

CATHEDRAL of SAINT PETER

Masses

Saturday	4:00PM Vigil
Sunday	8:00 & 10:30AM, 5:00PM
Monday– Wednesday	6:45AM
Thursday	8:15AM
Friday	6:45AM
Holydays	6:45AM, 12:10PM

Confessions

Monday-Wednesday	7:15-7:30AM
Thursday	6:00-7:00PM
Friday	7:15-7:30 AM
Saturday	3:00-3:45PM

Perpetual Help Novena

Tuesday after 6:45AM Mass

Holy Hour

Thursday	6:00-7:00PM
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Most Reverend Michael G. McGovern, Bishop of Belleville

January 14, 2024 ♦ Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

John was standing with two of his disciples, and as he watched Jesus walk by, he said, "Behold, the Lamb of God." The two disciples heard what he said and followed Jesus.

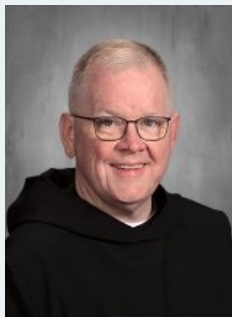
- Jn 1:35-36

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From Fr. Godfrey

- **ORDINARY TIME.** After the brief seasons of Advent and Christmas, we find ourselves back in Ordinary Time. This short season, which will end this year on February 14, Ash Wednesday, offers us the opportunity for steady growth in faith.

Hence the color green: growth. Maybe during this brief season, we can give ourselves permission to plan less, worry less, fret less, and just meet God's peace in the present. I hope and pray we can all find some peace and rest after perhaps a busy time, allowing ourselves to know the great gift of Christmas peace. Be at peace!

- **STEWARDSHIP.** As I've said many times, stewardship is about TIME with God in prayer, TALENT offered generously for building the Kingdom, and TREASURE, supporting the work of the mission of the Church. Many of you offered year-end gifts. Thank you for that. In each area, the question for us all is this: what do I need to give to God and His Church to be at peace with myself? If God is very generous to us, then how do we offer a substantial, maybe even sacrificial, return? Stewardship is not a fanatical way. No. It is the response of every disciple of Jesus. As this new year is still new, I encourage all of us to ask ourselves the though question: am I at peace with my giving of time, talent, and treasure?

- **THANK YOU** to Sister Tess and her crew for removing the Christmas decorations last week. Our church is always beautiful. Decorated for Christmas, it becomes a magnificent place of worship of the newborn King.

- **ABSENCE.** This week, I'll be spending a few days with friends in Florida -- a little respite after the Christmas rush. Thanks to Bishop McGovern and the priests who will cover my regular Masses.

PRAYING FOR SEMINARIANS

Please pray for our Diocesan Seminarians and for the monks of Saint Meinrad in formation. Each week, I'll list one of them in the bulletin here, with an address, so that if you're inclined, you might drop them a note of support. At the very least, maybe one Hail Mary for each one each week would be helpful. For this week...

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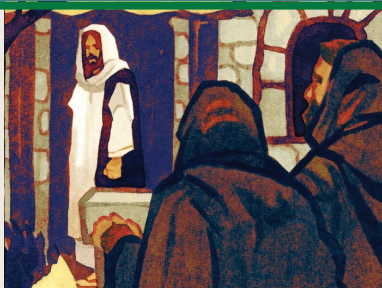
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MUSIC FOR
JANUARY 13/14
SECOND SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME



4:00 PM, 8:00 AM, & 10:30 AM Mass

Prelude

Berceuse, Louis Vierne

Trio, Carlo Rossini

Entrance

#736 *To Jesus Christ, Our Sovereign King*

Psalm

Lord is my Light, Janèt Sullivan Whitaker

Janèt Sullivan Whitaker

The Lord is my light and my sal - va - tion.

The Lord is my light; of whom should I be a-fraid?

Offertory

#341 *Behold the Lamb*

10:30 Choir:

Psalm 121, H. Walford Davies

Communion

#389 *Here I Am, Lord*

10:30 AM Choir: *Bread of Heaven*, David Ashley White

Recessional

#384 *Sent Forth by God's Blessing*

Postlude

Chorale, Joseph Jongen

WORSHIP

Our Cathedral worship - especially the holy Mass - is directed to the Father, through the Son, in the unity of the Holy Spirit.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 13: St. Hilary

4:00 pm Society of the Sacred Heart

Sunday, January 14: 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am Louis & Florence Kish

10:30 am Living & Deceased of Cathedral Parish

5:00 pm Theodore Dabin

Monday, January 15: Weekday in Ordinary Time

6:45 am Jeffrey Vogel

Tuesday, January 16: Weekday in Ordinary Time

6:45 am Sebastian Lenus

Wednesday, January 17: St. Anthony

6:45 am Delmer Riess

Thursday, January 18: Weekday in Ordinary Time

8:15 am Mary Fellner

Friday, January 19: Weekday in Ordinary Time

6:45 am Tony Holdener Sr.

Saturday, January 20: St. Fabian, St. Sebastian

4:00 pm Jean Dinges

Sunday, January 21: Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am Don Parrish

10:30 am Ed Wottowa

5:00 pm Living & Deceased of Cathedral Parish

Mass Presiders

Monday January 15 - 6:45 AM

Fr. Michaelsami

Tuesday January 16 - 6:45 AM

Fr. Jim Thomas

Wednesday January 17 - 6:45 AM

Fr. Jim Thomas

Thursday January 18 - 8:15 AM

Fr. Jim Thomas

Friday January 19 - 6:45 AM

Fr. Jim Thomas

Saturday January 20 - 4:00 PM

Fr. Godfrey

Sunday January 21 - 8:00 AM

Fr. Godfrey

Sunday, January 21 - 10:30 AM

Fr. Godfrey

Sunday January 21 - 5:00 PM

Fr. Jim Thomas



Liturgical Ministries

January 20/21

	4:00 PM Jan 20	8:00 AM Jan 21	10:30 AM Jan 21	5:00 PM Jan 21
EMHC	Sr Tess	S Cerny	Deacon Weiler	D Schaefer
	G Schwartz	J Hill	J J Reitano	P Segert
	D Schaefer	L Horn	C Reitano	A Henderson
	B Barbieri	J Jacquot	J McQuillan	S Szewcyk
	J Haar	J Townsend	M Konradt	J Schaberg
Lector	B McCormack	M Buescher	C Becker	P Robison
Offertory	B Barbieri	V & K Lanter	Kacprzyk Family	B Whipple

FAITH FORMATION

For believers, faith formation is life-long - children, teens, young adults, singles, married, families, seniors - everyone at Cathedral.

Notre Dame Academy (NDA) at Cathedral Campus

There is no school on Monday in honor of Martin Luther King Jr. Day. Our Open House is Sunday, Jan 28th from 10:30 am - noon for prospective parents. Come check out all the Notre Dame Academy has to offer. A Teacher Trivia Night is planned for February 24th. More information is to come, mark your calendars for a fun evening! Please help us spread the word!

Linda Hobbs
Principal



Parishes' School of Religion (PSR) at St. Augustine Campus

Due to the Martin Luther King holiday, we DO NOT have class on Sunday, January 14, or Wednesday, January 17. The Parishes' School of Religion is moving quickly. This year, Ash Wednesday falls on Valentine's Day, February 14. We will once again gather for Mass at St. Augustine at 6:30 P.M. Place this on your calendar. More information about the

Ash Wednesday Mass will be coming to you by e-mail. We resume class again on Sunday, January 21, and Wednesday, January 24.

"The goal of parenting isn't to create perfect kids. It's to point our kids to the perfect God."-Lindsey Bell

Sister Theresa Markus, S.S.N.D.
Coordinator of the Parishes' School of Religion

STEWARDSHIP

Stewardship is a way of life which allows the disciple of Jesus to respond appropriately, with gratitude and generosity, to the gifts that God so readily gives. At the Cathedral of Saint Peter, we are embracing this proven way of living our faith.

Your Sunday Contributions

Your contributions may be made by any of the following:

- **Drop off** your envelope during Mass or in the mail slot at the front door of the Rectory.
- **Mail** your contribution to: Cathedral of St. Peter, 200 W. Harrison St., Belleville, IL 62220
- **Give online:** To set up an online account, go to <https://www.osvhub.com/cathedralbelle/funds> register and set up your preferences. This is a secure site used by thousands of parishes throughout the USA.
- **Send a "check" directly from your bank or credit union.** Contact your bank, either by phone or online, for your contribution to be sent via check to: Cathedral of St. Peter, 200 W. Harrison St. Belleville, IL 62220.

If you have any questions, please call 618.234.1166.

2023 Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal

"The one who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord."
-Psalm 15

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul truly serves the poorest of the poor through its Cosgrove's Soup Kitchen, SVDP Thrift Store, Help Center and Night Drop-In Center. Men, women and children are provided the basic necessities of life – food, clothing and shelter – and the hope and the tools they need for a better tomorrow. Help St. Vincent de Paul serve those who have no place else to turn. Please make your gift to The Catholic Service and Ministry Appeal today.

Upcoming Special Collections:

February 4 - Messenger Subscription Renewal
February 11 - Catholic Service & Ministry Appeal
Commitment Sunday
February 18 - Black & Indian Missions

Your Gifts to God And Parish

December 30/31: \$15,700.53

	BUDGETED	ACTUAL
December 2/3	\$14,420	\$17,539.30
December 9/10	\$14,420	\$17,293.99
December 16/17	\$14,420	\$16,074.27
December 23/24	\$14,420	\$16,827.78
Christmas		\$15,035.00
December 30/31	\$14,420	\$15,700.53
TOTAL	\$72,100	\$98,470.87

January 6/7: \$16,898.18

Vocations

Wow! What powerful Scripture readings today on God's ways of calling us. The great story of Samuel being called to ministry tells of his humble response - "Speak, for your servant is listening." Then the Gospel shows John the Baptist pointing Simon and Andrew toward Jesus. Jesus calls Simon to join him and gives him his new name of Peter. Both of these powerful calls offer us examples of how we can hopefully respond to our own personal call.

OUTREACH

Cathedral parishioners are called to look beyond our own needs—to our neighborhoods, our city, our diocese—and to all the worlds.

Notre Dame Academy OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, January 28th - 10:30 AM– 12:00 PM
200 South 2nd Street, Belleville, IL



JOIN US TO:

- ✓ Meet our principal
- ✓ Meet our teachers
- ✓ Explore the campus
- ✓ Learn about our curriculum
- ✓ Discover our Catholic identity
- ✓ Discover the possibilities for your child's future!



See you there!

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OR CALL ORU OFFICE AT 618-233-6414



Singers from across the Belleville Diocese are invited to join in singing the Fauré Requiem on Sunday, March 3, at 3 PM at the Cathedral of St. Peter.

Rehearsals will be held on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday evenings from January 8 through March 3. Rehearsal recordings of each individual part will be sent to each singer.

If you are interested and would like more specific information, please contact Mr. Richard Thompson, Organist & Choirmaster at the Cathedral of St. Peter, by e-mail: rthompjd@gmail.com.

The Fauré Requiem is a magnificent program to be presented in our beautiful Cathedral with its wonderful acoustics and rebuilt and enlarged pipe organ. I hope everyone interested can join us.

RESPECT FOR LIFE

This month's intention is to pray for the protection of human life. In addition to the National March for Life taking place in Washington, D.C., on January 19, we are encouraging Americans nationwide to pray the Novena "9 Days for Life," from January 16-24. Get daily intentions, brief reflections, and more by email or text by signing up at 9daysforlife.com.

Donut Ministry

NEXT Sunday, January 21

in the Cathedral Undercroft
after the 8 & 10:30 AM Masses

Come enjoy donuts, coffee, and juice provided by our Knights of Columbus

2024 St. Louis Metropolitan Youth Choral Festival & Mass

For Mixed Voice & Treble Choirs (grades 4-12)

Saturday, February 10th
10 am - 5:15 pm
Cathedral of St Peter

Bishop Michael McGovern, Celebrant
Paul French, Guest Conductor

8 Professional Development Credits are available for school conductors

MP3 rehearsal tracks of the Festival repertoire are available for participating choirs.

DIOCESAN DR. KING OBSERVANCE SUNDAY, JANUARY 14th

ST. AUGUSTINE OF HIPPO CHURCH
EAST ST. LOUIS.

Bishop McGovern will celebrate Mass at 9:30 AM, followed by a brunch at 11:00 and the Dr. King Memorial Program in the Church at 12:00 pm.

If you plan to attend the brunch please RSVP to the Church Office at 618-274-0655.



Permanent Diaconate

The Diocese of Belleville is hosting an informational meeting for men (and their spouses) who are interested in the Permanent Diaconate.

**Saturday, February 3, at 10:00 AM
in the Undercroft of the Cathedral of St. Peter.**

The Office of Permanent Deacon is considering another new class of aspirants starting in the fall of 2025. Eligibility is extended to men who have reached the ages thirty-three (33) to fifty-six (56) by September 2025. *Men older than fifty-six may still apply but require special approval from the Deacon Formation Office and the Bishop.*

The formation process is a five-year commitment, including academic studies conducted by St. Meinrad School of Theology, spiritual direction, and learning about the deacon's role. Participants are required to attend a three-day meeting once per month over the course of the five-year program. Interested individuals should first discuss their interest with their pastor. For those unable to attend the initial meeting, another session will be scheduled later. This meeting is an opportunity to learn about the process and requirements for becoming a Permanent Deacon in the Diocese.



Two by Two

TODDLER PLAY GROUP

A "stay & play" guardian and toddler playgroup will be held **in the Cathedral Undercroft from 9:30 am - 10:30am on the last Thursday of each month.**

This will be an hour of free play with age appropriate toys, books, and games set out and ready for the kids.

This is a great opportunity for stay at home parents, grandparents or babysitters to get out and socialize with their little one!

Children ages 12 months - 4 yrs old.

Contact Natalie Pavlak for more info at (618)806-4157 or natalieannplatz@gmail.com.

Joyful & Alive Conversation with the School Sisters of Notre Dame

How do you discover God's invitations in your life? Are you curious about religious life? Single women ages 18-45 are welcome to bring their questions to a casual, online conversation with

School Sisters of Notre Dame on

Thursday, January 11 at 7 p.m.

Learn more and register for the Zoom link at:

ssnd.org/events/1-11-24/

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SAVE THE DATE

Catholic Speed Dating

Thursday, February 1st - 6:30 pm

**St. Nicholas Parish Hall
625 Saint Nicholas Drive,
O'Fallon**

A social event limited to single Catholic Young Adults, **age 21 – 30.**

For more information and registration, scan the QR Code.



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A Ministry of the Cathedral of St. Peter

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**Pre-Planning documents
may be found online at:**

<https://cathedralbelle.org/funerals/>