

St. Clement Catholic Church

February 1st & 2nd, 2020

Presentation of the Lord

Rev. Henry Ussher

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St. Clement School: 324-2166 St. Clement Pre-School: 324-5545

BAPTISMS:

Call Pastor For Arrangements

MARRIAGES:

Must be scheduled six months
in advance by appointment with pastor

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday 4:30 pm -5:15 pm

MASS SCHEDULE

February 1st & 2nd:

SAT: 8:00am: Dahl & Ludwig Families

SAT: 5:30pm: Truman Orf

SUN: 10:30am: People of St. Clement/Sacred Heart & St. John

MON: Feb 3: NO MASS

TUES: Feb 4: 7:00PM Philip Bibb

WED: Feb 5: 7:00AM Bobby Meyer

THU: Feb 6: 11:15AM Lorraine "Bee" Meyer

FRI: Feb 7: 11:15AM Ron Peasel

February 8th & 9th:

SAT: 5:30pm: Leroy Orf

SUN: 10:30am: People of St. Clement/Sacred Heart & St. John

February 8th: 5:30PM Sacristan: Larry Twellman

LECTOR	Larry Twellman
EUCH. MINISTERS	Marie E. Korte, Paul Merz, Michelle Larson
EUCH. MINISTERS	Martin Luebrecht, Debbie Scherder
SERVERS	Cheyenne Lawrence/Scarlett Grote/Dominic Scherder

February 9th: 10:30AM Sacristan: Sandy Reid

LECTOR	Elizabeth Brueggen
EUCH. MINISTERS	Yvonne Hofen / Mary Nell Brueggen / Ansel Niemeyer
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SERVERS	Layne Kent / Haydon Kent / Zeb Gilbert

Prayer Line Information:
Sandy Merz at: 324-5617 or
Email: judyandneiloberman@sbcglobal.net

Bulletin Articles & Mass Announcements:
All articles and announcement requests should be turned into the parish office on Tuesday and must be approved by the pastor.

St. Clement Cemetery Information:
Call Larry Twellman at 324-5471

Your Gifts to God & Parish:

Needed to Date \$ 271,140.00
Received to Date \$ 274,981.05
Over or Under for the year: +3,841.05

Needed each week for budget 2019-2020 = 9,038.00
This does not include fundraisers/bequests or extra to pay off debt

Total Received Last Week: 7,102.00
Regular Envelopes /Loose \$ 6,102.00
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Debt Reduction: \$.00

Mass stipend's are now \$10.00 per Mass

Second Collection for Sound System: \$ 7,213.00

Weekly Schedule

MON: NO MASS
Ladies Sodality Meeting 6:45pm
TUE: 7:00PM Mass
WED: 7:00AM Mass
Confirmation Class 7:00pm
THUR: 11:15AM Mass
FRI: 11:15AM Mass

"...they took him up to Jerusalem to present him to the Lord..." (Luke 2:22)

How seriously do you take being a Catholic? Is "being Catholic" something I just do when I attend Sunday Mass or attend one of my parish functions? It's easy to be Catholic then, it's harder to be Catholic when I am out in the world. Would someone recognize you as a Catholic by the way you act, dress, and talk? How do you present yourself to the Lord and to others?

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If you would like a statement of your total year contributions to the church for 2019, please call 324-5545 and it will be mailed to you or you can email :
stclementparish@gmail.com
We will also send via email to you as well. Due to the expense of printing for 400 families we will only print them this year by request only.
Thank You

Parish Mission
St. John's - Laddonia, MO
Beauty & Grace of the Mass
February 16-19th
7:00pm Nightly
The information shared by Deacon Mark Dobelmann will be useful for all Catholics to learn the true remain behind the mystery of the Mass.
To learn and refresh our Faith!

JOIN US FOR BREAKFAST
Cooked by Home & School
Sunday -February 2nd
8:00am—1:00pm
Parish Center
Biscuits & Gravy Scrambled Eggs Pancakes Bacon Sausage Yogurt Bar
\$10 Adults \$5 for Children 6-12 5 and under FREE!
Come Before or After Church and enjoy a home cooked breakfast!!

MARDI GRAS DINNER
February 21st, 2020
K of C Hall
4:00-8:00 PM
Separate Carry Out Line Improved System for faster lines
Fried Chicken Chicken Strips Jambalaya Green Beans Mashed Potatoes Rolls Dessert \$10 for Adults \$8 for Children
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Wanting to volunteer? Contact: Elisha Koenig 573-823-7358

Catholic Stewardship Appeal
Parish Goal: \$15,000
Received: \$13,436
\$1,654.00 to reach our goal, please consider your donation to the diocesan appeal.

Ladies Sodality Meeting
February 3rd at 6:45pm

Life Line Screening
February 27th K of C Hall
Book your appointment today before it fills up.
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Bishop McKnight's February prayer intention for our Local Church



For those discerning a vocation: May they have the grace to hear the voice of God in their hearts, and may they experience the encouragement of the Church to respond with grateful hearts.

Volunteers Needed for Weekly Wednesday Morning Adoration
Please consider signing up for a time on Wednesday mornings to come and sit an hour with Jesus.

7th & 8th Grade Teaching Position
St. Clement School is in need of a 7th and 8th grade teacher for the 2020-21 school year. Resumes can be dropped off at the school or parish office. Call the school at 573-324-2166.

Prayer List

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Pastor's Pen
PRESENTATION OF THE LORD

Mary and Joseph were devout Jews who adhered to the Law of the Lord. They were pretty sure, Jesus is the Son of God, and they raised him up as any parents would for a child. Today, we read from scripture about presentation of the Lord in the Temple according to the details of the Lord. By the faithful act of Mary and Joseph, the world came to know Jesus as "the Glory of the house of Israel and light to the Gentiles."
Jesus is our light that is leading us to salvation. He is our ultimate glory in the world to come. And so, today, in our catholic tradition, we bless candles and carry them to our various home. The lighted candles in our homes in the days to come is a reminder that Jesus Christ is our light and salvation. We are called to live in his light by adhering to his teachings as Mary and Joseph did in their days.
As parents living in the light of Jesus Christ, we have the responsibility of raising up our children and grandchildren in the faith. We get to have our children baptized, confirmed and become partakers in the table of Christ. We get to bring them to Mass, Catechism Class(PSR), Confirmation instruction, support them in marriage preparation and encourage them to remain faithful Catholics, all the days of their life. Those of us who are priests are ordained to aid all to practice our faith and adhere to the Gospel of Christ. Peace !

BENEFIT DINNER FOR RICK OBREMSKI FAMILY
February 16th, 2020
11:30am-2:00pm
St. Joseph Church
Seton Center
Louisiana, MO
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GARLIC BREAD DESSERTS
On January 14, 2020 Rick Obremski was sent to St. Louis Un. Hospital. He has since been diagnosed with Aplastic Anemia, a rare and extremely complicated condition in which the immune system attacks the bone marrow. Depending on treatments, Rick's long, term recovery could be up to one year. Rick is self employed and this will drastically affect their finances. Rick and his wife Patricia have been married for 13 years. They have six children and are expecting their seventh in July 2020. We are asking for your support to a free will offering dinner, sponsored by St. Joseph Sodality. We ask for your support and prayers for this family. Any donations can be made out to Patricia Obremski. Let us help our neighbor!!

RETREAT OPPORTUNITIES
Date of Upcoming Quests: April 17-28, 2020
Quest Program for 8-10 graders: It is a time to come together to find out about God, friendships, and self in a fun-filled, exciting, amusing, thoughtful, and carefree surrounding. Quest is held at the Franciscan Retreat Center of Quincy University and lasts from 6:00 pm Friday to 6:00 pm Saturday. The cost for a candidate is \$45 and includes room, snacks, breakfast and lunch, and other surprises.
Register online at www.greatrivertec.org or contact Debbie Scherder 573-470-4420.
Dates of Upcoming TEC's :
March 7-9, 2020 April 4-6, 2020
TEC Weekend for Teens age 16 and over: TEC (Teens Encounter Christ) provides a space to reflect upon one's own ideals, hopes, dreams, and problems; to discover a God that you can believe in. TEC is held at the Franciscan Retreat Center of Quincy University, Quincy, IL. It begins Saturday morning at 9:30 am and ends Monday evening 6:00 pm. Candidates ages 16-21 cost \$50.00 and observers ages 22+ cost \$100.00. Register online at www.greatrivertec.org or contact Debbie Scherder 573-470-4420.
Dates of Upcoming Cursillo: Women: February 20-23 Men: March 26-29
Women: April 23-26 Cursillo for Adults age 21 and over:
During this three-day experience, those attending pray together, celebrate Eucharist, listen to talks given by priests, religious and laypersons, and share fellowship of Jesus Christ and each other. Men and women attend separate weekends and, if married, husbands must attend first. The cost is \$165 and is held at the Franciscan Retreat Center of Quincy University. Cursillo begins on Thursday at 8:30 pm and ends on Sunday at 6:00pm. Candidates attending must have someone who has attended a Cursillo sponsor them.
For more information, contact Marie Korte at 324-8300.

Anointing of the Sick
March 3rd at 7:00pm Mass

Scholarship Information
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