Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

MAY 14, 2023

She is clothed with strength and dignity, and she laughs without fear of the future.

HAPPY

PROVERBS 31:25

Sacraments and Parish Information



BAPTISM

Scheduled every Sunday at 1:15pm. Baptism preparation class is required. Call 636-240-3721 ext 235 to register.

CHRISTIAN MARRIAGE



Those preparing for marriage should contact the parish office six months in advance. One party must be a registered member of Assumption and living an active, practicing Catholic life. Contact Angie at the Parish Office, xt 235.



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RITE of CHRISTIAN INITIATION of ADULTS (RCIA) Process through which adults are initiated into the Catholic Church by Baptism or Profession of Faith. For more information, call Missy Lowrey 314-630-3983.

CONFESSION Weekdays 7:30 - 7:50am Church Saturdays 4:00 - 4:45pm Church Or by appointment

FUNERALS Please call the Parish Office 636-240-3721



CONFIRMATION

Preparation begins in September for all students who are entering 8th grade. Please contact Ann Marie Quan at 636-240-1020 for more information.



FIRST COMMUNION

Preparation begins in September for all students who are entering 2^{nd} grade. Please contact Ann Marie Quan at 636-240-1020.



Welcome

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Happy Mother's Day,

From Ancient Greece and Rome the remote origins of Mother's Day are found in celebrations honoring mother god-



desses. Christian Europe used it to honor Mary, mother of Christ, and also to honor a person's "Mother Church", the church in which they were baptized. It was then expanded to honor all mothers and would be a particular time when people traveled home to visit their mothers.

In North America Mother's Day was first promoted by Julia Ward Howe as a response to the Civil War. Seeking peace and an end of sons killing the sons of other mothers, she wrote a proclamation in 1870 that began as follows:

Arise, then, women of this day! Arise all women who have hearts, Whether your baptism be that of water or of tears Say firmly:

"We will not have great questions decided by irrelevant agencies, Our husbands shall not come to us reeking of carnage, For caresses and applause. Our sons shall not be taken from us to unlearn All that we have been able to teach them of charity, mercy and patience.

"We women of one country Will be too tender of those of another country To allow our sons to be trained to injure theirs."



A common thread that can be seen to run through all of these themes of Mother's Day is a gratitude and respect for life. We realize that in the word "mother" signifies not only the gift of life but also the nurturing of it, helping it grow to become what that life was meant to be.

As we celebrate Mother's Day we are not only grateful for our own mother's, but also for those of others. This can help us to show the proper respect for all life, and to be open to all that each of us are meant to be as individuals, and as a community, to be united as the body of Christ.

Happy Mother's Day to all Mothers!

Peace,

Fr. Nick

St. Monica . . . Pillar of Hospitality



"...living the truth in love, we should grow in every way into Him...from whom the whole body, held and ioined together by every supporting ligament brings about the body's growth and builds itself in love." -**Ephesians** 4:15-16

Adult Formation

It has been a true blessing to be in mission with the faith community at Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary parish. I am grateful to have had the opportunity to work alongside you in my role as your Parish Secretary. Over the last 6 years of my employment, I have been privileged to have firsthand experience of the amazing love and vitality of this parish. So often, I have been the recipient of your kind words, heart-felt actions and spiritual support. Which makes this next sentence a somewhat solemn moment for me: I find I am being called elsewhere and after much discernment, my last date of employment will be Friday, May 26th. I am SO thankful for the friendships I have formed as well as the opportunities to learn more deeply the value of what it means to be in relationship. I have truly enjoyed my time here and I am so blessed to be a part of this very special 'Assumption parish family'. Please be assured I will continue to hold you in the highest esteem and in deepest prayer. Also, please join me in praying for the person whom God is calling next to be in this mission with you. She/he will discover very quickly the abundant blessings this faith community freely grants one another.



May God continue to bless you and Assumption parish! Peggy Brewer



Pro-Life: Every third Saturday of the month (May 20th), we will go to the Cathedral for 8:00am Mass to pray for an end to abortion and for every child's right to life. If a ride is needed, please call Sylvia at 636-978-8803.



PRAY Every Tuesday in the Chapel!

Rosary begins at 6:15pm followed by Perpetual Help Devotions and Benediction.



ASSUMPTION PARISH SECRETARY Are you a loving individual with exceptional customer service and organizational skills who is looking to serve the Lord in a greater role at Assumption? If so, we need YOU! Assumption is hiring a new full time Parish

Secretary. The position is very rewarding and offers great benefits including health/dental/vision plan, 403b retirement plan, vacation and sick leave. The ideal candidate will have previous experience in a parish office, including familiarity with membership records and sacramental records. Primary responsibilities include maintaining the parish membership database, preparing the Sunday bulletin, scheduling parish and school events and meetings, coordinating funerals, maintaining the Mass intention book, etc.

Interested candidates should send a resume and cover letter to Father Nick Kastenholz at *nicholaskastenholz@archstl.org*.



Men's Christ Renews His Parish Alumni Weekend!

Attention men of Assumption Parish: If you've attended a CHRP weekend, we have an opportunity for you! Whether that weekend was a year ago, 10 years ago, or longer, here is your chance to get to know each other, renew, refresh and relax. The first annual CHRP alumni weekend will be held at the Pallottine Retreat Center in Florissant, on October 14-15, (subject to post-deposit confirmation). We'll gather from 8am Saturday through Noon on Sunday. The activities will be wholly organized by men here at Assumption who have also been through CHRP, and will include a social evening on Saturday. Cost is \$127 for a double occupancy room and \$145 for a single (all meals included). For information contact, Kelly Gessert, 636-728-8840 or *kelly.gessert@gmail.com* or Rick Schenk at 314-

486-2337 or *Rwschenk3@gmail.com*. Reservations are limited, please reply by May 17, to reserve a spot.

St. Francis . . . Pillar of Prayer

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"For thus says the Lord: When you call Me, and come and pray to Me, I will listen to you. When you look for Me, you will find Me. Yes, when you seek Me with all your heart, I will let you find Me..." Jeremiah 29:10-13



Baptism, Confirmation, and Eucharist are called the sacraments of initiation. When these three sacraments are received at the same liturgy, their connection is highlighted. People are completely initiated into the Church and adopted as God's own as they receive the Holy Spirit in Baptism

and Confirmation, and are drawn closer to the Father through Christ in the Eucharist.

At our RCIA Mystagogia session last Sunday, we remembered the Easter Vigil when the neophytes were confirmed. We revisited how they were anointed with the oil of Chrism and sealed with the Holy Spirit. We spoke and shared thoughts about the Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit. We also discussed how we can continue our journey of faith by participating in the various ministries at Assumption and how to keep the fire of faith burning in our hearts through deeper personal prayer, attending Mass more often, and also by joining small faith groups.



Mary Pauline Cox Wife of Harry Cameron Cox

Paul Politte Father of Paula Thompson

> *Clarence Conley* Of our Parish Family

Pray the Rosary Before Weekend Masses:

Please join us in Church 30 minutes Before each weekend Mass for the Rosary. We gather and pray before the Holy Family Statue.

Altar Server Training Camp is Back this Summer!

Calling all Assumption School and PSR students in fourth through eighth grades! Whether you are new to serving or need a refresher, you are encouraged to sign-up for Altar Server Training Camp this summer, **June 5-8**, **from 8:30-11am at Assumption.**

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Led by Msgr. McCumber, the four - day camp meets three hours per day and will include fun, hands-on activities and games geared towards assisting campers with learning the ins and outs of serving at Mass, weddings and funerals, as well as learning the history behind serving in the Church. At the end of the summer camp session, participants and their parents will get to enjoy a BBQ from 11am-12pm, on the last day of camp!

To enroll your child, please fill out the form under "Announcements" on the Assumption School website at assumptionbvmschool.org/ or email Pam Penning, Assumption Faith Formation Administrative Assistant, at *ppenning@abvmtech.org*.

	MONDAY 5.15.23	TUESDAY 5.16.23	WEDNESDAY 5.17.23
Mass Times/Intentions	6:30am Chris Scholten	6:30am Glennon Prinster	6:30am Catherine Waidmann
	8:00am Lester Wood	8:00am Msgr. McCumber, Spec Int	8:00am Deacon Bill Walbridge
Reconciliation	7:30 - 7:50am Church	7:30 - 7:50am Church	7:30 - 7:50am Church
	Or by appointment	Or by appointment	Or by appointment

St. Francis ... Pillar of Prayer

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Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion NEW and CURRENT Training ~ May 20th at 10:00am

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion (Pillar of Prayer – St. Francis) Mission Statement: As Assumption Ministers of the Holy Eucharistic at the Table of Life, we reverently distribute the Body of Christ to all the faithful

that we may become one as the Body of Christ for the entire world. Is God calling you to participate in the distribution of the Body of Christ to our parish community that we may become one as the Body of Christ for the entire world? There is a great need/opportunity to become a part of the Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion ministry. Training will be provided, and we welcome current ministers who wish to have a review of training as well as new ministers. The training will be provided in the church on Saturday, May 20th, from 10:00-11:00. If you would like to participate in the training, please contact Mary Keen at 636-699-0407 or at *mlkeen155@icloud.com*.

Assumption Living Rosary and New Pro-Life Sign Blessing!

Thank you for making the Living Rosary, the dedication of the new Pro-Life sign (near the Chapel), and Saturday prayers, such a beautiful day of devotion! On Saturday, May 6th, Father Nick Kastenholz blessed our new Pro-Life sign and special devotions were led by the Assumption Respect Life Apostolate. During this beautiful event, everyone sang songs and prayed the rosary in honor of Our Lady. If you missed this special day of devotions, be sure to join us this fall for another Living Rosary inside the Chapel. For more information, please call Sylvia Kiphart at 636-978-8803.



THURSDAY 5.18.23 6:30am Priest Intention 8:00am Belinda Mack

7:30 - 7:50am Church Or by appointment FRIDAY 5.19.23 6:30am J. Scholten, Spec. Int. 8:00am Jack Gierten

7:30 - 7:50am Church Or by appointment SATURDAY 5.20.23

8:00am Nick Brock, Spec. Int. 5:00pm Jerry Schoenherr

4:00 - 4:45pm Church Or by appointment

SUNDAY 5.21.23

8:00am People of the Parish 10:00am Wehmeier Family 12:00pm Shirley Mackey 5:30pm Nick Brock, Spec. Int. By Appointment



PRAYER: A heart to heart with God "Our strength comes from the Eucharist"

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Holy Family...Pillar of Formation



FORMATION Continuous conversion of mind and heart "Following

Jesus is the

work of a

lifetime"

Youth Formation

From the Principal's Pen

3rd Graders' Wax Museum

When it comes to learning about Missouri history, third-grade students at Assumption know how to bring history to life through the art of storytelling in a very unique setting. The student's "Famous Missouri Wax Museum," an annual living history outdoor walk, has been a part of the school's curriculum for decades. This year's event consisted of 36 students and took place on Thursday, April 20th. The history assignment: research a famous Missourian of your choice, and on the day of the wax museum event, highlight the celebrity through a short, third-person presentation while dressed in costume and using props.

This hands-on activity challenges each student to share a piece of Missouri history in creative and entertaining ways. Visitors press the button drawn on the paper notes that each student holds, then step back to watch their performance unfold!

You never know who you are going to meet! This year's celebrities consisted of a variety of famous people, including singers, an outlaw, actors, a president and CEO, and even a saint. Stories depicting the late greats, including Army General and Commander of WWI John J. Pershing, and Yankees Major League Baseball legend Lawrence Peter "Yogi" Berra, to those Missouri celebrities who are still alive. A few of those recognizable names included Assumption's very own alum and Major League Soccer star Josh Sargent, professional basketball player Jason Tatum, and pop and country singers Cheryl Crow and Sarah Evans.

A few of the most popular Missourians at the event included doubles of the Titanic survivor Margaret "Molly" Brown; actress Elizabeth Ruth "Betty" Grable; sports commentator Jack Buck; entertainer Walt Disney; baseball great Stan Musial; and Sacagawea who accompanied the Lewis and Clark Expedition.

Other famous Missourians portrayed on the walk were Jessie James, Betty Grable, Becky Sauerbrunn, Daniel Boone, Rose Philippine Duchesne, Charles Lindbergh, George Washington Carver, Vice President Harry S. Truman, Laura Ingalls Wilder, Johnny Morris, Ginger Rogers, Vinnie

Ream, Josephine Baker, Lloyd Gaines, Curt Flood, Harry Caray, Jane Froman, and Helen Stephens.

The wax museum always draws a huge crowd and gains the interest of many students, family members, and parishioners. What a wonderful day to experience the lives of Missourians that have impacted our history and lives.



3rd Grade "Famous Missourians"

Holy Family...Pillar of Formation

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Happy May from Assumption Youth Ministry! It has been an incredible semester of community, joy, and growth in both Life Teen and Edge. We are so grateful to the Lord and to our Assumption Parish family for a stunning Luke 18 retreat, impactful Life Nights and Edge Nights, as well as continued growth and formation in discipleship for our young people- praise God!

We will be taking a break from Life Nights during the month of May to

honor the end of the school year, finals, and all other wrap up activities as we prepare for our upcoming summer ministry. Edge will resume in September. Additionally, Becky will be on maternity leave until early July. Please pray for Becky and James as they welcome their son into the world!



The growth and new life continues with the announcement that we have hired our Middle School Youth Minister... Alejandro DeHerrera!

I am so happy to be here at Assumption parish. I first got involved with youth ministry when I was confirmed in the Church at the age of sixteen. I am excited for the new Edge Semester to start. Looking forward to meeting everyone! You can find me every Sunday at the 5:30pm Mass playing bass. Come introduce yourself!

Please **SAY HI to Alejandro** when you see him around campus! While Becky is on maternity leave, Alejandro and the Life Teen Core Team will be keeping ministry up and running, so if you need something, **don't hesitate to reach out!**

Know of our prayers for you!



Save the Dates.

June 4 Life Teen Summer Kick Off: Freedom June 22 Steubenville Parent & Teen Meeting June 23 Field Trip: Mass & the Muny June 26-30 Life Teen Leadership Conference July 7-10 Steubenville Youth Conference July 13 LT Camp Parent & Teen Meeting July 23-29 Life Teen Camp Covecrest





Connect with us on Social Media: Instagram: @assumption_life_teen // @assumption_edge Facebook: Assumption Life Teen // Assumption EDGE

QUESTION? Contact Becky Whitaker, Dir of Youth Ministry 636-240-3721 ext. 243 or becky.assumptionlt@gmail.com Alejandro DeHerrera - Middle School Youth Minister, ext. 333 edgelifeteenalejandro@gmail.com

St. Vincent de Paul ... Pillar of Service

PANI NIGHI 6:30-8:30 May 2 Monday,

Get ready for some BINGO family fun! The 50+ Club and Baue Funeral Homes are planning a Family Bingo Night! Bring a friend and join us for the first-ever Assumption Parish Family BINGO Night. Baue will be donating the BINGO supplies, prizes, and provide the caller; and our 50+ Club will be assisting and selling light refreshments and snacks, including homemade baked goods, candy, chips and non-alcoholic beverages throughout the two-hour event. Family BINGO Night is FREE and registration is not required.



MEMBERS PLEASE NOTE: HOME BAKED GOODS SHOULD BE DROPPED OFF ON BINGO NIGHT, MAY 22, IN THE PARISH CENTER BY 3PM...PLEASE! **EXAMPLE** For more information call Bob or Liz Allmeyer at 636-240-8638.

Slots are filling up for our trip to Pigeon Forge, Gatlinburg and the Smokey Mountains in Tennessee! October 30 - November 3: Cost: \$665/person. \$75. deposit /person is needed by May 22. Open to 50+ members first. Final deposit is due August 14. Any questions please contact Linda Lambing 314-599-8429. * Along with Baue, we will be hosting Family Bingo Night at our May 22nd meeting.





Last expected payment, August 2026

Fit and FUNctional Exercise Class!

Come join us!! Assumption's seated exercise class, geared towards folks 50+ has been going strong! We meet in the parish center, hall A, on Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8:45-9:45am. The class, taught by a Physical Therapist is intended to accommodate various levels to improve strength, flexibility, and mobility. Resistance bands are provided in class, or feel free to bring your own.

Our next session will begin May 16th! Due to interruptions for Independence Day,

dates the parish center is unavailable, etc, the session will run longer than 8 weeks in order to get to 16 sessions (final date still TBD). Plan to join us on the 16th, or come now!

When: Tuesday/Thursday, 8:45-9:45am ~~ Where: Hall A of the Parish Center ~~ Cost: \$50 for 16 sessions Questions, contact Debbie Gentry, PT at 314-306-2697 or AtHomePartnersLLC(a)gmail.com.

STEWARDSHIP **Our Gifts to God and Parish** Weekly Offertory YTD 7/1/2022 - 4/2023 April 16, 2023 The Bible Teaches It (Mal 3:10-12) \$ 53,860 **Actual Collections** \$ 1,639,200 We Believe It (Acts 4:32-36) **Budget Target** \$ 40,000 \$ 1,629,500 **God Honors It** (Gen 14:18-20) Surplus / (Shortfall) 13,860 \$ 9,700 TITHING Loan taken out in 2013 for expansion of our school We are grateful to you for your presence, Original Loan \$ 3,306,127 925,636 Current balance owed \$ your participation, and your financial 20,923 Monthly payment \$ support of Assumption Parish.

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"As each one has received a gift, use it to serve one another as good stew-ards of God's 5 varied grace." 3 - 1 Peter 4:10

Introducing our Assumption Board of Education Nominees:

David Pashia \sim I am a parishioner and have 4 grown children that all went through catholic school. I also served on ICD board several years ago.

PLEASE VOTE!



Scott Dillon ~ In addition to being a parishioner and parent, I have 12 years of experience as a classroom teacher. I currently teach Engineering & Industrial Technology at Ft. Zumwalt North High School. I hold a Master's Degree in school administration and have earned a Missouri certificate in secondary administration. My wife and I have been extremely impressed with the education our two children have received through Assumption School and my hope is to continue this experience for future parents and students.



Gary Geiger \sim I am a member of Assumption Parish and also have a beautiful granddaughter in 1st grade at Assumption School. I am also retired from a 25 year career with IBM as a Sales Executive and have time available to give.



Brandon Swagman ~ There are numerous reasons why I want to be elected to the school board. Firstly, as a member of the school board, we have the opportunity to make a significant impact on the education and well-being of students. We can help shape policies that ensure that all students receive an amazing education and have access to the resources they need to succeed. Secondly, being on the school board allows me

to be an advocate for the needs of students, parents, and educators in our school. We can work to create positive change and ensure that everyone's voices are heard. Overall, being a member of the school board is a rewarding and challenging experience that can lead to lasting positive change.



Dayna Wilson \sim Dayna has past teaching experience at Assumption. I know what an amazing faith-filled community Assumption is! It would be an honor to serve our home parish and school community. As a previous teacher, I have an immense amount of appreciation for current teachers, administrators, and parish officials, and an overflowing love for students!



Joseph Markus ~ I am active in the parish and school. I'm passionate about the impact education has on our Childrens' futures, growth in relationships with each other, growth in relationships with administrators, and growth in their faith. I believe every student has a different future path as leaders, artists, creators, experts, and in trades. It's our responsibility as parents and educators to motivate every child toward being the best version of themself. We ourselves always have room to chase that same goal.



Jake Madden \sim My name is Jake Madden and I am asking for your vote for the School Board. I have a strong passion for Assumption that dates back many years, as I was once a Crusader myself. Now, my greatest blessing is to call myself a husband and father. My wife and I have children enrolled at Assumption, we are involved in various ministries, and as a Board member I will help ensure that our School continues to be a place that families want to send their children, with a beautiful sense of community.



Rachel Howard ~ I am a parishioner of Assumption and a mother of a child in school here. I believe in the importance of giving and participating in our faith and charitable community. I believe in being a role model and helping to pass the light of Christ to our children. I care deeply about the education offered at Assumption school, and if I can help to improve or assist the school in any way I would humbly and gratefully accept that role.

Please vote for Board of Education Nominees in one of the following ways. Voting ends on May 19th.

Write in ballot below. Detach and drop off at the parish office or in the assigned box in the back of church
Visit, *assumptionbvm.org*, go to Announcements and click on Board of Education Icon, then go to Nominees link.

Place an <u>X</u> next to THREE of the Candidates:			
David Pashia	Brandon Swagman	Jake Madden	
Scott Dillon	Dayna Wilson	Rachel Howard	
Gary Geiger	Joseph Markus		

St. Vincent de Paul ... Pillar of Service

PREVENT AND PROTECT UPDATE:

All those who work, volunteer or coach, in any way, with our children, the vulnerable or elderly at Assumption Parish must be in Compliance with the Archdiocese in order to continue participation in your ministry work. This is MANDATORY! You can go to our website; www.assumptionbym.org, click on Resources, it will take you to the Protecting God's Children. Follow directions to begin registration.

If you have started this registration but have NOT received your CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION, that means you are not in Compliance with the Archdiocese, so please go back into your P&P account and double check your requirement checklist to see what needs to be completed and submitted.

After you have completed your registration into the P&P site, but have not taken a PGC workshop, scroll down where you can pick a session and click to register. If you have any questions or concerns about your Compliance status, please contact Lynn Crews at 314-578-0741 or lynn.assumption@gmail.com.

Assumption Adoration Chapel

Adoration is available 24/7 in the old church by using the code at the north transit entrance. EXPOSITION on Tuesday begins after the 8:00am Mass and through Rosary at 6:15pm, followed by Perpetual Help Devotions. Please sign up at assumptionbvm.weadorehim.com.



Thank you to the entire parish community for your support on our Fish Frys!

We are offering a discount promotion to rent the KC Hall over the summer. The discounted rates will be for a limited time. Please contact Gerry Prinster at (636) 577-5548 for more details.

Queen of Hearts. Every Tuesday, 5:00pm. Knight of Columbus Hall, 202 W. Third St., O'Fallon.

Parishioners of Assumption are invited to participate in the St. Elizabeth Ann

Seton, K of C Charity Cornhole

Tournament on June 3rd at 7:00pm. This is an 'all ages and skill level' tournament. Proceeds go to Action for Autism (AFA) Academy. Entry fee is \$20. Register online at https:// setonknights.square.site. Questions? Dennis Henry, dhenry 2342@yahoo.com

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Adhletic Association News

Signups for Volleyball and Soccer will open, NOW through June 30th. Signups are on the Team Sideline page.

For information, go to: https://sites.google.com/view/



SISTERS OF THE **MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD OF O'FALLON**

DESERT DAY: I really need a day of prayer and quiet! Desert Days at the Sanguis Christi Spirituality Center of the sisters of the Most Precious Blood are just that. Come to the quiet and beauty of St. Joseph Chapel at 204 North Main, O'Fallon, MO on May 18, June 20 or July 19 from 9:15 am - 3:15 pm. The day will begin and end with prayer. The remainder of the day is solitude, quiet, reflection, and rest. The opportunity to talk with a

spiritual director is also available. Lunch is provided and we ask a free will offering. For more information or to register contact Sr. Mary Cecile Gunelson, CPPS at 636-293-8013 or by email at mcgunelson@cpps-ofallon.org

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ASSUMPTION SCHOOL: 636.240.4474

BULLETIN NOTICES Submit to Parish Office (peggy.assumption@yahoo.com) by Tuesday 9:00am

WEBSITE: www.assumptionbvm.org

facebook.com/@assumptionmedia assumptionparish

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION Religious instruction in the Catholic faith. Call 636.240.1020 for information or to register.

Jolleyball

MINISTRY OF CONSOLATION For one-on-one grief support, contact Kris Bohn at 636.795.2611, and for information regarding our grief support series, which is held twice per year, contact Lynn Crews at 314-578.0741.