

A graphic for Memorial Day featuring a stylized American flag. The top left shows the blue field with white stars, while the rest of the image is composed of red and white stripes that curve and flow across the frame. Below the stripes, five red stars are arranged in a slight arc. The background has a subtle pattern of light gray rays emanating from behind the stars.

MEMORIAL DAY

★ IN MEMORY OF OUR HEROES ★

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**May 19, 2024 DONATIONS****General Funds**

Regular/Loose\$1,987.00
School Support.....\$225.00
Total.....\$2,212.00

Building Fund\$50.00
Food Pantry.....\$181.01

Mass Schedule**Saturday, May 25th**

4:00pm/Marjorie Campbell

Sunday, May 26th

10:30 am/Ina Mae Eckstein

Monday, May 27th

NO MASS

Tuesday, May 28th

5:30 pm/St. Joseph

Wednesday, May 29th

8 am/Jeanette Ping

Thursday, May 30th

8 am/St. Joseph

Friday, May 31st

8 am/Frances Wood

Saturday, June 1st

4:00pm/Tom Lakan

Sunday, June 2nd

10:30 am/For the People of the Parishes

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES**Saturday, May 25th @4:00 pm Mass**

Lector: Beth Hewing

Ushers: Dennis Winslow, Jim Hand

EMHC: Becky Hand, Beth Hewing

Gifts: Volunteers

Sunday, May 26th @10:30 pm Mass

Lector: Brian Barnes

Ushers: Mike Miller, Alan Schwenk

EMHC: Carol Miller, Gary Ducey

Gifts: Volunteers

Money Counters: Mike Miller, Brian Barnes

Hospital Rules

Please note that if you or a loved one are in the hospital and would like the priest to visit, you will have to notify Father directly. Due to the HIPPA laws, the hospital will not notify the priest directly. This also applies to nursing homes and assisted living places. Please call Father Pat at 217-485-1224 if you need to have him come for a visit.

Father Pat's Office Hours

If you would like to speak or meet with Fr. Pat,
please call the Rectory at 217-485-1224 or email
frpkoneal@yahoo.com

Confession Schedule

Saturday: 3:15-3:45pm Anytime by appointment.
Please call the Rectory 217-485-1224

Prayer Requests

Please remember the following people in your prayers this week: Reese Baird, Nancy Brown-Smith, Mary Humer, Patty Kirby, Frank Norton, Cathryn Pfeffer, Zoey Smith, Jay Warfel, Jeff Holt, Helen Birtcher, Katelyn Humer, Theresa O'Brien, Tammy Mayer, Jo Church, Becky Benson, Debra Bialeschki, Joann Hesselmann-Smith, Ron Adams, Robert Smith, Maggie Grimm, Sharon Oakes, Randy Wojan, Loretta Taylor, Madison Riley Houser, Ernie Goode, Ferrell Strack, Joseph William Baird, John Henry Baird, Don Eckstein, Gary Divan, and requested prayer intentions.

ST. THOMAS MORE NEWS

Registration is **NOW LIVE for the Golf Outing** at <https://www.hs-stm.org/page/golf>.
Lake of the Woods Golf Course, 405 N Lake of The Woods Rd., Mahomet Rotary Hill Pavilion, 901 Geranium Dr., Mahomet Friday, August 2nd, 2024 (Rain Date Friday, August 9th, 2024)

STM Flag Football Tournament

Registration is now live for Flag Football. We will have 8 teams of 10 players and all games will be played at Henne-man Field at STM. Students entering Grades 5-8 in the Fall of 2024 are eligible to participate. This is a co-ed tourna-ment and t-shirts are included. Sign up as an individual (\$20/player) or as a team (\$200/team). Visit <https://www.hs-stm.org/page/flag-football> for more information or to sign up. Questions? Contact Nathan Watson at nwatson@hs-stm.org

STM Youth Summer Sports Camps

Boys Basketball, Baseball, Volleyball, Girls Basketball, Cheerleading, Softball, and a Free Football Clinic
Camps are available for grades K-8 and will take place throughout May and June. A free non-padded event will be offered on August 1st that introduces the fundamentals of football (limited to 40 participants). Registrations and pay-ments received by May 13, 2024, guarantee camper t-shirts. All camps are located at the High School of Saint Thomas More, 3901 N Mattis Ave. in Champaign.
Cost: Varies by Camp
Visit www.hs-stm.org for more information and to register.

STM Job Opportunities

STM is currently seeking applications for a Boys Head Golf Coach, Boys Head Tennis Coach and a Bus Driver. If inter-ested email Sr. M. Bridget at srmbridget@hs-stm.org, Mr. Corapi at acorapi@hs-stm.org and Jon Marston, Athletic Director at jmarston@hs-stm.org.

ST. NICHOLAS: CHARITY ON WHEELS

Tuesday June 4th at noon, the St. Nicholas van will be at St. Patrick’s parish center to serve those in need in the CDOP. Items such as blankets, toilet paper, shampoo, toothpaste and laundry detergent will be provided.

C-U VENERABLE FULTON SHEEN GUILD

Summer Book Series

We will spend 1 hour each week over 4 weeks discussing the book “Life Issues, Medical Choices, Questions and Answers for Catholics” By: Janet Smith and Christopher Kaczor
All sessions will be held in St. Mark Room, St. Matthew’s Parish Hall at 6:30 pm
June 5 Intro, Ch 1 & 2
June 12 Chap 3 & 4
June 19 Chap 5 & 6
June 26 Chap 7 & 8
If possible, please read the chapters prior to the session, but please join us even if you have not had a chance to read the chap-ters.
We will have a a few extra copies of the book on hand, but if you would like to purchase your own, click the link:
[Buy Life Issues, Medical Choices | Dynamic Catholic](#)

BOWLING TOURNAMENT

Come out and support kids from [Holy Cross School](#), [The High School of St. Thomas More](#), [St. Matthew Catholic School](#), [St. Thomas Catholic School Philo PTO](#), and [St. Malachy Catholic School](#). The winning team from each school will win at least a \$500 scholarship for the kids on that team (no more than 2 adults per team of four individu-als).

You can sign up for the tournament at <https://CSbowling2024.givesmart.com> or text CSbowling2024 to 76278. We will have sponsorship levels available shortly. There will be 50/50 drawings, lottery boards, and silent auc-tion items as well.

This event is on August 25th at Old Orchard Lanes.

FAITH COMMUNITY NURSING

Topic: Chronic Fatigue Syndrome

Everyone experiences fatigue with strenuous physical activ-ity, long work days and increasing demands on time. May 12th was Chronic Fatigue Syndrome Day, and for folks who suffer from Myalgic Encephalomyelitis/Chronic Fatigue Syn-drome

(ME/CFS), fatigue isn’t in proportion to activity but is perva-sive, and it can be life altering. Unrelieved by rest, the fa-tigue that ME/CFS causes is often worst after exerting ener-gy, and it is sometimes accompanied by pain, problematic sleep, trouble concentrating or with memory. There are things sufferers can do to lessen CFS symptoms, including setting healthy daily routines, fixing sleep hours, practicing relaxation techniques, and avoiding stress. Talk to your doc-tor if you are experiencing symptoms that match the above information.

For more information:

[ME/CFS and Fibromyalgia International Awareness](#)

Faith Community Health at Carle connects you and your faith community to needed healthcare and wellness support, taking a whole-person approach to health.

To learn more about bringing healthcare and wellness re-sources to your faith community, call (217) 902-3160 or email FaithCommunityHealth@carle.com.

CARE OF GOD’S CREATION

“LAUDATO SI’, mi’ Signore” – “Praise be to you, my Lord.” These are the words that open Pope Francis’ encyclical on ecology and care for God’s creation. These words, quoting St. Francis of Assisi’s beautiful canticle, remind us that our common home is like a sister with whom we share our life and a beautiful mother who opens her arms to embrace us.

Last fall Pope Francis released Laudate Deum, re-minding us of the urgency of the Laudato Si’ message. He wrote, “There are no lasting changes without cul-tural changes, and there are no cultural changes with-out personal changes.” Pray this week to become aware and be open to the changes that will be pre-sented each week in the bulletin.