

Do not be afraid of those who kill
the body but cannot kill the soul;
rather, be afraid of the one who can
destroy both soul and body.

MATTHEW 10:28

What Is a Soul, if Not...?

FR. JOSEPH JUKNIALIS

The Gospel of Matthew warns that the greater danger is not about those who may kill the body, but rather it is about those who can destroy both body and soul. Indeed, what if our soul dies long before our body dies? What then has become of our living?

Henry David Thoreau spent a year at Walden Pond in 1845. He did not go to escape life, he said, but to preserve it, to live it more fully. "I went to the woods because I wished to live deliberately, to front only the essential facts of life, and see if I could not learn what it had to teach, and not when I came to die, discover that I had not lived," he wrote in *Walden* in 1854. "I did not wish to live what was not life, living is so dear, nor did I wish to practice resignation, unless it was quite necessary. I wanted to live deep and suck out all the marrow of life, to live so sturdily and Spartan-like as to put to rout all that was not life."

To have a soul is not as if some other-worldly reality has been given a home in our body. Rather, to have a soul is to have a source of hope even in the face of failure, to love in imitation of Jesus even when we are not loved, to see goodness even when it is hidden, to trust in God even when we are powerless. It is the source of mystery, of all that is transcendent, the home of all that is holy. ●

Reflect

**How would you know
if your soul was in danger?**



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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.

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

- 06/25 Meyer Family Reunion 9am-9pm
Lobby/Cafeteria/Kitchen
- 06/26 Blood Drive (Gym) 3-7 pm
- 06/28 Rosary & Litany after Mass
- 06/29 Home Economics 8am-3pm
- 07/03 Church Cleaning Team 10—Lisa
Glosemeyer
- 07/04 4th of July Holiday-Parish Office
Closed
- 07/05 Rosary & Litany after Mass
- 07/06 Home Economics 8am-3pm
- 07/12 Parish Faith Ministry 5:30pm-9:30pm
Lobby/Cafeteria
- 07/12 Rosary & Litany after Mass
- 07/13 Home Economics 8am-3pm
- 07/13 Rectory Cleaning
- 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
- 07/22 Gildehaus Gathering 9am-7pm
(Lobby/Cafeteria)
- 07/26 Rosary & Litany after Mass
- 07/27 Home Economics 8am-3pm
- 07/30 Shooting Match

Sunday Offerings

General Fund	\$4452.00
Loose Collection	\$79.00
Votive Stand	\$31.00
Cardinal Glennon Hospital	\$40.00
Misc. Refund	\$420.00
Grant	\$10,000.00
Misc. Parish Donation—Mission	\$1387.00

TOTAL \$16,409.00

61 General Offering envelopes collected,
including children.

Please contact Stacy Kloeppel 314-974-6645 if
you are available to commit to an hour of
Adoration of Blessed Sacrament.

*Thank you to the anonymous donors who
patched the hole in the asphalt in front of
the church/rectory and paid for the
materials!!!*



2023 Annual Catholic Appeal Goal

\$23,148

Total to Date \$9,890

Pledges Percent 42.16%

Pregnancy Assistance Center

Benefit Dance

Music by: Starlighters

Friday July 7th, 2023

7:30 p.m.-10:30 pm

More details on the flyer on the Bulletin
Board

Parish Council Nominations

It is time to nominate for our Parish Council. This is the group that helps the Priest lead the Parish, by finding the most evangelizing (Christ-like) way to do every activity in the Parish, or to add new ministries and activities that would deepen the holiness of the Parish. The Parish Council meets in the Rectory 5 times a year-7pm on the 2nd Wednesdays of January, March, May, August, and October. Please use your current Parish photo directory and look over faces of your fellow Parish members, especially those that you have noticed are faithful at weekly Sunday Mass. That is the main requirement the Church has for a Parish Council member. Of course, feel free to nominate yourself as well. The first 2 weekends of June there will be nomination slips in the pews for you to fill out. You can drop them in the collection basket, drop off at the Rectory or give to the Priest directly. Please pray carefully over your decision.



MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday, June 24, 2023

5:00 p.m. † Deceased of V & H Hellmann Family

Eucharistic Minister: Leo Meyer

Jayne I Maurice Glosemeyer

Lector: Jayne Glosemeyer

Ushers: Leo I Miriam Meyer

Servers: Sam Marquart I Wyatt Glosemeyer

Sunday, June 25, 2023

8:00 a.m. † Larry Meyer

Eucharistic Minister: Paul or Alice K.

Danielle Gratz I Amanda Schwoeppe

Lector: Kevin Nenninger

Ushers: Randy Heggemann I Dave Schwoeppe

Servers: Drew Schwoeppe I Josie Liermann

10:00 a.m. † People of the Parish

Eucharistic Minister: Donna Blahut

Alice Kluesner I Mary Glosemeyer

Lector: Donna Blahut

Ushers: Alice Kluesner I Mary Glosemeyer

Servers: Volunteers

Monday, June 26, 2023

8:00 a.m. † Bonnie Engemann

Tuesday, June 27, 2023

7:30 p.m. † Tim Glosemeyer

Wednesday, June 28, 2023

8:00 a.m. † Kenneth & Theresa Schwoeppe Anniv.

Thursday, June 29, 2023

6:00 a.m. † Liv. & Dec. Members Ralph Marquart

Friday, June 30, 2023

8:00 a.m. † B & K Special Intention

Saturday, July 1, 2023

5:00 p.m. † Michelle Hellebusch

Eucharistic Minister: Patty Koch

Jacob Lierman I Alice Kluesner

Lector: Leo Meyer

Ushers: Scott I Austin Meyer

Servers: Gabby Faust I Jack Glosemeyer

Sunday, July 2, 2023

8:00 a.m. † Larry Meyer

Eucharistic Minister: Paul Hecktor

Sheila Shortt I Christopher Engemann

Lector: Sheila Shortt

Ushers: Larry Sander I Christopher Engemann

Servers: Hunter Barnhart I Annalese Meyer

10:00 a.m. † People of the Parish

Eucharistic Minister: Lesa Leopold

Mary Glosemeyer I Alison Hoglan

Lector: Vincent Leopold

Ushers: Teresa Volkerding I Lesa Leopold

Servers: Christine Marquart I Emma Poindexter

Missionary Discipleship – Trust in the Lord

Three times in the Gospel today, our Lord tells the disciples that they should not be afraid. This phrase and related variants occur in Scripture more than any other phrase. We all struggle with worrying and being fearful about many aspects of our lives, but Christ reminds us to trust in Him and His abundant love for us. We have been adopted as sons and daughters of God by the death and Resurrection of Christ. We can live a new life in hopeful confidence that God will provide for our needs and care for us as the loving Father who desires “all men to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth” (1 Timothy 2:4).

Blood Drive St Ignatius School/Community Center

Monday June 26, 2023-Gym

3:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Marthasville Truck & Tractor Pull

Needs Volunteers to sign up. Please contact Michelle Hellebusch

636-667-1096

Please Pray for the Sick Ailing Recovering

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

Anniversaries of Our Dearly Departed

6/4/02 Gregory Bocklage	6/16/99 Marvin Gratz
6/5/12 Nancy Klinkhardt	6/17/02 Nicholas Volkerding
6/5/78 James Buel	6/18/14 Beth Steinman
6/7/14 Lorraine Volkerding	6/20/84 John Glosemeyer
6/10/99 Ewald Liermann	6/21/97 Eugene Glosemeyer
6/11/82 Allison Koch	6/27/04 Leroy Meyer
6/11/92 Melvin Schubert	6/27/04 Timothy Glosemeyer
6/13/82 Joseph Hellebusch	6/30/17 Eileen Ruether
6/14/01 Aloysius Miesner	6/10/21 Patricia Sander

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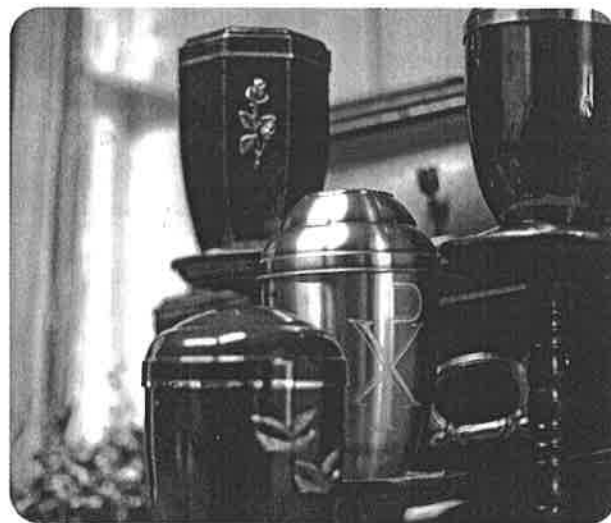
For more information call 314-792-7623

Dear Padre,

A friend of mine wants to be cremated. Does the Church permit it?

The Church permits cremation when extraordinary circumstances warrant it. There was never a direct canonical ban on cremation until 1886, simply because it was not widely practiced by the Christian Church; its members preferred inhumation—the traditional form of burial—in hopeful imitation of Christ, whose body was resurrected from the dead. The Church reacted to a proliferation of nineteenth-century cremation societies, primarily in Europe, with a decree that forbade Catholics from membership in these societies or from cremation (with obvious exceptions made in times of public crisis, plagues, wars, etc.). The Church restated the ban as late as 1926 out of concern that these groups were anti-religious in promoting cremation as an argument against belief in the resurrection.

The Vatican has allowed cremation as an acceptable alternative to burial since 1963, except in cases where irreligious motives are apparent (Canon 1176, No. 3). Nevertheless, “although cremation is now permitted by the Church, it does not enjoy the same value as burial of the body. The Church clearly prefers and urges that the body of the deceased be present for the funeral rites, since the presence of the human body better expresses the values which the Church affirms in those rites” (No. 413, *Order of Christian Funerals*, “Appendix 2, Cremation,” 1997). Moreover, while the Church permits cremation, the scattering of ashes is forbidden. They are to be reserved with reverence in a sacred place. ●



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A WORD FROM POPE FRANCIS



***The great danger
in today's world,
pervaded as it is
by consumerism,
is the desolation
and anguish born
of a complacent***

***yet covetous heart, the feverish
pursuit of frivolous pleasures, and a
blunted conscience.... God's voice is
no longer heard, the quiet joy of his
love is no longer felt, and the desire
to do good fades.***

**APOSTOLIC EXHORTATION, JOY OF THE
GOSPEL (EVANGELII GAUDIUM),
NOVEMBER 24, 2013**

MONDAY

June 26
Weekday
Gn 12:1-9
Mt 7:1-5

TUESDAY

June 27
Weekday
Gn 13:2, 5-18
Mt 7:6, 12-14

WEDNESDAY

June 28
St. Irenaeus, Bishop
and Martyr
Gn 15:1-12, 17-18
Mt 7:15-20

THURSDAY

June 29
Sts. Peter and Paul,
Apostles
Acts 12:1-11
2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18
Mt 16:13-19

FRIDAY

June 30
Weekday
Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22
Mt 8:1-4

SATURDAY

July 1
Weekday
Gn 18:1-15
Mt 8:5-17

SUNDAY

July 2
Thirteenth Sunday in
Ordinary Time
2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a
Rom 6:3-4, 8-11
Mt 10:37-42

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