

**St. Gianna's Parish**  
**Founded: April 28, 2006**  
**www.stgiannaparish.org**

**November 8, 2009**  
**32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Monday, Nov. 9 - Sunday, Nov. 15**  
**Mass Schedule and Intentions**

Mon. 8:00 am Salvatore Chirco  
 Tues. 8:00 am Fr. Elliott  
 Wed. 8:00 am Fr. Houlihan  
 Thurs. 8:00 am Peter Baerveldt  
 Fri. 8:00 am Ralph Rhodes  
 Sat. 8:00 am Bob Berfanger  
 Sat. 5:00 pm Edward & Louise Duello  
 Sun. 8:00 am St. Gianna Parish  
 Sun. 11:00 am Deacon Moore

**Feast Days**

**Mon.** Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome  
**Tues.** St. Leo the Great  
**Wed.** St. Martin of Tours  
**Thurs.** St. Josaphat  
**Fri.** St. Frances Cabrini

**Assignments—Nov. 14 & 15**  
**SERVER'S SCHEDULE**

**Sat. 5:00 pm** Nick Bolte & Sam Kinsella  
**Sun. 8:00 am** Josh Pins & Joe Kuhn  
**Sun. 11:00 am** Pat O'Brien, Philip Clark & Joe Hoerber

**LECTORS**

**Sat. 5:00 pm** Ruth Bosse  
**Sun. 8:00 am** Gigi Krumlinde  
**Sun. 11:00 am** Don Hladky

**USHERS**

**Sat. 5:00 pm** Charlie Rastberger & Dan Zerr  
**Sun. 8:00 am** John Pins & Steve Tuffner  
**Sun. 11:00 am** Rob Grillion & Will Truss

**EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION**

**Sun. 11:00 am** Debra Sronce & Jo Ann Conti

**VOCATION CROSS**

**Sat. 5:00 pm** Jason & Barb Bolte  
**Sun. 8:00 am** Steven & Joann Mercer  
**Sun. 11:00 am** John & Kim Kainady

**Confession Schedule:**

**Friday: 7:30 –7:50 a.m.**

**Saturday: 4:15-4:50 p.m.**

**Sunday: 7:30-7:50 and 10:30-10:50 a.m.**

**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament:**

**Monday: 8:30 am - 7:30 pm (close with Benediction)**

**Baptism: 1st & 3rd Sunday—Call Parish Office**

Nov. 1, 2009		Cumulative
<b>Sunday Offering:</b>	\$5,320	\$83,673
<b>Loose Offering:</b>	\$ 546	\$15,935
<b>Needed per week:</b>	\$5,500	\$99,000
<b>Plus/Minus</b>	+\$366	+\$608

**ST. GIANNA PARISH**

**"250 CLUB"**

**Tickets on sale after weekend Masses.**

There is a drawing each month. You can still buy tickets and be included in the rest of the drawings.

.More info call 636-639-9394

The **FOOD BAGS** will be out this weekend. Please take one home and return next weekend.

**Evening of Recollection for Women** on the **third** Wednesday, Nov. 18 from 7:30-9:30 pm at **St. Gianna Church.** All women are welcome. Benediction, meditations by two priests (Fr. Elliott is one of the priests) and confessions. More info 636-926-9290 or 314-822-3627.

**THANK YOU**

Dear Parish Friends,

I can't thank you enough for your thoughtfulness and all you have done for me during my long hospital stay and recovery. I especially want to thank the choir and the KC's for all their prayers and other help. Recovery is slow but getting there. My prayers of gratitude are being raised up for you. Mary Anglemyer

**Ushers**

Thanks to all the ushers who have faithfully served. We are redoing the Usher's list. We need someone to coordinate it. If you would like to be the Coordinator or like to be a new usher, please contact John Kainady 636-332-1013.

**ST. GIANNA CHOIR**

Adult Choir Rehearsal Thursday, Nov. 12 at 7:30 pm  
 Questions? Please call Paula Brown 636-561-4669.

**PARISH CELEBRATION**

To show Father Elliott our appreciation we are planning a celebration. The date is **Sunday, Nov. 22, at 1:00 pm.**

Father Reiker, pastor of Immaculate Conception has generously made their hall available to us. We are planning a meal. Meat, drinks & dessert will be provided. Each family is asked to bring a covered dish.

If you would like to make a donation toward Father's gift, please put in an envelope marked "Rita" and put it in the collection. Make checks payable to **St. Gianna.**

We need to know how many will attend. Please fill out and return in collection **no later than Sun., Nov. 15th**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**No. of Adults:** \_\_\_\_\_ **No. of children** \_\_\_\_\_

## Pro-Life

### PLEASE CONTACT YOUR REPRESENTATIVE AND SENATORS AND URGE THEM TO PROTECT LIFE IN ALL HEALTH CARE REFORM LEGISLATION

Congress is preparing to debate health care reform legislation. The Catholic bishops of the United States strongly support genuine health care reform that protects the life and dignity of all from the moment of conception until natural death. Please contact your Representative and Senators immediately and urge them to fix health care bills with pro-life amendments that will protect the unborn and the most vulnerable and preserve our freedom of conscience. The bulletin insert includes a web address that allows you to send an email message to Congress with a click of a button. The bishops have asked for our swift action and the commitment of our prayers for this critical effort. Thank you for your help. **We can help make sure that health care reform will be about saving lives, not destroying them.**

If you have a prayer request or would like to receive pro-life alerts and info via email just email [prolife@stgiannaparish.org](mailto:prolife@stgiannaparish.org) with "prayer request" or "sign up for prolife emails" as the subject. Your email address will only be used for this purpose.

Please join us for the prolife rosary each Sat. at 7:30am. Next Pro-Life ministry meeting is **Sat. Nov. 7** immediately following 8 am mass.

Interested in joining the pro-life committee or for further info contact Mary Williams @ 828-5610 or email [prolife@stgiannaparish.org](mailto:prolife@stgiannaparish.org)

Pro-Life Rosary Nov. 14: **Julie Harrell**

## SCRIP

Let the Knights of Columbus Ladies Auxiliary take the headache out of Christmas shopping for you this year. Order **SCRIP** gift cards for all your gift giving. Socks, ties & scarves may get returned, but no one will return a gift card. We will have one extra weekend in each of the months of Nov. & Dec., to help you, your family, friends, neighbors & co-workers get those gift cards through our Scrip Program. Questions contact Diana Post 636-357-9596 or Kathie Tuffner 636-265-0302.

Dates to order Scrip: Nov. 7, 8, 14, 15, Dec. 5, 6, 12, & 13. Pick up: Nov. 14, 15, 21, 22, Dec. 12, 13, 19 & 20

## WREATHS & POINSETTIAS

**BSA TROOP 873** is once again taking orders for wreaths and poinsettias after all masses on the weekend of Oct. 31st and Nov. 1st, as well as Nov. 7th & 8th. If you are unable to place your order on these dates please contact Coralee Tuley at 639-5068 for assistance.

Please help support your local Boy Scouts and stop by to place your orders to help decorate your house for Christmas!

## Campaign Corner

**Nov:** Capital Campaign \$23,842 **WOW!**

Total Cash in the Bank: \$727,969.71

## Calendar of Events

**IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF DARDENNE** Fall Festival & Turkey Shoot, Sun. Nov. 8 Buffet-Style Fried Chicken & Baked Ham Dinners from 11:30 till 6 pm. Adults \$8 Children (5-12) \$4

**FALL FESTIVAL AT St. Joseph's in Cottleville, Sun. Nov. 8.** Sausage & turkey dinners served from noon till 6 pm. Adults \$8, children \$3, 5 & under free.

### Prayer for Our Nation...The Sin of Silence

If you are concerned about abortion, our nation's economic difficulties and the decline in moral values join Fr. Noah Waldman & Ann Hoernschemeyer, Sun. Nov. 8 from 7:00 to 8:15 pm at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, 2 Seton Ct. St. Charles 63303

Gateway Academy in Chesterfield will host "**An Evening with Father Benedict Groeschel**" on Friday, Nov. 13 at 7 pm. Fr. Groeschel is the host of Sunday Night Live on EWTN and the author of over 30 books. Tickets are \$10 in advance and \$12 at the door. A dessert reception and meeting with Fr. Groeschel will be held after his talk. Admission for the talk & reception is \$25. For more info & to order tickets 636-519-9099 X101 or go to [www.gatewayacademy.org](http://www.gatewayacademy.org)

**Catholic Singles Alumni Club** invites you to a Eat & Greet at Hwy 61 Roadhouse in Webster Groves Fri., Nov. 13 starting at 6 pm. More info Steve 314-680-3392 or [www.csacstlouis.org](http://www.csacstlouis.org)

**Our Lady's Inn Fashion Show and Luncheon** at Bristol Seafood Grill-Winghaven, Friday, November 13 at 11 am. Luncheon includes wine tasting, cooking demonstration, fashions by CJ Banks . \$25 Reservations call Betsy 636-398-5375.

**All Saints Craft Bazaar** Sat., Nov. 14 from 9 am until 3:30 pm Over 100 Crafters, Raffle Bake Shop, refreshments.

**Barat Academy Mouse Races** Sat. Nov. 14 at 7:00 pm \$20 /person, \$180/ table of 10. Beer & soft drinks provided, BYO drinks & appetizers. Adults only. Contact Kelly Hale 314-640-0818 or [knhales6@sbcglobal.net](mailto:knhales6@sbcglobal.net)

**Friends of Birthright Fashion Show "ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD ON HIGH"** Tuesday, Nov. 17 at 7 pm in St. Peter Parish Center, 3rd & 1st Capitol Dr. food served at 7 pm, Fashion Show 8 pm Tickets \$15 (donation, non-refundable) Call Mary 946-4920 for tickets. Reservations available after payment (first come, first serve basis)

**ST. PAUL HOLIDAY BAZAAR** Sat., Dec. 5th from 9-4 pm in the St. Paul Gym, 1235 Church Rd St. Paul 63366