

**HOLY GHOST PARISH OF JERSEYVILLE
ST. MARY'S PARISH OF FIELDON**

Rev. William Hembrow/Church Office: 498-3416

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Church Office Hours: Mon, Tues, Wed, and Fri: 8:30 to 3:00 p.m.

Church E-mail: hgchurch@gtec.com

Church Website: holyghostjerseyville.com

E-Giving: www.givecentral.org

Weddings: Plans are to be made by appointment with the parish priest

Newman Connection Outreach Contact, Kevin McNicholas: 618-535-5494

Youth Committee Team Leader: Jim Fell 618-946-9729

MASS INTENTIONS - HOLY GHOST

Mon., April 25th 8:30am: Zach Hunter

Tues., April 26th 8:30am: Communion Service

Wed, April 27th 8:30am: Louie and Elsie Fink

Thurs, April 28th 8:30am: Poor Souls

Friday, April 29th 8:30am: Poor Souls

Sat., April 30th 5:30pm: Gerald and Vera Tepen

Sun., May 1st 8:00am: Deceased of the Busch and Bertman Families

10:00am: Hubert and Marian Droege

11:15am: Kris and Kraig Reno

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Sunday, May 1st 9:00am: Scott Bishop

Contribution Reports: Holy Ghost: Envelopes.: \$11,339.55, Loose: \$1,227.00, School: \$40.00,

Imp. Fund: \$10.00, **Total: \$12,616.55**

Give Central E-Giving: Offering: \$1,330.00, **Total: \$1,330.00**

St. Mary's: Envelopes: \$1,991.00, Loose: \$166.00, **Total: \$2,157.00**

Marriage Congratulations: Russell Groppe and Tami Egelhoff

Technology Fund: Fundraiser to support and increase the level of technology demanded to keep our children up to date. This charitable event will take place on May 7th, 10am at Wolves Crossing Golf Course in Jerseyville. This golf tournament is set up to welcome all levels of golfers. It can be competitive, rewarding, fun and relaxing for all. If you, your family, or your corporate business would like to donate or participate in any way please do not hesitate in contacting Brad Tonsor @ 618-580-4806 or James Green @ 618-410-1762 for details. Thank You!

St. Ambrose Spring Salad Luncheon & Raffle:

Wed. April 27, 11:00am- 1:00pm, \$10/person

St. Francis Xavier Dinner: Everyone is invited to the Annual St. Francis Xavier Fried Chicken and Roast Beef Dinner in Jerseyville on Sunday, April 24, 2016. Dinner will be served family style from 11:00 AM to 2:30 PM in our a/c gym. \$9/adults, \$4/children 6 – 12 and 5 under/ free. Country store, crafts and cash raffle. Carry-outs are available.

Graduating Seniors: We will be having the senior Mass on Sun, May 15 at 8:00a.m. Please contact Deanna Bridgewater for a form at the high school or call 917-4862. The Mass will be celebrated by the graduating class.

Attention married couples - enjoy a 'date day' and "Walk in the Park". Sun, May 1, a walk of 1 1/2 miles begins with your arrival between 1:00PM and 2:00PM at Powder Valley Nature Center, 11715 Cragwold Road, St. Louis, MO 63122 (off Geyer Road near West Watson Road). The married couple 'Walk in the Park' is sponsored by the couples of Gateway Worldwide Marriage Encounter and is free of charge. Please register your attendance by sending your names to Joe and Laurie Coultrip: joe.coultrip@gmail.com.

Annual Mother's Day Altar of Roses – Mother's Day Sunday, May 8th. Roses are \$3.00 each.

Remember your mother living or deceased with a rose. Envelopes are at the doors to the church and may be returned to the drop boxes that are also at the doors. Envelopes must be returned no later than Sun, May 1st. Proceeds go to the care of the altar's at Holy Ghost.

Holy Ghost's Women's Banquet: "Ladies of the parish banquet" is Tues. May 10 at 6:30 pm in Hembrow Hall. Pot luck, the meat is being provided by the Altar Society.

Choir Practice: Choir practice for 1st Communion will be Tuesday, April 26th at 7 pm. at Holy Ghost Church. We could use some help in singing for this occasion so please come and join us.

Victim Assistance: The Diocese of Springfield is committed to continue our efforts to work in partnership with local agencies to prevent any child from being abused or neglected. We also seek to bring about healing where abuse has occurred. If you need assistance in this matter please contact Ember Beddingfield at 1-217-698-8500 ext. #162, or go to dio.org.

Upcoming Events:

April 24th 11am-2:30pm: St. Francis Dinner
April 27th 11am-1pm: St. Joseph Luncheon & Rosary
April 27th 11am-1pm: St. Ambrose Luncheon
April 29-May 1: Our Lady of the Snows Event
May 7th 10am: Technology Fund Golf Fundraiser
May 1st 5:30pm: Mass, First Saturday
May 10th: **Women's Banquet**
May 15th 8am: Graduating Seniors Mass
May 15th 1:30pm: Godfrey K of C Golf Scramble
June 4th 5:30pm: Mass, First Saturday