



Words, Words, and THE WORD

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

Our lives seem to be plagued by an abundance of words, all seeking to influence us.

Television ads try to convince us to buy; teachers seek to pass on knowledge; parents cajole, discipline, and beg; society warns against drinking and driving, smoking and drugs; preachers hope to convert and change. They all do so with limited and varying success, and at times seeming failure. Too often there is the presumption that more words will achieve greater results.

In the face of such questionable success, the prophet Isaiah proclaims that God's word "shall not return to me empty, / but shall do what pleases me, / achieving the end for which I sent it" (Isaiah 55:11). Yet the Gospel also suggests that the seed of God's word sown in our lives may wither and be choked

off and fail to take root, though also promising that what does produce fruit will surpass anything hoped for.

Because war is news and the media is obliged to report on it, it may appear that war is prominent worldwide. Not so. Statistically there is less war today than ever before, less violence, less conflict. We are more

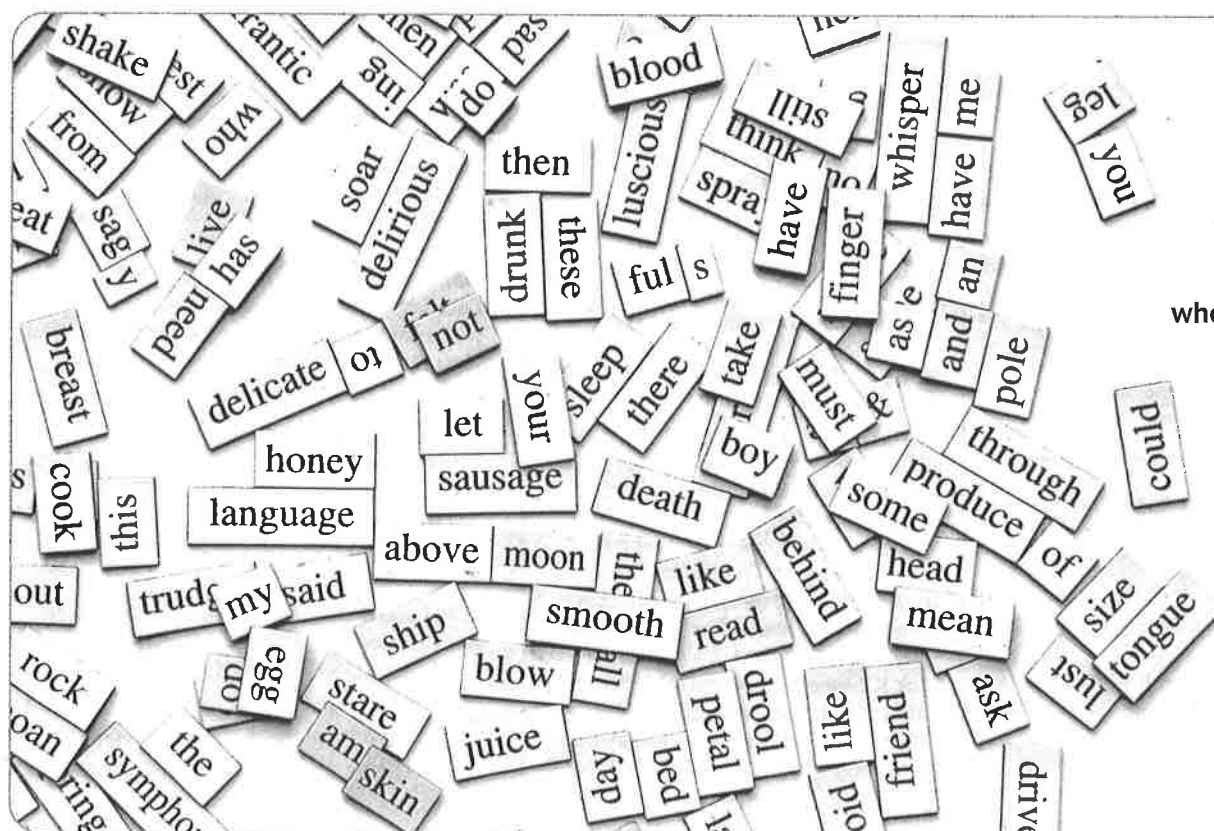
likely to die in our beds than at any other time in history. While there is yet much hunger in the world, there is less than at any other time. Nations are more inclined to try to negotiate peace. Great generosity abounds amid natural disasters, and while injustice prevails, we still fight to overcome

it. All of it the fruitfulness of God's word.

Creation is groaning in labor pains, says St. Paul, and we also groan. Yet the groaning attests to the pains of growing fruitfulness. ●

Reflect

**Which passage of
Scripture would you
choose as a motto
for your life?**



**The seed sown on
rich soil is the one
who hears the word
and understands it,
who indeed bears fruit.**

MATTHEW 13:23



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Sunday Offerings

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| General Fund | \$6243.00 |
| Loose Collection | \$7.00 |
| Votive Stand | \$46.00 |
| S/D Hall Rental | \$175.00 |
| Holy Father/Peter Pence | \$45.00 |
| Misc. Parish Donation | \$1487.41 |

TOTAL \$8,003.41

65 General Offering envelopes collected,
including children.

Rectory Big Summertime & Father Steve Moving Out Cleaning

When: Tuesday August 8th from 5pm-9pm.

All help is greatly appreciated even if it's only for an hour. Please let Sue Schwoeppe know if you can help that evening.

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.

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

Three Parishes United Celebration

Let's celebrate three great parishes
working together to spread the Gospel
message on the north side of the
Missouri River!

WHEN: Saturday August 19

5:00 pm Mass in Church

6:00-9:00 pm meal and social
gathering

WHERE: St Ignatius-Church and Parish
Center

WHAT: Bring a covered dish to share
and your favorite beverage. Meat,
lemonade, tea, and coffee provided.

R.S.V.P. Let us know if you are coming
and how many by Wednesday, August
16. Also, looking for more volunteers
from all parishes to set up and clean up.

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|-------------------|--------------|
| Nick Kluesner | 636-667-0337 |
| Celeste Gildehaus | 314-249-6046 |
| Leanne Moellering | 636-359-6712 |
| Tom Aholt | 636-358-5602 |

Upcoming Events at St. Ignatius

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| 07/15 | Marthasville Truck & Tractor Pull |
| 07/17 | Church Cleaning Team 11—Christy Engemann |
| 07/19 | School Board Mtg 6 pm |
| 07/19 | Rosary & Litany after Mass |
| 07/20 | Home Economics 8am-3pm |
| 07/20 | CHTF Dinner Auction Mtg. 6:30 Cafeteria |
| 07/22 | Gildehaus Gathering 9am-7pm (Lobby/Cafeteria) |
| 07/26 | Rosary & Litany after Mass |
| 07/27 | Home Economics 8am-3pm |
| 07/30 | Shooting Match |
| 07/30 | Farewell Gathering for Fr. Steve 11am-Community Center |
| 07/31 | Church Cleaning Team 1—Michelle Hellebusch |
| 08/01 | First Day Father Doyle Mass 8:00 am |
| 08/01 | Book Club 6:30 pm Cafeteria |
| 08/03 | Rosary & Litany after Mass |
| 08/05 | Book Club 10 am Cafeteria |
| 08/09 | Parish Council Mtg 7 pm |
| 08/10 | Rosary & Litany after Mass |

NEW MASS SCHEDULE FOR ALL 3 PARISHES BEGINS AUGUST 1ST.

Saturday 5 pm- St Ignatius
(Confessions 4:00 – 4:45 pm)
Sunday 8am- Immaculate Conception
Sunday 10:30 am-St Vincent de Paul
(Confessions at 10:00 am)

Monday 8am-Immaculate Conception
Tuesday 8am-St Ignatius
Wednesday 8am- St Vincent de Paul
Thursday 8am-St Ignatius
Friday 8am-St Vincent de Paul

FIRST Saturday 8am- Immaculate Conception
(Confessions heard after Mass)

The Large Divine Mercy Sign by the Cemetery
was Donated by the Divine Mercy Workers of St
Francis Borgia to the Memory of Ralph
Glosemeyer for his help.



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, July 15, 2023

5:00 p.m. † Terry Glosemeyer

Eucharistic Minister: Francis Hellebusch

Jeanne Dothage | Geri Smith

Lector: GERALYN SMITH

Ushers: Brent Glosemeyer | John Ulett

Servers: Gabby Faust | Kali Glosemeyer

Sunday, July 16, 2023

8:00 a.m. † Catherine Marquart

Eucharistic Minister: Paul Hecktor

Larry Sander | Sue Hecktor

Lector: Larry Sander

Ushers: Nick Kluesner | Jeremy Hecktor

Servers: Drew Hecktor | Lane Kluesner

10:00 a.m. † People of the Parish

Eucharistic Minister: Debbie Brewe

Syd Fees | Carl Brewe

Lector: Ellen Fees

Ushers: Jennifer Poindexter | Nick Mebruer

Servers: Christine Marquart | Emma Poindexter

Monday, July 17, 2023

8:00 a.m. † Dennis Glosemeyer

Tuesday, July 18, 2023

7:30 p.m. † Dennis Glosemeyer

Wednesday, July 19, 2023

8:00 a.m. † Kevin Gratza

Thursday, July 20, 2023

6:00 a.m. † Ralph Marquart

Friday, July 21, 2023

8:00 a.m. † Dennis Glosemeyer

Saturday, July 22, 2023

5:00 p.m. † Mathilda Glosemeyer

Eucharistic Minister: Leo Meyer

Jayne | Maurice Glosemeyer

Lector: Jayne Glosemeyer

Ushers: Sam | Jeff Glosemeyer

Servers: Sam Marquart | Jack Glosemeyer

Sunday, July 23, 2023

8:00 a.m. † Margaret Jasper

Eucharistic Minister: Paul or Alice K.

Danielle Gratza | Amanda Schwoeppe

Lector: Kevin Nenninger

Ushers: Kelly | Roger Liermann

Servers: Drew Schwoeppe | Josie Liermann

10:00 a.m. † People of the Parish

Eucharistic Minister: Donna Blahut

Mary Glosemeyer

Lector: Donna Blahut

Ushers: Sandy | John Westhoff

Servers: Volunteers

Mass Intentions UPDATE

We will not be accepting any new Mass Intentions until further notice.

Per Father Steve & Father Doyle

Pastor's Letter to the People of St. Ignatius

I write this having just come from a beautiful Mass led by Bishop Rivituso for the Memorial of Saint Benedict. He emailed all the priests about his willingness to come out to parishes and lead a weekday as part of his support for the ongoing Nationwide Eucharistic Revival. We were one of the first parishes to invite him. I did so because I thought it was exciting when he told me his reason. He doesn't want that Revival to get lost amidst the busyness of parishes going through the pending changes. I love the way the bishop in his homily, wove together that important value with the wisdom of Benedict. His famous Latin slogan was "Ora et labora," pray and work. So, the Bishop's Benedictine wisdom for us this week was, don't get caught up only in the busyness, 'the work,' of how we will maintain buildings and programs that are long established, or the newer ministries we have started in recent years, and end up separating that vital work from the way we will pray and seek Eucharistic Revival. We do all our Parish works as an outgrowth of Eucharist. For Benedict, prayer and work are two sides of a coin. The bishop used another powerful phrase to describe this integration of work and prayer: "We live the Eucharist." Isn't it great that a Bishop visited us at the Lord's Altar-Table, not for some big event like Confirmation, but just to be with us and to keep the Eucharistic Revival in front of us as we face the changes that I am about to go through and the ones that you face? In the wisdom of Benedict, we don't just plan our way through these parish changes on August 1st and then work through them with our agendas. We pray, "we live the Eucharist," through the change.

Many joys.

Father Steve

Please Pray for the Sick Ailing Recovering

Connie Buenemann

Jerome Heggemann

Joey Heggemann

Andrew Hellebusch

Betty Hellebusch

Carl Jacquin

Carol Jacquin

Judith Liermann

Jeffrey Lierman

Joan Meyer

Theodore Meyer

Tom Meyer

Richard Preis

Jim Smith

Matt Struckhoff

Natalie Ulett

Audrey Wagener

Marc Wagener

Leanne Davis

Jacqueline Heggemann

Jean Jaeger

Marilyn Heady

Terry Sullentrup

Fr. Finbarr Dowling

Sam Brueggemann

Yvonne Maune

Ron Mc Connell

Anniversaries of Our Dearly Departed

7/02/15 Loretta Glosemeyer

7/04/00 Regina Rigdon

7/07/20 Vivienne Schwoeppe

7/09/83 Martin Glosemeyer

7/11/93 Elmer Hellebusch

7/14/06 Margie Cescutti

7/16/78 Alphonse Hellebusch

7/16/89 Nicholas Mebruer

7/22/83 Emma Sickmann

7/27/07 Pat Hellebusch

7/27/06 Linda Hagedor

7/30/79 George Amptmann

Addressing GUN VIOLENCE

Promoting a culture of life

A one-day summit
exploring the Catholic
perspective on the
crisis of gun violence
in communities
throughout the
Archdiocese.

Welcome by
Archbishop
Mitchell T. Rozanski

SATURDAY, JULY 29

9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Cardinal Rigali Center
20 Archbishop May Dr.
St. Louis, MO 63119

More information & to register:

archstl.org/addressing-gun-violence or scan QR code



PAUL BALLMANN MEMORIAL

BENEFIT GOLF TOURNAMENT



Warrenton Golf Course
Saturday, August 12, 2023

TO BENEFIT

Neal & Leann Davis Family
Jerry & Emily Polston Family
Josh & Jessica Eversmeyer Family
Mitch & Corrie Schwoeppe Family



- ▶ 3 Person Scramble
- ▶ \$110.00 Per Person
- ▶ 7:00 a.m. Shotgun Start
- ▶ 3 Flights
- ▶ Closest To Hole Contest
- ▶ \$1690.00 In Cash Prizes

**For additional information,
please contact:**
(636) 433-5406
(636) 433-5672
(636) 221-2530
(636) 358-3440

**BREAKFAST SANDWICH
CHICKEN DINNER
BEER & SODA
INCLUDED**

Saturday, August 12, 2023 • \$110.00 per person • 7:00 a.m. shotgun

Please make reservations by August 5, 2023

Make check payable to:
P.B.M.

Mail to:
Leo Meyer
315 Griswold Ave.
Marthasville, MO 63357

Team Captain _____

Phone # _____

2nd Player _____

3rd Player _____

For more information call (636) 433-5406 • (636) 358-3440 • (636) 433-5672 • (636) 221-2530

Paul Ballmann Memorial Golf Tournament 2023

Dear Tournament Supporter;

This year marks the 27th anniversary of our benefit golf tournament. It's also our 15th year under the "Paul Ballmann" name. This year's tournament is scheduled for August 12th at the Warrenton Golf Course, with a 7a.m. Shotgun Start. We look forward to another year of raising money for some worthy causes and we hope you will partner with us once again.

Here are our 2023 Beneficiaries:

1) Neal & Leann Davis Family

Neal & Leann, along with their four children, live in the Truxton area. Leann has been battling cancer for the last few years and continues to take treatments. She also suffers from a blood disorder. We would certainly like to help them out with their medical bills.

2) Jerry & Emily Polston Family

Jerry & Emily, along with their three children, live in the Montgomery County area. Fifteen years ago, Emily had a cancerous brain tumor removed. Her cancer has come back and she now takes pill chemo. They have asked for help with paying their medical bills.

3) Josh & Jessica Eversmeyer Family

Josh & Jessica, along with their three children, live in the High Hill area. Jessica has stage four breast cancer. They could certainly use our help with paying their medical bills.

4) Mitch & Corrie Schwoeppe Family

Mitch & Corrie, along with their 4 children, live in the Warrenton area. Recently, Mitch was involved in a serious auto accident. He faces a long recovery and it'll be at least six months before he can go back to work. The family could certainly use some financial help.

Ways to help:

HOLE SPONSOR:

For \$50 or more, you or your company name will be displayed on a sign out on the golf course, as well as on a big sign under the pavilion.

DONATION of ATTENDANCE PRIZE(S) or MONEY: (NO donation is too small)

**** Anyone who donates will have their name put on a big sign under the pavilion.**

If you would like to play, sponsor a team, or donate, please make check payable to: Paul Ballmann Memorial Golf Tournament or abbreviate to PBM. 100% of all profits will be given out equally to our beneficiaries. We are a 501(c)(3), so your donation is tax deductible.

For more info, please contact Leo Meyer (636-358-3440 or 636-433-5406) Tom Meyer (636-433-5672) Joe Ballmann (636-221-2530) or any of the other committee members listed below. Thanks for your support.

Chad Meyer
Gerard Hellebusch
Carla Ballmann
Francis & Betty Hellebusch

Fred Roesner
Don Deeker
Steve Sahn

Please mail all entries, sponsorships, or donations to:

Leo Meyer
315 Griswold Street
Marthasville, Mo. 63357

Dear Padre,

I have a friend who has been coming to church with me, and he often has questions I can't answer. The big one last week was, "Why don't Catholics have more Bible preaching instead of all this ceremony?" I try to explain, but I don't think I have the right words. Help!

Your friend's question is very common because our Catholic ceremony can be confusing to those of other faiths.

The Catholic Mass comes from two prayer traditions. First, there is the tradition of the Jewish synagogue service where people gather to read and study the word of God. Second, there is the tradition of the early Christians who met in their homes to celebrate the breaking of the bread.

The earliest Christians, Jewish converts, maintained their Sabbath tradition of reading and studying the word of God. They added to that the gift of the Eucharist that Jesus gave them. Our Mass puts these two together in the Liturgy of the Word (readings, preaching, prayers) and the Liturgy of the Eucharist (offering, eucharistic prayer, holy Communion).

The homily may not be as long as it is in some other Christian traditions, but the preaching should be solid, based on Scripture, and in line with the teaching of the Church. We are a Church of word and sacrament. We listen to the word of God and we celebrate the breaking of the bread. ●



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A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS

It is difficult to distinguish, among the many voices and many words, that of the Lord, the only one that makes us free. Always keep a handy copy of the Gospel with you...and then, read a short passage every day, so that you become used to reading the word of God.

ANGELUS, ROME,
JULY 12, 2020

MONDAY

July 17
Weekday
Ex 1:8-14, 22
Mt 10:34-11:1

TUESDAY

July 18
Weekday
Ex 2:1-15a
Mt 11:20-24

WEDNESDAY

July 19
Weekday
Ex 3:1-6, 9-12
Mt 11:25-27

THURSDAY

July 20
Weekday
Ex 3:13-20
Mt 11:28-30

FRIDAY

July 21
Weekday
Ex 11:10-12:14
Mt 12:1-8

SATURDAY

July 22
St. Mary Magdalene
Sg 3:1-4b or
2 Cor 5:14-17
Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

SUNDAY

July 23
Sixteenth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
Wis 12:13, 16-19
Rom 8:26-27
Mt 13:24-43 or
Mt 13:24-30

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