

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 —\*First Friday of the month\*

Walking in the Parish Center  
M-F only 8am-3pm  
With the exception of holidays

90TH BIRTHDAY  
OPEN HOUSE  
FOR ROLAND KAMPWERTH  
Sat, May 10th  
1-4pm



May 4, 2025, Respect Life Corner

“The Lord says to us, ‘Do not fear: I am with you’ (Isaiah 41:10). He speaks these words not as one who merely observes our pain, but as one who experienced immense suffering. And the very wounds that bear witness to his suffering indicate the essence of our identity and worth: we are loved by God. Reflecting on the healed wounds of the Risen Christ, we see that even our most difficult trials can be the place where God manifests his victory. He makes all things beautiful. He makes all things new.”

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities, “Be Not Afraid” NA-BRE © 2010 CCD.

Schedule of Upcoming 2025-2026 Healing Masses Information will be updated whenever the office is notified.

St. Bernard/St. Damien - 5/20/25  
St. Charles/St. Michael/St. Barbara (Scheller) - 7/15/25  
St. Felicitas/St. Rose/St. Francis - 9/16/25  
St. Teresa (Marydale)/St. Mary (Carlyle) - 11/18/25  
St. Mary (Mt. Vernon), St. Mary (Centralia), St. Lawrence - 1/20/26  
St. Anthony (Lively Grove)/St. Barbara (Okawville) - 3/17/26  
St. Anthony (Beckemeyer)/St. Dominic/St. Augustine - 5/19/26  
St. Cecilia/St. Boniface - 7/21/26  
St. Elizabeth/St. Teresa (Salem) - 9/15/26

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.

BINGO & DESSERT PARTY SOCIAL  
AT CARLYLE HEALTHCARE CENTER  
THURSDAY, MAY 15TH AT 1:30 PM  
DONATED DESSERTS & VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!  
CONTACT: MARLENE HOFFMANN 618-978-7927  
ST. MARY’S SOCIAL OUTREACH COMMITTEE



Thank you to all that helped our First Communion & Confirmation students prepare for their Sacraments. The Religious Ed instructors, our parents, relatives, choir and all who helped with the ministries at the Mass to help make this a special day for us to remember always.

Clinton County Citizens for Life Churches throughout the county, in coordination with the Clinton County Citizens for Life, are hosting a one hour Pro-Life Prayer Service each month in 2025. On Thursday, May 8th, the prayer service will be hosted by Westgate Baptist church in Trenton from 7:00-8:00PM. Please join us in praying our state and nation will get back on a moral and virtuous path and our Culture will change to more fully appreciate and cherish our Lord’s precious gift of life.

Kings House at the National Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows Visitors Center – God First Loved Us  
Starting September 12, 2025, through May 1, 2026.  
Retreat begins on Friday at 4:00pm through Sunday’s at 1:00pm  
The new quiet retreat of King’s House at the National Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows delves into Pope Francis’ la test encyclical, *Dilexit Nos* (meaning “He loved us”), a beautiful meditation on the human and divine love of Christ. Using the heart as a symbol of the core of the person, this retreat will explore the Holy Father’s description of Sacred Heart devotion, focusing on how we can find healing, comfort, inspiration and community in our contemplation of the love emanating from the Heart of Jesus.  
Minimum Donation: \$250.00 per person (includes lodging and meals).

Let Jesus Feed Your Marriage in 2025!

Renew your Sacrament, deepen your communication, strengthen your relationship, and rekindle your romance by attending a World-wide 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  
8/1/2025 - 8/3/2025, Cape Girardeau, MO  
12/5/2025 - 12/7/2025, St. Peters, MO

Vocation Corner: Today’s Gospel story is the powerful question of Jesus to Peter: “Do you love me?” Then Jesus charges him to “Feed my Sheep”. This charge is given to each and every one of us. We are all called to tend to the flock through living out our own vocation – single, married, religious or ordained. We must encourage and support others in order to live our own calling. Prayerfully let us ask for help to discern our call, perhaps even to priesthood or religious life.

ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH Est. 1853  
1171 Jefferson St., Carlyle, IL 62231  
Fr. Jose Jacob SMM, Pastor

MASS TIMES:  
Wednesday—5:30pm  
Thursday—7:30am  
Thursday—10:00am– Carlyle Health Care Center  
Saturday—4:30pm  
Sunday—7:30am  
Reconciliation—Sat. 3:30—4:15pm

Staff:  
Fr. Jose Jacob SMM, Pastor  
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Tiffany Wesselmann

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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

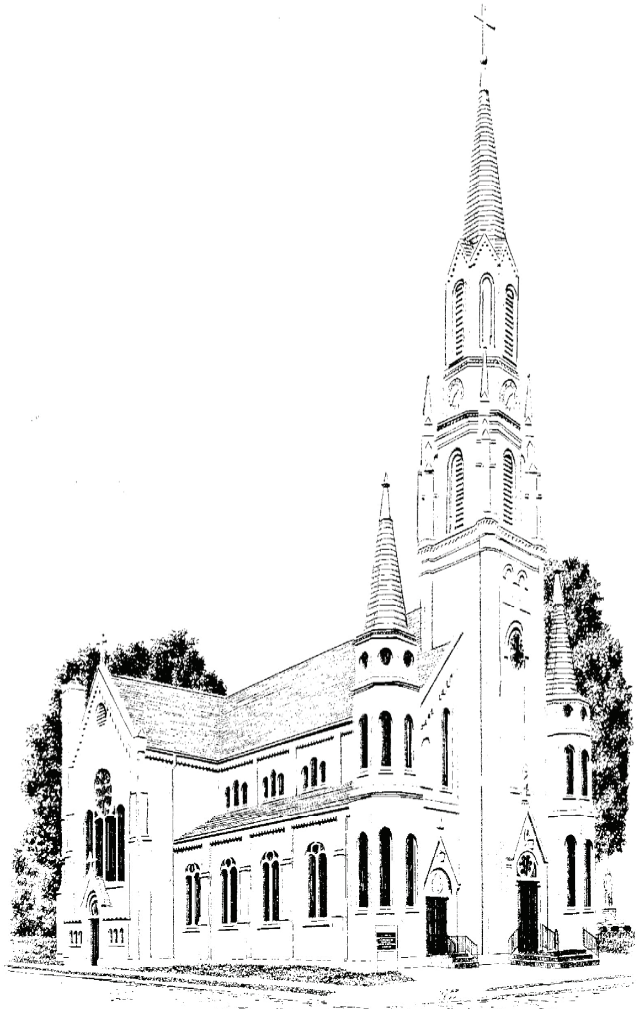
Parish Registration:  
We welcome Catholics new to Carlyle and ask that you register with us by filling out the blue form located on the radiators or by stopping at the office in the Parish Center. Parish Registration forms are also online.

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



May 4, 2025  
Third Sunday of Easter  
First Reading: Acts 5:27-32, 40b-41, 94-8C)  
Second Reading: Revelation 5:11-14  
Gospel: John 21:1-19 or 21:1-14

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...

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| Sat., May 3  | 4:30 pm | Barry Dixon<br>Joe Rakers<br>Herman, Bertha, Edith, Paul &<br>Charlie Gehrs                                                        |
| Sun., May 4  | 7:30 am | Matt & Mary Kluemke<br>Elmer & Lucille Krebs                                                                                       |
| Wed., May 7  | 6:45 pm | L/D Members of Ladies Sodality                                                                                                     |
| Thurs, May 8 | 7:30 am | Mildred Schuchmann<br>L/D Bernard & Georgetta<br>Brueggemann Family                                                                |
| Fri, May 9   | 7:30 am | Communion Service                                                                                                                  |
| Sat, May 10  | 4:30 pm | Butch & Leona Meyer<br>Joe & Rose Martin<br>Alice Goldschmidt<br>Ed , Bea & Dan Frank<br>Al & Dorothy Wesselmann<br>Alice Hustedde |
| Sun, May 11  | 7:30 am | Our Parish Family                                                                                                                  |

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| Stewardship...this past weekend’s collection |
| Envelopes: \$2959.00Catholic Relief: \$5.00  |
| Loose: \$735.00Online Giving: \$75.00        |
| Capital Campaign: \$95.00Cemetery: \$645.00  |
| Holy Land: \$5.00Israel: \$400.00            |
| Catholic Home Missions: \$92.00              |

Schedule of Events...

|                |         |                            |
|----------------|---------|----------------------------|
| Sat., May 3    | 4:30 pm | First Communion            |
| Tues., May 6   | 7:00 pm | Confirmation               |
| Wed., May 7    | 6:30 pm | Last PSR                   |
| Sunday, May 11 |         | Mother’s Day               |
| May 19-24      |         | Parish Pictorial Directory |

| DAILY READINGS |                |  |
|----------------|----------------|--|
| May 5, 2025    |                |  |
| Reading 1      | Acts 6:8-15    |  |
| Gospel         | John 6:22-29   |  |
| May 6, 2025    |                |  |
| Reading 1      | Acts 7:51-8:1a |  |
| Gospel         | John 6:30-35   |  |
| May 7, 2025    |                |  |
| Reading 1      | Acts 5:17-26   |  |
| Gospel         | John 3:16-21   |  |
| May 8, 2025    |                |  |
| Reading 1      | Acts 8:1b-8    |  |
| Gospel         | John 6:35-40   |  |
| May 9, 2025    |                |  |
| Reading 1      | Acts 8:26-40   |  |
| Gospel         | John 6:44-51   |  |

### Cookies!

We are asking all Ladies of our parish to bake a dozen cookies for the confirmation reception on Tuesday May 6th. Please drop off cookies anytime that day in the cafeteria.

Thank you.



Dear Friends in Christ,

On March 31, our Holy Father Pope Francis appointed me the new Archbishop of Omaha. As I will soon conclude my ministry as Bishop of Belleville, I thank all of you for your prayers and for sharing your faith with me throughout the past five years. I enjoyed being your Bishop and have seen many signs of hope for the future of our diocese. I hope that the seeds we have planted will, with God’s blessing, come to fruition in the years ahead. For more reflections on these years, please read our Diocesan newspaper, The Messenger, April 24, 2025.

I ask for your prayers during this time of transition. Also, please keep the intention of a new bishop in your daily prayers as the diocese awaits the Holy Father’s appointment of a new shepherd.

After May 1, you may write me at the Archdiocese of Omaha, 2222 N. 111th St., Omaha, NE 68164-3817

With gratitude in the love of Christ,  
Bishop Michael McGovern

The 2025 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal  
Hope in the Lord

A special thanks to everyone who has so generously supported the 2025 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal – we are most grateful. If you haven’t had an opportunity to make a gift as yet, we hope you will prayerfully consider doing so now. Gifts can be made through your parish or by visiting [www.diobelle.org](http://www.diobelle.org) and clicking on “Giving”. Seventeen (17) ministries and programs and all those they so faithfully serve are counting on **YOU**. Please make your contribution today!

**THANK YOU!** Again, this Lenten season, your prayers and generous support of our Giving Cross and CRS Rice Bowl program will have a lasting impact on the lives of our brothers and sisters. Your giving will give a boost to services provided by the Joseph Center, Matthew 25 and our parish as they reach out to many veterans and families in our area. Through your donations, Catholic Relief Services will provide worldwide access of nutritious food to help families thrive and reach their God-given potential. School aged children will be given the opportunity to study in school, while farmers will be given funding to learn innovative ways to grow drought and disease resistant crops. Your gifts to CRS of \$1646 will go far to find long-term solutions - not just quick fixes. In addition, a \$500 donation was made to Caring for Carlyle backpack snack program, helping provide food support for children locally. A special thanks to the Faith Formation families for their donations of \$250 as they learn we have the power to make our world a better place for all. It is your continued support to these organizations that gives life to Christ's message to all, "Love one another as I have loved you." (John 13:34)

**Please remember in our prayers:** Zoe, Puetz, Jillian Musgrove, Ron Lager, Jennifer Riesmeyer, Mike Richter, Baillie Johnson, Vince Rolves, Sr. Carole Langhauser PHJC, Bill Clark, Donna Ford, Jean Abernathy, Marci Nettles Konecky, Kathleen Pate, Ava Spalding, Jeff Rennegarbe, Carol Menkhaus, Mike Kohlbrecher, Russell Sainz, Janet Compare, Joann Gray, Betty, Jim Loepker, Barb Henkle

If you wish your loved ones to added to prayer list, please contact the church office. Thank you.

Condolences to the family of Virgil Wesselmann. Mr. Wesselmann passed away on Monday at 84 years of age. A Funeral Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at 11:00 AM on Saturday, May 3, 2025, at St. Teresa Church, Marydale. Interment with military honors followed at St. Mary’s Cemetery in Carlyle. May Virgil rest in eternal peace.

### CONFIRMATION 2025

|                    |                 |
|--------------------|-----------------|
| Dulce Andrade      | Kody Koch       |
| Dalton Apple       | Kamdyn Kohrmann |
| Aubri Edwards      | Evan Mahlandt   |
| Emma Heiligenstein | Eleanor Marks   |
| Khloe Hilmes       | Kelly Ramos     |
| Alexa Kleiboeker   | Tyler Zieren    |
| Leah Kleiboeker    |                 |

*Congratulation to our Confirmandi*

**Church Directory Photography**  
**Schedule your appointment today!**  
Monday, May 19th – Saturday 24th

**Sign up sheets are in the back of church.**  
**ONLINE SCHEDULING**  
[www.ucdir.com](http://www.ucdir.com)  
Church Code: [i1394](#) Password: [photos](#)

\*\*\*Submitted photos, wallet or no larger than 4x6 may be used in pictorial book, at a cost of \$15, photo will be returned. If you use a submitted photo, you will still receive a copy of book. Contact Jane at 618-791-7607 or Barb at 815-931-8952 for any info needed on pictorial book. \*\*\*

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

**Jillian, 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.**

| May Ushers | SATURDAY                                                                              | SUNDAY                                                                                    |
|------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|            | Brad Clark, Ken Foster, Darlene Diekemper, Joan Wesselmann, Volunteer & Fabio Compare | Ted Rensing, Bernard Hodapp, GERALYN Hodapp, Karen Miller, Mary Hartung, & Tim Wesselmann |