Parish Information:

Reconciliation:	30 min prior to 4pm Saturday Mass or anytime by appointment
Baptism:	Call the rectory to set a time/date
Marriage:	Catholic policy requires a 6-month advance request for all weddings. Call the rectory to plan/begin preparations.
Anointing of the Sick:	Call the rectory at anytime day or night. 660-376-3239
Prayer Line Requests:	Beth Kearns (660) 202-9388 Barb Meissen (660) 376-2983
New Parishioner:	Welcome to our parish! Contact the office or Fr. Ussher to register as a parishioner.
Visit or Anointing Request:	If you or a loved one is ill or unable to attend Mass, please contact the Rectory, Father, or Dcn Mike for a visit. Holy Communion, Confession, and Anointing of the Sick are available.
Mass Offerings:	To have a Mass offered for a loved one, please call, email or visit the rectory. You may also place the loved one's name and $10 offering in the collection, along with any requested date.

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Parish Councils & Organizations
Pastoral Council: *2nd Tuesday of each month @6:30pm; President: Levi Kelly 816-752-3775*
Finance Council: *Quarterly, last Tuesday of the month @6:30pm; President: Kimberly Corbin*
Knights of Columbus: *Meets Bi-monthly on a Monday @7pm; Grand Knight: James Stella 573-999-4910*
Stewardship Council: *President: Paula Wright 660-349-6257*
Liturgy Committee: *3rd Tuesday of each month @ 6pm,*

FR. MCCARTAN MEMORIAL SCHOOL

Mass Schedule and Calendar

Sat. October 10
4pm Mass @ Marceline
Intention: Rita Kussman
6pm Mass @ Indian Grove
Intention: Wayne & Carolyn Wald
**Rosary Rally @ 12*

Sun. October 11
9am Mass @ Brookfield
10:45 Mass @ Marceline
Intention: Irene Schmitt

Mon. October 12
7:30am Mass @ Marceline
Intention: Steve Ewigman

Tues. October 13
5:30pm Mass @ Marceline
Intention: Floyd Rodgers
**Parish Council @ 6*

Wed. October 14
8:30am Mass @ Brookfield
**PSR for K-6 ; 3:10pm-5:20pm*

Thur. October 15- Golden Age Dinner
10:00am Mass @ Marceline
Intention: Tim Siemens
2:00pm Mass @ Hurricane Branch
Funeral Mass: Jenny Rose Gladbach
**Ladies Faith Group @ 9am*
**Golden Age Mass @ 10 am*
**Golden Age Dinner Following Mass*

Frid. October 16
8:15am Mass @ Marceline
Intention: JR & Janice Niemeier

Sat. October 17
8:15am Mass @ Marceline
Intention: Harold Pope
6pm Mass @ Hurricane Branch
Intention: CV Gladbach

Sun. October 18
9am Mass @ Brookfield
10:45 Mass @ Marceline
Intention: Mitchel Burns

St. Bonaventure Church

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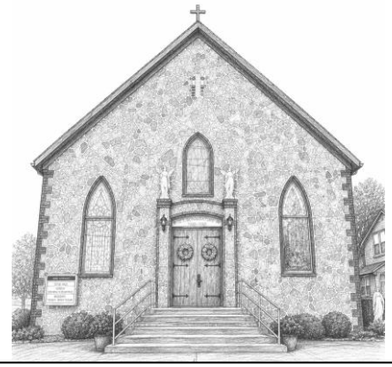


St Joseph Church, Hurricane Branch
Mass 1st, 3rd, 5th Saturdays @ 6pm
St. Joseph Collection 10/3/2026 $1,252

St. Raphael Church, Indian Grove
Mass 2nd and 4th Saturdays @ 6pm
St. Raphael collection 9/26/2026 $513

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 11th, 2026

"This is the LORD for whom we looked; let us rejoice and be glad that he has saved us!"
Isaiah 6:10

St. Bonaventure Financial Information

Amount needed to meet Fiscal Year Expenses

$660,000

	Envelopes/Loose	ACH	Donations
Week 1	$4,874	$2,345	$30
Week 2			
Week 3			
Week 4			
Totals	$4,874	$2,345	$30
	Total Monthly Collection:		$7,249
	Total Yearly Collection:		$83,688
	Needed to meet Goal:		$576,312

Liturgical Responsibilities

	Saturday 10/17/26(*4PM*)	Sunday 10/18/26 (*10:45AM*)
Ushers	Dorothy Esser, Ron Esser	3-4 Volunteers
Lector	Lori Rollison	Megan Rodgers
Eucharist Ministers	Dorothy Esser	Dcn Mike Dorrell
Servers	Spencer Rollison, 1-2 Volunteers	Lexie Krumpelman, 1-2 volunteers
Music	Greg Meissen	Denise Quinn

Pastor's Pen

The Rosary Prayer

The Rosary is the prayer of the Church. It is beautiful in its composition and powerful in words and in what it bestows. As Catholics we are taught to pray the Rosary as often as we can, calling on the intercession of Blessed Virgin Mary, the mother of our Savior and our mother by faith. In the month of October, and May, we are encouraged to join the whole Church in praying the Rosary for various needs of the Church, our nations and family. Mother Mary is our beloved and powerful intercessor, enthroned as Queen of Heaven, Angels, Saints, Holy Rosary and Peace.

The Rosary prayer is both vocal and meditative in nature. As we pray the prayers that constitute the Rosary, we at the same time meditate on the mysteries of our salvation (Joyful, Luminous, Sorrowful and Glorious). Thus, in praying the rosary we reflect on the life of Christ from his birth to his ascension without limitations to that of Blessed Virgin Mary. The Rosary, among all other things, is scriptural in character. The words that form the rosary as prayer are basically inscribed in scripture (the bible) of which the prayer of the church is added.(cf Apostle Creed, the Lord's Prayer, The Hail Mary, and the Doxology - Glory be to the Father).

The Rosary Prayer, over the years, has been most favorite prayer of many saints. It is still the favorite prayer of many living saints and devout Catholics. St. Pope John Paul II, a true Marian Devotee, in many of his exhibitions said, "The Rosary, though clearly Marian in character, is at heart a Christ-centered prayer. It has all the depth of the gospel message in its entirety." Again, by way of encouraging us, the faithful, to pray the rosary with him, St. John Paul II, declared, "The Rosary is a prayer both so humble and simple and theologically rich in Biblical content. I beg you to pray it." Dear beloved, let us out of devotion call on Mother Mary to ask her son, Jesus, our Lord, to heal our world from all forms of hatred.

Peace! *Fr. Ussher*

October Mass Count
Mass attendance should be counted for all weekend masses in October, for all 4 parishes
Ushers, please count the attendance of all weekend masses.

Ministry Volunteers Needed
Lectors, Greeters, Eucharistic Ministers and Servers are needed! Please use the Sign Up Genius Link to sign up or contact Velvet Dorrell at (660) 413-2315. It is very helpful to have the positions filled prior to Mass.

Vote Yes on Amendment 3
The Missouri Catholic Conference has issued a statement urging support for "Pro-life Amendment 3," to restore safeguards around abortion, protect women's health, and uphold the dignity of human life. The bishops call on Missourians to support the amendment through prayer, fasting, and civic engagement. Yard signs are available in the back of the church if anyone would like one.

Altar Society – Church Care

- October – Circle 10 (Lauren Mosier, leader) is in charge of cleaning the church
- Please contact your circle leader to volunteer to help keep our church looking its best!
- There is a Circle list on the bulletin board in the back of the church.
- Thanks to all who attended the Fall Meeting and Social. Many members were present and a great time was had by all, visiting and playing BUNCO!

Hurricane Branch Parish Council Officers:
President- Bud Seyler; **Vice President-** Bob Gladbach; **Secretary-** Kyle Speichinger; **Treasurer-** John Koehl; **Bookkeeper-** Carly Smith

Youth News

CYO: *Donna Bell (660)415-7063*
NEXT MEETING OCT. 28th
- SAVE THE DATE for the Diocesan Youth Rally to be held on Nov. 22.
- Youth Led Mass – Sunday, October 25th.

26-27 PSR: *Brittany Husky (660) 349-6994*
- PSR Classes are held on Wednesdays from 3:10pm-5:20pm. Snacks and a light supper provided!
- PSR Drop Off Reminder: Please drop PSR students off in front of the School Multipurpose Room, or in front of the church and walk them over. Please do not use the church parking lot east and north of the church, as it is being used for school car rider dismissal. Thank you!

Fr. McCartan Memorial School

Lisa Sensenich, Principal
principal@fathermccartan.com
327 S Kansas Ave 660-376-3580
School Advisory –*Bi-Monthly (odd) 3rd Wed. @ 5:30pm*
Home & School – *Bi-Monthly (even) 3rd Wed. @ 5:30pm*
Memorial School Foundation -*PO Box 305 Marceline, MO*
Easy Money Winner: $50 Joyce Gladbach, Mendon

Annual Trash Bag Sales
Contact a Fr. McCartan Student or the school office to purchase trash bags and help support Catholic Education

Golden Age Dinner Oct. 15th
We will be hosting our annual Golden Age Dinner on Oct. 15th beginning with 10am mass, followed by lunch. Please contact the school by Monday, 10/12 to RSVP.

Parent-Teacher Conferences- Oct. 15th

NO SCHOOL- Oct. 16th

Faith & Fellowship

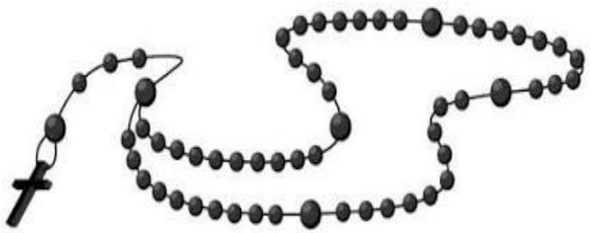
Last Week's Feed My Sheep Collection- 85

Golden Age Dinner
Fr. McCartan School will be hosting their annual Golden Age Dinner on Thursday, Oct. 15th, for grandparents of students, prayer partners, and Golden Aged Parishioners. Please RSVP to the school office by Monday 10/12 if you would like to attend.

Ladies Faith Group
The Ladies Faith Group has resumed meeting. They meet on Thursdays at 9am (or after Mass) in the School Multipurpose Room. All ladies are invited to join the group!

Men's Group- *Dcn Mike (660) 591-5072*
NEXT MEETING: 10/21/2026 @ 7pm
The Men's Group meets on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays @7pm . Contact Deacon Mike if you are not already receiving messages from him and you'd like to join! Men of all ages are welcome!

O.C.I.A (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults)
If you are interested in joining the Catholic Church or learning more about your faith, please contact Michael Krumpelman, (660) 240-1671 to become part of the next class for formation.



Prayers Needed

Pray for all on our prayer list & care givers. If you would like to add to this list, please contact the Rectory.

We ask Jesus for healing & comfort for:
Russell Gladbach, Jim And Christine Atterbury, Family of Steve Ewigman, Charles Brehm, Charles Stallo, Debbie Nellesen, Zoe Tolliver, Ronnie Fitzpatrick, Jeane Dillon, Heather Logue, Larry and Sherry Ellison, Janice Merritt, Gary Bloss, Bob Nanneman, Clarice Gladbach, Brad Niemeier, Mary Ann (Gladbach) Witthar, Theresa Graham, Janice Lockard, Pat Bradford, Amanda Louis, Naidene Gordon, Nellie Beck, Amanda Perkins, Darrell Pollard, Debbie Tankersley, Dean Gauthier, Kathy Nelleson, June Sartain, Pat Kelly, Bob Stuart, Christine Atterbury, Jeremy Lodder; & all who suffer from sickness, accidents, or aging, and doctors, nurses, caregivers, & emergency personnel.
Pray for those currently serving in our military & their families: John "Jack" McCauslin, Sommer Fry, Tayler Fry, Eliijah Fry, Noah Wright, Dillon Craig, Steven Bussman, William Stephens, Andrew Sergent, Nick Cain, Tony Gladbach, Tyler Morris, Jimmy Summers, Jacob White, & Chase Billups.