

# St. Richard Parish Amouncements

for January 19, 2025



Congratulations to the winners of the January Knights of Columbus drawing: Dorothy See and Barbara Hillyard.

#### Welcome back Maria!!



St. Richard Staff would like to thank our St. Richard CCW for helping to clean our parish while Maria was away. It was so appreciated!

## THAT MAN IS YOU!" BECOMING A MAN AFTER GOD'S OWN HEART

#### That Man is You!

Have you ever considered how much spiritual warfare is taking

place in your own day? Have you ever considered yourself a warrior or soldier for Christ??? What difference would it make in your life???

For all men of the parish "That Man Is You"! Spring session has begun., Thursday evenings at 7pm in the Pearce Center.

Answer the call to great sanctity and support of Christian brotherhood! Please contact Gary George (937-241-1989; gary1956@protonmail.com) to register or with questions.

#### **Personal Care Items Collection**

The CCW and Youth Group are collecting <u>travel size</u> personal care items to donate to area shelters to be distributed to those in need. Look for collection baskets in the vestibule.

#### Most needed items include:

• Toothbrushes, toothpaste, mouthwash, soap/body wash, shampoo/conditioner, deodorant, hand sanitizer, hand lotion, dry lip balm

#### <u>Items that are an extra comfort:</u>

 Wet wipes, small tissue packs, bandages, vitamin water powder mix, razors, shaving cream, small combs, floss picks, new dry socks Our faith is dead if we ignore others in need.

JAMES 2:14-17



#### 2024 Annual Catholic Appeal

Our goal for St. Richard Parish is \$45,900. We have raised 58% of our goal so far, approximately \$26,599 53 households out of 341 household.

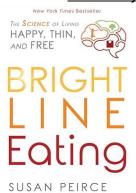
Please prayerfully consider what you can give to this annual appeal. If every household gave \$50—\$100 we would successfully meet our goal.

**Broad Participation Brings Success -** Through the Annual Catholic Appeal, Catholics of the Diocese of Helena pool their financial resources and together help the men, women, children and families of our communities, our diocese and our world.





#### **Healthy Lifestyle Group**



THOMPSON, Ph.D.

Realize those New Year's goals for weight loss and a healthy lifestyle! If you're interested in a support group of friendly faces, join us for weekly meetings on Mondays at 6:00 p.m. in the Pearce Center at St. Richard Parish.

Information and ideas will be shared based on the book *Bright Line Eating: The Science of Living Happy, Thin, and Free* by Susan Pierce Thompson, Ph.D.

Understand how the brain blocks weight loss so you can build a new identity as a slender person living in a right-sized body without food cravings.

For questions, please call Debra Cox at 406-892-5743.

### **AVAILABLE NOW!**PRINT & DIGITAL AD SPACES

Build your business and help us grow a vibrant faith community!

Anthony Osmun from LPi, our bulletin printer, will be securing new ads for our church in the coming weeks. As a valuable member of the business community, we invite you to expand your reach and grow your business with a print ad in our parish bulletin and/or a digital ad featured on ParishesOnline.com.



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Calling All Men..

The Knights of Columbus Bishop Gilmore Assembly is sponsoring the men's Bible Study, "Men of the Word". This bible study is open to any male, and the materials are funded by the Knights of Columbus. Classes will begin on March 12<sup>th</sup>. we will meet twice a month, 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month at St. Matthews, 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month at Risen Christ. Social will start at 6pm with class to start at 6:30.

To register for the class, contact Rick Nease at rick.nease@kofc.org or 406-471-2697



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HELPING EACH OTHER BECOME THE MAN GOD EXPECTS US TO BE.
BEGINNING IN THE SPRING.

Contact RICK.NEASE@KOFC.ORG now to reserve a spot!



#### **Community Kitchen Family Meals**



The Community Kitchen organization utilizes the St. Richard Parish Pearce Center at the end of every month to provide a free meal for our community.

Meals will be served on January 30th and 31st.

Meal service begins at 6:00 pm. All are welcome to attend.