



St. Stephen the Martyr CATHOLIC CHURCH

Encounter, Know, Proclaim

December 8, 2024

Pray & Worship

Mass Schedule

Daily: Monday-Friday at 6:30 AM & 8:15 AM*;
Saturday at 8:15 AM*

Weekend: Saturday at 5:00 PM; Sunday at 7:30 AM,
9:00 AM, 10:30 AM* & 6:00 PM

*These Masses are live-streamed on our Facebook
page ([https://www.facebook.com/
StStephensCatholicChurchOmaha](https://www.facebook.com/StStephensCatholicChurchOmaha)) and our website.

Private Prayer

Daily Mass Chapel and Worship Space are open
6 AM-9 PM Monday-Friday, 7:30 AM-7:30 PM
Saturday & 6:30 AM-7:30 PM Sunday. Church doors
are locked during school Mass from 8:20-9:05 AM
on Tues/Wed/Fri. The Adoration Chapel is available
24/7 via door access code: 9675*

Exposed Adoration

Mondays from 7 to 8 PM and on first Friday of the
Month from 9 AM to 2:30 PM in the Worship Space

Contact Us

Parish Office:

Phone: (402) 896-9675
Emergency: (402) 896-9675 ext 2
Office Hours: 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM, M-F

Pastor: Fr. David Belt

Associate Pastor: Fr. Matthew Pohlman

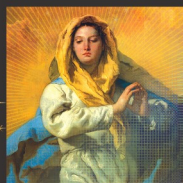
Staff Contact Info: stephen.org/staff

Bulletin Deadline: Monday, 5 PM

Submit requests to Rachel at r.cooley@stephen.org.

IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Monday, December 9th



From the Office of the Archbishop:

Catholics of the Archdiocese of Omaha are dispensed
from the Holy Day of Obligation on December 9th.

This will not be a Holy Day of Obligation this year.
Please do pray for our country on December 9th, our
national feast day.

Please feel welcome to join us for Mass
at 6:30 AM or 8:15 AM on December
9th. Parish offices will remain open.



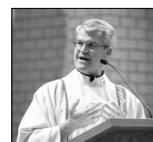
2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

"Every valley shall be filled
and every mountain and hill shall
be made low.
The winding roads shall be
made straight,
and the rough ways made
smooth,
and all flesh shall see the
salvation of God."
- Lk 3:5-6

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Pastor's Message — From Father Dave

**"Take off your robe of mourning and misery; put on the
splendor of glory from God forever: wrapped in the cloak of
justice from God, bear on your head the mitre that displays
the glory of the eternal name."**



In our first reading this weekend, Baruch is speaking to a
people who, because of their sinfulness and hardness of
heart, have lost everything and are living in a foreign land. He is calling
them to look forward to the day when their time of mourning is turned to
glory and joy. Instead of being punished for their sinfulness, they will be
rewarded for their faithfulness and will be brought back home to the
Promised Land of their ancestors.

As we continue our journey into Christmas, we realize that we have put on
a robe of sinfulness and misery too. In the midst of the happiness and
success of the past year, we have turned our backs on God. We carry our
own generous share of hurts and pains, failures and sins. But in this
Season of Advent, we are called to cast down those dark and heavy robes
and put on the cloak of justice and glory, which is a gift from God.

One of the best ways for us to let go of the robe of sinfulness is by
celebrating the Sacrament of Reconciliation. When we sin, we not only hurt
our relationship with God—we harm our relationship with other individuals
and the Church. When we gather as God's people to celebrate the
Sacrament of Reconciliation, we affirm the truth that we are weak and our
community is in need of God's healing forgiveness. We also celebrate that
God's love and grace will always be more powerful than our weakness and
sinfulness. On Tuesday, December 17, at 7 PM, we will celebrate the gift of
forgiveness at our parish's Reconciliation Service. There will be a number of
priests here that evening to hear individual confessions. The entire liturgy
will take about an hour.

Now is the time to cast off the robes of sinfulness and misery and put on
the cloak of justice and glory. Please make every effort to take advantage of
this opportunity to experience God's forgiveness and love. Let us pray for
ourselves and for one another, that we may have the courage and the
grace to confront our sinfulness and ask God to heal us.

"Salvation is free for you because someone else paid." -Anonymous

In Christ,
Father Dave



Congratulations, Newly Baptized!

Camden Renee Costanzo, daughter of Michael and Bailey Renee
Raegan Elizabeth Hughes, daughter of Jordan and Kristyna
Laney Mae Jones, daughter of Stanley and Jenna
Kate Ann Weis, daughter of Zachary and Shannon

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Sacraments

Reconciliation

Tuesday: 5:30-6:30 PM & Saturday: 3:30-4:45 PM

Baptism

Baptisms are celebrated on Sundays. Parents are required to attend a preparation class. Contact the parish office for information or visit: stephen.org/sacraments.

Matrimony

Preparation for Marriage begins at least 6 months prior to the desired wedding date. Contact parish office for more information.

Anointing of the Sick & Homebound Eucharist

Contact the parish office to make arrangements.

Becoming Catholic! Order of Christian Initiation

Contact Adam Ybarra, Director of Mission, at (402) 861-4507 or a.ybarra@stephen.org.

Financial Stewardship

Offertory & Online Giving 11/19-11/25/2024:

Actual:	\$61,690
Budget:	\$49,267
FYTD Actual:	\$1,070,934
FYTD Budget:	\$929,399

Offertory & Online Giving 11/26-12/2/2024:

Actual:	\$58,221
Budget:	\$49,267
FYTD Actual:	\$1,130,471
FYTD Budget:	\$1,031,304
Christmas Actual	\$100
Christmas Budget	\$4,516

St. Stephen the Martyr operates on a Fiscal Year from July 1—June 30

Thank you for your generous giving!

Your financial support is vital to the well-being of our church and school. To make a gift simply scan the QR code or go to stephen.org/give. Offertory envelopes may also be mailed to our office: 16701 S Street, Omaha, NE 68135.



Second Collection this weekend

The Retirement Fund for Religious provides restricted grants to any religious institute in the U.S. It distributes both basic, supplemental and special; assistance retirement grants from the fund to religious institutes based on a formula and criteria approved by the conferences of major superiors and bishops. Scan the QR code or place your contribution in the collection basket at all Masses Dec. 7/8th.



School News

United in Christ to ignite the joy of faith, community, and learning.

⇒ **Teacher/Staff Christmas Gift Program:** We will again offer the opportunity to participate in the annual Teacher/Staff Christmas Gift Program. Donations are used to give a gift to each of St. Stephen the Martyr teachers and staff members who share in the daily education and care our students. We look forward to continuing the tradition this year and showing our teachers and staff members how much they're appreciated! Give online using the QR code. Donations will be collected through December 11th. Thank you for supporting our Catholic school educators!



⇒ **Registration is open for the 2024 Musical: Matilda Jr!** Register now for the School Musical! The Musical is open to school students in grades 1st-8th. Grades 6-8th must audition. Parts will be given to students in grade 5 and below. Performances will be April 4th-5th. Register at school.stephen.org/musical.

Religious Education

- ⇒ **First Reconciliation Services:** Our 2nd graders and some of the older children of our parish will be receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation for the first time on Dec. 9th & 10th at 7:10 PM. Please keep them and their families in your prayers during this special time. Family and friends are encouraged to attend and celebrate the sacrament together. A cookie reception will follow in the Dining Room.
- ⇒ **Adoration December 17 & 18:** Parents, please join us during our last week of classes before Christmas Break for Adoration during your child's class. The student's will participate in guided Adoration during the first half of class in the Worship Space and then head to their classroom for their Christmas celebrations. Parents are invited to stay in Adoration and spend some quiet time with Jesus.
- ⇒ **Sacrament Fees:** As listed on our website, students receiving Sacraments will additionally be responsible for the following fees: First Reconciliation/First Communion: \$50 and Confirmation: \$55. Please scan the QR code to pay the Sacrament Fee for your child/children going through sacramental preparations if necessary. Payment is due by December 31, 2024.



Youth Ministry

- ⇒ **Witness Wednesdays for Highschoolers:** All 9-12th graders are welcome to join us every Wednesday! Snacks and drinks are provided. Learn more at stephen.org/witness-wednesdays.
- **December 11th:** Guest Speaker - Morgan & Johnny Murray discussing the Sacrament of Matrimony & Our Lady of Guadalupe at St. Wenceslaus - Elizabeth Room (Location change due to construction at St. Stephen the Martyr)
- **December 18th:** Adoration Night at St. Wenceslaus - Elizabeth/Chapel
- ⇒ **Special Candlelit Mass:** Our High School Youth Ministry has been invited to attend a special mass on St. Lucy's feast day at Roncalli Catholic High School on Friday, December 13th from 7-9 PM. Hot Cocoa and snacks to follow the special Candlelit Mass.





TRIVIA NIGHT

JANUARY 18, 2025

THERE ARE SO MANY
WAYS TO GET INVOLVED
IN TRIVIA NIGHT!

REGISTER A TEAM

VOLUNTEER TO HELP

DONATE PRIZES



SCAN TO LEARN MORE
ABOUT GETTING
INVOLVED OR VISIT
STEPHEN.ORG/
TRIVIA-NIGHT

QUESTIONS? CONTACT CATIANA URRUTIA
402-861-4541/C.URRUTIA@STEPHEN.ORG

You are invited to

Gather:

A Dinner Group
for Widows &
Widowers

Dec. 19th at 5 PM

Zios Pizza at 132nd & Center



Questions?
Contact Colleen,
St. Stephen Pastoral
Care Coordinator,
at (402) 861-4538.

Scan to join our
email group!



Angel Tree Project

Nov. 9th - Dec. 8th

Hosted By: St. Stephen the Martyr Social Justice Ministry



This holiday season, help us support mothers and children
through Carole's House of Hope and Bethlehem House

There are Three Ways to Participate:

- Take one or more ornaments from one of the trees and return the unwrapped item(s) under the trees.
- You can donate \$10 or \$25 gift cards (Walmart or Target) and cash or checks by placing them in a box on the small tables in the gathering space. Checks should be made out to St. Stephen the Martyr Church.
- Scan the QR Code to give online or visit Stephen.org/angel-tree.



Questions? Contact Loni Burger 402-896-4446, Linda Hendricks 402-699-1911, or Teresa Ziska 402-960-8618.

**Last Day to Return Angel Tree Donations is
Sunday, December 8th. Thank you for your generosity!**

Christmas Flower Memorials

We are collecting donations for Christmas Flowers for our
Worship Space. Make your donation at Stephen.org/give, scan
this QR code, or place your Offertory Envelope in the basket
during Mass. Please add your loved ones name in the special
intention field. To be included in the Dec. 29th bulletin, please
submit your donation by Dec. 16th.



Council of Catholic Women

CCW Monthly Events

**There will be no Social Hour in December. There will also be no Monthly
Meeting in January. Please join us for our next event, Social Hour, on
January 16th, 2025.** To sign up for emails, please visit [stephen.org/
councilofcatholicwomen](http://stephen.org/councilofcatholicwomen).



PrimeTimers Cards and Games

Join us December 12th for Cards & Games at 1 PM in the Parish
Center Conference Room. **Please note we will not gather on**

Dec. 26th. Meet some new friends and have a fun afternoon. You will feel
welcomed! Bring a friend and a snack! Email
stephens.primetimers@gmail.com with questions.

Let's Geaux
Shopping!

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Silent Auction



Browse our Amazon Wishlist to
see how you can support our
Silent Auction!

Any questions? Contact Catiana Urrutia at
402-861-4541 or c.urrutia@stephen.org.



OH WHAT
FUN!

Tom & Jerry Party

DECEMBER 14 9-11 AM

St. Stephen the Martyr
Dining Room

Middle School Youth Ministry Announcement

During the early days of this new liturgical year, it seems fitting to introduce this second of two articles updating you all on the momentum behind a new Middle School Youth Ministry program at our parish. I am encouraged by the positive feedback this initiative has received. I am particularly grateful to Tiffany Cole who has generously offered her time and energy to lead this effort. She is collaborating with Adam Ybarra, our Director of Mission, to advance this important ministry.

Our new program is in line with our mission that "...all encounter Christ, know Christ, and proclaim Christ." This means that providing an atmosphere in which an experience with the living God is at the center. To that end, I invite you to please consider sharing your talents with our middle schoolers, whether they be musical gifts for praise and worship, organizational, activity-planning, or other skills that may benefit our youth. While a schedule is not yet firmly established, the gatherings are expected to be monthly on Sunday evenings. The presence of Safe Environment Certified adults will be most helpful. If you would like to assist in any way, please contact Adam (a.ybarra@stephen.org), and he will get you in touch with Tiffany and the Middle School Youth Ministry team.

I am excited about this opportunity for the 6th, 7th, and 8th grade students in our parish. Please keep them in your prayers. May God bless you all in a particular way in this holy season of Advent.

*Peace,
Fr. Matthew*

WHY DO WE DO THAT? Catholic Life Explained:

Question: What is the Hispanic Advent custom of "Las Posadas"?

Answer: "Posada" is the Spanish word for inn or lodging. "Las Posadas" refers to a traditional Advent custom in preparation for the birth of Jesus, beginning on December 16. For nine successive evenings, groups reenact the search of Mary and Joseph for shelter in Bethlehem.

Two children dress as Mary and Joseph, sometimes with Mary riding on an actual donkey. They are usually accompanied by children dressed as angels and shepherds along with the Wise Men. Adults accompany them as they process to designated homes where they sing Christmas songs and request lodging. Part of the group enters the home and becomes the chorus that responds to the request for lodging. In the beginning the request is rebuffed. They move to several more homes where the ritual is repeated. Eventually, at the last home, their need is recognized, and they all enter the home where a party ensues. This is repeated in different neighborhoods and homes each of the nine days.

While this custom teaches children an important aspect of the Christmas story, it also emphasizes the need for hospitality to strangers and the continual need we all have to make room for Jesus in our "posada." As we struggle to arrive at a fair and just immigration policy, it would be good to recall the fact that Mary, Joseph, and Jesus were also immigrants looking for a hospitable place to dwell. ©LPI



... *Cana Strong*

Strengths-based marriage workshop

A weekend workshop for married couples to leverage their strengths & talents to create a strong marriage centered on Jesus Christ.


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January 10th & 11th, 2025

Friday Night: 7-8 PM Cocktail Hour in the Parish Center
Saturday: 8:15 AM Mass | 9 AM- 3 PM Seminar in the Parish Center

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SCAN THE QR TO REGISTER




Parish- Wide Reconciliation Service

**Tuesday, Dec. 17th
7 PM
Worship Space**

Come, experience God's loving mercy!

Prayer Shawl Ministry
YOU GAVE ME COMFORT

Wednesday, December 11 at 9:15 AM
Gather, pray and make Prayer Shawls/ Blankets to be given to persons experiencing crisis in their life. The group meets the second Wednesday of each month from 9:15 to 11 AM in the Parish Center. Questions? Contact: Kathy Stodola at (402) 981-1592. If you would like to help but can't knit, tie or crochet—this group is seeking donations of yarn, fleece, or gift cards from JoAnn Fabric or Hobby Lobby. Donations can be dropped off to Colleen in the Parish Center.



ADORATION OF THE EUCHARIST

Weekly Adoration is canceled Monday, December 9th due to First Reconciliation.

You are always welcome in the Adoration Chapel for quiet adoration and prayer!

- The Adoration Chapel is open 24/7. The code for access is 9675*.
- Are you interested in spending a particular hour each week in prayer and Adoration of Our Lord? Email ststephenadoration@gmail.com.

Join our Parish Family!

St. Stephen the Martyr Catholic Church is a community for all people to encounter Christ, know Christ, and proclaim Christ.

Welcome visitors and newcomers! Scan the QR Code if you would like to register as a parishioner. To learn more about ways you can get involved & grow closer to Christ, contact Adam Ybarra at a.ybarra@stephen.org.



Weekly Prayer

Sunday's Readings

First Reading:

"For God will show all the earth your splendor:
you will be named by God forever
the peace of justice, the glory of God's worship." (Bar 5:3-4)

Psalm:

The Lord has done great things for us; we are filled with joy.
(Ps 126)

Second Reading:

So that you may be pure and blameless for the day of Christ,
filled with the fruit of righteousness
that comes through Jesus Christ. (Phil 1:10-11)

Gospel:

"The winding roads shall be made straight,
and the rough ways made smooth,
and all flesh shall see the salvation of God." (Lk 3:5-6)

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Live The Liturgy Inspiration of the Week

John the Baptist was appointed to prepare the way for the Lord. This Advent, follow his example and prepare the way for the Lord. Invite the Lord to make straight the roads in your life that wind, and to smooth all that is rough in your heart.

Observances for the week of December 8, 2024

- Sunday:** 2nd Sunday of Advent
Monday: The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Tuesday: Our Lady of Loreto
Wednesday: St. Damasus I, Pope
Thursday: Our Lady of Guadalupe
Friday: St. Lucy, Virgin and Martyr
Saturday: St. John of the Cross, Priest and Doctor of the Church
Next Sunday: 3rd Sunday of Advent



How can we pray for YOU?

You are not alone! St. Stephen has prayer warriors who are ready to pray for YOUR intention! God has given us this incredible gift to intercede on behalf of others through prayer and thanksgiving! Submit your prayer request to at stephen.org/prayer-line or call Beth at (402) 669-4793.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, December 7

8:15 am † Margaret Jean Andary (DB)
5:00 pm † Rich McCormick (MP)

Sunday, December 8—Second Sunday of Advent

7:30 am † Dennis Palik (MP)
9:00 am † Rich Johns (DB)
10:30 am SI People of St. Stephen the Martyr (DB)
6:00 pm † Wilma Wills (AS)

Monday, December 9—Feast of the Immaculate Conception

6:30 am † William Ehret (MP)
8:15 am † Jim Sautter (MP)
12:05 pm † Larry Muhlbauer (DB)
5:30 pm SI People of St. Stephen the Martyr (DB)

Tuesday, December 10

6:30 am † Robert O'Donnell (DB)
8:15 am † Jane Schuyler (MP)

Wednesday, December 11

6:30 am † Kathy Haidley (DB)
8:15 am † Kate Stork (MP)

Thursday, December 12

6:30 am † Linda Lichter (DB)
8:15 am † Beatriz Gutierrez Puentes (DB)

Friday, December 13

6:30 am SI James Gninefou & Adaku Esther
Gninefou (DB)
8:15 am † Zach Fochek (MP)

Saturday, December 14

8:15 am † Roger Becker (MP)
5:00 pm † Ben Mannino (DB)

Sunday, December 15—Third Sunday of Advent

7:30 am SI People of St. Stephen the Martyr (DB)
9:00 am † Jim Brazda (MP)
10:30 am † Rich McCormick (MP)
6:00 pm † Diane Redmond (DH)

SI = Special Intention † = Repose of the Soul

DB = Fr. Dave Belt; MP = Fr. Matthew Pohlman
DH = Fr. Denny Hanneman; AS = Fr. Andy Sohm

Please note: Priest schedule subject to change
If you'd like to reserve a Mass intention, please contact
Melissa in the parish office at m.kane@stephen.org.



Pray For...

Pray for deceased souls of our parish:

June Puterbaugh
Elaine Armstrong
Frank McKenny, father of Glea Hamik
Eugene Meier, father of Jane Steffes, grandfather of Ryan and Ashley Steffes

Pray for those sick/injured/healing:

Rocky Epperson, brother in-law of Lisa Goldsmith
Christopher Widseth, husband of Kimberly
Larry Comer, husband of Janie
Larry Boettcher, husband of Judith
Rod Heng, husband of Carol
Betty Brinster, wife of Jerry
Nick Skar, son of A.J. & Kim
Molly Felker, daughter of Mike and Stacy
Michael Bazant, husband of Patricia
Ryan Huebner, son of Cheryl and Marty
Yvonne Kamphaus, wife of Mike Kamphaus

Patriotic Reminders from St. Stephen's Knights of Columbus 4th Degree



⇒ **Wreaths Across America** will be at Springfield Memorial Gardens on Sat., Dec. 14 at 11 AM. Arrive early, as parking is limited. Wreaths will be distributed to place at headstones after the short program. The Knights of Columbus golf outing donated \$1,000 to the organization this year.

⇒ **Pearl Harbor**, the naval base in Hawaii, suffered a surprise attack on December 7, 1941. American Flags are to be at half staff, sunrise to sunset that day in Honor of National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day.



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Learn More & Register Now

Making Missionary Disciples Track for Adults + The Seek Experience

Adults: join us at SEEK25, where you can join parish and diocesan leaders in the Making Missionary Disciples Training + Small Group.

Learn how to share your faith with others, invite fellow parishioners into a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ, and equip a generation of leaders to become evangelists themselves.

Bring SEEK25 skills back home! Contact Adam at a.ybarra@stephen.org to become a parish envoy & we'll cover your registration fee!



Community News



OMAHA ARCHDIOCESAN COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN (OACCW):

OACCW will offer an annual scholarship to a female high school senior in the Archdiocese of Omaha in the amount of \$750. This scholarship serves to enlighten, inform, and inspire young Catholic women regarding the OACCW as the major organization of Catholic Women in the Omaha Archdiocese. The scholarship will be awarded to a deserving high school senior woman who resides in or is affiliated with a parish within the Archdiocese of Omaha. Application deadline is Jan. 15th. To apply, visit <https://oaccw.org/home/about/#scholarship>.

V2 WINTER ADVENTURE: Join 5th-12th graders and their fathers/grandfather at the V2 Winter Adventure December 13-15, 2024, 7 PM Friday to 9 AM Sunday. Activities include sledding and snow activities (weather permitting), formation talks, small group discussions, Mass, adoration, and reconciliation. Cost includes a two-night stay (heated sleeping), meals, snacks, and all activities. Location: Camp Carol Joy Holling in Ashland, NE. Price: \$145 through December 11th. Visit v2ministries.com for more information and to register.

NATIVITY SCENES FROM AROUND THE WORLD: Everyone is invited to make a pilgrimage to St. Benedict Center in Schuyler, NE to view God's Love made visible in Nativity scenes from the Holy Land, Africa, North and South America, Asia and Europe. Please pray for peace, which our world so urgently needs. Viewing is available from Dec. 1-17 and Jan. 2-3. Visit StBenedictCenter.com for more information.



West Omaha Family of Catholic Parishes

Immaculate Conception

13943 Dowd Drive | Boys Town, Nebraska | (531) 355-1030

Mass Times

Sun: 8 a.m., 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.; Daily: 11:40 a.m.

Confession

Tue and Thu: 11 - 11:30 a.m.

St. Stephen the Martyr

16701 S St, Omaha, NE 68135 | (402) 896-9675

Mass Times

Mon - Fri: 6:30 a.m. and 8:15 a.m.; Sat: 8:15 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Sun: 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Confession

Tue: 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.; Sat: 3:30 - 4:45 p.m.
or by appointment

St. Vincent de Paul

14330 Eagle Run Dr, Omaha, NE 68164 | (402) 496-7988

Mass Times

Mon - Fri: 6:45 a.m. and 8:15 a.m.; Sat: 8:15 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Sun: 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., 11 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Confession

Sat: 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.; Sun: 10:15 - 10:45 a.m.
anytime by appointment

St. Wenceslaus

15353 Pacific St. Omaha, NE 68154 | (402) 330-0304

Mass Times

Mon - Thu: 6:45 a.m., 8:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Fri: 6:45 a.m., 8:30 a.m.

Sat: 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Sun: 8 a.m., 10 a.m., Noon and 5:30 p.m.

Confession

Mon - Thu: 5 PM until line ends

Sat: 9 AM until line ends; 3:30 PM - 4:45 PM
anytime by appointment

SPIRIT CATHOLIC RADIO

2024 ART CONTEST

THE LUMINOUS MYSTERIES OF THE ROSARY

Students grades Kindergarten through 8th Grade, homeschooled, and/or attending a Catholic school or Religious Education class are eligible to participate. Submit to Spirit Catholic Radio (address below) a hand-drawn 6.5" wide x 8" tall design. This year's theme is: **The Luminous Mysteries of the Rosary.**

Artists can pick between the two mysteries for their grade range below:






- K - 2nd Grade:** The Baptism of the Lord, The Wedding in Cana,
- 3rd - 5th Grade:** The Transfiguration, The Rosary
- 6th - 8th Grade:** The Proclamation of the Kingdom, The Institution of the Eucharist

Winners, runners-up, and honorable mentions all receive prizes. Winners are displayed on prayer cards! There are three judging categories: K-2nd grade, 3rd-5th grade, and 6th-8th grade.

Please include contact info (student's name, parish, age) on the back.

SUBMIT YOUR ARTWORK BY DECEMBER 13TH, 2024

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spiritcatholicradio.com/art

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