

# Sunday

ANNOUNCEMENTS

## AROUND THE CATHEDRAL

### **Are YOU looking for something more? REBOOT!**

Are you longing for more? And who isn't looking for something more? Do you want to experience your faith – and live your life – more deeply? Then don't miss YOUR REBOOT! event with Real Life Catholic's, Chris Stefanick. Draw closer to God. Deepen your understanding of His plan for your life. And gain a new passion to live the life God created for you.

**Sept. 19th 7 PM to 9:30 PM at Cathedral**

**Get your tickets today at the Parish Office OR**

**<https://reallifecatholic.com/reboot-live-participants/>**

**More information at <https://spicathedral.org/reboot/>**

**Chris Stefanick has a LARGE following- tickets WILL sell out! Get them early for friends and family!** Contact Katie Price at [kprice@cathedral.dio.org](mailto:kprice@cathedral.dio.org) for details, visit the parish office, or go to [RealLifeCatholic.com](http://RealLifeCatholic.com). All are welcome, from anywhere in the diocese!

### **Why Alpha?**

Alpha #3 Team and Guests Need Your Prayers  
Alpha begins this week and we need your prayers. Alpha is perfectly designed to fail unless God shows up, so your prayers are needed to support the team and the guests who will encounter Christ. We do have room for a few more guests so follow up with those you've invited to see if they'd like to come. RSVP by calling the parish office at 522-3342 or by emailing [vcompton@cathedral.dio.org](mailto:vcompton@cathedral.dio.org)

### **Oremus: A Guide to Catholic Prayer**

This eight part study series featuring Fr. Mark Toups teaches the essentials of an effective and fruitful prayer life. Discover how to place yourself in the presence of God and follow the wisdom of the saints and the Tradition of the Church as you learn how to express yourself to God and make prayer an integral part of your daily life.

Tuesdays beginning July 2, 10:00-11:30am, Cathedral School basement. Cost is \$15 for the study guide. Please RSVP to Vicki Compton at [vcompton@cathedral.dio.org](mailto:vcompton@cathedral.dio.org) or by calling 522-3342 to ensure we have adequate study guides.

### **Summer With the Saints – Film Series**

All families, and everyone else too, are invited to the atrium to be inspired by some great saints of our Church. First up is Therese, the story of St. Therese of Lisieux. Bring your lawn chairs and blankets and a cooler with soft drinks to the atrium, and we'll supply the popcorn! Mark your calendars for June 19, July 17 and August 7 in the Cathedral Atrium at 6:30. No cost and no RSVP necessary. Bring your friends and neighbors! All are welcome!

### **Healthy Spaces For Ministry Workshops**

The Healthy Spaces for Ministry workshop will teach participants how to develop ministries that foster healthy relationships and build resiliency, while also preventing burn-out in staff and volunteers. Using a trauma-informed framework, participants will learn what "trauma" is, how it affects people/communities, and how to apply principles of trauma-informed care for healthy, effective parish ministries.

Saturday, July 13, 9:00-noon, or Thursday, July 31, 1:00-4:00 in the Cathedral Atrium. Please RSVP to [vcompton@cathedral.dio.org](mailto:vcompton@cathedral.dio.org) or by calling 522-3342.

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### **Black Presence in the Bible Workshop**

The Black Catholic Commission is hosting a bible study workshop entitled: Black People and the Bible - Part 1: Introduction to the Bible and the Presence of Blacks in the Bible. Sr Addie Walker, Oblate School of Theology is the presenter. All are invited to attend. The workshop will be held at the Villa Maria Conference and Retreat Center, August 2-3. For more information and to register go to: [www.dio.org/plasm/events.html](http://www.dio.org/plasm/events.html)

### **Encountering Clare of Assisi: Inspiring Wisdom for Today's Challenges**

#### **Conference Retreat featuring Sr. Kathleen Warren, OSF August 4-9, 2019**

As our culture considers the necessity, value and blessing of the feminine in our world, many are beginning to look anew at Chiara of Assisi with an exciting clarity that befits her name. Even though she humbly referred to herself as the little plant of Francis, new scholarship is revealing an imaginative, committed and powerful woman who worked alongside Saint Francis in the 13th century. Along with Francis, Clare's words and lived-examples of leadership served to animate a new way of understanding the gospels and how the church might take them to heart with renewed fervor and love. During this conference retreat, we will explore the remarkable life of cofounder of the Franciscan movement, particularly through her own writings and consider her profound relationship with God and Agnes of Prague. Retreatants will leave with a sense of how Clare's life resulted in a most poignant spirituality that speaks well in our time. Call 523-0901 or visit [chiaracenter.org](http://chiaracenter.org) for more information.

### **Luncheon4Life**

You have a unique opportunity to attend A FREE LUNCHEON at the next Luncheon4Life, Friday, June 21, 11:30am-1:30, Pietro's, 3801 Watson Rd, St Louis. This month's guest speaker is Myra Neyer, former Planned Parenthood employee of Baltimore. RSVP is required. Send RSVP to or call Joan Kane 618-781-5107, by June 14th. Luncheons4Life is a grass roots luncheon designed to bring together like-minded, life affirming people to network.

### **Hearing Anew Speaking Anew**

A retreat about men and for men, led by Fr. Richard Chiola, June 7-9 at the Chiara Center. This retreat begins with hearing Jesus with new clarity and ends with men being able to speak to others so as to be understood, integrating the head and the heart. Treat yourself, or give to a man in your life. For more information call 523-0901 or go to [chiaracenter.org](http://chiaracenter.org) and click on Events.

### **11th Annual Fr. Franzen Memorial Golf Outing**

June 9 at Edgewood Golf Course, Auburn. More information and downloadable brochure with registration form can be found on our website [www.stjoschatham.org](http://www.stjoschatham.org) Proceeds are split to benefit 50% Priests Retired Fund and 50% Catholic Heart Work Camp Mission trip.

### **REFLECT Retreat**

Mid-life Singles (mid-30s to 50s): Are you looking for a renewed sense of purpose & belonging? Register today for a life-changing REFLECT weekend retreat at King's House Retreat Center, Belleville, IL (20 min from downtown St. Louis, MO), on May 31-June 2, 2019. Take a chance and get involved... you won't regret it! Cost is \$195 for meals and a single room. Visit [www.ReflectRetreat.com](http://www.ReflectRetreat.com), e-mail [reflect.stlouis@gmail.com](mailto:reflect.stlouis@gmail.com), or call (314) 283-0044 for details.

### **Religious Freedom Celebration**

Celebrate our Religious Freedom – Saturday, June 29, 4:00 pm Mass, Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, 524 East Lawrence Ave. Speaker and complimentary dinner to follow Mass. This year's speaker is Denise Burke from the Alliance Defending Freedom (ADF). ADF litigates many cases to defend religious liberty.

### **Sacred Heart Motherhouse Chapel Tours**

The Springfield Dominicans have begun welcoming guests for a 40 min tour of their stunning chapel at Sacred Heart Convent. The next tour is scheduled for Sunday, June 23 at 1:30. There is no cost, but registration is necessary. Call 787-0481 or visit [springfieldop.org/chapel-tours](http://springfieldop.org/chapel-tours) to sign up.