

### **Annual Safe Environment Notice**

Any suspected or known abuse of a minor must first be immediately reported to the Missouri Child Abuse and Neglect Hotline at 800-392-3738, and suspected or known abuse of adults to the Missouri Adult Abuse and Neglect Hotline 800-392-0210. Suspected or known abuse may also be reported to law enforcement agencies.

Additionally, all diocesan personnel are required to report violations of The Code of Conduct for Clergy, Employees and Adult Volunteers of the Diocese, Parishes, and Schools to the Diocese Director of the Office of Child and Youth Protection at 417-866-0841 or [childandyouthprotection@dioscg.org](mailto:childandyouthprotection@dioscg.org). Concerns may also be discussed with your supervisor, the Diocesan Director of the Office of Child and Youth Protection, or a Victim Assistance Coordinator. Violations and concerns may also be reported using the TIPS online reporting system, accessible through the Diocesan webpage, [www.dioscg.org](http://www.dioscg.org).

### **Finishing the Roof**

Dear Families of St. Cecilia, we are finishing the roof on our church and need help! We know things have been hard this year, but if every family can donate \$100, we will have the money to finish the roof and stop the leaking in our Parish Hall. Please consider making your donation today! Remember, every bit helps.



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**March 7, 2021**

**Third Sunday of Lent**

**Sunday Mass** at 10:30am (Eng.); 1pm (Español)

**Monday Adoration** 5:30-6:30pm this week

**Wednesday Mass** at 6pm; Adoration at 5pm

**Confessions** during adoration times

**Please pray for /Oremos para:**

Sandy DeLisle, Bob and Sharon Hines, Vera Gleuck, Kathy Larsen, Joe Barnefiher, Especially let us remember those who have died, our clergy and bishop, Covid quarantined parishioners, our chronically ill, and our homebound.

**If you would like to receive the Holy Eucharist and are unable to attend mass, please contact Fr. David at his number above.**

**Fr. David's Parish Office Hours:**

Kennett Monday and Wednesday 10-4, Tuesday off,  
Thursday and Friday in Portageville 10-4

**Collections from February 28, 2021**

Envelopes: \$3192.00      Loose: \$239.50

Remember: **Next week's collection is for Mother's House in Hayti.**  
Please bring in baby items or a monetary donation for Sr. Sharon's special  
ministry to help families!

**Lenten Penance Service**

Come receive the sacrament of reconciliation this Lent.  
March 16 at 6pm: St. Eustachius in Portageville  
March 22 at 6pm: St. Cecilia in Kennett

**St. Patrick Day Youth Group Party!**

Come eat, talk, and watch a short movie about the life of St. Patrick of  
Ireland! It starts after mass on Wednesday, March 17.

**Año de San Jose Patris Corde**

"San José es un padre que siempre ha sido amado por el pueblo cristiano,  
como lo demuestra el hecho de que se le han dedicado numerosas iglesias  
en todo el mundo; que muchos institutos religiosos, hermandades y grupos

eclesiales se inspiran en su  
espiritualidad y llevan su nombre."  
S.S. Francisco



**Year of St. Joseph**

"St. Joseph is a father who has  
always been loved by the Christian  
people, as evidenced by the fact that  
many churches have been dedicated  
to him throughout the world; that  
many religious institutes, sororities  
and ecclesial groups are inspired by  
their spirituality and bear their  
name."

**St. Cecilia Parish Registry**

Recently, the parish used the parish registry to do a mailing, and we  
realized that it needs to be updated. This weekend, we'll be handing out  
forms so that we can make a new one and stay in touch with parishioners,  
especially those who are homebound. Feel free to drop it off in our box  
during the week or bring it back next weekend. Thank you!

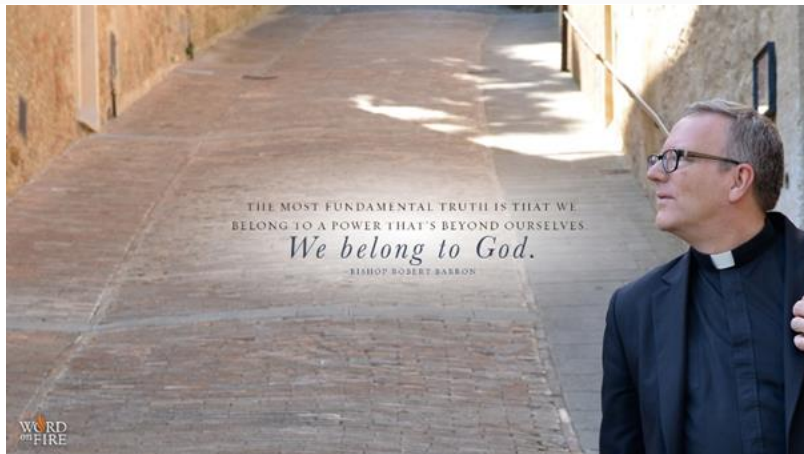
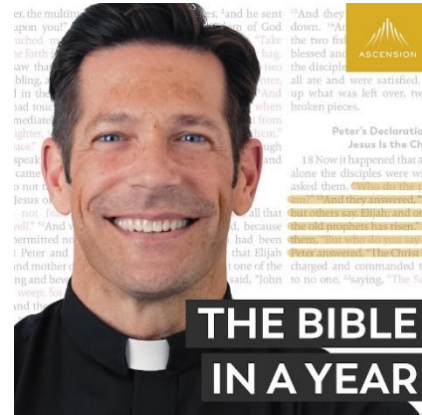
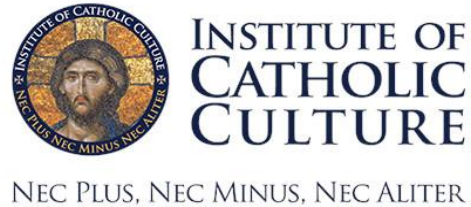


**Looking for ways to grow in your faith this Lent? Trying to get closer to the Lord? Here are some great resources!**

**Apps for Prayer:** Laudate (free), Hallow (free), Universalis (\$10.99), Magnificat (requires subscription to magazine), iBreviary (free)

**Bible Study Apps:** Laudate (free), Catena (Catena Aurea-free), Word on Fire (costs)

**Websites for Lectures and Reflections:** Ascension Presents on YouTube; Word on Fire on YouTube (or wordonfire.org); Institute of Catholic Culture (instituteofcatholicculture.org)



## Diocesan Youth Conference 2021 – March & April, 2021

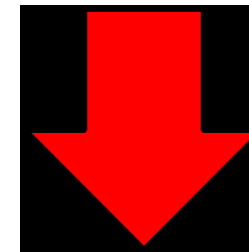


The 28th annual conferences for high-school youth will be held on various dates and locations across the diocese instead of one large weekend event to allow for a safer experience. The 2021 theme is “Seek It. Receive It. Share It. Divine Mercy.”

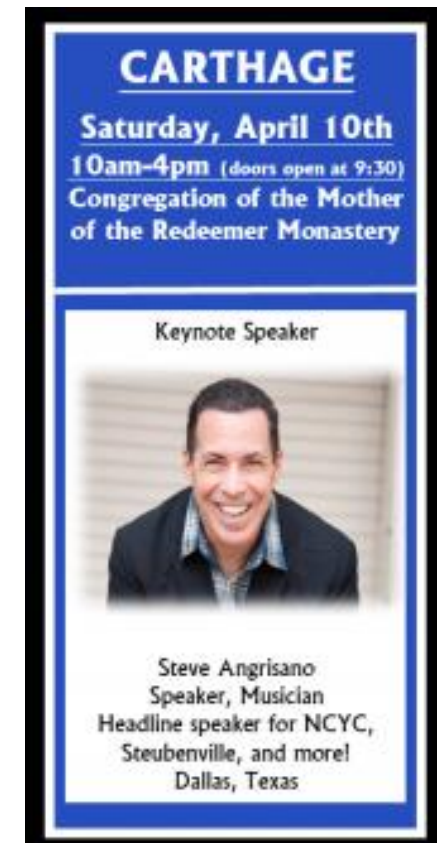
### St. Cecilia Youth Group is Hosting the DYC!

**Saturday, April 10th, 10am-4pm at the Congregation of Mother of the Redeemer Monastery in Carthage, Missouri. ~ Speakers: Bishop Rice, Steve Angrisano**

See Magda Cazares for more information or Register online at our Diocesan website!



[https://dioscg.formstack.com/forms/youth\\_conf\\_registration](https://dioscg.formstack.com/forms/youth_conf_registration)





### CAMP DATES 2021

Session 1F June 7-11, 2021

Session 2F June 21-25, 2021

Session 3F July 5-9, 2021

Come to Catholic summer camp this year! Sleep in a cabin by a river in the woods...play sports and games...do arts and crafts...go swimming...learn about your faith...go to mass and adoration...pray...and EAT!

Application Process begins February 22<sup>nd</sup>!

[https://dioscg.formstack.com/forms/camp\\_re\\_new\\_all](https://dioscg.formstack.com/forms/camp_re_new_all)

Only \$100 for a week of Catholic fun PLUS there are scholarships available!

Ask Miss Vanessa if you have any questions!

### THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT WITH BISHOP BARRON

JOHN 2:13-25

Friends, today we read an episode recorded in all four Gospels—namely, Jesus' paradigmatically prophetic act of cleansing the temple.

Jesus is prophetic to the depth of his being, and his prophetic vocation will manifest itself in all of his speech, gestures, and actions. This entails that his confrontation with fallen powers and dysfunctional traditions will be highly focused, intense, and disruptive.

Standing at the heart of the holy city of Jerusalem, the temple was the political, economic, cultural, and religious center of the nation. Turning over the tables of the money-changers and driving out the merchants, shouting in high dudgeon, upsetting the order of that place was to strike at the most sacred institution of the culture, the unassailable embodiment of the tradition. It was to show oneself as critic in the most radical and surprising sense possible. That this act of Jesus the warrior flowed from the depth of his prophetic identity is witnessed to by the author of John's Gospel: "His disciples recalled the words of scripture, *Zeal for your house will consume me.*"

Many of the historical critics of the New Testament hold that this event—shocking, unprecedented, perverse—is what finally persuaded the leaders that Jesus merited execution.

Reflect: Have you ever had to confront "fallen powers and dysfunctional traditions" as Jesus did in the temple? What happened and how did you respond?

