Arkansas Catholic Men’s Conference
Clear your schedule for Saturday, January 31, and attend the Arkansas Catholic Men’s Conference — A Man for All Seasons — to be held at Christ the King. Mass will be celebrated by Bishop Anthony Taylor. Registration opens at 7:15 am. Flyers are available in the vestibule for more information.

ARmusica Benefit Concert for St. Joseph Center of Arkansas
St. Joseph Center of Arkansas presents a Benefit Concert to help restore the former St. Joseph Orphanage in North Little Rock. ARmusica will perform a wonderful evening of beautiful music featuring pianist, Julie Cheek and principal members of the Arkansas Symphony Orchestra. The concert will be held on Wednesday, January 15 at UALR Stella Boyle Smith Concert Hall and will begin at 7:30 p.m. Workshops will include a piano/violin/sonata, harp, and oboe quartet. There is no admission fee but donations will be accepted. A special gourmet dinner and private concert has been donated by Dana and Julie (Cheek) Walker for auction. Don’t miss this exclusive opportunity to dine in their beautiful home and enjoy a private concert by Julie performed on a Fazioli grand piano.

A Man for All Seasons
In the Central African Republic and South Sudan, people live through farming. Most of their food comes from what they can grow, and the crops which are not eaten are sold to bring income. But the recent violence in these African nations has prevented farmers from planting this year. In the face of a possible famine, CRS is working to prepare families for the difficult times ahead. 

The St. Dymphna Society
Catholic Charities has initiated a support group for people with mental health challenges to know that they are valued and genuinely welcome. The group is called the St. Dymphna Society. Meetings are held the last Tuesday of each month in Fletcher Hall, at St. John Center, at 6:00 pm. Mass is held, and meetings follow. To learn more contact Rebecca Cargile, 664-0340 x 355. No reservations are necessary, and all are welcome!

You Did It For Me
Do you feel alone, hurting or unforgiven from a past abortion? The Respect Life Office, through Project Rachel, is starting a support group, beginning February 16, 2015. The spiritual journey lasts 11 weeks, with small groups of 6-8. Groups will be formed in Little Rock, Fayetteville/Rogers and Hot Springs areas. All names and meeting places are strictly confidential. For details call 501-664-0340, ext. 357. All inquiries must be made by February 16, 2015.

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**Mass Schedule & Mass Intentions for the Week**

**Saturday**
4:30 pm - Stewardship

**Sunday**
8:00 am - Intentions of Angel Magistretti
By Mr. & Mrs. Jose Magistretti

11:00 am - Parish Intentions

**Monday**
8:00 am - No Mass

**Tuesday**
8:00 am

**Wednesday**
6:00 pm

**Thursday**
8:00 am

**Friday**
8:00 am

**Saturday**
4:30 pm - St. Joseph Barbara
By Susan & Lee Nobles

1/17 & 1/18 Liturgical Ministers

**4:10 pm**
Lector: Evelyn Hodges
EM: Mary Nowack
Dale Nowack
Nancy Craig

**8:00 am**
Lectors: Danny Nagle
EM: Josephine Obidike
Dorothy Ware
Glenny Charles

**11:00 am**
Lectors: Andrea Meurer
Mary Diana Hasley
EM: Gilda Skrevetti
Rebecca Sullivan
Charley Sullivan
Carole Miller
Ellen Lamb
D’ora Cook

1/17 & 1/18 Minibus Schedule

4:30 pm - The Hall’s
11:00 am - Carl Meurer

**Readings for the Week**

**Sunday**
Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7 or Isaiah 55:1-11
Acts 10:34-38 or John 5:1-9
Mark 1:7-11

**Monday**
Hebrews 1:1-6
Mark 1:14-20

**Tuesday**
Hebrews 2:5-12
Mark 1:21-28

**Wednesday**
Hebrews 2:14-18
Mark 1:29-39

**Thursday**
Hebrews 3:7-14
Mark 1:40-45

**Friday**
Hebrews 4:3-5, 11
Mark 2:1-12

**Saturday**
Hebrews 4:12-16
Mark 2:13-17

St. Anthony, Abbott

**To read the daily readings online, go to www.uccb.org/ubh/today.shtml**

**P.R.E.** meets Sundays at 9:30 am.

**RCIA** meets Thursdays at 7:00 pm.

**Life Teen** No meeting due to Retreat.

**Edge** No Edge due to Retreat.

**Respect Life Prayer Vigil**
Cathedral of St. Andrew, January 17
This year’s annual Respect Life Vigil will begin at 6:30 p.m. at the Cathedral of St. Andrew. The times for our parish is:
6:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. Our Lady of Good Counsel
Your participation is requested. We must have someone with the Blessed Sacrament at all times. God bless each of you and may your New Year be blessed. This schedule and other Mass for information is also available online on the Respect Life page of the diocesan website.

**Mass for Life, January 18**
12:00 Noon with Bishop Anthony B. Taylor as celebrant and homilist. All are welcome. The location is the Wally Allen Ballroom at the Statehouse Convention Center in Little Rock.

Arkansas Right to Life’s 37th Annual March for Life will be held Saturday, January 21. The March will begin at 6:00 am outside the Capitol and end with a rally and prayer at the Statehouse Convention Center. For more information call 501-664-0340, ext. 326. For more information on the March for Life call 501-663-4237.

**Coming Up**

1/8 Mass for Life—12:00 pm Statehouse Convention Center
March for Life—7:00 am Capital & Battery Street
1/9 Martin Luther King Holiday / Office Closed
1/12 Rites of Wounding (Confirmations) – 11:00 am Mass
Knights of Columbus Free Throw Contest – 1:00 pm Gym
1/13 Men’s Conference—9:00 am Christ the King

**February**

1/26 Devotions of the Two Hearts – 6:00 pm
1/27 Devotions of the Two Hearts—7:30 pm

**March**

11/5 After Server Training—after the 11:00 am

214 Eucharistic Ministers, Lectors & Ushers Training—9:30 am
11:30 pm

2/26 President’s Day / Office Closed
2/28 Ash Wednesday—6:00 pm Mass

3/2 Stations of the Cross & Soup Supper—6:00 pm

3/10 RCIA / Rite of Election—7:30 pm Cathedral of St. Andrew

3/17 Stations of the Cross & Soup Supper—6:00 pm

**Our House Meals**
Our Lady of Good Counsel is involved with the Our Home Meal Ministry. On the third Thursday of each month supper is fed to 100 men, women, and children by our volunteers. Monetary donations and volunteer support are always welcome. Make checks payable to Good Counsel. Contact Maureen Burnham at 993-2136.