AUGUST 8, 2021 *Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time* 

## ST. GREGORY BARBARIGO CATHOLIC CHURCH

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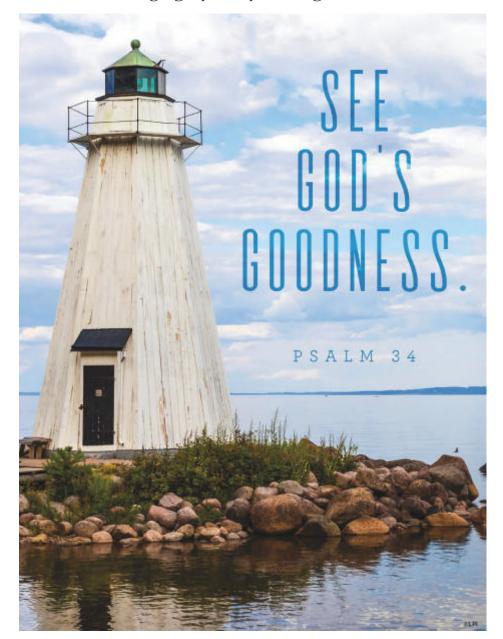
#### Mass Schedule

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Sunday Eucharist
Saturday5:00 PM
Sunday8:00 & 10:30 AM
Weekday (see schedule)
Tuesday12:00 PM
Wed, Thurs & Friday8:00 AM
Adoration
Wednesday9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Sacraments
Reconciliation
By appointment only.
Anointing of the Sick
Call before hospital stay, if possible.
Infant Baptism
Call during pregnancy for dates of preparation
class and Baptism.
Marriage
Allow 10 months for marriage preparation.
Please call the Office for an appointment to set
the date.
Annulment & Marriage Validation
Please call the Office for more information.
Joining the Catholic Church
RCIA process begins each September and leads
to Deutiens, Confirmation, and Euchemist at Easter

to Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist at Easter Vigil.

#### **Scripture Readings-Cycle B**

Week of August 8, 2021 Sun: 1 Kgs 19:4-8/Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [9a]/ Eph 4:30—5:2/Jn 6:41-51 Mon: Dt 10:12-22/Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20 [12a]/ Mt 17:22-27 Tues: 2 Cor 9:6-10/Ps 112:1-2, 5-6, 7-8, 9 [5]/ Jn 12:24-26 Wed: Dt 34:1-12/Ps 66:1-3a, 5 and 8, 16-17 [cf. 20a and 10b]/Mt 18:15-20 Thurs: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17/Ps 114:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/ Mt 18:21—19:1 Fri: Jos 24:1-13/Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22 and 24/ Mt 19:3-12 Sat: Jos 24:14-29/Ps 16:1-2a, and 5, 7-8, 11 [cf. 5a]/ Mt 19:13-15



M I S S I O N S T A T E M E N T "We, the community of St. Gregory Barbarigo, are called forth in Baptism to follow the mission of Jesus to teach, to love, and to serve."

## From the Pastor's Desk

This week we enter into the heart of the Bread of Life Discourse in Jn 6:41-51. It emphasizes the role of faith – truly believing that Jesus is both divine and human. For his hearers, it is the divine part that is the problem. Because we know that Jesus is both divine and human, what he has to say is less shocking than it was to those hearing it for the first time – until and unless you ponder what the Incarnation means deeply. The section ends by introducing the next section, which we will not hear next week because of the Solemnity of the Assumption. So I am going to write a few reflections on that section.

- On the 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Jn 6:51-58, Jesus asserts:
- 1) He is the living bread come down from heaven,
- 2) whoever eats this bread will live forever,
- 3) the bread that He will give is His (real) flesh for the life of the world,
- 4) unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink His blood, you have no life in you,
- 5) those who eat His flesh and drink his blood remain in Him and He in them (there is a mystical presence), and
- 6) He will raise up those who eat His flesh and drink His blood on the last day.

At the end of today's gospel Jesus asserts that he is divine when he says: "I myself am the living bread come down from heaven." So next week Jesus proceeds from the point that he is divine, the true bread **from heaven**, to explain that he will be present to us sacramentally, as bread and wine which becomes his body and blood. By eating his flesh and blood, we become what we eat – we are divinized, we become part of the Body of Christ. In the Old Testament, Jews (as opposed to pagan religions) were prohibited from drinking the blood of an animal. But animals are not eternal – they are temporal beings, so the life that is in animal blood does not have the same effect as drinking the blood of Jesus Christ, who is eternal. He is the true Lamb of God. This is a special case in Jesus. It behooves us to drink His blood and eat His flesh for our eternal well-being. Once again, Jesus speaks on the spiritual plane, and his audience is stuck on the physical plane, so they will object. We say that Jesus is present body, blood, soul, and divinity in the Eucharist. It is a special presence by which he comes to be with us in his person, not just in his power as healer or forgiver. For a more in depth explanation, look at the *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, pp. 334-356, especially #1373 & 1374, p. 346. The Eucharist is the source and summit of our faith, and John 6 would be hard to understand without our experience of the Eucharist. Let us do all we can to celebrate Eucharist, and honor/worship the Lord in it.

It is always a joy to celebrate the Eucharist with you!

Father Albert. O.S.B.

## Parish Notes

Dave & Kathy Howell will be celebrating their 50th anniversary by renewing their vows on Sun, Aug 15, at the 10:30am Mass. All are invited to join them for a cake reception in the PH from 2-4pm that day.

**WIRTUS** <u>Virtus—Protecting God's Children</u> St. Gregory's will be offering a Virtus training on Sat, Aug 14, from 9am—12pm. All employees of the Church/School and anyone who plans to volunteer/ interact with children in any capacity at St. Gregory's are required to take this training. Log on to www.virtus.org to register or contact Devin in the Parish Office for help.

#### **Зүмратну**

Our deepest sympathy and prayers are extended to the family of Dan Bohlken, son of Bob & Mary Bohlken, who died recently. May he and all our faithful departed enjoy eternal rest in peace.



#### REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS ST. GREGORY'S PARISH

Ava Blackford, Janet Degase, Coletta Merrigan, Arlene O'Riley, Fred Schieber,

John Schroeder, Curt Jeter, Donna Smith, Larry Vance, Veronica Dorrel, Dora Moutray, Vicki Grispino, Maria Spinnato, Edna Ramos, Sheila Luke, Madaline Luckert, Pat Archer, Jenny Baumli, Harry Schieber, Anna Henggeler, Bill Stiens, Pat Wilmes, Lee Jackson, Esther Coffelt, Joe Bliley, Martha Bliley and Betty Swagerty.

#### **OTHER COMMUNITY MEMBERS**

Mike VanSickle, Haley Sheddrick, Nada Farina, Ben Espey, Will Walker, Gail Booth, Frankie Chestnut, Karen Archer, Brad Pickering, Mitchell Schmitz, Brian Arnold, Boston Adwell, Beverly Ingels, Christa Hartsook, Dorothy Mackey, June Sowards, Betty Ramisuer, Joe Claus, Beth Kar, Pat Burbach, Tim Westfall, LeRoy Gross, Lindsay Thompson, Carrie Eiberger, Bernard Eiberger, Randy Garrett, Jason Stoll, Linda Christensen, Jolene Stubblefield, Judy LeRose, Amanda Stiens, Eldon Graham, Shannon Stiens, Kerry Bowman, Todd Sollars, Alexa Brown, Donna Parmelee, John Hansen, John Manesis, Bess Manesis and Georgia Eiberger.



## Stewardship-A Way of Life 3



#### Did you know?

You can save federal and state income taxes by giving directly from your IRA to a qualified charity like your parish or school. If you are 70 and 1/2 or older gifts of this type satis-

fy your "required minimum distribution (rmd)" and will help you avoid paying income tax on whatever amount you transfer to charity. Call Angela in the Parish Office for more information.

#### Diocesan Life & Justice Campaign

Our second collection next weekend will provide support to organizations within our diocese who defend the dignity of the person and the sanctity of human life through spiritual growth, pastoral care, education or public policy advocacy and empowering members of affected groups to break their cycle of vulnerability.

Please give generously, and encourage your favorite parish ministry or community service organization to apply for a Life & Justice Campaign grant.

#### Fiscal Year-To-Date Information (6 weeks) Envelope Goal for Fiscal Year-to-Date 2020-2021.......\$ 110,856 Envelope Amount Collected 2021-2022 ......\$ 69,424 Under Budget .....\$ 41.432 Weekly Information Envelope Weekly Goal.....\$ 18.476 Envelope for Aug 01 .....\$ 9.893 Plate for Aug 01 .....\$ 58 Online Giving ......\$ 2.534 Religious Ed .....\$ 55 School Support .....\$ 145 Gifts to Church .....\$ 100 100 Gifts to School .....\$ Scholarship Assistance .....\$ 875 Assumption of Mary .....\$ 55 Diocesan Life & Justice ......\$ 80 Children's .....\$ 5 Children's Stewardship: Giving to poor people. Help God. Helping others. Helpina out. I threw a lot of trash away and help with my kittens.

Weekend Mass Attendance: 461



It's time for a new church directory. Family photos will be taken on July 5-9, July 12-16 and August 9-13, in 2022. There is no sitting fee. Each family will receive a complimentary 8x10 portrait and pictorial directory. Please mark your calendars.



The Welcoming Committee would like to extend a BIG THANK YOU to those individuals and businesses that donated prizes for the bingo at the parish picnic! The following businesses donated bingo prize items: A&G Restaurant, Championship Motors Service Center, Dairy Queen, Hair It Is Salon, Hy-Vee, KFC, Maryville Community Center, Mosaic Medical Center Maryville, Sutherlands and Taco Johns. A few parishioners were very generous in their donations also. Thank you!!! Bingo was a lot of fun, and many individuals were winners of some nice gifts and gift cards. Thank you again!!! ~ The Welcoming Committee

I want to say a huge THANK YOU to everyone who contributed to our church picnic!

To Father Albert for leading us in prayer before the meal, and every day, thank you!

To the people who participated in planning, thank you for sharing your vision!

To the people who provided, prepared, and served the food, thank you, it was delicious!

To the people who organized, donated prizes, and staffed BINGO, thank you. Everyone had fun playing!

To the people who facilitated the children playing games and swimming, thank you, it was joyful!

To the people who labored to set up the gym before the picnic and those who cleaned up after, thank you. We could not have done it without you!

To everyone who attended, prayed together, enjoyed the food, played games, and celebrated our parish, thank you for sharing your joy! - Chris Kuhlemeyer

## Youth Ministry

# BIBLE TIMELINE

#### JUST A FEW MORE PHOTOS CAPTURING ALL THE FUN WE HAD AT KBT!







## School News

SGB parents, it's the most wonderful time of the year... BACK TO SCHOOL TIME! Bring your school supplies, find your classroom, meet your teacher AND GET YOUR SCHOOL PICTURE TAK-EN at our annual Back To School Night! Monday, August 16, 2021 at St. Gregory Barbarigo School 3 – 6 pm - Open House 3 – 6 pm - Individual student pictures in the gym. Please arrive either before or after visiting your classroom. (picture makeup day is October 13, 2021)  $\ddot{4}$  – 6 pm - Dinner of burgers, chips, drinks and dessert in the **BACK TO** preschool parking lot provided by Wells Bank. 6 - 7 pm - New Family Meeting in the Leitner Room. Student SCHOOL Ambassadors will be available for child watch during the meeting. K-8 First Day of School is Thursday, August 19, 2021 with 12:30 pm

dismissal.

Preschool First Day of School is Friday, August 20, 2021

#### See you soon Falcons!

#### St. Gregory's School Annual Benefit Golf Classic

- \* Saturday, August 28th, 2021
- \* Morning Shotgun at 8:00 am, with registration beginning at 7:00 am
- \* Mozingo Lake Golf Course
- \* Four Person Scramble
- \* \$70 per player (includes 18 hole green fees, cart, lunch & mulligan package)
- \* Two flights with three places in each flight

\* Online registration at http://bidpal.net/sggolf2021 OR contact Mike Casteel at mikeyc11@hotmail.com or 660-582-0365.



#### **Newman Campus Ministry Corner**

It was great to see our Newman students, Cole Rixner and Marissa Whitt, helping with Kid's Bible Timeline the last week of July, as we are super proud of Newman Alum Megan Johansen who is now directing the children's faith formation and RCIA at St. Gregory's! Ditto for Mikayla Mattson, another Newman Alum, the new 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade teacher. What a beautiful Catholic Community in Maryville! Please continue to pray for our incoming students, especially the freshmen who will be moving in August 14! If you would like to help with a Newman Wednesday Dinner or other events please contact Max at 660-541-0621.





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## Faith Formation

**7 HABITS OF HIGHLY EFFECTIVE PEOPLE** 

2021 SUMMER

BOOK

LIST

ASK HIM

by Jane Trufant Harvey

LIFE'S GREATEST LESSON

WALKING WITH PURPOSE

THE SEVEN LEVELS OF INTIMACY

THE GREATEST SALESMAN IN THE WORLD

21 UNDENIABLE SECRETS OF MARRIAGE

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Sign Up on FORMED:

3. Enter our parish zip or name

So Many Great Resources to

Choose!!Check out the Pick of

*the Week* on our parish website @ www.stgregorysmaryville.org

4. Enter your name and email

1. Visit http://formed.org/

There are 4 easy steps for

by Stephen Covey

by Lisa Brenninkmeyer

by Alleo Hunt

by Og Mandino

by Allen Hunt

HE LEADETH ME

THE ROAD OF HOPE

by Francis Xavier Nguyen Van Thuan

parishioners to

2. Click on Sign up

by Fr. Walter J. Ciszel

THREE DAYS

by Chris Stepier

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Dynamic Parish's

Summer Reading List We are sharing with you a summer reading list. It's ten books. Ten amazing books that all have the potential to improve your life and feed your soul. I encourage you to review the list, pick what book strikes you as best, and read it.

As a way to encourage this, we have placed one of the books on the list in the back of Church for you to take home. The book is Three Days by Chris Stepien. Based on the story about 12-year old Jesus getting lost in the temple, this exciting, biblical novel will intrigue your imagination and deepen your faith.

Pick up your Free Copy of Three Days then choose 1 more!

#### St. Therese Circle

All women of the parish are welcome to join us this coming Mon, Aug 9th, in the Leitner Room at 1 pm. Have you ever wondered about Spiritual Direction? What is it? Why would one seek it? Come and learn all about it from two different spiritual directors!

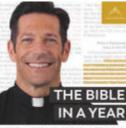


#### If you've struggled to read the Bible, this podcast is for you.

Ascension's *Bible in a Year* Podcast, hosted by Fr. Mike Schmitz and featuring Jeff Cavins, guides Catholics through the Bible in 365 daily episodes. Each 20-25 minute episode includes:

- two to three scripture readings
- a reflection from Fr. Mike Schmitz
- and guided prayer to help you hear God's voice in his Word.

Tune in on your favorite podcast app and live your daily life through the lens of God's word!



WITH FR. MIKE SCHMITZ, FEATURING JEFF CANING

#### **Ministry Schedule**

Saturday, Aug 14 – 5:00 pm Lectors: Janice Falcone Sacristan/EM: Dee Heitman Communion Ministers: Jason Barbosa, Roger Laughlin Cantor: TBD Accompanist: TBD Ushers: Volunteers Live Stream/Projector Tech: Jim Eiswert

Sunday, Aug 15 – 8:00 am Acolyte: Randy Holtman Lectors: Tim Conover Sacristan/EM: Theresa Stiens Communion Ministers: Kathy Lipiec, Ruth Stiens Cantor: TBD Accompanist: TBD Ushers: Volunteers Projector Tech: Volunteer

Sunday, Aug 15 – 10:30 am Lectors: Brayden Buck Sacristan/EM: Mark Schieffer Communion Ministers: Lacy Auffert, Chris Stiens Cantor: TBD Accompanist: TBD Ushers: Volunteers Projector Tech: Volunteer

#### FIRST READING

He got up, ate, and drank; then strengthened by that food, he walked forty days and forty nights to the mountain of God, Horeb. (1 Kgs 19:8)

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PSALM Taste and see the goodness of the Lord. (Ps 34)



#### SECOND READING

So be imitators of God, as beloved children, and live in love, as Christ loved us and handed himself over for us as a sacrificial offering to God for a fragrant aroma. (Eph 5:1-2)

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#### GOSPEL "No one can come to me unless the Father who sent me draw him, and I will raise him on the last day." (in 6:44)

## Schedule of Events

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Sunday, Aug 8 Scholarship Assistance Fund Coll.	S
Monday, Aug 9	
12:00 pm Scrip Orders Due	10
5:00 pm Manna Pickup/Delivery	
Tuesday, Aug 10	
No Scheduled Events	·
Wednesday, Aug 11	
9:00 am Adoration until 5pm (CH)	6
3:30 pm Mass (OAK POINTE)	Г
7:00 pm KofC (RECTORY)	E
Thursday, Aug 12	C
10:00 am Staff Meeting (OMR)	V
Friday, Aug 13	b
No Scheduled Events	f
Saturday, Aug 14	Ν
Assumption Collection	
<b>Diocesan Life &amp; Justice Collection</b>	C
9:00 am Virtus Training (PH)	1
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Sunday,	Assumption Collection	• • •	
10:30 am	Diocesan Life & Justice Dave & Kathy Howell's Re Vows at Mass	newal of	
1:00 pm	(50th Wedding Ani Dave & Kathy Howell's 50th Anniversary Reception	• /	
6:00 pm	Confirmation Class	(PH)	
Deacon Martin Schieber will be celebrating his 85th birthday on Wed, Aug 11. He would greatly enjoy birthday cards sent to him at the following address:			
Martin Schieber Cameron Veterans Home 1111 Euclid Avenue Cameron, MO 64429			

The Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph is committed to combatting sexual abuse in the Church. If you are a victim of sexual abuse, or if you *observe or suspect* sexual abuse: 1. Call the Missouri Child Abuse Hotline at 1.800.392.3738 (if the victim is currently under the age of 18), and 2. Contact your local law enforcement agency or call 911, and 3. After reporting to these civil and law enforcement authorities, report suspected *sexual abuse of a minor or vulnerable adult* to the Diocesan Ombudsman, Joe Crayon, at 816.812.2500 or <u>crayon@ombudsmankcsj.org</u>, if the abuse involves a priest, deacon, employee or volunteer of the Diocese of Kansas City-St. Joseph.

The Diocese has a sincere commitment to providing care and healing resources to victims of sexual abuse and their families. Please contact the Victim Advocate, Kathleen Chastain, at 816.392.0011 or <u>chastain@diocesekcsj.org</u> for more information.

### Directory

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#### **Mass Intentions**

Saturday, Aug 7 5:00 pm † Alfred Steele Sunday, Aug 8 8:00 am People of the Parish 10:30 am † Shirley Zech Monday, Aug 9 12:00 pm Communion Service Tuesday, Aug 10 12:05 pm † Bill Spire Wednesday, Aug 11 8:00 am † Ron Wilmes 3:30 pm Int. of Residents [OAK POINTE] Thursday, Aug 12 8:00 am † Francis & Erma Berg Friday, Aug 13 8:00 am † John T. Byland & † Pricilla Himenez Saturday, Aug 14 5:00 pm † Ron Jackson Sunday, Aug 15 8:00 am † John Schulte 10:30 am † Delores Stoll

(† Indicates Mass for deceased person)

#### **Parish Ministries**

Deacon, Martin Schieber, Retired Liturgy,			
Abby Dropinski			
Prison Ministry/MV Treatment Center,			
JoAnn Townsend(660) 853-1652			
Nursing Home/Sick Ministry,			
Ada Mae Wilmes(660) 582-4247			
Knights of Columbus Grand Knight,			
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Wedding Coordinator			
Peggy Schieber(660) 582-8266			
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#### Newman Catholic Center

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