### **Blessed Trinity Parish**

Phone 618-883-2400 P.O. Box 38, Brussels, IL 62013 Office Hours: Tuesday, Thursday, Friday Pastor: Rev. Don J. Roberts Rectory: 883-2309

St. Francis of Assisi Parish

Phone 618-576-2628



	Mass Schedule/Into	entions	The Sacraments and Our Parish Life			
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This Sunday, May 48:00 am Meppen—Raymond, Eddie & Martha Sievers9:30 am Hardin—William, Virginia & Billy Breden5:00 pm Hardin—For the PeopleMon.7:00 am Hardin— For the PeopleMon.7:00 am Hardin—For the PeopleTues.6:00 pm Meppen— Cecelia MuellerWed.8:30 am Hardin—For the PeopleThu.7:00 am Hardin—For the PeopleFri.8:30 am Brussels— Bob & Marie HeldSat.8:00 am Batchtown— Jim & Craig Franke 4:00 pm Kampsville—Mark Brangenberg 6:30 pm Brussels— Charlie SnyderNext Sunday, May 11 9:30 am Hardin—Decd. Priests of the Diocese 5:00 pm Hardin—For the People			<ul> <li>Parish Membership — Call or stop by either parish office. For St. Francis of Assisi, you may visit www.sfacalhoun.com.</li> <li>Matrimony — Please contact the office at least 9 months prior to the anticipated date. One person in the couple must be a registered parishioner and a practicing Catholic.</li> <li>Baptisms — Baptisms may be celebrated after Mass any Sunday of the year and should occur within a month of birth. Prior to your child's birth, both parents must call 883-2400 to register &amp; attend our Baptism Program before the baptism. These are held every other month, with the next one on <i>Thu., 7/10, at 6:30pm, St. Mary Hall.</i></li> <li>Anointing of the Sick/Home Visits — If you or a loved one is in need of this sacrament or would like a visit and Holy Communion, please contact the church office or Fr. Roberts.</li> <li>Eucharistic Adoration — Eucharistic Adoration is held in St. Barbara's Church in Batchtown on Wednesdays and Thursdays. Please contact Lisa Vogel at 618-883-2200.</li> <li>PSR — We meet on Wednesday evenings, 6-7:15pm. If you are new, we welcome you to call or stop by either office.</li> </ul>			
	Confessions		Grief Support on Wednesdays @ 6pm, St. Norbert office.			
mikehage	6:30-6:45 AM 8:00-8:15 AM 3:15-3:30 PM 5:45-6:00 PM <b>Parish Staff &amp; Bo</b> Mike Hagen, 618-971-2391, n73@yahoo.com		Please Pray Names will remain on the Pray then are automatically deleted contact either parish office by Jim Hughart (2) Debbie Clendenny (12) Elda Hayn (12) Cindy Sievers (12) Vernon Stumpf (9) Carlos Williams (9) Julie Pohlman (7) Tom Yates (7)	I. To be included on this list,		
Office Mg	r <mark>inity—618-883-2400:</mark> ; <b>r./bookkeeper—</b> Sarah Kind	er,	Looking Ahead			
skinder@blessedtrinity.dio.org PSR Coordinator—Tammy Franke, 618-535-6099 Finance Council—2nd Tuesday @ 8 pm; JoAnn Kiel Pastoral Council—2nd Tuesday @ 7 pm; Joyce Vogel <u>St. Francis—618-576-2628;</u> Office Mgr.—M. Carmody, mcarmody@sfacalhoun.com Bkpr.—Jennifer Roth, jroth@sfacalhoun.com PSR Coordinator— Kate Sievers Finance Council—3rd Tues @ 8 pm; B. Vacca, 314-608- 9302 Pastoral Council—3rd Tues;7 pm; Dick Lieber, 217-320- 8792			May 5—St. Norbert Altar Society @ 1pm May 5—St. Barbara Altar Society @ 7pm June 2-4 – Art Camp @ St. Norbert School from 9-Noon May 13—BT Joint leadership mtg in Meppen @7pm May 15—6:30, SN School 8th grade graduation May 16—6:30, SM School 8th grade graduation May 17—cooking chickens @ St. Joseph at 6am May 20—No SFA PC or FC meetings July 19—Koinonia Community Mass & Potluck @ 4 Sept. 27—Women's Prayer Breakfast @7am in Meppen			

### Announcements

The 2nd Collection this weekend will be for the Catholic Home Missions.

**SFA Dinner Auction Results are in!!** Total Income received \$55,163.00 less expenses of \$2,914.73 gives the parish a profit of \$52,248.27! Great job everyone! **St. Joseph's** will be cooking chickens May 17 starting at 6:00 am. Please come out to help as a lot of help is needed.

<u>St. Barbara's Altar Society</u> will meet May 5 at 7 pm. The hostess is Karen Friedel.

<u>St. Norbert Altar Society</u> will meet Monday, May 5 @ 1pm—Janet Lorsbach will host.

<u>Calhoun for Life</u> would like to thank everyone who made the recent April Quarter Auction such a huge success! The evening netted \$14,795.30.

**SFA Debt Reduction**: \$940 was generously given via our envelopes recently. Thank you to all! As we get closer to rolling out the Capital Campaign, more details will be included on our debt owed to the diocese.

**Expanded bulletin**: for more content, get the bulletin online at sfacalhoun.com or contact the Hardin office to provide your email and have it sent to your inbox each week in color with more inserts!

<u>Help Needed</u>. St. Barbara's Altar Society is in need of quilters. Call Kathy Wallendorf at 396-2503 if interested.

# Welcome to our Faith

Madison Bailey Kelsey Godar



All Men of the Parish - Do you feel like just another guy in a pew? You're not alone. The Diocesan Office of Marriage and Family Life is excited to host a Men's Leadership Summit in October to bring men together to support one another, be inspired by their faith, gain or enhance leadership skills and discuss best practices for men's ministry. Want to learn more? John Edwards from Just a Guy in the **Pew** (https://justaguyinthepew/) will be hosting an informational Zoom call on Monday, May 5th from 8-9 pm about this upcoming Men's Leadership Summit and will be available to answer questions. John is a dynamic, inspirational spiritual leader who has a powerful witness story. Contact Gracie Ortiz from the Diocese at gortiz@dio.org for login information.



### SANCTUARY LIGHTS

The votive intentions for the week of May 4 St. Mary (a)—Darlene Twichell St. Mary (s)—Susie Kress

### Women of Distinction Mass and Lunch

The Springfield Diocesan Council of Catholic Women is pleased to again host the Women of Distinction (WOD) Celebration. They are hoping all parishes will participate in this wonderful opportunity to recognize faith-filled women in our parishes. Although every year only one lady from each parish may be selected, this honoree represents all the faith-filled ladies in each parish.

The Women of Distinction Mass will be at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Springfield on Saturday, June 21 at 10 a.m. Bishop Thomas John Paprocki is the celebrant with many parish priests con-celebrating. A luncheon at the Crowne Plaza in Springfield follows Mass.

Please go to dio.org to find a homepage banner to register your 2025 Woman of Distinction and another banner to register for lunch. . The form to nominate a woman from your parish needs to be completed by May 12.

Questions about the award? Please contact Janet Zimmerman, President, SDCCW at 217-494-4743 or sdccwinil@gmail.com. Questions about the luncheon? Please contact Karla Huddlestun, karlahuddlestun@gmail.com or 217-276-3428.

Stewardship of Treasure April 20, 2025									
Blessed Trini	ty Collec	tions (Envelo	pes	: 85 of 355)					
		Actual		Budget		Diff			
Regular	\$	4,895.00	\$	3,712.00	\$	1,183.00			
YTD	\$	158,517.80	\$	155,904.00	\$	2,613.80			
School	\$	-							
St. Francis of	Assisi Co	ollections (En	vel	opes: 75 of 18	30)				
		Actual		Budget		Diff			
Regular	\$	4,611.00	\$	4,192.00	\$	419.00			
YTD	\$	174,151.23	\$	176,064.00	\$	(1,912.77)			
STF	\$	100.00							

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### Be Part of Something Universal Experience World Youth Day

### Interested in attending World Youth Day in South Korea in 2027? Connect with us!

If you have interest in attending World Youth Day, connect with the Diocese of Springfield in Illinois! Father Zach Samples is the lead organizer for a diocesan pilgrimage to Seoul, South Korea in 2027. Go to <u>dio.org/wyd</u> or scan the QR Code for more information and fill out the interest form.

For more information:

dio.org/wyd or scan the QR code

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SAINT LOUIS PRIORY SCHOOL

# GE COURSES

JUNE 23-27, 2025

Saint Louis Priory School is delighted to offer the following intensive language courses for adults this summer. Ideal for those seeking a new skill or reviving an old passion, in or preparing for Christian ministry, expanding language skills for work, travel, or simply an opportunity to meet new and like-minded people. All abilities and backgrounds are welcome.

COURSE OPTIONS
Latin
Beginner Latin
Intermediate Latin
<b>New Testament Greek</b>
Beginner Greek
Intermediate Greek
Spanish
Beginner Spanish
Intermediate Spanish

COST: \$600

**REGISTER** BY 5/30/25

#### **FEATURES**

- Small and personal class sizes for a rewarding experience
- Saint Louis Priory School teachers with advanced degrees
- Intensive (5) 50-minutes classes per day (1,250 minutes of instruction)
- 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday with one hour for lunch
- No formal examination or test at end of the course
- Freshly prepared lunch (hot and cold choices)
- Social events with drinks and food on Monday and Friday
- All learning materials and refreshments included
- Stunning 150-acre campus with modern facilities and active monastery
- Daily Mass and prayer (optional) at 5:30 p.m.



Carlinville Catholic Charities Beef Raffle 2025 Annual Fundraiser – Carlinville Catholic Charities is selling tickets for a Beef Raffle fundraiser for the opportunity to win 100 pounds of beef. Tickets will be sold at \$10 each or 3 for \$20 and can be purchased online at cc.dio.org/ events/carlinville-beef-raffle, the Carlinville Catholic Charities Area Office, the Catholic Charities Thrift Shop located at the Carlinville Plaza, or from any Carlinville Board Member. Proceeds from the raffle fundraiser will go towards Carlinville Catholic Charities. The drawing will take place on Monday, June 30th at 4:00 p.m. at Carlinville Catholic Charities at 525



Summer Immersion Experience with Dominican Sisters in Chicago – Single Catholic women ages 18 - 45 are invited to participate in the Dominican Sisters' Service Immersion Experience in Chicago. This unique opportunity allows participants to engage deeply with the mission and ministry of the Dominican Sisters while serving the local community and discerning their own path in faith and service. The event is scheduled for June 21-25, 2025. Participants will have opportunities for prayer, reflection, hands-on service, and conversation about vocation and Gospel justice. Participants will walk alongside the Dominican Sisters, gaining firsthand insight into their charism of prayer, preaching, community life, and service. Complete the interest form at springfieldop.org/summer. Facilitated by several congregations of U.S.based Dominican Sisters. For more information call Sister Denise Glazik, OP, at 217-787-0481.



# OPERATION: BEACH LANDING

81 YEARS AGO THE GREATEST GENERATION SAVED THE WORLD FROM TYRANNY IN EUROPE

THIS SUMMER, GATHER YOUR SQUAD OF FOUR (AGES 7 AND UP) AND LEARN WHAT IT TAKES TO COMBAT THE TYRANNY OF EVIL IN YOUR MIDST.

TRAINING MODULES INCLUDE: BOAT NAVIGATION, GEL BLASTER MARKSMANSHIP, AND ROPE SCALING.



FRIDAY JUNE 6, 2025 LSCA 1674 LICK CREEK LANE CHATHAM, IL 62629

SIGN UP FOR A 2 HR. TIME SLOT AT MERCYTREEADVENTURES.ORG COST: \$250.00

Prayer for the Conclave O Holy Spirit, Heavenly King, Comforter, the Spirit of Truth, present in all places and filling all things, come and abide in the hearts and minds of the Cardinals of the Holy Roman Church who are gathered for the election of a new Roman Pontiff. In choosing a new successor of Peter and a new Vicar of Christ, may no error infect their judgments, may no worldly motivation stifle their freedom, and may no fear overcome their love for the holy and spotless Bride of Christ. Send Saint Michael, the prince of the armies of heaven to drive far from them the Evil One and his forces who continually assail the Holy See and her children. May his powerful intercession cast into hell all enemies who trouble the peace of the Church and of the Conclave of Election. And then may the great Archangel cry out in a song of victory over all our foes "Habemus Papam — We have a Pope! Viva il Papa — Long live the Pope!" Amen. Composed by a confrere of St. Michael's Abbey SFA/BT Parish Catechists: Are you interested in a retreat with fellow catechists from our diocese? These would be held in Spring-Camp Invention field. For more information on the following tentative dates, call Maria Carmody in Hardin at 618-576 -2628: November 8, 2025 March 21, 2026

We have an App for SFA parish!

Download it and enter the parish code: sfacalhoun





Hall of Fame



**SFA envelope changes:** You will see fewer Sister Parish envelopes and more St. Vincent de Paul envelopes. We encourage giving to both yet wanted to even things out a bit, especially in light of SVDP losing some significant funding.

St. Mary School News 618-883-2124/www.stmarysbrussels.org Advisory Board meets 4th Tues. @ 7pm Becky Lorts, thesmsprincipal@gmail.com

- 5/9 Last Day for AR Points
- 5/15 8th Grade Last Day & Party
- 5/16 8th Grade Graduation @ 6:30pm
- 5/21 PreK Graduation @ 10am
- 5/22 Last Day of School Field Day & 2pm Dismissal

### St. Norbert School News 618-576-2514

Advisory Board—1st Tuesday @ 7 pm Principal—Cindy Klocke, cklocke@snswolves.com

- 5/7 May Crowning
- 5/9 Field Day
- 5/12 8th Grade Field Trip
- 5/15 8th Grade Graduation
- 5/20 Last Day of School, 1:15 Dismiss
- 6/2-6/4 Art Camp from 9-Noon

DIVE DEEP PODCAST: What You Don't Know About the Papal Conclave – What happens behind the scenes at the Papal conclave? How does a pope actually get elected? Burning of ballots, verbalizing names, and politicking behind the scenes. Is all that true? Father Chris House breaks down how a pope is elected, what goes on during a papal election, and the rules and unwritten rules. Go to youtube.com/diospringfield or search

"Dive Deep" on all the major podcast platforms to listen and subscribe. Dive Deep is the podcast of the Diocese of Springfield in Illinois.

> Hazel Schleeper daughter of David & Sally



Volunteers

#### 4:00 pm 5/10 8:00 pm 5/10 8:00 am 5/11 9:30am 5/11 5:00pm 5/11 Kampsville **Brussels** Meppen Hardin Hardin **Skyler Peters** Volunteers Volunteers Ethan Kirn Aubree Behrens **Brooklyn Peters Conley Klocke** Mya & Jessa Sievers Charlotte Rose William McCasland Jean Clendenny Joan Kiel Maureen Tepen Carrie Baalman Kathy Brackett **Bill Klunk** Joe Friedel Loren Kulp Pat & Scott Tepen Volunteers **Ralph Becker** Jeff Kiel Caleb Goode

Jeff Wieneke Family

**Cindy Heffington** 

Loren Kulp Family

Joan Held

**LITURGICAL SCHEDULES** 

Tom Droste

Servers:

Lector:

Ushers:

Offertory:

Extra-Ordinary

Pat Hurley Family

Patrick Simon

2025 Memorial Association

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