

Carlyle K of C Council 1382
Bingo: Wed. at 7:30pm.
Meetings—2nd Tuesday of the month 7:30pm
Breakfast— 3rd Sun of the month 8-11:30am.
Fish fry's every Friday during Lent, 4:30-7:00.
First Friday of the month

Dine In or Carry Out Lenten Fish Fry
18th and 25th 4:30-7:00p.m
Beckemeyer American Legion Post 1227

St. Felicitas, Beaver Prairie, Spring Chicken Dinner.
Sunday, April 13. Serving 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Drive-thru only. All dinners include half fried chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, dressing, slaw and applesauce. \$15 per dinner.
13322 Church Rd., Carlyle, IL.

St. Elizabeth’s Catholic Church Altar Society is having a Spring Vendor Fair on Saturday, April 26, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The Vendor Fair will be held in the parish hall located at 120 N. Windmill, Marine, IL. Free entry; food will be available.

CARLYLE PD—K9 BENEFIT
GOOD FRIDAY—APRIL 18 3:30-7:00 PM
FISH DINNER
Drive Thru Serving at Pinball Palace
Dinner Includes Fish, Fries & Coleslaw
All Proceeds benefit the Carlyle K9 Program & K9 Officer Jett
Advanced tickets available @ Carlyle PD, Mon-Fri 8am-4pm

Lenten Giving Cross
There is still time to donate to our Lenten Giving Cross partners. We will be collecting items until Easter. Please drop off your donations in the container by each cross or place your gift cards/checks in the marked basket.

THE EUCHARIST AND HUNGER
As we near the end of these 40 days, let us reflect on what our Lenten journey has meant for us and how the pillars of prayer, fasting and almsgiving impact not only our lives but also the lives of our sisters and brothers in our local community and around the world. As we strive to live in true global solidarity and are nourished by the Bread of Life, let us share bread for life to ensure everyone has enough to eat amid this global food crisis. When we come together to tackle hunger, there is no limit to what we can achieve.

Be sure to come check out our St. Mary library on Wednesday evenings! Open from 630pm till 730pm. Enter through the parish office doors. There are tons of great books and videos for your pleasure! Any questions, please reach out to the office at 594-2225.

CALL NOW!!
Parents of fall 2025 Kindergarteners
Every child turning age 5 on or before September 1, 2025 should be Pre-Registered to start Kindergarten in the Fall.
Pre-Register your child NOW at Carlyle Grade School. Stop by and pick up your Pre-Registration Packet in the Grade School Office. Please bring:
Birth Certificate and 2 Proofs of Residency
For more information call 594-3766 between 8:00 a.m. & 4:00 p.m.

SPRING FARM BLESSING
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23, 2025 AT 1:00
Ruppert Family Farm, 597 Tulip Road, Coulterville.
Flyers are in back of church with more details

Register Now for VBS 2025 to join us at Great Big Beautiful World. The Bible stories throughout the week of **June 16th-June 20th** will reveal God’s deep love for all of creation, including each child. At Great Big Beautiful World, kids, ages 3½ yrs. old to students entering 5th grade, will have seeds of friendship, joy, generosity, and wisdom SOWN, the seeds will GROW as they learn about God’s story, and they will be challenged to GO out into the world to care for the beautiful world God made. Registration forms were passed out at Faith Formation and are available in church or at the Parish Center. The registration deadline is MAY 1, 2025.

 **Let Jesus Feed Your Marriage in 2025!**
Renew your Sacrament, deepen your communication, strengthen your relationship, and rekindle your romance by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience this year! The following upcoming weekends are available in 2025. Sign-up now as space is limited! For more information or to apply, go to wwme.org, or call Terry & Eric Engholm at 314-649-7317.

6/13/2025 - 6/15/2025, St. Peters, MO

Vocation Corner: My desire to become a priest began when I received my first Holy Communion. In that moment, I had a profound understanding that Jesus was truly present in the Eucharist. Serving at Mass as a child drew me even further into the mystery of the sacred liturgy. It is an otherworldly experience, as it should be; it is the most extraordinary thing that ever happens on earth. As a priest, I stand in a special way, with Mary and John at the foot of the cross every time I celebrate Mass. I feel so unworthy and blessed that God has called me to the priesthood. **Fr. Sean Danda 2024**

ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH *Est. 1853*
1171 Jefferson St., Carlyle, IL 62231
Fr. Jose Jacob SMM, Pastor
April 13, 2025
Palm Sunday
First Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7 (38ABC)
Second Reading: Philippians 2:6-11
Gospel: The Passion of the Lord Luke 22:14-23:56

Staff:
Fr. Jose Jacob SMM, *Pastor*
Email: pastor@avilaseton.org
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Youth Ministry:
Tiffany Wesselmann

Phones:
Office/Parish Center: 618-594-2225
Religious Education: 618-594-2284
Fax: 618-594-4638

Faith Formation:
Every Wednesday 630pm-730pm
Call 594-2284 for more information

To join the Choir or become a Cantor:
Contact the office at 594-2225

Church Calendar on Google:
stmarycarlyle@gmail.com

Sacrament of Baptism:
Call Fr. Jose Jacob 594-2225 to register.

Sacrament of Marriage:
Please make an appointment with Fr. Jose at least six months in advance, preferably a year.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA):
Meets Monday evenings from 7pm to 8:30pm (September thru Easter) at the St. Dominic Annex in Breese. Please contact Fr. Jose for any questions.

Questions about Vocations:
Call Fr. Nick Junker 618-722-5035 or email njunker08@hotmail.com

Parish Registration:
We welcome Catholics new to Carlyle and ask that you register with us by filling out the blue form located on the radiators or by stopping at the office in the Parish Center. Parish Registration forms are also online.

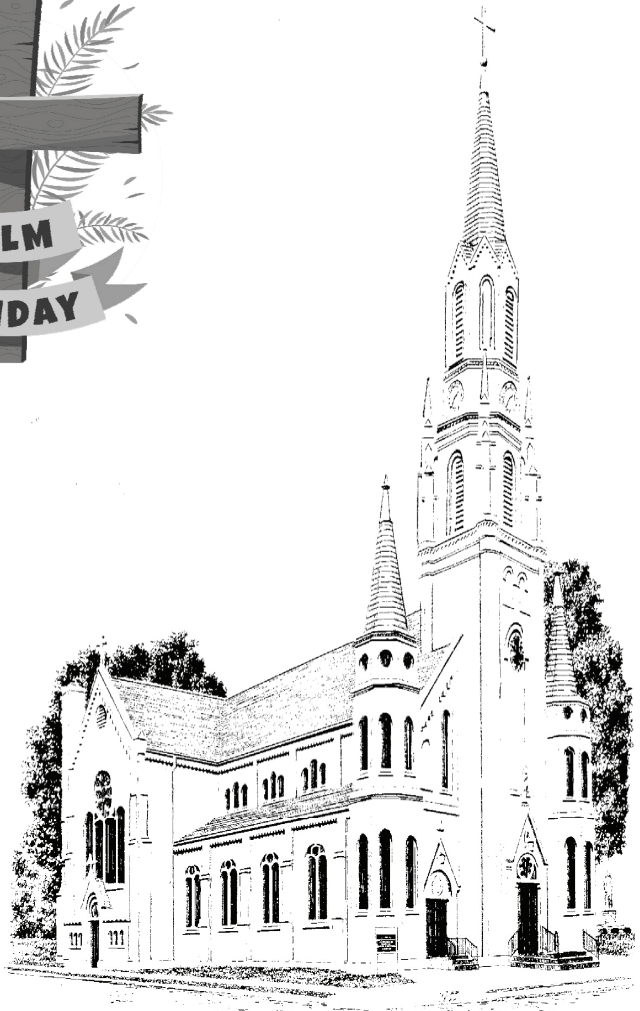
Library Hours: Wed. 6:30-7:30pm

Bulletin Deadline: Wednesday, 9:00 am

OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS:
Mater Dei High School 618-526-7216 materdeiknights.org
All Saints Academy 618-526-4323 www.asasaints.com

PARTNERED PARISH
St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Church
18021 Marydale Rd., Carlyle, IL
618-594-3266 www.stteresamarydale.com
MASS TIMES: Saturday 7:30pm, Sunday 8:00am

DIOCESE OF BELLEVILLE
222 South Third St., Belleville, IL 62220
618-277-8181 www.diobelle.org
Subscribe to *The Messenger* at 618-233-8670, or online at www.bellevillemessenger.org



Mission statement:
Our mission is to involve ourselves in lay ministries, living and spreading the gospel message of justice and peace.

BELLEVILLE DIOCESE CHILD PROTECTION
www.diobelle.org/faith-formation/child-protection
SEXUAL ABUSE HOTLINE: Anyone wishing to report an allegation of sexual misconduct by a priest or other diocesan personnel please call the hotline: **800-640-3044.**

Liturgy for the Week...

<i>Sat, April 12</i>	<i>4:30 pm</i>	<i>Bob Buchheit Tom & Betty Robben Gene Kuhl Jim Etter</i>
<i>Sun April 13</i>	<i>7:30am</i>	<i>Wilbert & Dorothy Timmermann Paul & Dolores Hempen Robbie Lemanski</i>
<i>Thurs April 17</i>	<i>7:30pm</i>	<i>Mildred Schuchmann L/D Bernard & Georgetta Bruggemann Family Andrew Kruep</i>
<i>Fri. April 18</i>	<i>7:00pm</i>	<i>Our Parish Family</i>
<i>Easter Vigil April 19</i>	<i>8:00pm</i>	<i>Joe Isaak Robert Diekemper</i>
<i>Easter Sunday April 20</i>	<i>9:00am</i>	<i>Gary & Leonard Carrillon Vernon Vahlkamp Our Parish Family</i>

Stewardship...this past weekend’s collection

Envelopes: \$3784.00	Easter Flowers: \$75.00
Loose: \$1149.00	Online Giving: \$365.00
Catholic Relief: \$70.00	Guatemala: \$467.00

As we conclude this year’s Rice Bowl program, please drop the bowls into the containers located by the Lenten Crosses or convert your gift to a check made payable to St. Mary Church. 75% of the donations will be forwarded to Catholic Relief Services and 25% will remain in our community to promote local relief efforts.

Schedule of Events...

April 13	St. Felicitas, Beaver Prairie, Spring Chicken Dinner.
April 20	Easter Egg Hunt After Easter Sunday Mass Sponsored by Youth Ministry

HOLY WEEK READINGS	
Monday of the Fifth Week of Lent	
Reading I	Daniel 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62
Gospel	John 8:12-20
Tuesday of Holy Week	
Reading 1	Isaiah 49:1-6
Gospel	John 13:21-33, 36-38
Wednesday of Holy Week	
Reading 1	Isaiah 50:4-9a
Gospel	Matthew 26:14-25
Holy Thursday -Evening Mass of the Lord’s Supper	
Reading I	Exodus 12:1-8, 11-14
Reading II	1 Corinthians 11:23-26
Gospel	John 13:1-15
Good Friday of the Lord’s Passion	
Reading I	Isaiah 52:13—53:12
Reading II	Hebrews 4:14-16; 5:7-9
Gospel	John 18:1—19:42



Mater Dei 3rd Quarter High Honors: Emma Diekemper, Camden Edwards, Dean Frank, Madilyn Huels, Abigail Rudolphi, Kendra Vaughn, Ethan Wheelan, Lauren Winter, Maya Zieren and Connor Zurliene.
Honors: Sylvia Heiligenstein, Parker Kampwerth, Kiera Vaughn, Clayton Wedekemper and Angeleen Wesselmann. *Congratulations to all on a job well done!*

Our Condolences to the Family of **Raymond Petermeyer**. Ray passed away April 7th, 2025. Visitation was held on Thursday, April 10th, at Zieren Funeral Home, Interment will be held at St. Anthony’s Cemetery in Beckemeyer at a later date.

Sunday, April 13, 2025, Respect Life Corner

“Suicidal individuals—with or without a terminal illness—typically do not want to die; they want to escape what they perceive to be an intolerable situation, and they inaccurately believe that suicide is their only way out. The patient requesting assisted suicide is often asking, ‘Does anyone want me to be alive, or care enough to talk me out of this request and support me through this difficult time?’”
USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, “Every Suicide is Tragic”

The 2025 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal *Hope in the Lord*

“Each year the faithful of our Belleville Diocese are asked to help the works of Christ continue and grow through their support of the Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal. By making a gift you are helping build up the Body of Christ in our various ministries and providing help for the poor and vulnerable.”

Bishop Michael McGovern

Please consider a gift to the appeal today!

ADORATION OF THE CROSS

Thurs, April 17 After the MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER, the Eucharist will be taken to the place of reposition in our Parish Center Hospitality Room. All are invited to visit and pray.
P - T & KC Men (8:30-9pm) U-Z & Youth (9-9:30pm)
A - E & Ladies Sodality (9:30-10pm) F-J (10-10:30pm)
K-O & CHFS (10:30-11pm)

Holy Week invites us to journey with Christ through his Passion, Death and Resurrection. As we witness the Last Supper and Jesus' gift of the Eucharist, we are reminded of our call to be bread broken for others. Let us draw strength from the Bread of Life and dedicate ourselves to serving our sisters and brothers who bear heavy crosses, bring hope and joy of the resurrection to the world. Help us to be good stewards of the many gifts we have been given, so all our sisters and brothers can have what they need to thrive, remembering that we encounter Christ in them.

Please remember in our prayers: Mike Richter, Baillie Johnson, Sr. Carole Langhauser PHJC, Bill Clark, Donna Ford, Jean Abernathy, Marci Nettles Konecky, Kathleen Pate, Ava Spalding, Jeff Rennegarbe, Carol Menkhau, Mike Kohlbrecher, Russell Sainz, Janet Compare, Kristen Eagleson, Joann Gray, Betty, Jim Loepker, Barb Henkle, Mel Thole, Parker Weathersby, Sandy Wehking, Vince Rolves

Some names have been removed. If you wish your loved ones to added back to prayer list, please contact the church office. Thank you.

The next North Central Vicariate Meeting is April 29th at St. Charles Borromeo, DuBois. Please call the church office at 618-787-2781 or Father Oliver at 773-799-4404 to reserve a spot at the lunch table. Deacon John

Ushers for April

4:30pm David Beckman, Bonnie Huels, Gene Huels, Barb Cardwell, Skip Etter, & Shirley Etter
7:30am Peggy Hilmes, Carolyn Crocker, Bob Langenhorst, Joe Mioux, Richard Diekemper, & Jerome Diekemper

Church Directory Photography
Schedule your appointment today!

Monday, May 19th—Friday, May 23rd
2:00-8:30pm

Saturday May 24th, 10:00am– 4:00 pm
ONLINE SCHEDULING
www.ucdir.com

Church Code: i1394 Password: photos
Our Church Directory will not be Complete without you!

Please pray for all expectant mothers and the child they are carrying or have recently had their babies along with their families:

Abby, Sara, Alyssa, Lauren, Jessica, Dora & Erika

Are you an expectant mother or do you know of someone that we can pray for throughout the pregnancy & post-term? Please contact the office. We will place a wooden rose on the altar by Mary with the parents name and the baby’s expectant month of arrival on a card attached to the rose.

Once the baby is born, the family may take the rose.