

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

Church Office: 498-3416

Holy Ghost School: 498-4910

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Parochial Administrator: Rev. Patrick Gibbons, 618-498-3518

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Secretary, 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 Website: www.givecentral.org

Baptism and Weddings: By appointment with the priest, call the parish office for assistance.

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

Youth Director, Danielle Schroeder email: drsmusic@gmail.com or cell: 217-827-8733 (call or text)

MASS INTENTIONS – HOLY GHOST

Mon, Nov. 28th 8:30am: Essie Heitzig

Tues, Nov. 29th 8:30am: Communion Service

Wed, Nov. 30th 8:30am: Arnold Hall

Thurs, Dec. 1st 8:30am: Mark Walsh

Fri, Dec. 2nd 8:30am: Joe Becker

Sat. Dec. 3rd 5:30pm: Kraig and Kris Reno

Sun., Dec. 4th 8:00am: Aloys Heitzig
11:15am: Jane Tuey

MASS INTENTIONS – ST. MARY'S

Sun. Dec. 4th 9:30am: Bernard Heitzig

Contribution Reports: Holy Ghost: Envelopes: \$6,174.00, Loose: \$1,147.00, School: \$60.00, I.F. \$20.00, Camp. for Justice and Hope: \$411.00, **Total: \$7,812.00**

Online Giving: Sunday Giving: \$1,305.00, **Total: \$1,305.00**

St. Mary's: Envelopes: \$1,606.00, Loose: \$121.00, **Total: \$1,727.00**

Baptismal Congratulations: Korbin David Ruyle, son of David and Jessi

Rhonin John Ruyle, son of David and Jessi

Knoxyn Andrew Schell, son of Andrew and Candice

Brandy Lee Carpenter, daughter of Joshua and Melinda

Marriage Congratulations: Brad Gilmore and Torrie Traub

Youth Group Fundraiser: On Nov. 30th Nelson's catering, will be doing a drive through chicken dinner at the Holy Ghost site. It will be from 5:30-7:30pm. The tickets are \$10 and that is enough food to feed one adult and one child. Please help the teen get to Washington D.C. for the MFL!

Wanna Put A Smile on Someone's Face?:

The youth have expressed interest in caroling at the local nursing homes. Two dates have been set up. The first date is Thursday, December 1, at Willow Rose Nursing Home near the junior high and the second date is Thursday, December 8, at Jerseyville Nursing and Rehabilitation near the Shop N Save grocery store. The time is 6:30 pm each time. We will carol through the hallways and sing Christmas carols in the cafeteria. They will be so excited to see the youth! Put a smile on someone's face this Christmas. It's the best gift you can give. Call Teresa Goetten 618-535-0555.

Annual Smorgasbord & Bazaar (Our Lady

Queen of Peace): Sunday, Dec. 4, 11:00 am – 3:00 pm, at Our Lady Queen of Peace Church, School Gym, 132 Butcher Street, Bethalto. Menu items: Turkey & Dressing, Famous Knights of Columbus Fried Chicken, Pigs in the Blanket, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, vegetables, tossed salad, desserts & beverages. Adults-\$12.00; Children (5-10)-\$5.00; under 5-Free. Carry-outs available. PLEASE COME!"

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Bell Ringers Needed: Dec. 10th & 17th at Shop N Save in Jerseyville. One hour shifts in the hours of 9am and 8pm. Please call Marilyn Schroeder if you have any questions 618-946-1513

Sock It To Me: During Advent, Local Men's Prayer Group is assisting St. Peter/Paul Parish in S. St. Louis which ministers to the homeless in that area. Ask for donations of New socks, and underwear. Also, in need of gloves, long underwear, or sweatshirts "New or Used" that you might want to clean out of your closet. Thank you!

Altar Society Christmas Dinner: Tickets on sale now. Dec. 13 at 6:30pm at the 401 Tea Room. Seating is limited so purchase your ticket now. Please contact Becky Miles info/tickets at 498-5708

Christmas Cookie Sale: The weekend of Dec. 17th and 18th, in the back of church. All Ladies are asked to bring plates of cookies worth \$5.00.

Upcoming Events:

Nov. 30th 5:30-7:30: Youth Group Fundraiser

Dec. 4th 4pm: Jubilee Mass Fr. Gibbons, St. Francis

Dec. 10th & 17th: Bell Ringing

Dec. 13th: Altar Society, Christmas Dinner

Dec. 17th-18th: Cookie Sale, A. Society Fundraiser