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MASS TIMES —

SUNDAY: 9 a.m. | 11 a.m. | 5 p.m.

SATURDAY: 5 p.m.

WEEKDAY: Noon

RECONCILIATION:

Tuesday & Saturday: 4 - 4:30 p.m.

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday-Friday:

8 a.m.-Noon & 12:30-4:30 p.m.

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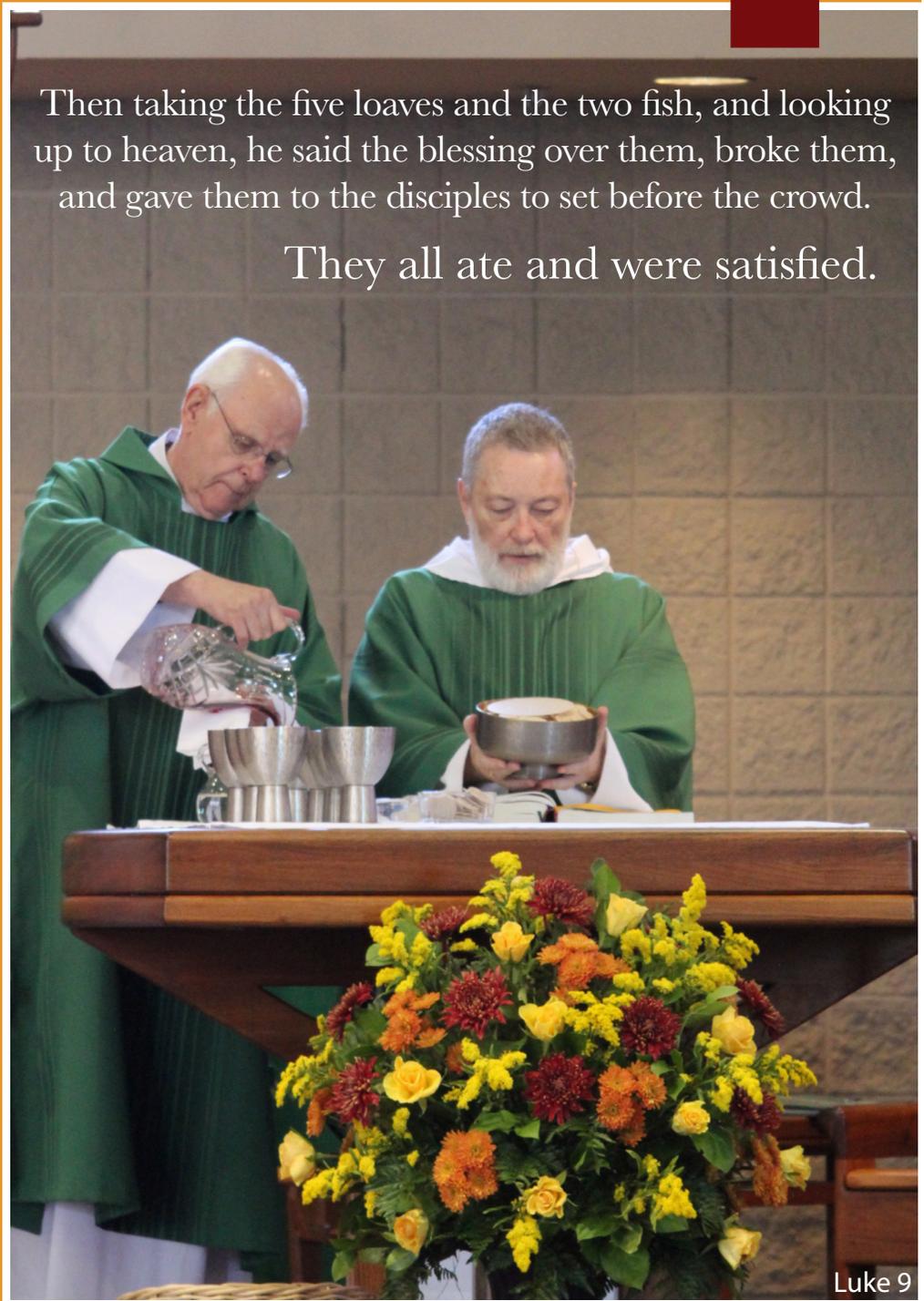


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#COMONEWMAN PHOTO OF THE WEEK



 **@susan.devaney.92**
Prayer and a candle for
Fr. Charlie at the Cathedral of
Notre Dame de Bayeux.
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Luke 9

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CORPUS CHRISTI SUNDAY



FR. REGINALD
Associate Pastor

Dear friends, today's Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ always reminds me of the days when I was first becoming familiar with Catholicism and the Holy Mass. I've shared the story many times: I was not raised with much religion at all, but at 19 years old, I found myself at a small Catholic college in southern California. On the invitation of another student, I came to Mass one Sunday and was absolutely fascinated by what I experienced there: it was in a strange ancient language (it was Latin); there was mysterious music unlike anything I had ever heard before (that was Gregorian Chant); a fog

of incense rose to the ceiling; there were periods of reverent silence; the people were on their knees for much of the time; and many of the women wore veils.

I knew next to nothing about Catholicism at the time, but I could tell that the people in that little chapel believed that something miraculous was happening on the altar. Later I learned what Catholics believe about the Holy Eucharist — that Jesus Christ, the Son of God, comes to us under the appearances of bread and wine. After learning about that, I could better understand what was happening at Mass. I remember watching the priest carefully wiping the vessels at the end of Mass — another subtle witness to our belief that these vessels have just contained the Body and Blood of our Lord. I also remember that the students loved to spend quiet hours adoring Jesus in the chapel and singing joyfully and following as he was carried around the campus in procession on Corpus Christi Sunday.

I thank God every day for the introduction that I received to Catholicism and the Eucharist. However, I'm sad to say that in the years since college I have sometimes seen the Eucharist treated quite casually, to the point that I'm not sure I would have known that Catholics believe it is anything special. Do we ever stop and think what an astonishing thing it is that we believe? It would surely be unbelievable had not Jesus himself said: "This is my Body ... This is my Blood." As St. Thomas Aquinas said in a hymn to Jesus in the Eucharist: "Sight, touch, and taste fall short in you ... I believe what the Son of God has said." It is only because of the great gift of faith that we can believe that, in the Eucharist, Jesus is as present to us today as he was to the Twelve Apostles.

If this is true, then the Eucharist is the most precious thing on earth. Maybe this Corpus Christi Sunday is a good day to examine our consciences: How do I treat Jesus in the Eucharist? Do I pay attention to his Real Presence? Do I prepare myself with prayer to receive him? Do I observe the Church's law on fasting before communion? Do I confess my serious sins before going to communion? Do I give thanks after communion? Do I visit the Eucharistic Jesus in the tabernacle or during the many Holy Hours that are offered here at Newman? As a result of meeting Jesus in the Eucharist, do I let him change my heart to love God, myself, and my neighbor as he does?

On this Corpus Christi Sunday, let us pray for the millions who have lost faith in the Eucharist over the last several decades and no longer attend Mass; let us give thanks to Jesus for coming to us in his Body and Blood; and let us pray that God may increase our faith and our love of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.

Fr. Reginald, O.P.

ST THOMAS MORE FEAST DAY

Happy Feast Day of St. Thomas More!

St. Thomas More was born on February 7, 1478 in London. He was a lawyer, statesman, writer, and great English thinker. He published "Utopia" in 1516, a book about a fictional, ideal island society. St. Thomas More was friends with Henry VIII, King of England, until Henry VIII divorced his wife and separated from the Catholic Church. When St. Thomas More refused to support Henry VIII as head of the church of England, he was accused of treason and beheaded on July 6, 1535. His final words were, "The king's good servant, but God's first."

This martyr to Church unity and justice is an example for how to live Catholic values more completely in the midst of a secular society. St. Thomas More was beatified in 1886 and canonized by Pope Pius XI in 1935. He is the patron saint of lawyers, politicians, and public servants. His feast day is June 22.



THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"His Mother kept all
these things in her heart."

Luke 2:51

June 30 | Immaculate Heart of Mary

Isaiah 61:9-11; 1 Samuel 2:1, 4-8

Revelation 21:1-5; Luke 2:41-51



**LIBRARY HOURS THIS WEEK**

Sunday: 10 a.m. to Noon

For the full catalog listing of the library, visit:
www.comonewman.org/dbd-ministries/kemper-library**MONDAY, JUNE 24**6 p.m. Mass Planning Team Meeting/Aquinas
9 p.m. Power Hour/Chapel**TUESDAY, JUNE 25**

7 p.m. Parish Council/Aquinas

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26

6:30 p.m. Summer Choir Rehearsal/Chapel

THURSDAY, JUNE 27

6 p.m. Summer Kickball/Cosmo-Bethel Park

FRIDAY, JUNE 28

10 a.m. Life Teen Bible & Breakfast/Disciples

SATURDAY, JUNE 29

3:30 p.m. Music Rehearsal/Chapel

SUNDAY, JUNE 308 a.m. Music Rehearsal/Chapel
9 & 11 a.m. Children's Liturgy/Lima, Merton, Day, Romero
9 & 11 a.m. Nursery Open/De Porres
10 a.m. Music Rehearsal/Chapel
3 p.m. Music Rehearsal
6 p.m. EDGE Bible Study/DisciplesInformation for the bulletin is due by noon on the Friday before the weekend it is published. Dates may change with upcoming holidays. Please submit to Theresa Nguyen at theresa@comonewman.org.**SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION****BAPTISM**

Parish registration required; contact the office to register for a catechetical session during the early months of pregnancy.

MARRIAGERegister and worship with us for at least three months, then contact Deacon Frank (frank.ruggiero@comonewman.org) at least six months in advance of planned wedding.**HOLY COMMUNION FOR THE SICK**

The priests, deacons and extraordinary ministers of the Eucharist are available to bring Holy Communion to the home. Please call the office if a parishioner is in a nursing home.

**LOW GLUTEN HOSTS ARE AVAILABLE**

If you need low gluten communion hosts, please call the parish office.

WELCOME!Welcome to Newman! If you frequently attend Mass with us, please consider registering here so we can better serve you. Registration forms are in the Gathering Space under the TV, in the parish office, or online on our website (www.comonewman.org). Thank you for being part of our faith community!**MASS INTENTIONS**

Monday, June 24	Noon	† Consetta & † Jack Immegart
Tuesday, June 25	Noon	† Russell & Mary Kelly
Wednesday, June 26	Noon	† Richard Heimburger
Thursday, June 27	Noon	† Chaeleigh Hays
Friday, June 28	Noon	† Fr. Charlie Pardee
Saturday, June 29	5 p.m.	† Duane C. Helmberger
Sunday, June 30	9 a.m.	All Parishioners
Sunday, June 30	11 a.m.	† Ron Frederick
Sunday, June 30	5 p.m.	† Tom Douglass

PARISH FINANCES

June 15/16

Offertory	\$13,661.09
Month-to-Date	\$62,893.57
Budget for month	\$121,500.00
Variance	— \$58,606.43

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All registrations/RSVPs are found on the website under Parish Sign Ups:
www.comonewman.org/parish/parish-sign-ups



LAST KICKBALL GAME — THURSDAY

Adults and kids, of all skill levels, are invited to play a friendly game of kickball this summer! We'll be at Cosmo-Bethel Park (4500 Bethel St, Columbia; next to Gentry Middle School) at the baseball diamond on Thursday, June 27 from 6-8 p.m. Newman will provide light snacks. Bring your own lawn chair if you'd rather watch than play. No RSVP necessary. Contact Theresa at theresa@comonewman.org with questions.

HELP WITH KIDS MINISTRIES THIS SUMMER

Volunteers are needed for our kids ministries this summer! We are in need of volunteers for the Nursery and Children's Liturgy during most weekends at the 9 and 11 a.m. Masses this summer and for the two sessions of Vacation Bible School (PreK & kindergarten June 22 and regular VBS July 15-19). Email Emily at emily.shull@comonewman.org if you can help with the weekend kids ministries, and sign up to volunteer for one or both VBS sessions at the Sign Ups page online.

OLD CANDLES FOR REUSE

Do you have a use for old candles? We have several used altar candles that could be repurposed. Please contact Fr. Rich by the end of the month if you would like to take some.

ACCOMPANIST NEEDED FOR MASSES

Newman is looking for a piano/organ accompanist for the 5 p.m. Saturday Mass or as a substitute for all weekend Masses. Rehearsals are typically Monday or Wednesday evenings during the week and before Mass. Accompanists are paid stipends. For more information on requirements or to apply, visit the Parish Sign Ups page or contact Kelley at kelley.burns@comonewman.org.

GIFT BEARERS AT MASS

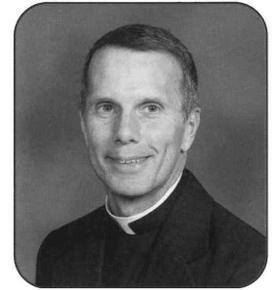
We are looking to start scheduling gift bearers during the offertory procession for all Mass times. If your family is interested in being assigned as gift bearers, please email Trent Rash at trent@comonewman.org, indicating the particular Mass time you already attend.

OFFICE CLOSED JULY 4

The parish office will be closed on Thursday, July 4 in observance of Independence Day. Daily Mass will be at 10 a.m.

MEMORIAL MASS FOR FR. CHARLIE

A memorial Mass will be held for Fr. Charlie Pardee on Sunday, July 14 at the 11 a.m. Mass. All are welcome to attend. Fr. Charlie was the pastor of Newman from 1998 to 2006. He passed to his eternal rest on June 9, 2019, at the age of 64 on his 35th anniversary of ordination to the priesthood.



NEWMAN VOLUNTEER CORPS

JUNE PERSONAL ITEMS COLLECTION

This month, Newman Volunteer Corps is collecting the following items to be distributed by Catholic Charities of Central and Northern Missouri at this summer's Project Homeless Connect: travel-size sunscreen, lotion, deodorant, and bug spray; lip balm; women's hygiene products; and adult-size athletic socks for men and women. Donations may be placed in the large silver bin in the Turner Street entrance. Thank you to all who donated items for True North in May.



"IN LIEU OF FLOWERS..." PLEASE DONATE BLOOD

A very inspiring obituary for Chaeleigh Concannon-Hayes, a friend and family member of many at Newman, said: "In lieu of flowers, please consider donating blood in honor of Chaeleigh, and send a picture of you donating blood to the family as a memorial." The family is making a memorial book of these pictures. What a wonderful, life-giving idea! Newman's summer blood drive will be on Sunday, July 28, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the MPR. We will take your picture with your phone so that you can email it to the family. Even in sadness, "the gift of life" springs forth.

TITHING REPORT May 2019

As a "tithing parish," the Newman Center contributes 5 percent of the offertory each month to nonprofit organizations. You can read more about the organizations we tithe to at:

www.comonewman.org/parish/tithing/

\$260.80	Adult Day Connection
\$312.96	Columbia Meals on Wheels
\$260.80	Coyote Hill Children's Home
\$156.48	Day Dreams Foundation
\$104.32	First Chance for Children
\$260.80	Food Bank of Central/NE MO
\$208.64	Habitat for Humanity
\$208.64	Life Network of Central Missouri
\$260.80	Love, INC.
\$104.32	Spectrum Health Care
\$312.96	St. Francis House
\$208.64	True North
\$260.80	Voluntary Action Center
\$208.64	Welcome Home

AROUND TOWN



OLLIS REGISTRATION

Reminder — OLLIS registration is on June 26 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. in Flanagan Hall. Please enter from the church foyer. If you have your paperwork filled out prior to coming, it will speed up your process.

Paperwork was sent home the last week of school in an envelope. New families received their packet in the mail or at kindergarten round-up. Replacement paper work is \$20. It is not necessary for your students to be with you for registration, but you are welcome to bring them. With all of the construction going on, we are asking parents to keep a close eye on their children while on the property. The playground will NOT be available because of the ongoing construction. While we don't want to get in the way of the construction crew, we especially don't want anyone getting hurt.

OLLIS OPEN POSITIONS

There are two open positions at Our Lady of Lourdes Interparish School. Please contact Elaine Hassemmer, principal, at ehassemmer@ollisk8.org if interested.

- Cafeteria Supervisor: to assist with the supervision of children and clean-up. Requirements are: background check, completion of Virtus class, and three references. The position is 15 hours per week with a starting salary of \$10.00.
- Classroom aide: to assist students one-on-one or in small groups; to work in classrooms under the direction of the teacher; recess and/or lunch supervision. Requirements are: active teaching certificate, background check, completion of Virtus class, and three references (one must be from your pastor). The position is 20 hours per week. Salary is based on teaching experience.

JOB OPENINGS AT TOLTON CATHOLIC



Fr. Tolton Catholic High School currently has openings for a Math teaching position, Science teaching position, as well as a Music Teacher (Band Director, Choir Director, Instrumental Instruction).

Applicants should complete the teacher application packet on the Diocese of Jefferson City website and contact Principal Gwenn Roche at 573-445-7700 or groche@toltoncatholic.org.

INTERESTED IN CURSILLO?

Are you longing for more in your Catholic faith life? Are you looking for sound inspirations to carry you through on your Christian journey? Cursillo (pronounced Ker-SEE-yo) may be for you. It's a 3 Day Weekend of Catholic learning and faith-sharing. There are people right here in your own parish who have made a Cursillo and want to help you understand how it will help you find connections within yourself and with Jesus and to put your faith into action with others. Of course you probably have questions, so feel free to talk to one of these parishioners:

Terrie Foltz; 808-6207

Michele Sisson-White; 999-6241

Warren Prost; 443-1731

The men's cursillo weekend is October 24-27, and the women's Cursillo weekend is November 7-10. Both are held in Moberly. Learn more at www.diojeffcity.org/cursillo.



WE PRAY

for our Newman Community

For those who are sick, especially Patty Jo Long.

For our beloved dead, especially Fr. Charlie Pardee, former pastor of Newman. Eternal rest grant unto them and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Pope Francis' June Prayer Intention: That priests, through the modesty and humility of their lives, commit themselves actively to a solidarity with those who are most poor.

Bishop McKnight's June Prayer Intention: For those with summer vacations and family gatherings; that the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of Mary may guide and protect our families as we experience the beauty of creation, the love of family and friends, and the opportunity to renew and refresh our minds, bodies, and spirits.

Call the Parish Office to request prayers or to have the Eucharist brought to the homebound. Names will be listed for two weeks.

COMO LIFE TEEN

BIBLE & BREAKFAST

CoMo Life Teen has an amazing summer planned — please join us! Our next event is Bible and Breakfast; join us in the Disciples Room at 10 a.m. on Friday, June 28 to eat breakfast and delve into the story of the sower and the seeds. Our first Bible & Breakfast was a lot of fun, so we're looking forward to this one! For our full summer schedule, find us on social media (see below).

Bible & Breakfast — 10 a.m. at Newman Disciples Room

Join us for Bible study and a yummy breakfast!

- June 28: The Sower and The Seeds
- July 12: Following the Good Shepherd
- July 26: Rock and Sand
- August 9: Our Lifeguard

Summer Schedule 2019

- July 9: Summer Service
- July 19-21: Steubenville
- July 30: Souls & Goals at Lourdes, 7 p.m.
- August 7: Pool Party at Southwest Swim Club
- September 8: Fall Kick-off Party



CONFIRMATION 2020 — REGISTER NOW

Confirmation registration for 2019-2020 is open! All juniors AND sophomores are encouraged to register by going online to Newman's website (registration is under the Sacraments tab). If you have any questions, contact Renee Molner at renee.molner@comonewman.org.

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[.com/comolifeteen](http://www.comolifeteen.com)

CEP & EDGE

EDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL BIBLE STUDIES

This summer, we are offering a ladies Bible study off site on Wednesdays at 7 p.m. and a general Bible study on Sunday evenings following 5 p.m. Mass. Email emily.shull@comonewman.org for more information.

A BIG THANK YOU TO PREK & KVBS HELPERS!



We can't offer any kids programs without the time and talents of our parishioners! Thank you for helping us make this first PreK & Kindergarten event a great success!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL WITH AFTERCARE



This year, VBS will be open to all kids entering grades Kindergarten through fifth grade (PreK kids are asked to go in June; kindergartners can do either or both). We'll meet from 9 a.m. to Noon daily with a special performance and activities on Friday that go until 1:30 p.m. This year's theme is Summertime Blast, and it's all about Mass and the Eucharist. We'll have music, games, crafts, snacks and more! Cost is \$35/student and includes a t-shirt.

If your family is interested, we will have an afternoon childcare option until 5:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday (July 15-18) for an additional \$50/child. We have space for up to 30 kids in afternoon care this year. Volunteers are needed for the morning program to help with small groups of kids or activity stations. Kids in middle school or high school are welcome to volunteer as well as college students and adults. See parish sign-ups for registration and volunteer sign-up or contact Emily for more information.

VBS & OTHER VOLUNTEERS ARE VERY NEEDED!



Can you help? We are looking for new leaders for our kids programs over the summer. If you're interested in helping with either the nursery or Children's Liturgy just once or twice a month, it would be a great service to our kids and families! We also need lots of help for Vacation Bible School! Contact Emily at emily.shull@comonewman.org for more information.

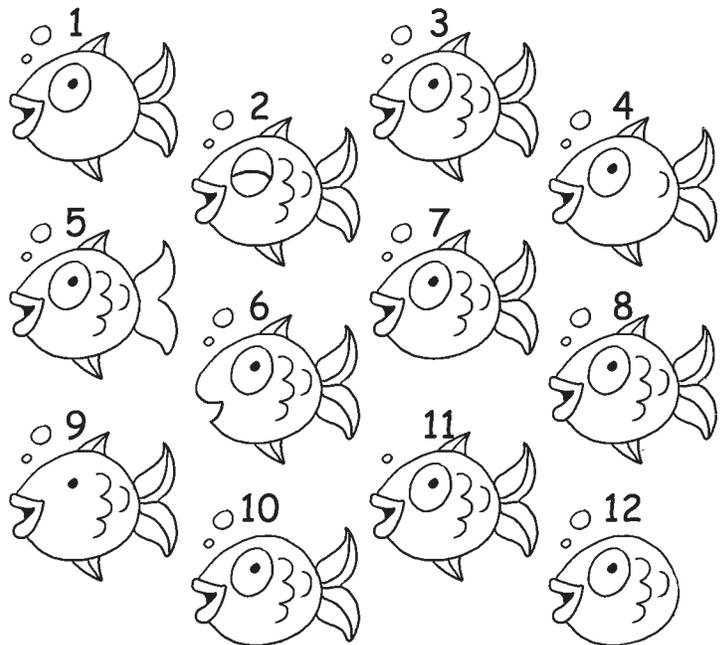
KIDS' CORNER

For Kids: How can you help those who are hungry?

For Parents: Meals in the Bible are about satisfying more than our bodily needs. Share a special unhurried meal as a family this week and then do something to care for the needs of others together.

Puzzle

Find the identical fish!



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ANSWER IS NUMBER THREE AND NUMBER EIGHT

PROMISE TO PROTECT



PLEDGE TO HEAL

If you or someone you know has been abused or victimized by someone representing the Catholic Church, believe in the possibility for Hope, Help and Healing.

Please contact

- Victim assistance coordinator: Nancy Hoey at 573-694-3199
- Missouri Attorney General's office: <https://ago.mo.gov/other-resources/clergy-abuse-resources>
- The Missouri Child Abuse & Neglect Hotline: 1-800-392-3738
- The Missouri Adult Abuse and Neglect Hotline: 1-800-392-0210
- Your local civil authorities

For information from the State of Missouri regarding reporting Child Abuse and Neglect, please visit <http://dss.mo.gov/cd/can.htm>



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