

# Sunday

ANNOUNCEMENTS

## AROUND THE CATHEDRAL

### **Cathedral Choir Try It Night!**

Am I good enough?

That question is often asked when someone talks to me about singing in the Cathedral Choir.

Well, now's the time to find out! Join members of the choir on Wednesday, August 29<sup>th</sup> and sing with us.

We'll meet from 7:00 PM to 8:00 PM and show you the music we sing, the way we rehearse and give you the chance to sing along.

Cathedral Choir is open to singers who are incoming freshmen in High School and up. To reserve your spot, please contact Mark Gifford, Choir Director either by calling the Cathedral or writing to: [markcicmusic@gmail.com](mailto:markcicmusic@gmail.com).

### **Liturgical Ministers Schedule**

#### **August 18th and 19th**

August 18th 4:00 Vigil

Readers : Bill Sinnott, Ted Sunder

EMHC's: Kathy Cutler, Judy Sunder, Barry Seng, Rose&Joann Lenn

Servers: A. Clark & J. Carstens

August 19th 7:00 AM

Readers : Rick Wray

EMHC's : Rob Bentel, Mia B Martha Goodwin

August 19th 10:00 AM

Readers : Dominic Palazzolo, Emilia Rogers

EMHC's : Rebecca Woodhull, Johna Keen, Joe Forestier, Cami Blair, Jordan Thomas

Servers: C. Bergner, M. Bergner & A. Mizer

August 19th 5:00 PM

Readers : Claire Smith, Anthony Palazzolo

EMHC's : Judy O'Shea, Rita Janusick, Diane Raymond, Claire Smith

Servers: A. Southern & T. Southern

### **Please keep these Parishioners in your prayers...**

James Gollon, who passed away.

Carol Morgan and her family, as she lays to rest her daughter, Becky, this week.

### **Thank you!**

Thank you to the CCCW volunteers who shared their time and talents in service the Annual Garage Sale! Thank you to the many volunteers who brought in food for the workers during the week, and those who donated items toward the Garage Sale. It was a successful event because of the dedication and commitment of the CCCW ladies- THANK YOU!

### **Congratulations!**

Congratulations to Lillian Rose Carstens, daughter of John and Judith Carstens, all Cathedral parishioners. Lily was the recipient of a scholarship to SIUE from the Springfield Diocesan Council of Catholic Women (SDCCW). Lily and the other recipients were honored at the Women of Distinction Luncheon. Lily will pursue a career in nursing.

### **Alpha Update**

Each week we are hosting 50+ guests to explore faith and a relationship with Jesus Christ. This is possible because of the generosity of our fellow parishioners who are on the leadership and hospitality teams. We need your support, too! Please pray for the Holy Spirit to enlighten our leaders and our guests as they share a meal and discuss the basics of Christianity. And if you'd like to help with hospitality, we could use donations of food items as well as volunteer servers, bakers, cooks and clean up crew. Contact Bev Smith at 341-0205 or 726-2289 to offer your help. THANK YOU!

### **Diocesan Victim Assistance**

For the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator, please contact: Patricia Kornfield at 321-1155.

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### **Save the Date!**

The 2018 Diocesan Adult Enrichment Conference (DAEC) will be held this year on Sunday, September 30 and Monday, October 1 at the Decatur Conference Center and Hotel, Decatur, Illinois. The theme is "Who Do You Say That I Am?" Registration will begin July 1. For up-to-date information visit our website: <https://www.dio.org/catechesis/daec>

### **26th Annual Fried Chicken Dinner**

Sacred Heart Church in Virden will be holding its 26th Annual Fried Chicken Dinner on Sunday, September 9, 2018 from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the K. of C. Hall at 1320 N. Dye St. in Virden. On the menu is fried chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, applesauce, slaw, rolls, homemade dessert, and a beverage. Adults and carry-outs are \$10, children 5-12 are \$5, and children 4 and under are free. There will be a 50/50 drawing at 2:00 p.m. There will be Holy Mass in our newly renovated church at 10:15 a.m. at Sacred Heart Church, Virden to Rev. James Palakudy.

### **Mass of Healing and Reconciliation**

In commemoration of the 110th Anniversary of the Springfield Race Riots, a Mass of Healing and Reconciliation will be celebrated August 14th, 12:00 noon, at St Patrick's Parish, 1720 S. Grand Ave, Springfield. All are invited to attend. There is plenty of parking and the church is handicap accessible.

### **Attention Young Adults (20's and 30's)**

The Forge is a Springfield based young adult Catholic ministry that strives to bring young adults into an encounter with Jesus and authentic Christian community. All young adults are welcome. More information: @Theforge on Facebook, <https://the-forge-online.com/>Email contact: Andrew Hansen: [andrewhansen1@yahoo.com](mailto:andrewhansen1@yahoo.com)

### **KC Council #364**

The KC Council #364 will be holding its annual Oktoberfest Saturday Sept 8th from 12:00 until 10:00 on the KC grounds, 2200 Meadowbrook Rd. It will feature German music, food, beer and including activities for the kids as well. Admission is \$5.00, Kids under 12 free. Anyone interested in selling arts and crafts are welcome as we are looking for vendors. For more information please contact Dave Groesch at 691-1506.

### **2018 Catholic Schools Appeal Update**

The 35th Annual Catholic Schools Appeal is off to a great start! The Appeal kicked off in area parishes during the first weekend in May and is still going strong, thanks to parishioner support. If you haven't yet had the opportunity to make a gift, there is still time. A second mailing will be sent out soon for your convenience. The proceeds from this appeal will be divided among the Springfield-area Parish elementary schools and Sacred Heart – Griffin. As of the end of June, 50 parish families from Cathedral gave a total of \$6,060. Our parishes' total giving to the 2017 Appeal was \$10,181, so we are getting close to meeting last year's giving!