader finds most appropriate to convey the meaning of the scriptures. The children return to their families during the Offertory collection. We encourage you to allow your child to attend Children's Liturgy of the Word every Sunday.

If you would like more information or would be interested in being a catechist for this ministry, please contact Andrea Bonsanti, Director of Family Faith Formation, at 636-391-1307 x313 or abonsanti@christprinceofpeace.com.



By popular demand, CPOP is bringing back Youth Group for Teens in 9th-12th grade. Join us for a kickball kickoff event on Sunday, September 23rd following the 11:30 a.m. Mass. Join us for lunch and a kickball game and learn how you can get involved in our new ministry! Join our group (QR code below) or parents can contact Brad Matherne at bradley.matherne@gmail.com for more details



Christ, Prince of Peace Oktoberfest 2023

Live Music Provided by Salty Ginger
October 7th 5pm to 10pm (rain or shine)

Immediately following an Early 4pm Mass

🍷 Knabberei (Munchies) 🍷

Pretzel Boys \$1
A West County Favorite

HomeMade Desserts Free
Generously Provided by the CPOP PTO

Kuche (Meals)

(All meals include a choice of Kendricks German Potato salad or chips and soda or water)

Hot Dog Combo \$5.00

The American Sausage 1/4 lb

Beer Simmered Brat Combo \$7.00

St. Louis' famous Kendrick Brat (sauerkraut available on request)

Pork Steak Burger Combo \$7.00

A Kendrick Specialty simmered in our secret bbq sauce

Getranke (Drinks)

Beer/Wine \$4.00

Marzen, Amberbock, Zwicker, Busch Light
Plus a variety of wines

Soda or Water \$1.00

Please note Food Tickets Required for All Purchases



CPOP is looking for singers to join
the parish choir!

The choir will meet every other Wednesday from 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. and will sing at the 9:45 a.m. Mass twice a month.

Join us to sing praise to the Lord. The choir is a great opportunity to have fellowship, learn about sacred music, and sing joyously to the Lord. We are in need of you, so if you like to sing, please consider joining!

If you would still like to sing, but cannot commit to a Wednesday evening rehearsal, contact Dominic at drichards@christprinceofpeace.com. We are in need of singers, so consider sharing your gifts!



Join us on Thursday, September 14th at 9:00 a.m. for a seven week discussion group on the book, "The Wonders of the Mass and the Eucharist" by Sr. Mary Fatula, O.P.

In this insightful book, Sr. Fatula uses the teachings of the Saints to explain and encourage devotion to the most holy Eucharist, and the Sacrifice of the Mass.

This is a great opportunity to learn about the Eucharist during the Year of Eucharistic Revival!

Books can be purchased through Amazon. If you have any questions, or would like to join the group, email Dominic Richards at drichards@christprinceofpeace.com.

CHRIST, PRINCE OF PEACE



MUM SALE

SEPTEMBER 23RD-27TH OR UNTIL WE SELL OUT!

ALL PROCEEDS WILL GO TO SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL

MUMS - 9" POTS - \$12

RED - ORANGE - YELLOW - PURPLE - WHITE



PAYMENT CAN BE MADE WITH CASH, CHECK PAYABLE TO CPOP
OR VENMO TO @CPOP-PTO

PICK UP WILL BE IN CPOP PARKING LOT DURING SOCCER PRACTICE ON SATURDAY THE 23RD, AFTER
SATURDAY & SUNDAY MASSES & DURING PICKUP TILL GONE!

MEN'S WHITE HOUSE RETREAT

It's that time of year to extend an invitation to all the men of our parish in making a weekend retreat at White House Retreat. This year the Jesuit retreat begins at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 21 through Sunday, September 24, ending at 1:00 p.m. All men of the parish are invited. Don't miss out in the spiritual and physical renewal that benefits every man who makes a retreat. White House is located in South County on the bluffs overlooking the Mississippi River and is situated on 80 acres of beautiful landscaped property where silence for the weekend provides the opportunity for a man to meditate and listen to God. Due to the recent Covid situation, the meals served will be plated and the wearing of masks are optional, not mandatory.

For help, assistance or questions, please contact Tom Jones, 314-578-4511 or by email at goldeneagle1946@yahoo.com or Ron Huelsmann, 314-607-2739.



Catholic in Recovery

We are looking to begin a Catholic in Recovery group at CPOP in the next few months. Catholic in Recovery is a community of men and women recovering from a variety of addictions, compulsions, and unhealthy attachments. If you have experience in 12-step recovery and would like to help launch the general recovery group or if you would like more information as the group gets started, contact Therese at 314-604-8737 or mtw3123@gmail.com. For more information about Catholic in Recovery, visit www.catholicinrecovery.com.

*What is **Catholic In Recovery**? An offering of another type of meeting for local Catholics in the community who are active in a 12-step recovery fellowship and are eager to blend their faith and recovery. I believe there are members of CPOP who are already active in a 12-step recovery group and can share a message of hope. The format is reading from the gospel for next Sunday and then faith sharing questions that incorporate the reading for the week as well as 12 step recovery principles. This is called a general recovery meeting. Hopefully, a good to have a mix of men and women would be interested in starting a meeting. There are a variety of addiction recovery experiences (alcohol, drugs, and food addictions) which could benefit from a general recovery meeting. The founder and director of Catholics in Recovery is Scott Weeman. There are over 90 meetings in 30 states but none in Missouri (yet).*

WELCOME THE STRANGER

CATHOLIC TEACHING AND LEGAL PERSPECTIVES ON IMMIGRATION

Are you interested in knowing what the Catholic Church teaches on immigration? Join us for a presentation and panel discussion on this important topic.

While learning what our Catholic faith teaches us about how to love and serve all those in need, we hope to gain a better understanding of our immigration system and dispel some of the common misconceptions.

Registration for attendance is requested.

WHERE AND WHEN



TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2023
7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.



CPOP SCHOOL CAFETERIA
417 Weidman Rd.,
Manchester, MO 63011
Handicap Accessible

SPONSERED BY:

Christ, Prince of Peace Parish
St. Clare of Assisi Parish
St. Joseph Parish (Manchester)
Ascension Catholic Church
Office of Hispanic Ministry, Archdiocese of St. Louis
Office of Peace & Justice, Archdiocese of St. Louis
Archdiocese of St. Louis Immigration Task Force
West County Collaborative



SCAN TO SIGN UP



For more information or questions,
email: tzamora@swbell.net

“A change of attitude towards migrants and refugees is needed on the part of everyone, moving away from attitudes of defensiveness and fear, indifference and marginalization – all typical of a throwaway culture – toward attitudes based on a culture of encounter, the only culture capable of building a better, more just and fraternal world.”

– Pope Francis, World Day of Migrants and Refugees, 2017



Mass Intentions

September 11-17

Mon. 9/11 8:00 a.m. Frank & Regina Filipp

Tues. 9/12 6:30 a.m. Fern Jokerst
8:00 a.m. Dan & Judy Mahoney

Wed. 9/13 6:30 a.m. Harold Rakowitz
8:00 a.m. Dorothy Ebling

Thurs. 9/14 8:00 a.m. Mary King

Fri. 9/15 8:00 a.m. Shaefer-Rothweil Families

Sat. 9/16 8:00 a.m. Kathryn Thole
5:00 p.m. Jerry Gantner

Sun. 9/17 8:00 a.m. Parish Family
9:45 a.m. Pascual & Joan Alonso-Yague
11:30 a.m. Fr. Bob Lane

Prayer Requests

Please remember in your prayers the Benefactors of our Endowment Fund, those on our Parish Prayer Line, and those who are sick, especially our parishioners:

Kevin Bittner	Doris Borgschulte
Jane Ryan	Rayne Vega Bender
Joe Teipel	Sean Higgins
Bill Beger	Peg Dunlap
Ron Hogue	Ray Thomas

If you would like to add or remove someone, please contact the Parish Office at 636-391-1307.

Eucharistic Ministers September 16-17

Sat. 9/09 5:00 p.m. J. Schlichting, K. Suellentrop, M. Budd

Sun. 9/10 8:00 a.m. K. Palumbo, M. Shuleski, E. Marshall

Sun. 9/10 9:45 a.m. D. Barron, M. McCadden Sr., R. Govern

Sun. 9/10 11:30 a.m. Deacon Greg, M. Lane, J. Hamilton

Lectors

Sat. 9/09 5:00 p.m. M. Shea

Sun. 9/10 8:00 a.m. T. Heet

Sun. 9/10 9:45 a.m. T. Fontana

Sun. 9/10 11:30 a.m. M. Neely

Ushers

Sat. 9/09 5:00 p.m. R. Huelsmann, C. Schenk, D. Schenk, T. Steiger

Sun. 9/10 8:00 a.m. T. Lenger, J. Bettag, D. Demeter

Sun. 9/10 9:45 a.m. M. Ancell, R. Mier, V. Koury, P. Genovese

Sun. 9/10 11:30 a.m. M. Smelser, T. Metzner, K. Metzner, J. Kiburz

Altar Server

Sat. 9/09 5:00 p.m. G. Schlichting, J. Budd, P. Mckelvey

Sun. 9/10 8:00 a.m. H. Brown, K. Brown, M. Schoenekase

Sun. 9/10 9:45 a.m. T. Albert, J. Genovese, S. Lauter

Sun. 9/10 11:30 a.m. C. Melka, E. Metzner, J. Clark



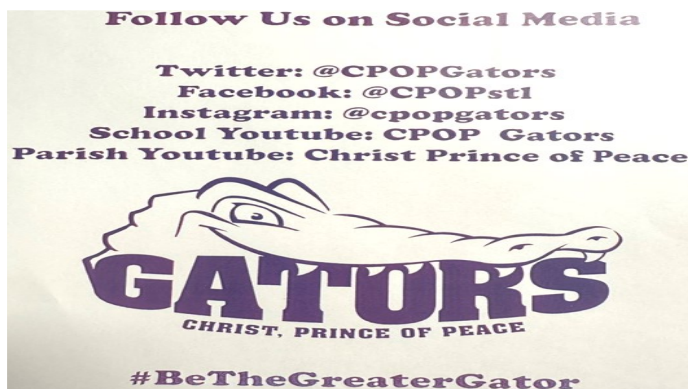
	<u>ACTUAL</u>	<u>GOAL</u>	<u>+/-</u>
SUNDAY OFFERING	\$ 11,104		
ONLINE	<u>\$ 3,598</u>		
TOTAL 09-03-23	14,702	\$ 22,050	\$ (7,348)
YEAR TO DATE	\$ 199,568	\$ 220,500	\$ (20,932)
MAINTENANCE	\$ 523	YTD	5,510

Gracious and loving God, you call us to be stewards of your abundance, the caretakers of all you have entrusted to us. Help us always to use your gifts wisely and teach us to share them generously. Send the Holy Spirit to work through us, bringing your message to those we serve.

SHARING SUNDAY

This weekend, September 9th and 10th is Sharing Sunday! Items needed are:

*baby wipes, mac & cheese, cereal,
canned chicken and tuna,
and
diapers of any size.*



Sunday, September 10

Sharing Sunday

8:00 a.m. Mass
9:45 a.m. Mass CLOW
11:30 a.m. Mass
12:30 p.m. Baptism

Monday, September 11

3:30 p.m. 8th gr. Cotillion
5:00 p.m. Evening School
7:00 p.m. School Board Mtg
7:00 p.m. SVdP Mtg RB

Tuesday, September 12

8:00 a.m. Mass Grades 3 thru 5
8:30 a.m. Adoration
6:00 p.m. StL Soccer HOF Mtg
6:30 p.m. Benediction
7:00 p.m. Confirmation Parent Mtg Cafe

Wednesday, September 13

8:00 a.m. Mass Grades 6 thru 8
7:00 p.m. Troop 630 Mtg

Thursday, September 14

9:00 a.m. Fall Book Group CB
6:00 p.m. PTO Mtg

Friday, September 15

8:00 a.m. Mass Grades K thru 2

Saturday, September 16

4:00 p.m. Reconciliation
5:00 p.m. Mass **Wedding Anniversary Blessing**

Sunday, September 17

Wedding Anniversary Blessing

8:00 a.m. Mass
9:45 a.m. Mass CLOW
11:30 a.m. Mass



•SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM•

Baptisms are celebrated on the First and Third Sunday of the month immediately after the 11:30 a.m. mass . Parents must be registered, practicing Catholics and attend a baptismal preparation class. Please call the rectory to schedule, 636-391-1307.

•SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION•

Saturday from 4:00 - 4:45 pm and anytime upon request.

•SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE•

Arrangements for the Sacrament of Marriage are to be made by the prospective bride and groom with the priest at least nine months before the wedding.

•DEVOTIONS•

Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions are conducted every Tuesday after 6:30 and 8:00 am Masses. The Rosary is recited the first Saturday of the month for the Respect for Life Campaign before the 5:00 pm Mass and every Monday after the 8:00 am Mass in honor of Our Lady of Fatima.

•ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT•

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for Adoration from 8:30 am - 6:30 pm every Tuesday. All are encouraged to spend an hour with our Lord.

The Parish Prayer Line

The Parish Prayer Line consists of a group of fellow parishioners who will pray for your intentions. If you have a need of prayer or would like to join our prayer line, please email .

Connie Sorkin at csorkin@yahoo.com or
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MONDAYS. WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION!**

**PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENT DEADLINE -
THURSDAY AT NOON
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