

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mon.	29	8:00 a.m.	Jack Wyatt
Tue.	30	8:00 a.m.	Jim Reynolds
Wed.	31	8:00 a.m.	Mary Byerley
		5:00 p.m.	B. A. Williams, Jr.
Thur.	01	8:00 a.m.	Pauline Maville
(SA)		10:00 a.m.	Intention of Donor
Fri.	02	8:00 a.m.	Ervin Kohl
Sat.	03	5:00 p.m.	Larry J. Pettus
Sun.	04	7:00 a.m.	Parish Family
(SA)		9:00 a.m.	Jean Turek
		11:00 a.m.	Leon S. Mouser

LITURGICAL ASSISTANTS

SATURDAY MASS: JAN. 03 AT 5:00 P.M.

Lector-----	Patricia Murphy
Special Ministers-----	Carolyn Rhodes Char Gestring
Servers-----	T. & N. Hambrick
Ushers-----	G. Kirn, L. Carrow M/M Fred Basse
Cross Bearer-----	Kaylynn Keller

SUNDAY MASS: JAN. 04 AT 7:00 A.M.

Lector-----	Jim AuBuchon
Special Ministers-----	D. Pace, M. AuBuchon
Servers-----	Dan & Bernice Burle
Ushers-----	Fred Schnable John Groboski
Cross Bearer-----	Tom Willette

SUNDAY MASS: JAN. 04 AT 11:00 A.M.

Lector-----	Paulette DeGonia
Special Ministers-----	Marcy Mueller Pamela Schwartz
Servers-----	Daniel Lukachick, Vol
Ushers-----	Fred Hackmann Gerald Stanley Mike Lukachick
Cross Bearer-----	Alyssa Bley

ST. ANNE MASS: JAN. 04 AT 9:00 A.M.

Lector-----	Ron Schmidt
Special Ministers-----	R. Basler, K. Lambert Delores Brawley
Servers-----	M. & B. Govero
Gift Bearers-----	M/M George Bange
Ushers-----	R. Byington, V. Bender
Cross Bearer-----	Joseph Govero

Happy New Year!

Father Bill, Deacon Mark, Deacon Don and the Staff wish you and your family a blessed and prosperous New Year.

New Year's Mass Schedule

December 31	5:00 p.m.	St. Joseph
January 01	8:00 a.m.	St. Joseph
	10:00 a.m.	St. Anne French Village

Eucharistic Adoration

The celebration of the Eucharistic Adoration will begin at 8:30 a.m. on Friday, January 2, 2015, and conclude with the Benediction at 5:00 p.m. Sign up for your time to be with the Lord.

Christmas Flower Offering

Your gifts helped us to purchase the beautiful poinsettias for our altar during this Christmas season. Your deceased loved ones were remembered in our prayers at the celebration of our Masses.

Bingo

Bingo figures from December 18, 2014:
Gross Receipts: \$2,084.00
Players: 96

Church Cleaning

Dec. 30: Jina & Mike Jennings
Jan. 02: Deborah & Ron AuBuchon (Week 2)

Your Gift to God

	St. Joseph	St. Anne
Envelopes	\$ 3,761.00	\$ 797.00
Loose	371.50	35.00
St. Vincent de Paul	462.00	-0-
Building	433.00	-0-
Cemetery	50.00	-0-
Adopt an Angel	50.00	-0-
Votive	55.00	81.00
Camp. Human Dev.	10.00	-0-
Immaculate Concept.	5.00	10.00
Christmas	117.00	5.00
Christmas Flowers	63.00	-0-
Seminary	63.00	5.00
Solemnity of Mary	30.00	-0-

**ST. ANNE CHURCH
FRENCH VILLAGE, MISSOURI**

Church Cleaning Team #2 – Anne Folle

Thank You

A special thank you to everyone for the cards, gifts, prayers and good wishes that have been extended to us this holiday season.

We also appreciate everyone who decorated, cleaned, and helped in any way to prepare for this holiest of Christmas seasons. Each of you will be remembered in our daily prayers. May the blessings of this Holy Season be with you always.

Father Bill

Deacon Mark Byington & Deacon Don Schmitt

Stewardship Reflections

"...as the Lord has forgiven you, so you must forgive." - Colossians 3:13 Forgiveness – one of the hardest things for people to do. It's amazing how long we can hold a grudge or be angry with someone. As we celebrate the feast of the Holy Family, take this opportunity to give the gift of forgiveness to someone - maybe someone in your family, maybe a friend, maybe a co-worker or neighbor or, maybe yourself.

National March for Life

The annual National March for Life will be held on Thursday, January 22, 2015, in Washington, D.C. Our Pro-Life Committee will pray on the anniversary of the Roe vs. Wade decision during an Adoration time on Thursday, January 22, 2015, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Rosary Volunteers

"The Most Holy Virgin in these last times in which we live has given a new efficacy to the recitation of the Rosary to such an extent that there is no problem, no matter how difficult it is, whether temporal or above all spiritual, in the personal life of each one of us, of our families...that cannot be solved by the Rosary. There is no problem, I tell you, no matter how difficult it is, that we cannot resolve by the prayer of the Holy Rosary." Sister Lucia dos Santos Please call Char at 358-2112 if you can help us by volunteering to lead the Rosary on Saturdays at 4:30 p.m.

Deacon's Corner

When did the world convince us to walk by sight and not by faith? When did America convince families that 2.5 kids was the ideal family: only man and science could come up with a .5 child? China has continued to only allow one child per family. When did the family lose its way?

When did we fear the birth of a child and not welcome it? So much so, that we legalize the killing of the innocent by man; supported by those that would convince young women and men that the act that created life was more important than the life itself? When did we lose the desire of Abraham for the birth of a child?

So many questions, but maybe the answer is clear. The devil did, the moment he convinced woman and man that their knowledge was more important than their faith in God.

And for us, we must ask ourselves will we continue to walk by sight and not by faith or say enough is enough and commit ourselves to "walk by faith" in all things, trusting in the Lord. Each act must be done in protection of life. God's creations have been entrusted to his children, to us; it is our "birthright", our inheritance to protect all human life, from conception to natural death. On this the feast of the "Holy Family" let us open our hearts and minds to the love of all life, of all God's creation.

May the Peace of Christ be in you,

Deacon Mark

Thank you Lord Jesus, Come Holy Spirit

Happy Birthday

When you see Deacon Don this holiday season, please wish him a Happy Birthday! He was born on the 27th of December just a few years ago.

St. Vincent DePaul

St. Vincent DePaul Society thanks parishioners for their donations of cake mix and Jello. During December, please bring cake mix or pork & beans.

December 28, 2014