

St. Clement Catholic Church
21509 Hwy. 161 Bowling Green, MO 63334
December 2nd & 3rd, 2017
First Sunday of Advent

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MARRIAGES: Must be scheduled six months in advance by appointment with pastor
BAPTISMS: Call Pastor For Arrangements
CONFESSIONS: Saturday 5:00 pm -5:45 pm

MASS SCHEDULE

December 2nd & 3rd:
SAT: 8:00 am: Cathy Grote
SAT: 5:00 pm: Nolan Miller
SUN: 10:30 am: For the People of St. Clement
Dec. 4th MON: NO MASS
Dec. 5th TUE: 7:00 PM Robert Burmeister
Dec. 6th WED: 7:00 AM Leonard "Sonny" Korte
Dec. 7th THUR: 11:15AM Mary Bunten
Dec. 8th FRI: 8:15AM John Deters
7:00PM Bernice Grote
December 9th & 10th:
SAT: 5:00 pm: Truman Orf
SUN: 10:30 am: Albert & Angela Guejen

December 10th: 5:00PM Sacristan: Patti Schuckenbrock

LECTOR	Chad Freie
EUCH. MINISTERS	Craig Luebrecht / Linda Henderson / Patti Schuck
EUCH. MINISTERS	Fred & Mary Carol Niemeyer
SERVERS	Chance LaZear/ Alanah Tophinke/ Aiden Grote

December 11th: 10:30AM Sacristan: Sandy Reid

LECTOR	Leo Brueggen
EUCH. MINISTERS	Neil & Judy Oberman / Mary Nell Brueggen
EUCH. MINISTERS	Mike & Lois Schumacher
SERVERS	Jazmyne Largent/ Layla Berry/ Jake Dyer

Your Gifts to God & Parish:

Offertory Budget (52 Weeks 7/1/17 to 6/30/18) 480,000.00
Needed to Date 195,833.31
Received to Date (This includes online giving) 180,412.19
Over (Under) for (15,421.12)
Needed each Week 9,230.00
This does not include fundraisers/bequests or extra to pay off debt

Total Received Last Week:	\$ 7,749.61	Amounts below line: are not parish income. These are sent to source we have collected for.
Regular Envelopes /Loose	7,102.61	
Debt Reduction:	195.00	

Catholic Campaign Human Development: \$ 452.00


Monthly Goal for Debt Reduction Env = 4,500.00
(90 envelopes per Month \$50/each)
Building Loan Bill Due 1st of Each Month = 4,289.77

Weekly Schedule

MON:
TUE: 7:00 pm Mass
WED: 7:00am Mass Followed by Adoration
Flame of Love 6pm Benediction at 8pm
PSR 6:30-7:45pm Confirmation Class 7pm
THUR: 11:15 am Mass
FRI: 8:15 am Mass *Holy Day of Obligation*
7:00 pm Mass

Parish Center Rental - 324-5545

Prayer Line Information : Please call Sandy Merz at:

	Ed Burt	Marianne Largent
	Bea Meyer	George Knock
	Muriel Grote	Tadeusz Jacyna
	Cathy Dean	Kathy(Wells) Bumet
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	Derek Labbee	Christine Lewis
	Bob Henson	Thelma Luebrecht
		Bobby Meyer
		Bernice Schuckenbrock

"Take heed, watch and pray; for you do not know when the time will come." - MARK 13:33

We all take things for granted. In particular, we take time for granted. Our lives are so busy, many of us are planning our time - our days, weeks, months, even years in advance.

Remember, our time on earth is a gift.

None of us knows how long we will be here.

Start today and begin thanking God for each and every day.

Take time in silence, every day,

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Holy Day of Obligation
Immaculate Conception
of Blessed Virgin Mary
Friday, December 8th
8:15am Mass & 7:00pm Mass

Advent Penance Service
December 14th at 7:00 pm

MASS TIME CHANGE
Saturday Evening Mass
will be at 5:00 pm
It will remain at 5:00 pm until
Daylight savings time change.

RAFFLE!!!
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basket marked "nativity raffle".
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raffle will go to the
Largent & Twellman families.
Thank you for your support!
Drawing will be December 15th
after the Christmas play!

More Sacristans for Saturday
Evening Mass Needed
The role of the sacristan is to make
sure everything is set up before Mass
and to make sure all liturgy roles are
filled. If you would like to volunteer
please call the office or
email Fr. Doke at:
frdoke@gmail.com

All First Saturday Masses
will now be at 8am

NO Finance or Parish Council
Meetings in December.

SCS Christmas Play
"Arrest These Merry Gentlemen"
December 15th
1:30 pm and 7:00 pm
Please join us as we prepare for the
Christmas season!!

Ladies Sodality Meeting
December 4th, 2017

**TRIVIA
NIGHT**
January 13, 2017
Parish Center
Benefiting the
Family of Marianne Largent
Goal: \$5,000 Raised
50/50 Drawing, Gun Raffle
& 1st Place Team Prize
Dressing up as a themed team is
optional, bring snacks and drinks
and enjoy the night raising money
for this family!
Age 21 & Older Only
Doors Open at 6PM
Trivia Begins at 7PM
Cost: \$15 per person
or \$120 per table (8)
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wine and beer.
Please contact :
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New to our Parish?
Recently Married?
If you have moved out of your
parents home, moved home from
college or are recently married and will
continue to come to our church please
fill out a registration form.
You will find them at the back of
church on the information
table or email the secretary at:
stclementparish@gmail.com.

Christmas Eve
Choir Practice
Thursday, December 7th
at 6:00 pm at Church
Anyone that enjoys singing or
playing music are welcome
to join us!!

St. Clement School
BOOK DRIVE
The Ladies' Sodality is hosting a
book drive for our School Library!
In the month of December we will
be collecting for donations of
books or money for the purchase
of books and shelving. This drive
will help replenish the books we
lost last spring at the school.
There will be a container marked
for this, in the back of Church for
these donations.
We thank you in advance!

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all year long!
Please see Robie Orf or the
Church office to buy a calendar.
If you would like to help sell please
contact Robie Orf at 470-1223

CSA 2018 Parish Goal Update
Below is the current update
on your parish's
CSA 2018 Goal Status
as of 11/28/2017
Goal: \$14,000.00
Received: \$8,248.00
Over(Under): \$ (5,752.00)
Donors: 42

Holiday Christmas
at Starkenburg
St. Martin's Church & Museum
197 Hwy P Rhineland, MO
December 7, 8, 9th
Concerts Daily at 2:30pm
Country Store in Valentine Hall
Open from 1:00pm -4:30pm
For information or bus tour & group
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RE-IGNITE 2018!!
Tolton Catholic High School
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January 6th -7th, 2018
This overnight retreat is for high
school students who want to deepen
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relationship with Christ.
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Ladies Sodality

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join people from our Diocese and
thousands of others in
promoting the sanctity of every
human life by attending the annual
March for Life in Washington D.C.
There will be a mandatory meeting
following the 11:00 AM Mass for
anyone who has not attended

K of C Chicken Dinner
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December 10th
Adults - \$8.50
Child (6 to 12) - \$4.00

Engaged Encounter
St. Pius X Moberly, MO
Engaged Encounter is a weekend
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2018 Dates:
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May 4-6 August 3-5
November 2-4
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