





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 Hempen, Deacon

October 4, 2026
27th Sunday in Ordinary Time
First Reading: Isaiah 5:1-7
Second Reading: Philippians 4:6-9
Gospel: Matthew 21:33-43

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

PARISH OFFICE 618-594-2225 Email stmaryc@sbcglobal.net Office Hours Tuesday - Thursday 9:00 a.m. –to 1:00 p.m. Fr. Deva's Hours Tues.-Wed. 9am-1pm Thursday 11am -1pm Website stmaryccarlyle.org	PARISH LEADERSHIP Fr. Devarajulu Ubbarapu Parish Administrator ubbarapudeva1981@gmail.com 618-359-2735 Deacon John Hempen deaconjohn1952@gmail.com 618-304-3375 (leave message) John Zieren & Mary Hugo Parish Trustees Rebecca Krueger, Treas./Bookkeeper booksstmaryccarlyle@gmail.com	PARISH STAFF Tracy Becker Coordinator of Faith Formation rel_ed_stmary@yahoo.com Paula Timmermann, Kim Jones Office Staff stmaryc@sbcglobal.net Samantha Mansfield Janice Guthrie Youth Ministry Randy Foster Grounds & Maintenance	SACRAMENTS Baptism Call Fr. Deva to register Marriage Contact Fr. Deva 6-9 months in advance OCIA (RCIA) Mondays 7:00 to 8:30 pm St. Dominic Annex Breese Questions: Fr. Deva or Deacon John
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FAITH FORMATION
Wednesdays
6:30 p.m. to 7:30p.m.

Religious Education
618-594-2284

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

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

VOCATIONS:
Fr. Thomas Lugge
618-523-4271
frthomaslugge@gmail.com

DIOCESE OF BELLEVILLE
618-277-8181
www.diobelle.org

PARTNERED PARISH
St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Church
18201 Marydale Rd.,
Carlyle, IL
618-594-3266
www.stteresamarydale.com

OUR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS
Mater Dei High School
618-526-7216
materdeiknights.org

All Saints Academy
618-526-4323
www.asasaints.com

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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 ABUSEHOTLINE: Anyone wishing to reportan allegation
of sexual misconduct by a priest or other diocesan personnel please call
the hotline: **800-640-3044.**

Liturgy for the Week...



- Sat, Oct 3 4:30 pm** *Art, Cornelia, Mark Schomaker
Ed, Bea & Dan Frank
JoAnn Gray*
- Sun, Oct 4 10:00am** *Leland & Margaret Lovell*
- Mon, Oct 5 7:30 am** *EJ & Lorraine Menkhaus*
- Tues, Oct 6 7:30 am** *L/D Members of Rivera Family*
- Wed, Oct 7 7:30 am** *JoAnn Gray*
- Thu, Oct 8 7:30 am** *Ralph & Ruth Ann Langhauser*
10:00 am *Word & Eucharist - Carlyle
Healthcare Center*
- Fri, Oct 9 7:30 am** *For caregivers and those
who support the sick*
- Sat, Oct 10 7:30 am** *Kevin Kampwerth
Rayma Harris
Mark Koehler*
- Sun, Oct 11 10:00 am** *Charles & Berta Kordick*



Stewardship September 27th



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: \$3124

Online Giving: \$415

Catholic School Assessment: \$295

Guatemala: \$

Retired Priests: \$878

Loose: \$1509

Cemetery: \$702

Capital Campaign: \$85

Israel: \$400

ALL SOULS REMEMBRANCE MASSES From the earliest days of Christianity, the faithful have come together to celebrate All Souls Day, remembering and praying for their loved ones who have gone before them. We will continue this sacred tradition with special liturgies on **October 31 at 4:30 pm and November 1 at 10:00 am**. We invite anyone who has a family member or friend who has died this past year to join us for one of these Masses. If you would like to carry a lighted candle during the 4:30 Mass procession or have a candle placed near the altar, please contact **Linda McNurlen at 618-792-0278**.

Weekly Readings

Readings for the week of
October 4, 2026



Sunday: Is 5:1-7/Ps 80:9 and 12, 13-14, 15-16, 19-20/Phil 4:6-9/Mt 21:33-43

Monday: Gal 1:6-12/Ps 111:1b-2, 7-8, 9 and 10c/Lk 10:25-37

Tuesday: Gal 1:13-24/Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15/Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday: Gal 2:1-2, 7-14/Ps 117:1bc, 2/Lk 11:1-4

Thursday: Gal 3:1-5/Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75/Lk 11:5-13

Friday: Gal 3:7-14/Ps 111:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 11:15-26

Saturday: Gal 3:22-29/Ps 105:2-3, 4-5, 6-7/Lk 11:27-28

Next Sunday: Is 25:6-10a/Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6/Phil 4:12-14, 19-20/Mt 22:1-14 or 22:1-10

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

Adult Servers

Mon., Wed., Fri. October 5, 7, 9 Paul Kauling

Tues., Thurs., October 6, 8 Glenn Foppe

Mon., Wed., Fri. October 12, 14, 16 Tom Frerker

Tues., Thurs., October 13, 15 Gerard Luebbers

Please remember in our prayers:

Kelly Betts Horstmann, Sylvester Revermann, Mark Revermann, Ryan Wittenauer, Remmie Vail, Ashton Mouser, Kennah Heistand, Tom & Gwen Baird, Diane Langenhorst, Baillie Johnson, Sharon Aach, Dasalm Family, Mel Thole, 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

Sun Oct 11: 10:00 am Polka Mass

Sun Oct 11: 11am-3pm St. Mary Carlyle Pork Sausage Dinner

Sun Oct 18: KC Breakfast to benefit CHS Booster Club

Wed Oct 21: 6:30 pm Sponsor meeting for Confirmation

St. Mary Parish, Carlyle Pork Sausage Dinner



Sunday, October 11, 2026

11 am to 3 pm

Drive-thru only

Proceeds to benefit the St Mary
Renovation Fund

Join us for

All Saints Academy's Annual Dinner Auction

November 7, 2026!



The Roaring Saints

We invite our parish community to come together for an evening of fellowship, fun, and support for All Saints Academy. For more details about this evening, please scan QR code. We hope to see you there!

St. Mary, Carlyle Polka Mass

Sunday October 11, 2026 10:00am



October 11, 2026 - Before Mass - starting 9:45 am - will be the rehearsal to sing the songs for the Polka Mass.

If you would like to be part of the choir for the Polka Mass, come to the rehearsal (choir location downstairs) after Mass on October 4, 2026 for about 30 minutes.

Pork Sausage Dinner to Follow Polka Mass
at the Parish Center 11:00 am to 3:00 pm

RUMMAGE SALE

In conjunction with the Legion Beef and Pork Sausage Dinner, the **Aviston American Legion Auxiliary will have a Fall Rummage Sale on Sunday, October 11th from 10:00am to 5:00pm** (\$4.00 brown bag 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm). We will be selling Halloween, Thanksgiving and Christmas items ONLY. There's something for every one!!!

Honor your Loved Ones on

All Souls Day

With Your Personalized Tribute in The Messenger
Tributes will appear in the October 22nd publication

Order forms available in the back of church

Chili Supper Fundraiser

Donation only fundraiser for
Sandoval Shalom Food Pantry
Saturday, October 10, 2026

4-7pm

St. Lawrence Hall

411 Pine St.

Sandoval, IL

Join us for an all-you-can-eat

Chili/soup supper, hotdogs/chili dogs, drink & Dessert



Old Fashioned Quilting Bee

Sponsored by
St. George Quilting Group

Monday, October 5, 2026 9am to 3pm

Lunch will be provided

Tuesday, October 6, 2026 5:45 pm to 9pm

Refreshments & Desserts will be served

St. George Community Life Center
317 E Maple St., New Baden, IL

St. Dominic Church, Breese

Chicken Dinner

Sunday, October 4th, 2026

11:00 am to 5:00 pm

Carry out only. \$15 per Meal

St. Dominic Parish Center

Located at 345 N. Clinton St. (seating available)

Menu includes: 4 Piece chicken, mashed potatoes,
dressing, green beans, slaw, dessert



Knights of Columbus

North Central Vicariate

Pork sausage breakfast to benefit Pro-Life activities.

Serving 7:00 am to 11:00 am

Sunday, October 4th

Hosted by New Baden Council 10311
with assistance from our local council.
New Baden Parish Center

Our Parish Family



Condolences to the families of Barb Wilton who passed away Tuesday, September 22, David Ross, (brother of Rebecca Krueger) who passed away September 18, and Mary Pitt (sister of Martha Robke and Norbert Holthaus) who passed away September 24. May they rest in God's peace.

For those who have not filled out an updated parishioner form, they are in the pews for your convenience. Please fill out and return to the office ASAP so we can continue to update our records.

Message from Fr. Deva



Sunday, October 4, 2026

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Scripture: Isaiah 5:1-7; Philippians 4:6-9; Matthew 21:33-43

In the first reading, we find the consequences of neglecting our spiritual lives-of failing to produce the fruits of justice and righteousness. It calls for a thorough examination of our own lives, identifying the areas where we are not bearing fruit and taking action to change.

"Finally, he sent his son to them, saying, 'they will respect my son.'" Today's first reading and the Gospel tell a sad story about human ingratitude toward God and their greed for earthly wealth. People forgot the God who entrusted them with His creation. In their greed, they killed God's prophets and even His own Son, whom "they seized, threw out of the vineyard, and killed." Through the prophet Isaiah, God laments: "What more could I have done for my vineyard that I haven't done? When I looked for good grapes, why did it yield only wild grapes?" We are the recipients of God's many gifts and blessings. What more could God have given us? He even sacrificed His own Son to save us. We are blessed far beyond what we deserve. But what have we done with these blessings? Am I producing the fruits that lead to eternal life? How have I responded to God's Son, who came to bring us life and salvation? Is God now lamenting over my ingratitude and indifference to His gift of salvation?

This parable also reminds us that we are not owners but only stewards of God's gifts. As stewards, we are entrusted with the care of God's creation, including of our talents, resources, and relationships. We are called to use these gifts wisely, not for our own selfish purposes, but for the greater glory of God.

SUPPORT OUR SAINTS - S.O.S. RAFFLE

All Saints Academy is excited to begin its 12th annual fundraising campaign, the Support Our Saints - S.O.S. Raffle, beginning October 5. It is an online, email-based raffle that will provide one lucky winner with a Grand Prize of \$5,000, one \$1,000 prize, one \$500 prize, or one of ten \$100 prizes! A \$200 prize will be awarded as part of our "Early Bird" drawing, to be held on October 15. The "Early Bird" drawing will include all tickets purchased through October 14 (online ticket purchases by 11:59 pm and offline ticket purchases received in the ASA office by 3:00 pm). The "Early Bird" will be eligible for the remaining prizes.



Tickets are \$25 or BUY 5, get 1 FREE. Purchases are limited to those 18 and older.

The raffle campaign will close on November 6 (online ticket purchases by 11:59 pm and offline ticket purchases received at the ASA office by 3:00 pm) Winners will be chosen by a computerized drawing and will be announced Saturday, November 7.

To purchase a ticket, use the link below, scan the QR code, access a printable raffle ticket on the ASA website, contact an ASA family, or Lynn Winkeler (618-789-3342 - klwinkeler1@gmail.com) <https://goraisedough.com/buy/3890> - will be active October 5 - November 6.

Thank you in advance for your support of All Saints Academy Catholic Grade School and our "Support Our Saints - S.O.S. Raffle!"

In Honor of all Veterans and their Families

October 4, 2026

Whispering Pines of Clinton County

A celebration with activities, music, a delicious meal with beverages and to meet other families.

Flag Ceremony/ Venture Crew 12:15 pm

Speaker Colby Voss 12:30 pm

Honoring Bricks & Benches 12:45 pm

Lunch 1 to 2 pm

Music by Orzo Miller 1:30 to 4:30 pm

Tours 11 - 11:45 am and 4:30 to 5:15 pm

The Lodge will be open

Call 618.604.2484 with questions

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



*Jeff & John
Peppenhorst*

November 2026

December 2026

January 2027

February 2027

March 2027

April 2027

May 2027

June 2027

July 2027

August 2027

September 2027

October 2027

November 2027

December 2027

Darrell Evans, Joe & Agnes
Kampwerth, Ruth Limpers
Deceased Members of Diekemper
& Wiegman Families
Ray & Maggie Bruemmer
Deceased Members of Schnieder,
Poehler and Voss Families
Dan Feldmann
Leroy Wiegmann
Joyce Deiters
Nancy Zieren
Bradley & Duffy Edmund
Alphonse, Rowena & Rich Isaak
John & Jeff Peppenhorst
Danielle Foppe
Norbert, Alice & Alan Kampwerth,
Ben & Florence Fehlker
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.*

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*

National Life Chain
Sunday, Oct. 4, 2026
2-3pm

This year, Clinton County Citizens for Life will be joining with people from Breese, Beckemeyer and Carlyle at the Intersection of Rt 127 and Rt 50 in Carlyle. We will be standing on the sidewalk behind the Intersection. Bring a lawn chair if you cannot stand for the full hour.

Belleville Diocesan Council of Catholic Women

is having its annual Convention on **Wednesday, October 21, 2026, St. Bruno Pinkneyville, IL at the KC Columbian Club from 8:00 am to 2:30 pm.**

BDCCW is celebrating 100 years of Leadership, Service, and Spirituality. Bishop Godfrey Mullen will be a guest speaker and also celebrate Mass.

The cost to register is \$20 before 10/5/2026 and \$25 for later registrations.

If any ladies of the parish are interested, please contact **Jane Beckmann at 618-791-7607, BY OCTOBER 1ST.**

Open House for Bishop Godfrey
Please join us for an Open House

We are delighted to welcome our Bishop and invite you to join us for a special time of fellowship, friendship and celebration

Come Meet and Greet

Bishop Godfrey

St. Theresa Catholic Church

Salem, IL

October 10, 2026

2:30 - 4:30 pm



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

Way of Lights Performer Request

Friday, November 20 – Thursday, December 31, 2026

You are invited to share your wonderful talents at The Shrine of Our Lady of the Snows' annual Way of Lights. We are in need of musicians to perform each evening from 6:00 to 9:00 pm for our guests. A great way to promote your ensemble and share the Christmas spirit! If you would like to perform, please call 618-397-6700 or email perform@snows.org.

The gift that keeps giving – for the rest of your life!

Renew your Sacrament, deepen your communication, strengthen your relationship, and rekindle your romance by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Experience! Perhaps consider a weekend away as a present for your spouse. For more information or to apply, go to wwme.org, or call Terry and Eric Engholm at 314-649-7317. The following upcoming weekend experiences are available.

10/9/2026 - 10/11/2026, Springfield, IL

12/4/2026 - 12/6/2026, St. Peters, MO



PRAYING FOR SEMINARIANS

Please pray for our Diocesan Seminarians. Each week, we will feature one of our 11 seminarians. Please consider dropping them a note of support. At the very least, a simple prayer would be helpful for this week:

Clinton Rauch

St Meinrad

200 Hill Dr., St. Meinrad, IN 47577

	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Eucharistic Minister</u>		<u>Mass Servers</u>	<u>Gift Bearers</u>	<u>Ushers</u>
Oct 3 4:30 pm	Suzanne Christ	Volunteer Michele Foster Rosie Nehrt Matt Diekemper	Keri Mitchell Nick Christ Linda Peppenhorst	Volunteer Volunteer Volunteer	Jerome Diekemper Family	Dave Beckmann Linda Peppenhorst Ken Foster Joan Wesselmann Jerome Diekemper Brad Clark
Oct 4 10:00am	Theresa Wuebbels	Emily Von Hatten Angie Von Hatten Chad Holthaus Stacy Holthaus	Theresa Wuebbels Kelly Dempsey Ron Zurliene	Julie Von Hatten Klohe Diekemper Charlotte Nolte	Chad & Patti Timmermann Family	Chad Holthaus Mary Hartung Diane Hodapp Ed Kleber Jeannie Kleber Bernard Hodapp

	<u>Lector</u>	<u>Eucharistic Ministers</u>		<u>Mass Servers</u>	<u>Gift Bearers</u>	<u>Ushers</u>
Oct 10 4:30 pm	Barb Crouse	Jane Beckmann Chuck Rolfingsmeier Barb Couse	Michele Foster Volunteer Kerri Peters Keri Mitchell	Avery Clark Owen Clark Caleb Aeschbacher	Volunteer Family	Dave Beckmann Linda Peppenhorst Ken Foster Joan Wesselmann Jerome Diekemper Brad Clark
Oct 11 10:00 am	Brigid Nalewajka	Beverly Schlau Geraldyn Hodapp Jim Nalewajka Ethan Wheelan	Emily Von Hatten Angie Von Hatten Dave Rodden	Charlotte Osborne Gabriel Osborne Levi Osborne	Volunteer Family	Chad Holthaus Mary Hartung Diane Hodapp Ed Kleber Jeannie Kleber Bernard Hodapp