



...While they were conversing and debating, Jesus himself drew near and walked with them, but their eyes were prevented from recognizing him.

LUKE 24:15-16

Not Just a Walk in the Park

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

A multiple-choice question: Life is (a) purgatory, (b) a party, (c) drudgery, (d) a maze, (e) a trial. Many of us might be inclined to answer, "All of the above." Life takes us along many paths, through many fields, and down many blind alleys.

The Camino de Santiago is a hiking trail of about 500 miles that begins in France, makes its way through Spain, and ends at the Cathedral of Santiago de Compostela, where tradition has it that the remains of St. James are buried. Many walk the journey to discover who they are and what their lives are about. Walking ten to fifteen miles a day with little to think about other than one's life tends to turn the hike into a pilgrimage that thousands have made over the centuries for just that purpose. The pilgrimage is arduous, often plagued with rain, blisters, shin splints, and a discovery of how to

travel light. But then, such is all of life.

This week's Emmaus Gospel recounts a similar journey compressed into one day. Like life, it begins in confusion, is scattered with insights and revelations about what has just taken place and ends with the discovery that the Lord has been the one walking with them. Faith does not solve one's problems nor eliminate one's difficulties. It does help us understand life and find meaning in the midst of it all, and somehow it brings us to realize that we do not travel alone, making the journey worthwhile and blessed. ●

Reflect

**What has made you realize that
the Lord walks with you?**



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Parish Services

Weekend Masses

Saturday, 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

Weekday Masses

8:00 a.m.

Monday, Wednesday & Friday

Tuesday 7:30 p.m.

and PH Devotions

Thursday 6:00 a.m.

Confessions

Saturday 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.

or by appointment

Adoration

Tuesday 1:00-2:00 p.m.

4:00-5:00 & 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Wednesday 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Thursday 3:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.

First Friday 8:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

First Sunday 7:00-8:00 a.m.

Baptisms and Marriages

By arrangement

with Fr. Steve Robeson

Upcoming Events at St. Ignatius

- 04/24 Church Cleaning Team 5-Carleen Glosemeyer
- 04/25 Finance Council Mtg 6pm
- 04/26 Rosary & Litany after Mass
- 04/26 All Things New Mtg 7pm Cafeteria—Core Group Only
- 04/28 Grandparents Day; 11:30 Dismissal
- 04/30 Shooting Match
- 05/02 May Crowning @ 2:15 pm
- 05/03 First Communion Retreat
- 05/03 Rosary & Litany after Mass
- 05/05 Field Day-School
- 05/07 First Communion
- 05/08 Church Cleaning Team 6—Diane Lierman
- 05/10 Rosary & Litany after Mass
- 05/11 Rectory Cleaning
- 05/12 Kindergarten Graduation @ 6:00 pm
- 05/17 8th Grade Graduation @ 6:00 pm
- 05/17 Rosary & Litany after Mass
- 05/19 End of School Year Mass; 11:30 Dismissal

Sunday Offerings

General Fund	\$4711.00
Loose Collection	\$64.00
Votive Stand	\$44.00
Rice Bowl	\$147.30
Misc. Parish Donation	\$3000.00

TOTAL \$7,966.30

64 General Offering envelopes collected, including children.

Protecting God's Children Info

Please look for the packet in the bulletin for info and instructions. It is very important if you are volunteering near/with children or vulnerable adults you have completed your requirements. Any questions, please ask Cindy Deters-Protecting God's Children Coordinator.



2023 Annual Catholic Appeal Goal
\$23,148

ACA Weekends

April 22-23

April 29-30

May 6-7

Healing Service Friday May 5, 2023, from 7:00-8:30 pm

Come experience God's supernatural love at a Healing Service in the church.

The evening will include Praise & Worship, a Gospel Proclamation, Corporate Prayer for Healing and Individual Healing Ministry. "These signs will accompany those who believe...they will lay hands on the sick and they will recover." **Mark 16:17.**

THANK YOU!! THANK YOU!! THANK YOU!! from the clean and dry bottoms of our hearts. Our moms and dads thank you too!! Your generosity has again exceeded our expectations!! 2590 diapers and pull ups were transported to Pregnancy Assistance Center in Washington. On behalf of these clean and dry babies, the Permanent Diaconate thanks you also. As always, we knew we could count on you. God Bless! Deacon Paul and Sue Hecktor

Employment Opportunity

SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Are you a practicing Catholic who could foster, develop, and evaluate a vibrant learning environment for our students, parents, and faculty? If so, we are looking for you at St Ignatius! We are looking for someone to take over administrative duties for 23/24 school year. In addition to being principal, this individual will teach Religion one hour a day, five days a week. Interested applicants should contact Father Steve Robeson or Hanna Butherus.

Cemetery Flowers

Please remove all flowers from the cemetery that are not attached to the headstones. It is grass cutting season. Thank you!



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, April 22, 2023

5:00 p.m. † Ralph Glosemeyer

Eucharistic Minister: Leo Meyer

Jayne Glosemeyer | Maurice Glosemeyer

Lector: Jayne Glosemeyer

Ushers: Leo | Miriam Meyer

Servers: Wyatt Glosemeyer | Aaron Meyer

Sunday, April 23, 2023

8:00 a.m. † St Ignatius Parish

Eucharistic Minister: Paul or Alice K.

Danielle Gratza | Amanda Schwoeppe

Lector: Kevin Nenninger

Ushers: Mike Hellebusch | Greg Hellebusch

Servers: Drew Schwoeppe | Annalese Mayer

10:00 a.m. † People of the Parish

Eucharistic Minister: Donna Blahut

Mary Glosemeyer | Becky Schoppenhorst

Lector: Donna Blahut

Ushers: Jodi Bocklage | Camille Johnson

Servers: Christine Marquart | Emma Poindexter

Monday, April 24, 2023

8:00 a.m. † Lester & Hilda Hennecke

Tuesday, April 25, 2023

7:30 p.m. † Herbert & Alice Hellebusch

Wednesday, April 26, 2023

8:00 a.m. † Ralph Glosemeyer

Thursday, April 27, 2023

6:00 a.m. † Taylor Kuenzel

Friday, April 28, 2023

8:00 a.m. † Ralph Glosemeyer

Saturday, April 29, 2023

5:00 p.m. † Ralph Glosemeyer

Eucharistic Minister: Jayne Glosemeyer

Maurice Glosemeyer | Lori Huenefeld

Lector: Alice Kluesner

Ushers: Hubie Kluesner | Jeanne Dothage

Servers: Sam Marquart | Jack Glosemeyer

Sunday, April 30, 2023

8:00 a.m. † Larry Meyer

Eucharistic Minister: Paul or Jeanette

Larry Sander | Norbert Engemann

Lector: Jeanette Marquart

Ushers: Larry Sander | Ron Marquart

Servers: Jared Meyer | Wyatt Meyer

10:00 a.m. † People of the Parish

Eucharistic Minister: Teresa Volkerding

Syd Fees | Ellen Fees

Lector: Ellen Fees

Ushers: Teresa Volkerding | Donna Blahut

Servers: Kali Glosemeyer

Pastor's Letter to the People of St. Ignatius

If you are wondering why you are not hearing anything these days about All Things New, it is because the Archbishop and his advisors are going over literally thousands of pages of information about all the parishes, sent to him by tens of thousands of Catholics here. They are using that info and the pastor's votum, the final wish for the parish expressed by every pastor, to help the archbishop with his final decisions about the future of all parishes, which he will announce on Pentecost weekend, May 28th. Most of us priests are also standing by to be contacted about our next assignment. I should clarify something to be helpful with rumors out there. Recently a priest announced to all his people at weekend Masses that he knew that he was moving from his parish. Yes, some priests have been contacted about moving by the group called the Personnel Board. But even if that priest was contacted, that first contact from the Board was tentative. All of us priests have been clearly told that by the Priests Personnel director and by Father Martin, the director of the All Things New campaign. So that priest really does not know that he is moving yet. The tentative first contacts that all of us priests will get is part of the process the Diocese is using to help the archbishop come to his final decision about the assignments of all priests. When I get the phone call telling me whether I am staying here to lead the three parishes along the river or serve at a different pastorate, I will have to really pray to remember that first phone call is tentative and so the assignment that I am told about could change by the time the process for all priests is finished. Please keep praying for all of us priests who are on the edges of our seats right now, and for all of yourselves, wondering about your parish, but especially for Archbishop Rozanski.

Praying daily for all of you,
Father Steve

Please Pray for the Sick Ailing Recovering

Fred Borges	Joan Meyer	Leanne Davis
Connie Buenemann	Theodore Meyer	Jacqueline Heggemann
Jerome Heggemann	Tom Meyer	Jean Jaeger
Joey Heggemann	Richard Preis	Marilyn Heady
Andrew Hellebusch	Jim Smith	Terry Sullentrup
Betty Hellebusch	Matt Struckhoff	Fr. Finbarr Dowling
Carl Jacquin	Natalie Ulett	Sam Brueggemann
Carol Jacquin	Audrey Wagener	Darlene Brewie
Judith Liermann	Marc Wagener	
Jeffrey Lierman		

Easter Flowers in Memory/Honor of:

Bill Carr, Vivienne Schwoeppe, Margaret Schwoeppe, Ralph & Katie Marquart, Robert & Leona Gratza, Marcellus & Margaret Jasper, Kevin, Melvin & Marvin Gratza, St Ignatius Loyola Parish Members, Bill & Tilly Kluesner, Harold & Agatha Buenemann, Bob & Norma Jean Beck, Micky Glosemeyer, Lisa Williams, Ray, Selma & Neomae Kruse, Lawrence & Evelyn Tobben and Family, Gregory & Evelyn Bocklage, Mike Bocklage, Angelo, Bernice, Ralph, Adeline, & Grandparents

Project Rachel Day of Hope & Healing

Saturday May 20, 2023
9 am-5 pm

See Flyer on the Bulletin Board for more Info.

St. Ignatius Parish
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Dear Volunteer,

As you may be aware, in compliance to directions from the National Catholic Bishops' Council. The Archdiocese of St. Louis has begun a Safe Environment Program (SEP). In November 2002, the national sexual abuse protection program "Protecting God's Children" now called "Prevent and Protect" was adopted as part of this program. It is provided at no cost to parishes, schools, and archdiocesan agencies. All archdiocesan employees and volunteers (this includes every parish/school in the archdiocese), who work with children on a regular basis are mandated to attend a presentation of this program. All clergy in the diocese (priests, deacons, seminarians, diaconate candidates, sisters, and brothers) also participate in this program.

Developed by National Catholic Services, "Prevent and Protect" is a comprehensive program which includes two video presentations which incorporate stories from victims of sexual abuse and their families who speak about the impact that the abuse has had on them. In addition, the videos feature testimony from perpetrators of child abuse who tell how they selected their victim's and how they made the victims feel that the abuse was their own fault. The program also provides information on how to prevent situations that can lead to abuse, what behaviors should raise concern about abuse, and how to report abuse. The program additionally provides an online continuing education for all parish and archdiocesan personnel who work with and have responsibility for the welfare of our children.

The above requirement applies to all employees and volunteers who have any contact with children – direct or indirect and can now be completed online (see attached). **This includes parents, grandparents, aunts, uncles, and any others who plan to participate in activities with or around our children. Activities include – but are not limited to – helping at school (in any capacity) during or after school hours, any sports team, working around the school, room mothers/fathers, chaperoning, accompanying, or transporting children for field trips or any other activity – basically, any activity that puts you in contact with our children (grade or high school) in any way!!** You are also required to read and sign a "Fair Credit Reporting Act Background Check Disclosure", this can be completed online. This requirement must be completed, kept updated, and on file for all employees and volunteers to insure the safety of our children.

This is extremely important!! We must comply with this mandate! Parishes are audited at random each year to determine their compliance. **More importantly, this is one way to help insure the safety of our children.**

If you have questions, you may contact the school office at 636-932-4444 and request to speak with Hanna Butherus, principal. You may also contact Fr. Steve Robeson, pastor, at 636-932-4445 or Cindy Deters at 636-932-4445 Child Safety Coordinator.

Thank you for your cooperation and for helping to provide a safe environment for our children.

Sincerely,
Cindy Deters
Child Safety Coordinator
St. Ignatius Parish

ARCHDIOCESE OF ST LOUIS

Safe Environment Program

ARCHDIOCESE OF ST. LOUIS CODE OF ETHICAL CONDUCT FOR MINORS VOLUNTEERING OR WORKING WITH YOUNGER CHILDREN

You are about to begin what could be a lifelong commitment to working or volunteering for the Catholic Church. It is a privilege to help carry on the mission of Jesus Christ, one that no one takes lightly. Moreover, as a minor yourself, it is important you follow certain rules and guidelines, both for your protection and for the protection of those to whom you minister. The church takes the issue of misconduct very seriously. Certainly any instance of your misconduct will be evaluated carefully, and you are urged to report any instances of misconduct that you see to the adult in charge of your area of service.

GENERAL CONDUCT FOR VOLUNTEERS OR WORKERS WHO ARE MINORS

1. You must always be aware of your own protection and the protection of those with whom you are working.
2. You must never be alone with a younger child in your care.
3. You must never transport a younger child in your care.
4. When you are on an outing with younger children in your care there must be two adults present at all times.
5. You are not to access locker rooms, shower rooms and dressing rooms where younger children in your care are present unless an adult is present.
6. You are not to accompany a younger child in your care into a restroom without an adult present unless the circumstances make it absolutely unavoidable.
7. You must never have physical contact with younger children in your care, except as appropriate in connection with your duties.
8. You must never use inappropriate language when working with younger children.
9. You must never be involved with illegal possession and/or illegal use of drugs and/or alcohol in the presence of younger children in your care.
10. You must never use physical force or demeaning language in disciplining younger children in your care.
11. You have a responsible position with your Parish and you should live up to the expectations of trust that have been placed in you.
12. You must never take advantage of a younger child in your care.
13. You must be aware that Archdiocesan guidelines on child abuse are to be followed without exception whenever someone works or volunteers with a younger child to protect the rights of all involved.

The Archdiocese of St. Louis is grateful for the service you provide. Whenever you have questions or whenever you are uncertain about what is required, ask the adults with whom you work.



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Office of Child and Youth Protection

SAFE ENVIRONMENT USER REGISTRATION

Go to <https://www.preventandprotectstl.org>

Click "Register" below the LOG IN button (image at right).

Enter the passcode **stlprotect** when prompted.

Select the type of location where you are a volunteer or employee

- **Parish or Parish School**

Select the specific location by name

- **St. Ignatius Loyola Parish and School**

Click the roles associated with your employment/service at the parish, school, or agency.

If you are active at only one location, this will be your "primary" location.

If you are active at more than one location, click the ADD PARISH/LOCATION button and repeat the steps above. With more than one location, please click the "This is my main/primary location" circle to indicate where you are employed or, if you are a volunteer, where most of your ministry or service is performed.

Complete your personal information. Please enter your **legal first name** for the purposes of the background screening. *There are no credit checks and no soft hits to credit.*

Create a username, password and password clue.

Agree to the Terms of Use and click SUBMIT.

USERNAME CHOSEN: _____
PASSWORD CHOSEN: _____

You will then be prompted to submit information for a background screening, register for a Protecting God's Children workshop*, view two online training modules, and agree to the Code of Ethical Conduct.

*If you have previously attended a PGC workshop, the system will find and/or ask you to confirm your previous record of attendance. You will not be prompted to register for an upcoming workshop. If, for some reason, it does not match your previous training to this account and you are prompted to register for a class, please register for "PREVIOUSLY ATTENDED-DATE NOT LISTED" and send an email to the address below. We will apply the correct training record to your account.

You may use the links in your approval checklist to access these requirements. These steps may be completed all at once or may be completed separately at your convenience. You will receive an automated email weekly to remind you which requirements are outstanding. When all compliance requirements have been completed, your account will be approved and you will be clear to work with minors and vulnerable adults.

- ☒ Register onto the site
- ☐ [Submit New Background Check](#)
- ☐ Complete "[Protecting God's Children](#)" training
- ☐ Complete "[Mandated Reporter](#)" training
- ☐ Complete "[Code of Conduct](#)" training
- ☐ Sign "[Code of Conduct](#)"

LOG IN

Username _____
Password _____

☐ Remember this account

LOG IN

[Forgot Password](#)

[Register](#)

Should you need any assistance, please contact ocyp@archstl.org

DEAR VOLUNTEER,
AS PART OF THE ARCHDIOCESAN SAFE ENVIRONMENT PROGRAM (SEP), ALL VOLUNTEERS, WHO WORK WITH OR AROUND CHILDREN, ARE REQUIRED TO BE IN COMPLIANCE WITH THIS PROGRAM.

IF YOU HAVE ALREADY ATTENDED A PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN WORKSHOP IN THE PAST ALL YOU NEED TO DO ARE THE ONLINE REQUIREMENTS. (SEE ATTACHED)

HOWEVER, YOU CANNOT WORK WITH OR AROUND OUR CHILDREN IF YOU ARE NOT IN COMPLIANCE WITH THESE REQUIREMENTS. THIS INCLUDES BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO: FIELD TRIPS, ROOM MOTHER'S, LUNCH/RECESS DUTY, WORKING IN THE OFFICE, ETC. IT INCLUDES PARENTS, GRANDPARENTS, AUNTS, UNCLES AND ANY OTHERS WHO PLAN TO PARTICIPATE IN ACTIVITIES WITH OR AROUND OUR CHILDREN.

FOLLOWING ARE THE STEP'S REQUIRED FOR THIS COMPLIANCE:

1. YOU MUST ATTEND THE PROGRAM, "PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN" (PGC) WORKSHOP. ATTENDANCE AT THIS PROGRAM IS REQUIRED ONLY ONCE.
2. YOU MUST AGREE TO THE "CODE OF ETHICAL CONDUCT".
3. YOU MUST ALSO SIGN THE FORMS EITHER ONLINE (OR PAPER COPIES CAN BE GIVEN). COST IS A ONE TIME FEE OF \$8.00 AND IS AUTOMATICALLY UPDATED EVERY THREE MONTH'S THROUGH SELECTION.COM.

PLEASE REGISTER FOR THE PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN WORKSHOP BEFORE ATTENDING CLASS. TO DO SO GO TO OUR PARISH WEBSITE – www.saintig.com – THEN TO "OUR PARISH" AT THE TOP OF THE SCREEN. CLICK ON PREVENT AND PROTECT. FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS FOUND THERE. PGC GLASSES ARE GIVEN FREE OF CHARGE.

ANY QUESTIONS, CALL OR EMAIL: CINDY DETERS 636-932-4445 OR cindy.deters@saintig.com .

FOR THE SAFETY OF OUR CHILDREN, THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS TO THESE REQUIREMENTS!!!!

ALL REQUIREMENTS MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE YOU CAN PARTICIPATE IN OR DO VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES WITH OUR CHILDREN.

THANK YOU FOR HELPING TO KEEP OUR CHILDREN SAFE!

PROTECTING' GOD'S CHILDREN WORKSHOPS

INFORMATION

YOU MUST PRE-REGISTER – GO TO OUR PARISH WEBSITE – www.saintig.com – THEN TO “OUR PARISH” AT THE TOP OF THE SCREEN. CLICK ON “PREVENT AND PROTECT”, FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS FOUND THERE TO REGISTER FOR A “PROTECTING GOD’S CHILDREN” WORKSHOP. THIS MUST BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO ATTENDANCE AT ANY PGC WORKSHOP.

PLEASE ADDRESS ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING COMPLIANCE TO:

HANNA BUTHERUS (PRINCIPAL) @ 636-932-4444

FR. STEVE ROBESON (PASTOR) @ 636-932-4445

CINDY DETERS (CHILD SAFETY COORDINATOR) @ 636-932-4445
OR cindy.deters@saintig.com

THANK YOU FOR HELPING TO KEEP OUR CHILDREN SAFE!!

Dear Padre,

***Our planet's condition is now a serious problem.
Why is climate change hardly mentioned in homilies?***

Many people view climate change as a political issue more than a religious one. As such, some homilists avoid controversial, politicized topics altogether; others are selective in preaching about them; still others tend to use the pulpit as a soapbox for a single political issue or a variety of them. Moreover, preachers themselves are not apolitical, nor are they all centrist in their ideologies. Like those in the pews, homilists have biases, too.

So how did climate change become so politicized? Despite decades of substantial evidence from many respected scientific experts, confusion exists about climate change because the issue's scope is massive and hard to digest, international cooperation is mandatory, and polar-opposite opinions of politicians and their followers are often intransigent. Nevertheless, Pope Francis convened an international conference in 2019 to look at how religions can help the world reach sustainable ecological goals by 2030 to, he said, repair "the damage we have done. No branch of science or form of wisdom should be overlooked, and this includes religions and the languages particular to them."

Thus, according to the Pope, "religious voices" play a crucial role in addressing the serious condition of our planet. Inasmuch as religion has a fundamental responsibility to offer people faith and hope in a better world—and homilies help believers find meaning and purpose—taking action and speaking out about humanity's well-being are becoming less optional. ●



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Fr. Byron Miller, CSsR / DearPadre.org

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
April 24	April 25	April 26	April 27	April 28	April 29	April 30
Easter Weekday	St. Mark, Evangelist	Easter Weekday	Easter Weekday	Easter Weekday	St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church	Fourth Sunday of Easter
Acts 6:8–15	1 Pt 5:5b–14	Acts 8:1b–8	Acts 8:26–40	Acts 9:1–20	Acts 9:31–42	Acts 2:14a, 36–41
Jn 6:22–29	Mk 16:15–20	Jn 6:35–40	Jn 6:44–51	Jn 6:52–59	Jn 6:60–69	1 Pt 2:20b–25 Jn 10:1–10



GIULIO NAPOLITANO / SHUTTERSTOCK

A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

The adversity that we are experiencing with the pandemic, and that we already feel in climate change, must spur us on, must drive us to innovation, to invention, to seek new paths. We do not come out of a crisis the same, we come out better or worse.

VIDEO MESSAGE TO MARK EARTH DAY, APRIL 22, 2021