





ST. MARY CATHOLIC CHURCH Est. 1853

1171 Jefferson St., Carlyle, IL 62231

MASS TIMES:

- ✦ Monday - Friday • 7:30 am
- ✦ Thursday — 10:00am — Carlyle Health Care Center
- ✦ Saturday—4:30pm
- ✦ Sunday—10:00am
- ✦ Reconciliation—Sat. 3:45-4:15pm

Fr. Devarajulu Ubbarapu
PARISH ADMINISTRATOR

Deacon John Hempten, Deacon

September 6, 2026
23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
First Reading: Ezekiel 33:7-9
Second Reading: Romans 13:8-10
Gospel: Matthew 18:15-20

We are God's people, ✦ called to love, serve, and glorify.

PARISH OFFICE

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Office Hours

Tuesday - Thursday
9:00 a.m. -to 1:00 p.m.

Fr. Deva's Hours

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SACRAMENTS

Baptism

Call Fr. Deva to register

Marriage

Contact Fr. Deva
3-6 months in advance

OCIA (RCIA)

Mondays 7:00 to 8:30 pm
St. Dominic Annex
Breese, IL

Questions:

Fr. Deva or Deacon John

FAITH FORMATION

Wednesdays
6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Religious Education

618-594-2284

LIBRARY HOURS:

Wed. 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.
during school year

BULLETIN DEADLINE:

Thursday at 9:00 a.m.
Week before bulletin date

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PARTNERED PARISH

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OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Mater Dei High School

618-526-7216
materdeiknights.org

All Saints Academy

618-526-4323
www.asasaints.com

DIOCESE OF BELLEVILLE

618-277-8181
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Need a Visit or the Sacraments?

If someone is hospitalized, homebound, or in urgent need of the sacraments, including Anointing of the Sick: Contact Fr. Deva directly 618-359-2735

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...



Sat, Sept 5	4:30 pm	L/D members of Rivera Family Howie Engle Scott Carson
Sun, Sept 6	10:00 am	Johanna Diekemper Leland & Margaret Lovell Charles & Berta Kordick
Mon, Sept 7	7:30 am	For those battling addictions
Tues, Sept 8	7:30 am	JoAnn Gray
Wed, Sept 9	7:30 am	Dorothy Menkhaus
Thu, Sept 10	7:30 am	Special Intention
	10:00 am	Word & Eucharist - Carlyle Healthcare Center
Fri, Sept 11	7:30 am	In Thanksgiving—DJB
Sat, Sept 12	4:30 pm	Art, Cornelia & Mark Schomaker L/D Members of the George & Leona Dierkes Family Martha Diekemper
Sun, Sept 13	10:00 am	Joe & Agnes Kampwerth Ruth Limpers Mark Thole



Stewardship August 30th Contributions



Scan here if you wish to access our online giving portal through 1NB. Please reach out to the office if you would like help or more information!

Envelopes: \$3081	Loose: \$1055
Online Giving: \$315	Cemetery: \$680
Catholic School Assessment: \$30	Capital Campaign: \$235
Guatemala: \$100	St. Mary Needy: \$400
Retired Priests: \$35	Seminarian Ed: \$25
Israel: \$400	



WEEKDAY MASS
WEEKDAY MASS WILL BE
CELEBRATED IN THE PARISH
CENTER HOSPITALITY ROOM
AT 7:30AM.



WEEKLY READINGS AND OBSERVANCES



Readings for the week of
September 6, 2026

Sunday: Ez 33:7-9/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7b, 7c-9/Rom 13:8-10/
Mt 18:15-20

Monday: 1 Cor 5:1-8/Ps 5:5-6, 7, 12/Lk 6:6-11

Tuesday: Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30/Ps 13:6ab, 6c/Mt
1:1-16, 18-23 or 1:18-23

Wednesday: 1 Cor 7:25-31/Ps 45:11-12, 14-15, 16-17/
Lk 6:20-26

Thursday: 1 Cor 8:1b-7, 11-13/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 23
-24/Lk 6:27-38

Friday: 1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6, 12/Lk 6:39
-42

Saturday: 1 Cor 10:14-22/Ps 116:12-13, 17-18/Lk 6:43-
49

Next Sunday: Sir 27:30-28:7/Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-
12/Rom 14:7-9/Mt 18:21-35

Fr. Deva's homily is now available at all entrances to
the church instead of inserted into the bulletin.

Please remember in our prayers:

Ryan Wittenauer, Remmie Vail, Ashton Mouser,
Kennah Heistand, Tom & Gwen Baird, Diane
Langenhorst, Baillie Johnson, Sharon Aach, Dasalm
Family, Mel Thole, Jillian Musgrove, Jennifer
Riesmeyer, Sr. Carole Langhauser PHJC, Janet
Compare

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

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

**Kylie, Laura, Abbey,
Amanda, Lori, Courtney & Caitlin**

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 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.

Please contact the parish office once the baby is born so we can take mom's
name off the list.

Schedule of Events ...

Wednesday 6:30-7:30 pm Faith Formation

Wed. Sept. 16: 6:30 pm Parent Meeting for Reconciliation

Sun. Sept. 20: KC Breakfast to benefit Retired Priests & Nuns

Wed. Sept. 23: 6:30 pm Parent Meeting for Confirmation

LADIES OF THE PARISH the 2026-2027 Sodality booklets are ready to be picked up. They are on the registers and in the back of church.

Mater Dei Catholic High School

Welcomes

Paul J Kim

Speaker, Singer, Inspirer

Meant to Live For More

September 10, 2026

Time is TBD. All Family and Friends of Mater Dei are welcome.

St. Felicitas Church, Beaver Prairie

Chicken Dinner

13322 Church Road, Carlyle, IL,

Sunday, Sept. 20, 11:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.

Drive-thru only. \$15.

(Look for signs on New Rt. 50 west of Carlyle and on Rt. 127 six miles north of Carlyle.)



ALS Golf Scramble

6th Annual Tee'd Off with ALS Golf Scramble

Saturday, Oct. 3 at Roland Barkau Memorial Golf Course, Okawville, IL.



All proceeds go to the Tim Miller Research Lab, Washington University to find a cure. Teams are full, thank you to all that are signed up, but can still support by becoming a sponsor, any monetary donation, and a memorial sign and mum in the memorial garden. This year a reverse drawing for 2 sets of 4 tickets (8 total) in Level 100 to Blues and Blackhawks game in Chicago plus \$2000 cash. Choice of game on Oct 6, or Feb 17 for match with the Blues or a different mutually agreed upon Blackhawks game. Tickets are \$100 each. For more information go to FB page Tee'd Off with ALS or contact Melissa Netemeyer @ 618-691-9413

St. Bernard, Albers, Annual Wurstmarkt

Sunday, September 27 from 10:30-5:30

Carry out or drive thru available. Whole hog pork sausage & Pork roast dinner includes sauerkraut, green beans, mashed potatoes with gravy and cake for dessert. \$16.00 per carryout. Additional links available for purchase for \$2 per link.

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-noon.

Except June & Dec.

Columbian Club Fish Fry's —*First Friday of the month*

Guest Deacon Bruce Carlson

We are pleased to welcome Deacon Bruce Carlson, a Catholic Relief Services Fellow, who will be joining us September 12th and 13th as our guest deacon. Deacon Bruce will share his faith and experience with us and offer a special perspective on the Church's call to serve those in need.



Clinton County Farm Bureau Foundation 3rd Annual Pulling for Agriculture Event



Saturday, Sept. 19 at the Clinton County Fairgrounds! The day kicks off with the "King of Clinton County" Pull at 1 p.m., followed by the Kids Pedal Pull at 5 p.m. and ITPA Pulling Classes at 7 p.m. Enjoy a full day of action, with concessions available from the Clinton County FFA Chapters. All proceeds benefit the Clinton County Farm Bureau Foundation Scholarship Programs. All day admission: \$20 (ages 18+) • \$10 (ages 11-17) 10 & under FREE

Parish Council News...



PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS: Corynn Wheelan, Chad Holthaus, Brenda Knolhoff, Joe Wilkerson, Joni Dorff, Macie Osborne, Peggy Hilmes, Skip Etter, Jane Zurliene.



Faith Formation News...

Parent Meeting for Reconciliation will be Wednesday, September 16 at 6:30. All parents of 2nd graders are expected to attend.

Parent Meeting for Confirmation will be Wednesday, September 23 at 6:30. All parents of 8th graders are expected to attend.

Do You Enjoy Baking? We Need Your Cakes!!



Carlyle Healthcare & Senior Living is having a Grandparent's Day Picnic on Sunday, September 13th and we are doing a cake walk. If anyone would like to donate a cake (in a disposable pan & labeled what flavor it is) you can drop it off Saturday the 12th between 8 am and Noon or the morning of the picnic.

Thank You !!

Walking in the Parish Center

M-F only 8am-3pm

With the exception of holidays

Message from Fr. Deva



Sunday, September 6, 2026

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Scripture: Ezekiel 33:7-9; Romans 13:8-10; Matthew 18:15-20

Today's readings remind us of the importance of fraternal correction in our lives as Christians. Ezekiel warns that if we fail to correct our neighbor, we will be held accountable for their sin. St. Paul reminds us that loving our neighbor as ourselves is a fundamental aspect of our Christian calling. Jesus teaches that fraternal correction is essential for building and maintaining healthy relationships within the community. The words of St. Catherine of Siena echo in our hearts today: "We are all responsible for all, I more than everybody else." These words remind us that our actions have a ripple effect on the world around us. As Christians, we are not isolated individuals but members of a larger community. We are responsible not only for our own actions but also for the well-being of those around us. Too often, we have a mania to correct others and a phobia to correct ourselves. Let us overcome it.

If I am sore about somebody, then the first person for me to approach is that person, with respect and kindness, whether it is a relation or acquaintance. The goal is not so much to put the offender on trial, but to persuade the offender to see the wrong and to be reconciled. And if this fails, then we must not still give up, but seek the help of the Christian community. The presence of Jesus in the community is highlighted in these Gospel words, "For where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I among them." In caring for and challenging the offending member, in gathering together in the Lord's name, he has a chance to realize his mistake. In many ways, we are keepers of our sisters and brothers. We have social responsibility in the family and in the neighborhood. Let us see Jesus in each person we meet, and pray for the offender—healing and reconciliation.

Retired Diocesan Priests Collection September 12-13

Our Belleville Diocese currently has 53 diocesan priests: 28 are currently retired and 25 are in active ministry. Of those 25 in active ministry, 13 are of retirement age but continue to serve us. With this large number of retirement-age priests and escalating health care costs, the Retired Diocesan Priests Collection on September 12-13 will help provide the resources needed for their care now and in the future. All monies will be used only for long-term nursing care, Medicare supplemental insurance and prescription medications for our retired diocesan priests. Show your appreciation to the priests who have walked with you on your life's journey with a generous gift to this special collection.

Seeking Volunteers for The Beatification of Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen

An historic moment for the Catholic Church in the United States that will bring together thousands of pilgrims from across the country to celebrate the life and legacy of one of America's most beloved Catholic evangelists. This extraordinary event in St. Louis, Missouri, will only happen once, and we are looking for volunteers to help make it a joyful and welcoming experience for everyone who attends.

Whether you have a few hours or several days to give, there are a variety of volunteer opportunities available before and during the celebration.

Beatification Mass & Expo

Thursday, September 24, 2026

The Dome at America's Center, St. Louis, MO

To volunteer, go to. <https://www.celebratesheen.com/volunteer>

*During the month of September the
Sanctuary candle in our parish church
burns in loving memory of:*



**Arnie &
Fern Wobbe**

October 2026
November 2026

Jeff & John Peppenhorst
Darrell Evans, Joe & Agnes
Kampwerth, Ruth Limpers
Deceased Members of Diekemper
& Wiegman Families

December 2026

January 2027
February 2027

Ray & Maggie Bruemmer
Deceased Members of Schnieder,
Poehler and Voss Families

March 2027

Dan Feldmann

April 2027

Leroy Wiegmann

May 2027

Joyce Deiters

June 2027

Nancy Zieren

July 2027

Bradley & Duffy Edmund

August 2027

Alphonse, Rowena & Rich Isaak

September 2027

John & Jeff Peppenhorst

October 2027

Danielle Foppe

November 2027

Norbert, Alice & Alan Kampwerth,
Ben & Florence Fehlker

December 2027

Deceased Members of Diekemper
& Wiegman Families

*To help cover the expenses of the candle, we offer
the opportunity each month for individuals to
dedicate an intention.*

*A \$60.00 donation is requested. Please reach out
to the Parish Office to make your intention.*

Laity invited to study theology at Saint Meinrad

Seek God through prayer, study, and a tradition of Benedictine hospitality. The Saint Meinrad Graduate Theology Program invites you to learn about its MA and certificates in theology during an online Open House on Wed Sept 23 at 6:30 pm CT, OR an in-person Open House on Sat Oct 10. Learn more at www.saintmeinrad.edu/openhouse.



Post-Master's Spiritual Direction Certificate

Do you feel called to accompany others in their journey of faith? Saint Meinrad Seminary and School of Theology's Post-Master's Certificate in Spiritual Direction prepares more experienced students to serve as spiritual directors through theological study, formation, and supervised practice rooted in the Benedictine tradition. We are forming a new certificate cohort. Register your interest by October 1 to save your spot. Learn more at www.saintmeinrad.edu/SD.



Schedule of Upcoming 2026 Healing Masses

Information will be updated whenever the office is notified.

St. Boniface Church (Germantown) - 9/09/26 @ 6:30pm

Marriage on Tap STL

Join us on **Thursday, September 17, 2026, at 6:00 PM** for an evening of dinner and marriage enrichment at Syberg's on Dorsett in Maryland Heights, Missouri. Our guest speaker will be Father Paul Hoelsing, President Rector of Kenrick-Glennon Seminary. Fr. Hoelsing's presentation is entitled, "Lifting Each Other up Before God in Spousal Prayer." The evening is sponsored by Worldwide Marriage Encounter. Dinner is \$70 per couple/\$35 per person. Cash bar will be available. The **deadline to register is September 11, 2026**. For more information, check out Marriage on Tap STL on Facebook or email us at marriageontapstl@gmail.com.



NATIONAL SHRINE of
OUR LADY of the SNOWS
Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate

Church History Series: The Legacy of St. Augustine

Presenter: Mark Etling, PhD

Sat., Sept. 12 & 19, 2026, from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon

St. Augustine is one of the most influential theologians in the history of Christianity. His wide-ranging theology covered everything from the Trinity to original sin to the relationship between Church and state. He lived during a period of transition when Christianity became the official religion of the Roman Empire. Anyone raised as a Catholic or most any other Christian denomination has been exposed to the theology of Augustine.

Cost: \$15 per session/\$30 for the series

Register online at snows.org/events/Augustine-series or call 618-394-6281.

Morality, Public Policy and the Common Good: How the Church Stands in the World

Presenter: Fr. Charles Bouchard, OP

Thursday, September 17, 2026 from 1:00 am to 12:00 pm

When we think of the relationship between church and state, we often think only of "separation." In fact, the relationship is more complicated than that. How does Catholic teaching define that relationship? What role should religion and moral convictions play in political life?

Cost: \$15 Register online at snows.org/events/Church-World or call 618-394-6281.

	<u>LECTOR</u>	<u>EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER</u>		<u>MASS SERVERS</u>	<u>GIFT BEARERS</u>	<u>USHERS</u>
Sept 5 4:30 pm	Kendra Vaughn	Susan Winkeler Chuck Rolfingsmeier Jan Kauling Suzanne Christ	Keri Mitchell Linda Peppenhorst Volunteer	Keaston Vaughn Kinsley Vaughn Kiera Vaughn	Michael & Connie Vaughn Family	Jerome Diekemper Kathy Rakers Barb Cardwell Michael Jansen Skip Etter Shirley Etter
Sept 6 10:00 am	Brigid Nalewajka	David Caplinger Jim Nalewajka Lisa Eversgerd Chad Holthaus	Stacy Holthaus Geraldyn Hodapp Linda McNurlen	Charllotte Osborne Gabriel Osborne Levi Osborne	David and Elyse Caplinger	Dennis Hempen Jeannie Kleber Ed Kleber Bernard Hodapp Geraldyn Hodapp Peggy Hilmes

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Sept 12 4:30 pm	Elaine Horstmann	Richard Christ Suzanne Christ Volunteer Barb Crouse	Linda Peppenhorst Kerri Peters Michele Foster	Caleb Aeschbacher Hailey Timmermann Alex Timmermann	David & Brenda Aeschbacher Family	Jerome Diekemper Kathy Rakers Barb Cardwell Michael Jansen Skip Etter Shirley Etter
Sept 13 10:00 am	Brigid Nalewajka	Angie Von Hatten Emily Von Hatten Mary Hartung Ron Zurliene	Jim Nalewajka Ethan Wheelan Dave Rodden	Ayla Edwards Cohen Edwards Charlotte Nolte	Beverly Schlau Family	Dennis Hempen Jeannie Kleber Ed Kleber Bernard Hodapp Geraldyn Hodapp Peggy Hilmes