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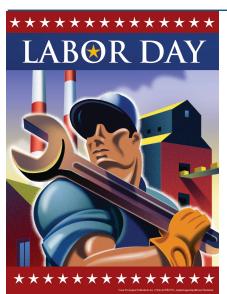
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# SAINT ANDREW'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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# 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday, September 4, 2022

This Week Wednesday, September 7 - Noon Mass Mass intention: +Gertude Dress

Sunday, September 11 - Mass at 11 AM Mass intention: +Karen Krzyzaniak



#### **PARISH MISSION STATEMENT:**

The mission of St. Andrew's Catholic Church is to carry on the ministry of Jesus Christ, as members of His living body, the Church, to bring the Kingdom of God into the world through evangelization, worship, religious education, and service in our families, in our parish, and in our community.

#### HELP THE YELLVILLE FOOD CLOSET

The food pantry needs donations, and in September they like to receive donations of peanut butter and jelly. It's almost time for school, too, so snack sized foods for lunch boxes will be welcome. The box for donations is right by the front door. Please pop a couple of extra items into your cart for the pantry. Other foods to donate include:

- · Peanut butter
- Canned soup
- Canned fruit
- Canned vegetables
- Canned stew
- · Canned fish
- Canned beans
- · Pasta and rice

Did you know you could support The Yellville Area Food Closet at no cost to you by shopping on Amazon?

- Instead of typing <u>amazon.com</u>, type <u>smile.amazon.com</u> on your computer.
- Sign in like you normally would, and select The Yellville Area Food Closet as your organization. Prime users are included, so this doesn't effect your membership. Every little bit helps out!



# CONTACTS, COMMITTEES, ORGANIZATIONS & SERVICES

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### YOU'RE INVITED

## COFFEE, DOUGHNUTS, AND FELLOWSHIP!

Please join us after mass for Coffee, Doughnuts, and Fellowship. We look forward to seeing you there!



#### RCIA INSTRUCTORS MEET TODAY

If you are interested in being a part of the rotating roster of lecturers in St. Andrew's RCIA program, please stay after Mass to meet with Fr. Ben.

#### FREE STUFF!

Joanne Mustion is in the process of cleaning and organizing our little library, and there is stuff that needs to go! She's put things that are duplicates or that we no longer need on the table in the back left side of the hall. You may just find the very thing you need!

# Please remember in your prayers...

Vern Anderson, Baby Berkley, Beth, Jennifer Cates, Cody Connor, Mike Crawford, Debbie, Chance Dodson, Dan Dorman, Eura Droher, Louise Eckroat, Elizabeth, Patty Eubanks, Maureen Fancher, Jason Fernandez, Audrene Goulet, Pat Goulet, Ruth Haley, Robin Haller, Meg Hampton, John Hartz, Vicki Hartz, Dennis Hassman, Jeff Hoffman, Paul Hunt, Lisa Jansen, Johnny, Tricia Kensinger, Jeanne Kernan, Pat and Bernie Kohl, John LaRochelle, Gloria Maffei, Gene McEwen, Ashlyn Meece, Susie Mulhern, Catherine Myer, Michael Nighbert, Terrence O'Sullivan, Gerri Parr, Josh & Robin Phillips, Ardis Rastetter, Astrid Rastetter, Bev Rastetter, Tony Rastetter, Joe Lee Regalado, Robert Skorich, Skylar, Dr. John Spore, Tamara Steagall, Diane Stefan, Dan & Nicole Storms, Gene Strong, Wade Strong, Dee Supergan, Jill Swanson, Bob Theissen, Gretchen Topf, Stephen Triner, Diane Vandersteen, Keith Venable, Thomas Waldrup, Sr., Rea Walker, Justin Weeden, Alison Weyers, Mark Wilbanks.

Please add prayers for all those afflicted by war, and all those who have been subjected to deadly violence in our country. Please pray for those suffering with the new wave of Covid. Please pray also for all who will be traveling for this last long summer weekend.

To add or delete names, please email - standrewprayer@gmail.com or contact Denise Jorgensen at 870-445-4810

#### PRE - RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES BEGIN NEXT SUNDAY

Religious Education classes for our youth will begin next Sunday, Sept 11 at 9:30 AM. All parents, guardians, teachers and students are asked to gather in the parish hall. Parents will be able to meet the teachers and be given a calendar schedule for classes this school year.

#### PRAYER FOR CATECHISTS

Loving Father, we pray today for our catechists. We thank you for their gift of ministry in your Church.

Grant them your wisdom that they may grow in the understanding and teaching of your Word.

Grant them also your love that they may be fruitful heralds of your Word and lead others to love you.

Pour forth your Holy Spirit upon them to grant them wisdom about what is important; knowledge of the truths of faith; understanding of their meaning; right judgement about how to apply them in life; courage to persevere even in the face of adversity; reverence before all that is sacred and holy; and that loving zeal which leads others to a transforming encounter with your Son.

We pray this through Christ, our Lord. Amen. Copyright © 2021, United States Conference of Catholic Bishops, Washington, DC. All rights reserved. Visit store.USCCB.org or call 800-235-8722.

We welcome all visitors to St. Andrew's Catholic Church this weekend. We hope you enjoy your stay in the Ozarks, and may God protect you on your trip home.



### *Being* Catholic ...

Why do we consider these specific four virtues together?

# Why are they "cardinal"? What relation do they have to the other virtues?

First, we must clarify what kind of virtues these are. They are moral virtues, also called human virtues—that is, virtues "that govern our actions, order our passions, and guide our conduct according to reason and faith" (Catechism, 1804). Moral virtues can be attained through reason and repetitive action, even in a soul that doesn't have the benefit of baptism and the sacraments. Grace elevates and perfects them, and gives us strength to persevere in them.

The moral virtues are distinct from the theological virtues—faith, hope, and charity—which cannot be gained by human effort and repetition. They are pure gifts from God, infused directly into our souls at Baptism. Once we receive them, we can grow in these virtues through our actions, but no amount of "action" can gain them in a soul that does not have them.

We'll talk more about the theological virtues in a future Get Fed, but for now, let's get back to the cardinal virtues. The word "cardinal" comes from the Latin word cardo, which means "hinge." The four cardinal virtues are the "hinge" upon which all other moral virtues turn.

**Prudence** helps us to choose the best course of action in every situation. It is called the "charioteer" of the virtues because it directs and guides us in their application.

**Justice** helps us perform our duties towards God, our neighbor, and society, giving each what is his due.

**Fortitude** gives us the strength to endure hardship and overcome fear in the pursuit of the good.

**Temperance** helps us regulate our sense appetites and our use of created goods, and to use them in a good way.

All the moral virtues are grouped around prudence, justice, fortitude, and temperance. They are derived from these four and lead back to them. These four are the root and foundation from which the others grow and blossom.



#### MEET A OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOX RECIPIENT

Evangeline was born in the Philippines, where her family lived near a dump area. She had to skip school and babysit her younger siblings while her mom worked seven days a week. Evangeline received a shoebox gift when she

was 13 years old. Its contents met many needs for Evangeline and her family. To hear more how a shoebox gift assured that God loved her and her siblings, please come hear Evangeline speak: Friday, September 9 in Mountain Home, 6:30 p.m. at East Side Baptist Church, 718 E. 9th Street. Saturday, September 10, at Real Ministries, 111 S. Spring Street in Harrison at 9:30 a.m. with 10:30 Workshop and lunch at noon. RSVP required phone Shari at 870-404-1030

#### PROJECT RACHEL DAY OF PRAYER & HEALING

You are not alone. There is hope. Healing is possible. Project Rachel Ministry is offering a one-day, post abortion healing retreat for women on Saturday September 17, 2022 near Fayetteville, AR. (The exact location is disclosed only to participants.) This retreat is confidential and provides a safe, non-judgmental place to begin or continue your journey to hope and healing after an abortion. Call or text our confidential phone line 501-663-0996 for more information or to register. Please contact Project Rachel. We care. We understand.

#### GOLF TOURNAMENT - OCTOBER 8 HOT SPRINGS VILLAGE

This year's golf tournament benefiting Catholic Charities of Arkansas will be Saturday, October 8 at the Granada Golf Course in Hot Springs Village. The cost of a four-person team is \$600 and food, refreshments and on course beverages are provided. Tee times are 8 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. for a shotgun start and scramble format. Team prizes will be flighted and there will be contests for closest to pin, hole in one, longest and straightest drives. If golf is not your game, consider being a \$175 donor for a priest to play or a hole sponsor for \$500. You can register your team or make a donation/sponsorship pledge online at bit.ly/cca-golf. For more information, contact Megan Moore at Catholic Charities of Arkansas at mmoore@dolr.org or at (501) 664-0340, ext. 379.

#### FAMILY RETREAT - SEPTEMBER 11 (English)

River Valley parishes of St. John in Russellville, St. Augustine in Dardanelle and St. Andrew in Danville are collaborating to host a family retreat at St. John Church in Russellville September 10th (Spanish) and 11th (English). The retreat will be led by Sr. Johanna and Sr. Jane Dominic, Dominican sisters of St. Cecilia of Nashville, TN. We are happy to host them and to offer this beautiful retreat to families in our area. Because we know the importance of bringing families together, River Valley parishes would like to extend this retreat invitation to you. Topics of discussion include: How to have a conversation with God, Sacred Times and Sacred Spaces followed by activities and ending with Eucharistic Benediction. This retreat is based on the book "A Short Guide to Praying as a Family". The cost is \$25 per family or \$15 for individuals. The donation includes a copy of the book and lunch. We hope you join us as we continue to strengthen families through the gift of prayer. To register or for more information, please contact Cynthia Solis at 479-967-3699.



Our Lord told St. Gertrude the Great that the following prayer would release 1,000 Souls from Purgatory each time it is said. The prayer was later extended to include living sinners as well.

Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the Masses said throughout the world today, for all the holy souls in purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal Church, those in my own home, and within my family. Amen.

## - Kids' Corner -

#### **SHARING THE GOSPEL**

Love God more than yourself. This means you will give up something you dearly love for him. When you have only one candy bar, God wants you to share it with your sister. When you have two pencils and two notebooks, God wants you to share with a student who has none. If your grandmother and grandfather play games and read to you, God wants you to share them with children who have no grandparents.

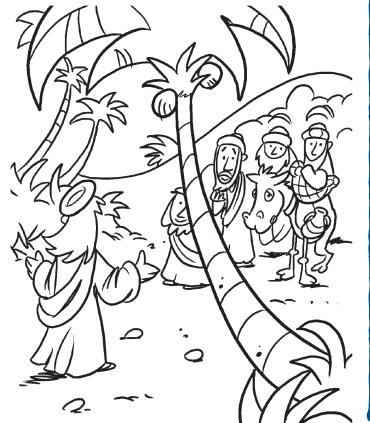
#### **PRAYER**

Lord, help me share the things I prize most.

#### MISSION FOR THE WEEK

Say a special prayer to God today. Thank him for your family, your friends, and for all the things God has given you to enjoy.

Read today's Gospel and color this picture.



Find and circle these words from today's Gospel

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#### **Prayer for Students**

Dear Jesus,

Thank you for the gift of learning!

I want to grow closer to you in everything I do at school.

In math and science, help me to see your beautiful plan in the world.

Help me to discover new stories and values as I read and write. In arts and music, help me to be creative.

In sports, help me to treat my teammates and my opponents fairly. Help me to learn new skills in technology.

Jesus, you are the perfect teacher.

Help me to listen with open ears, an open heart, and an open mind to all my teachers at school.

Help me to treat my classmates with care, kindness, and respect. Thank you, Jesus, for school!

Amen.

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#### Readings for the week of September 4, 2022

Sunday, September 4 - Wisdom 9:13-18b; Psalm 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14-17; Philemon 9-10, 12-17; Luke 14:25-33

Monday, September 5 - 1 Corinthians 5:1-8; Psalm 5:5-6, 7, 12; Luke 6:6-11

**Tuesday, September 6 -** 1 Corinthians 6:1-11; Psalm 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b; Luke 6:12-19

Wednesday, September 7 - 1 Corinthians 7:25-31; Psalm 45:11-12, 14-15, 16-17; Luke 6:20-26

Thursday, September 8 - Micah 5:1-4a or Romans 8:28-30; Psalm 13:6ab, 6c; Matthew 1:1-16, 18-23 or 1:18-23

Friday, September 9 - 1 Corinthians 9:16-19, 22b-27; P Psalm s 84:3, 4, 5-6, 12; Luke 6:39-42

Saturday, September 10 - 1 Corinthians 10:14-22; Psalm 116:12-13, 17-18; Luke 6:43-49

**Sunday, September 11 -** Exodus 32:7-11, 13-14; Psalm 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19; 1 Timothy 1:12-17; Luke 15:1-32 or 15:1-10