

# St. Catherine Catholic Church

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## PARISH OFFICE



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## MASSES

Weekend: Saturday 5:30 p.m.  
Sunday 8:00 & 10:30 a.m.  
Spanish: Sunday: 6:00 p.m.  
Daily: Monday - Friday 8:15 a.m.  
Holy Days: 8:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

**CONFESSION:** Friday 9:00 a.m. & Saturday 4:30 p.m.

**NURSERY** provided during the Sunday Masses.  
Sue Underwood 540-0506

**HOSPITALIZED, HOMEBOUND, NURSING HOME?** Contact the office so a minister of Eucharist may visit.

**MARRIAGE:** Nashville Diocese requires a four-month preparation period.

**BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS:** (in writing, fax, e-mail)  
Due Monday noon

## Ascension of the Lord May 24, 2009

**BAPTISM:** All parents should attend Baptism Preparation class before Baptism. Schedule with the parish office. **Class:** 2nd Monday, 7 PM. Sign up with the office for preparation class. Expectant mothers are welcome to participate in Baptism preparation. Questions: Stacey Glynn 381-2994

**SATURDAY NIGHT CHOIR:** Practice at 4:15 p.m. to sing at Saturday, 5:30 Mass. Call Treva Held, 379-7428

**TRADITIONAL CHOIR:** Practice on Thursday, 6:30 p.m.; sing at Sunday, 8:00 a.m. Mass. Janet Thompson, 490-4751.

**CONTEMPORARY CHOIR:** Practice one hour before Mass to sing at Sunday, 10:30 a.m. Mass. Call Cathy Cook, 381-6192.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & ADULT FAITH FORMATION:

Jeanette Sparkman, Director (931) 381-6784 ext. 231  
email: jeanettesparkman@bellsouth.net  
Kathy Saye, Confirmation Coordinator ext. 230

**RCIA-Adult:** Janice Vinson 381-7977  
Linda Knowles 490-4765

**RCIA-Youth:** Paula Board 987-0861

## YOUTH GROUPS (CYO):

Paula Mangiaracina, Youth Minister (931) 379-7483

**MARIAN GROUP:** First Saturday, 4:55 p.m.  
John Billingsley 388-3266

**DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET:** First Sunday, 6:00 p.m.  
John Billingsley 388-3266

**ST. CATH. COUNCIL-CATH. WOMEN:** 3rd Tues., 7 PM  
Gale Wheaton (931) 286-1588

**MARRIAGE ANNULMENTS:** Kay Reischman (931) 379-3182

## WEEKLY REFLECTIONS from your PASTOR

The Italian composer Giacomo Puccini wrote *La Boheme*, *Madama Butterfly* and *Tosca*. It was during his battle with terminal cancer in 1922 that he began to write *Turandot*, which many now consider his best work. He worked on the score day and night, despite his friends' advice to rest, and to save his energy. When his sickness worsened, Puccini said to his disciples, 'If I don't finish *Turandot*, I want you to finish it.' He died in 1924, leaving the work unfinished. His disciples gathered all that was written of *Turandot*, studied it in great detail, and then proceeded to write the remainder of the opera. The world premier was performed in La Scala Opera House in Milan in 1926, and Toscanini, Puccini's favorite student, conducted it. The opera went beautifully, until Toscanini came to the end of the part written by Puccini. He stopped the music, put down the baton, turned to the audience, and announced, 'Thus far the master wrote, but he died.' There was a long pause; no one moved. Then Toscanini picked up the baton, turned to the audience and, with tears in his eyes, announced, 'But his disciples finished his work.' The opera closed to thunderous applause, and to a permanent place in the annals of great works.

Jesus instructs us in his Ascension message to finish his work of saving mankind by proclaiming His good news by words and deeds. The biblical accounts of the Ascension focus not so much on the details of the event as on the charge Jesus gave to his disciples. For example, in the accounts narrated in Luke and Acts, the Ascension takes place in Jerusalem. In Matthew and Mark, on the other hand, the event occurs in Galilee. All accounts, however, agree that the Ascension took place on a mountain. In Luke and Acts, the Ascension happened forty days after the Resurrection, a period during which Jesus appeared repeatedly to his followers. In Matthew and Mark there is no indication of the time period between the Resurrection and the Ascension. The gospel writers apparently were not aiming at accuracy of historical detail but were more concerned with transmitting Our Lord's final message.

Ascension is most closely related, in meaning, to Christmas. At Christmas, God became fully a part of humanity. In Jesus, the human and the divine became united in the person of one man. At the Ascension, this human being--the person and the resurrected body of Jesus--became for all eternity a part of God. So the Ascension, along with the Incarnation, tells us that it is a good, wonderful, important and a holy thing to be a human being. Even more, the fullness of God now includes what it means to be a human being. The experience, the reality of being a person is so valuable that God has made it a part of His life.

"A bee-keeper sprinkles honeyed wine over the bee-hive when bees begin to fight and kill each other. The warring bees become so engrossed in enjoying this delicacy that they grow calm and tranquil. Likewise God sprinkles the perfume of His presence on our hearts when we pray and meditate, and soon all the powers of our souls begin to experience a blissful stillness. So perfect is this peace" (St. Francis De Sales)

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## A Note from Father Hendricks regarding Latin Mass

**Latin Mass will be on May 24 (4:00 PM).** We celebrate the Feast of the Ascension. After the Gospel is sung in Latin, the Paschal Candle which symbolizes the presence of the resurrected Christ is extinguished.

The **next Latin Mass will be Sunday, June 14** at 6:00 AM. We will follow the option of doing the Mass of Corpus Christi. We will be in the "Time after Pentecost" which is the season following the Octave of Pentecost which doesn't exist in the ordinary rite. There are no plans of having a procession of the Blessed Sacrament with this Mass.

**To contact me:** [clarejh@yahoo.com](mailto:clarejh@yahoo.com) (subject line: Latin Mass)

### MONTHLY PARISH SUPPER & 'MEAL with FATHER DAVIS'

- Tuesday, June 2 - 6:30 PM sponsored by the Squires. The meal will be a **spaghetti supper** fundraiser and consist of spaghetti, salad, & bread. Bring a dessert to share. Donations accepted. **Guest speaker** will be Gale Wheaton and members of the St. Catherine Council of Women on their garden project.

**YEAR of ST. PAUL** : : A Holy Hour in honor of St. Paul the Apostle will be presented Friday, May 29th (7:00 PM). Scripture, prayer, Benediction, and Reflections will be included in the program. Refreshments will follow.



### BAPTISMS

**Out-of-parish families** who wish to have a child baptized at St. Catherine must make special arrangements. The child's parents are asked to contact St. Catherine Church. Before the Baptism is booked, the parents' home parish is requested to submit a *letter of endorsement* to St. Catherine Church to verify that the parents are registered there and that they are practicing Catholics. For questions concerning this policy, call the parish office.



### New Baby in the Family?

The St. Anne Ministry would like to pamper the new mom & dad by bringing a meal to you shortly after you arrive home with the little one. Call the office to share your good news.

### Congratulations New Parish Council members:

Anne Domm : Clare Keller : Dalia Grajeda : Charles Johnson



Our thanks to Kim Bastone, Victor Hernandez, Camille Howell, and Randy Sparkman for their past service on the Council.

**Forms are available in the Narthex if you wish to meet with Father Davis for personal matters, counseling, etc. Complete the form, seal it in the attached envelope and drop it in the plastic pocket outside the office door.**

Today, May 24th:

**RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE** from 8:00 AM - Noon.  
**ADULT SCRIPTURE GROUP** - 9:00 AM - Library.  
**RCIA MYSTAGOGY** - 9:15 AM in #209.  
**INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL MEETING** - 11:30 - #202.  
**LATIN MASS** - 4:00 PM.  
**MASS in SPANISH**—6:00 PM—Worship Center.

Monday, May 25h:

**MEMORIAL DAY** :: : Office Closed  
**KARATE for CHRIST** - 4:30 PM - Social Hall.  
**K of C OFFICERS** - 7:00 PM - Library.



Wednesday, May 27th:

**LADIES' SCRIPTURE GROUP** - 7:00 PM - Library.  
**K of C BUSINESS MEETING** - 7:00 PM - Social Hall.

Friday, May 29th:

**ADORATION** - 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM - Chapel.  
**CONFESSION** - 9:00 AM.  
**HOUR of ST. PAUL CELEBRATION** (no Mass) - 7 PM.

Sunday, May 31st: **Pentecost**

**ADULT SCRIPTURE** - 9:00 AM - Library.  
**RCIA MYSTAGOGY** - 9:15 AM in #209.  
**RCIA** - 11:30 AM in #204 (see below).  
**INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL MEETING** - 11:30 AM - Library  
**MASS in SPANISH**—6:00 PM—Worship Center.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

**Who:** Children age 4 (by May 31st) - grade 5  
**What:** *The Pirates Who Don't Do Anything*  
**When:** June 15 - June 19, 2009 (9A-Noon)  
**Where:** St. Catherine Church  
**Why:** Learn about God



**Fee:** \$15 per child; maximum \$25 through May 31.  
 —> **Late Registration fee:** \$25/child; maximum 35.

**INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL PLANNING** (30-minute) **MEETING** @ Sunday (11:30 AM). Lots of helpers are needed to make the event a success. Call Fidel Pinote (931-380-1852); Mary Ann Edgin (931-381-9757); Fe' Stack (931-486-9881); or Gina Rooks (931-626-1020) with questions



**BLOOD DRIVE** - Today, May 24 - 8:00 AM - Noon - St. Catherine Social Hall. Your blood is so important in helping save lives. **Walk-ins welcome!**

**What can I expect when I donate?**

Donating blood is safe and simple. The entire process takes about one hour. Medical equipment is sterile, used only once, and then discarded. The actual donation process works like this:

- You will review travel, medication and donation information; you will meet with a member of our staff to complete a brief health history. We'll also check your temperature, pulse, blood pressure and do a test to determine your red blood cell count. All information given to the American Red Cross is kept private and confidential. You will proceed to a donor bed where we'll cleanse an area of your "donating arm."
- You will donate about a pint of blood, which takes approximately 8-10 minutes.
- You will be given a card with a number to call if you decide after you leave that your blood may not be safe to give to another person
- You will relax in our canteen area and enjoy snacks for about 15 minutes. Your body will replace the lost fluid within approximately 24 hours.

The **RCIA Journey of Faith** will begin soon! An informational meeting will be held Sunday, May 31 following the 10:30 Mass in #204. If you know anyone who is interested, please invite them to join us. We would also like to invite any Catholics who have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation to attend. If you have questions, please call Kinda Knowles (931-490-4765 or 931-334-3240).



**COFFEE & DONUTS** - June 7th after 8:00 AM Mass.  
**HOT DOG/CHIPS/COOKIE/COLA** - June 7th after 10:30 Mass.  
 Both projects sponsored by the Youth Groups.

**CYO GROUPS** are invited to go Go Kart riding at the track across from Galaxy Bowling Alley on Sunday, May 24. please meet at the Go Kart tract at 1:00 PM. Parents are responsible for transporting their child to & from the track. GLORY Group members (4th & 5th grade) must be accompanied by an adult. The outing includes one Go Kart ride, one game laser tag, & unlimited mini golf. This outing is courtesy of an anonymous donor. **Not a CYO member?** Come join us & have fun. In case of bad weather, the outing will be re-scheduled in July. Questions: Ms. Paula (379-7483).

**YARD SALE** : : St. Catherine Women's Council is sponsoring a yard sale at 6012 Cayce Lane (just down the road from church) May 29 & 30. All donations accepted. Call Gale Wheaton (931-386-1588). Volunteer helpers are welcome.

**CONGRATULATIONS** Will & Breanna Andrews on the birth of their 6-lb. 10-1/2 oz. daughter, Mathilda, born May 19th. Proud grandparents are Bill & Claudia Andrews and Gary & Jean Fisher.

*Welcome to St. Catherine:*

Patrick & Ruth Brady : Randy & Louise Elston

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:** Bill Coppings : Mary Sainz : Pauline Beaudoin : Denise Shupe : Jean Schwinghamer : Breanna Fisher-Andrews : Carl Swafford : Hank Terry : Ricky Terry : Terry & Tyler Gestring : Deborah Hulsey

**PRAY for the REPOSE of the SOUL of:**  
 Sister Estelle Desorcy, sister of Roland Desorcy

Monday	(5/25)	8:15 AM	† Lorraine Jones - Ken & Mary Grappin
Tuesday	(5/26)	8:15 AM	Intentions of Bob MacArthur Family &
"	"	"	Intentions of Dolores Kieffer & Mary Queen Campus - Gale Wheaton
Wednesday	(5/27)	8:15 AM	Intentions of Antonio Arce Moreno - Ivonne Hudson
Thursday	(5/28)	8:15 AM	Communion Service
Friday	(5/29)	8:15 AM	† Lydia Gonzalez - St. Catherine Visitation Ministry
"	"	"	† Mary Ann Davis - Jim & Candice Barton
Saturday	(5/30)	5:30 PM	Intentions of Breanna Fisher Andrews - Gary & Jean Fisher
Sunday	(5/31)	8:00 AM	Members of the Parish
"	"	10:30 AM	Intentions of Albert & Anne Domm (30th Anniv) & Family - Friends



**::: ASSIGNMENTS for NEXT WEEK :::**

<b>Saturday - May 30</b>	Marty Baker	Greg Saino : Kay Reischman	Sarah Flanigan : David Moore
<b>5:30PM</b>	Beverly Beard	Karen Haggarty	Gina Mangiaracina
<b>Sunday - May 31</b>			
<b>8:00 AM</b>	Amanda Skelley	Clare Keller	Adam de la Bruere
	Matthew Zink	Kevin Thompson : Scott Matta	Matthew Bowen : Phillip Long
<b>10:30 AM</b>	Donald Cormier	Maria Kis : Ivonne Hudson	Dana Swift
	Stephen Hultgren	Steve Bernard : Bob MacArthur	Sarah Domm
		Tim & Kathy Conley : Richard Banks	Mary Nyhus



Last Sunday : \$9,120.05

Catholic Communications: \$971.00

# of Families: 727

**Bishop's Annual Appeal**

Goal:	\$59,353
Pledges:	\$36,412
Payments:	\$13,725
(4/30/09)	23%

**Happy Birthday to those celebrating their birthday this week. Adults:**

Tom Coghlan : Joseph Kuchinski : Russell LaPress : Ron Taylor : Lori Branham : Paula Mangiaracina : Marianne Palfy : Lib Powell : Daniel Cochran : Jennifer Fisher : Michael Ortega : Roy Pratt : Mario Velazquez : Mackenzie Weathers : Kevin Brink : Teresa Jones : Ed Lege : Barbara Reason : Tracy Szyperski : Rodger Case : Mary Jo Duke : Cheryl Gomez : Craig Jacobs : Edward James : Ray Morrical : Stephen Reha : Victoria Allman : Jeremy Blue : Rick Boylan : Gerald Fahy : Diby Kouadio : Cara Tamberrino : Janice Vinson : Joy Bowen : Vilma Gonzalez : Margaret Roscoe



**Youth:** Gina Mangiaracina : Michaellee Massey : Seth Adkins : Sarah Flanigan : Matt Reusch : Trinity Isabell

**Pray for Priests & Religious:**

- Sun** Rev John Henrick
- Mon** Rev Dennis Holly, Glenmary
- Tues** Rev Paul Hostettler
- Wed** Rev Mark Hunt
- Thur** Rev Pio Jackson, OFM
- Fri** Rev Michael Johnston
- Sat** Rev Thomas Kalam, CMI

**Eucharistic ministers to shut-in and homebound** bring Communion to those in retirement centers, nursing homes, or the homebound. If you have a relative or friend that would like to receive Eucharist, please let us know. Call the parish office (388-3803).

**Sales, fundraisers, or any activity conducted at St. Catherine by any individual, family, group, etc. must be approved -- and scheduled -- through the office. Thanks!**



**The University of Notre Dame Folk Choir** - A Workshop for Sacred Liturgical Music - May 30, 2:00 - 3:30 PM - St. Henry's (6401 Harding Rd., N'vi). Concert of Sacred Music at 7:30 PM also May 30. **Both are free.** To register: 615-352-4586; mcorby@sthenry.org

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**Finance Board Meeting**

April 28, 2009

All members were present: Gerald Hamm, Phillip Evers, Steve Konz, Amanda Skelley, Ray Siebold, Willie Jones, Ricci Burkins, Father Davis

The meeting was called to order at 7:15 p.m. by Father Davis.

Opening prayer was given by Father Davis.

A. Father thanked Gerald, Ray and associates for the Annual Report. He thanked them for their effort to produce a thorough and pleasing literature.

Ray and Gerald spoke of some of the complaints and suggestions that they received

- 1) Left out information on Latin Mass
- 2) Others felt much more should have been included
- 3) Recap and recruitment for next year program

B. Guidelines for Budget Preparation

Ray thanked Ricci for being patient and working so diligently with him on questions and items dealing with the budget.

1. Budget information sent to all members
2. Preparation of budget by Ricci Burkins
3. Finance Board analyzed items for budget approval

C. Discussion Pros & Cons on what needs to be done due to the economic shortfall

1. Explain what is being done to cut expenses before asking for increase in contributions
2. Need help in cutting expenses by requesting more parishioners to volunteer to do more things  
Possibility of getting volunteers to paint the chapel—need scaffolding for painting and filling nail holes.
3. Explain that the Church is working hard on cost saving but need additional revenue
4. Suggested that a stronger relationship be developed between Parish Council and Finance Board
5. Keep parishioners informed as to what is going on in church economically
6. Budget must be forward to Diocese in July

D. It was suggested that two individuals be selected to go over proposed budget line items to determine needs and propose adjustment.

E. During the months of January and February 800 contribution packages were mailed out and about 250 envelopes are returned weekly.

F. The present member total is about 752 families.

G. With families count being as so noted, this may afford St. Catherine the opportunity to present a lower census than in the past. This will reduce cost on things as Tennessee Register.

H. Ricci Burkins will prepare budget and notify Parish Finance Board when it is ready and also notify members of next meeting date.

I. Request Albert Domm, Parish Council Chair to be present for next meeting. If he can not be present have a replacement available

J. The topic on church attendance at each mass was reiterated and count is to continue. It was suggested that a ledger be used for posting mass attendance.

K. Closing prayer was led by Willie Jones

Meeting adjourned at 8:35 p.m.

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**It is better to look ahead and prepare than to look back and regret.**

**I know God will not give me anything I can't handle. I just wish that He didn't trust me so much.**  
- Mother Teresa