

September 18 — Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Weekday Masses:

Tuesday 8 AM Charlene Wagstaff
Wednesday 8 AM People of St. Andrew
Thursday 8 AM George Van Loo
NO Friday 8 AM Mass

Saturday (September 24)

Saturday 5:30 PM Souls in Purgatory

Sunday (September 25)

Sunday 9:30 AM People of St. Andrew

Adoration & Benediction:

First Friday October 8 7-9 AM with Mass at 8 am
First Saturday October 9 7:40 AM Rosary with Mass at 8 AM

PARISH OFFICE will be closed the week of September 18th. Email & phone messages will be check on occasion, but all business will be handled after the 26th. Sacramental emergencies call Fr. Roberto at 896.8867.

ALTAR SODALITY MEETING will be Monday, **September 19th** at 6PM. Please come with any ideas or products that we can discuss for our December Christmas Sale. This is one of our biggest fundraisers and we are looking for new ideas. We need your help.

PSR has a larger number of 3rd & 4th graders who have signed up. They are **looking** for an additional teacher. If you can help out or want more information please call Marion at 573.257.0046 or Fr. Roberto at 896.5010.

WINE & SHRINE Friday October 7, St. Andrew will host a "Wine & Shrine" event in Veit Hall. John Carpenter will be speaking on Marian apparitions and resulting shrines and miracles. Flyer in the gathering space and on FaceBook.

ALTAR SERVER TRAINING for new or those who would like a refresher will be following Mass on **Sunday, October 9th** at 10:30 AM in church.

THANKS The Social Concerns committee would like to thank everyone who donated school supplies for our collection this year. We had a nice assortment to take to North, Callaway Hills and New Bloomfield schools

PARISH PICTORIAL DIRECTORY sign up information is in your fall festival envelope. Sign up is VERY simple & online. Correct dates and times are 10/18, 10/19, 11/2, 11/3, 11/4 from 2-8:30 PM and 11/5 from 10AM-4:30 PM. Go to www.ucdir.com. Enter church code "mo211" & password is "photos". Follow directions.

BULLETIN ITEMS & MASS ANNOUNCEMENTS need to be to the office my noon on Wed., asking Fr. or the Deacons to make these announcements right before or during Mass is no longer preferable. Fr. needs to approve the announcements ahead of time. If you take time to read the bulletin you will be up to date. We try and repeat items for several weeks. Online is also an option for reading the bulletin. <https://standrew.diojeffcity.org/>

TRANSPORT CHAIR is missing from the medical supply room. If you happen to know where it is located, please call the office or return it if you are no longer using it. Items are for short term use, 6-8 weeks.

NON ACTIVE PARISHIONERS Social Concerns needs your help. We would like to contact the parishioners who haven't been attending Mass since the year off because of Covid. If you know anyone or a family that you no longer attending to Mass at St. Andrew, will you please notify us so we can reach out to them. You can either call the Church Office (573) 896-5010 or Renee Phillips at (573) 896-5790. Thank you for your help!

YOUTH CHOIR PRACTICE Monday evenings **Sept 19th & 26th** at 5:45-6:30PM in the church. Questions call Cindy at 573.544.3272.



FALL FESTIVAL NEWS October 2nd

We will be setting up the dining hall for the fall festival Wednesday, September 28th starting at 5:30. We are in need of help setting up tables, chairs, etc. We will also be wrapping silverware and wiping down all tables and chairs and cleaning trays. Extra help would be greatly appreciated! Please contact Kathy if you have any questions at 690-9214. Thank you!

Cochair & additional workers are needed in the country store. Hand made craft items, baked goods, fresh produce, plants, are requested. Please call Margie at 57.3291.4744

Worker lists, raffle tickets and flyers are available to pickup in the gathering space. Please take your and your friends & families.

Chairpersons are needed for the refreshment stand.

Many workers are needed in the dining room and other areas. Please see the worker list in the gathering space this weekend and talk to Lisa, Betsy or Duane on how you can help.

Fall Festival Silent Auction Please consider using your time, talent, or other means to donate either an auction item or a basket for our silent auction. There will be a sign-up sheet in the gathering space. We appreciate your support. Michelle (573) 220-0254 and Chelsie (573) 338-7788

Envelopes in the pews are for you donations, please drop in the collection basket.

Saturday **Oct. 24 at 8 AM** clean up the kitchen and parish ground. Saturday **Oct. 1st at 8 AM** set up outside.

WE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Our sympathy to the family of Russ Rauba who passed away. We pray for Christ's gift of eternal life for him and for comfort for Russ's family in their loss.

Russ is the husband of Christina, father of Lauren, sister of Sharon Merciel & son of the late Betty White.

OCTOBER 50+, You asked, it's been arranged: Wednesday the 12th, 4:30pm with dinner at Canterbury Hill, Holts Summit RSVP by October 7th so we can confirm numbers 896-4825 Carol or responding on the 50+ Facebook page. We are trying different times of the day/evenings to accommodate different schedules, etc. and floating based on availability/dates/times restaurants are open and to avoid the most crowded times. There were also suggestions to go to Dos Primos and a carry in at church to accommodate those that prefer it. Any suggestions are welcomed.

Liturgical Ministers September 24 & 25, 2022

Altar Servers

5:30 PM **2 Volunteers Needed**

9:30 AM Isaac Smith & **1 Volunteer Needed**

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

5:30 PM Valda Stroesser & Maggie Van Loo

9:30 AM Kris Hartman & Tony Rush

Lector

5:30 PM Chuck Van Loo

9:30 AM Vickie Schulte

Offertory Gifts

5:30 PM Andrea Summers

9:30 AM **Volunteer Needed**

Ushers

5:30 PM **6 Volunteers Needed**

9:30 AM **6 Volunteers Needed**

St. Andrew Catholic Church like us for all the updates.



Weekly Collection - September 11, 2022

Sunday Offering \$9,999.99

Donuts \$20.75

Repairs & Improvements \$325

Rainy Day \$167

PSR Registration \$210

Catholic Missourian \$20

Thank you for your generosity!

ST. ANDREW EVENTS AT A GLANCE

- 9/18 8:15 AM PSR Class
9 AM Rosary
9:30 AM Mass
9:30 AM Children's Liturgy
10:30 AM Baptism Class
- 9/19 5:45-^:30 PM Youth Choir Practice, Church
6 PM Sodality Meeting, St. Anne RM
- 9/20 8 AM Mass
Parish Office Closed
8:30-10:30 AM Quilting
7PM RCIA, St. Anne RM
- 9/21 8 AM Mass
Parish Office Closed
6:30 PM Knights of Columbus Meeting, KC Hall
- 9/22 8AM Mass
- 9/23 No 8 AM Mass
- 9/24 8AM-12 PM clean up kitchen & parish grounds for Fall Festival
4:45 PM Confession
5 PM Rosary
5:30 PM Mass
- 9/25 8:15 AM PSR Class
9 AM Rosary
9:30 AM Mass
9:30 AM Children's Liturgy

**Bishop McKnight's
September prayer intention
for our Local Church**

For all who serve in our community as first responders: that God may protect them from all harm, and that we be grateful for the sacrifices they make for the common good.



**YOU CAN BE THE PROTECTOR OF OTHERS
WITH SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING.**

The Diocese of Jefferson City has a robust training program to create a safe environment for ministry in parishes across the diocese. To learn more about the program or begin training on the web:

DIOJEFFCITY.ORG/SAFE-ENVIRONMENT



An active member of St. Andrew parish is registered with the parish, participates in Mass and the sacraments, has completed the most current version of the Time, Talent, & Treasure form, and supports the parish financially. If the pastor, Fr. Roberto, can help you in any way, please feel free to call or e-mail him. Know that he strives to be approachable and available.

Lost & Found under the table in the gathering space.

Funeral Dishes on the shelf outside St. Joseph Rm.

Books, Newsletters & Flyers are on the tables & the racks in the gathering space. Please help your self to any of

PLEASE SAVE YOUR MOSER'S RECEIPTS!

Moser's Grocery Stores pays us 1/2 cent/dollar for every grocery receipt we turn into them. Please save your receipts and deposit them in the basket on the table in the gathering space.

PSR started on September 11th. Registration information will be available in the gathering space. Preschool will not be offered this year, due to the Children's Liturgy that will be starting each Sunday during Mass. Sign up for both programs, call the office or in the gathering space at 8:15 AM.

HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS The Parish Safety Committee needs to identify the health care professionals within our parish. If you are a licensed health care professional, please sign the form on the table in the Gathering Space. This list is used in the event there is a medical emergency in which a health care professional is needed.

AREA HAPPENINGS

Signum Crucis a new interparish men's faith formation group is about to be launched in the Jefferson City area. It is called the Men of *Signum Crucis*, and our first gathering will be on **September 21**. Tim Hronick of our parish has been instrumental in getting this initiative off the ground. Flyer in gathering space.

BBQ Knights of Columbus in Wardsville & Osage Bend Missouri is planning a BBQ for **September 24** on the St. Stanislaus Campus. \$12 plate serving pork steaks, chicken, bratwurst, baked beans & cole slaw.

St. Peter Parish in Fulton Fall Festival, MO. We invite you and your parishioners to our Fall Festival on **Sept 25**, from 11 AM–6 PM, at 700 State Rd. Z. Come and enjoy a delicious meal of friend chicken, baked ham, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, corn, slaw, applesauce and desserts.

YOU'RE INVITED to SAVE THE MUSIC! Please plan on joining us at **2 p.m, Sunday Sept. 25** for *Somewhere in Time*, the fifth annual Basi family concert at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church in Columbia (903 Bernadette Dr., Columbia, Mo. 65203). It's 2022 and all the music has mysteriously disappeared. Come watch Doc Brown and Marty McFly team up with Bill & Ted as they race to repair the space-time continuum and bring back the music! A free-will offering will be collected to support Down syndrome services in mid-Missouri.

WINE & SHRINE Friday October 7, St. Andrew will host a "Wine & Shrine" event in Veit Hall. John Carpenter will be speaking on Marian apparitions and resulting shrines and miracles. Be watching for more information coming soon!

St. Stanislaus Fall Supper, October 69th. m-6PM Fried Chicken & Sausage with sides. \$14 for adults.

St. Andrew Knights of Columbus, Council 8400 Golf Tournament. October 10th, Tanglewood Golf Course. \$300 for team of 4. Contact Tyler at 619.0966 for more information.

YOU'RE INVITED to a Ladies Day of Reflection "Keeping a Mary Spirit Throughout a Martha Day, with lunch on **Oct. 22**, followed by a Parish Concert "our Catholic Faith on Sunday **Oct. 23rd**. Flyer in the gathering space, more information to come.

Dear Parishioners,

As we begin the transition to Stewardship Renewal, our parish needs to form a Stewardship Council. If you are interested in serving on the Stewardship Council, please let me know. Thank you.

Blessings, Fr. Roberto

RENTAL AGREEMENT & FEES UPDATE in January the Diocese stated that all parishes are to require liability insurance for any individual, group or organization **renting** our facilities. At this time Fr. Roberto, Finance Council & Administration decided to look over the rental agreement and fee structure of the parish. (This had last been updated in 2008.) The new fees, agreement & insurance have been in place since July 1 of 2022. This also includes some changes to weddings, wedding receptions, funerals & visitations.

VIRTUS The training may be completed online at Virtus.org. Click on "New registrant" and begin the process of registration. When asked which training you wish to choose, click on "online training" from the menu. If you need assistance, you may contact Connie at 573-619-2391. The training consists of a series of questions with multiple choice answers followed by a short video clip. This is repeated approximately 14 times and takes about 1.5 hours to complete. Thank you.

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PICK OF THE WEEK

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WATCH

PADRE PIO: BETWEEN HEAVEN AND EARTH

Based on the historical records and the personal testimony of his fellow friars, this is the amazing true story of the life of the famous stigmatic monk, St. Padre Pio, a contemporary saint who died in 1968. Filmed on location in Italy starring Michele Placido in a moving performance, this film tells the whole story of the beloved monk from San Giovanni Rotondo, a place where millions of pilgrims now annually visit Padre Pio's grave.



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FORMED FOR MISSION EPISODE 20: AN APOSTOLIC SPIRITUALITY

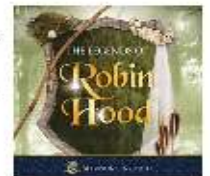


Dr. Ben Akers and Taylor Kemp sit down for a weekly show on evangelization and mission. "Evangelizing is in fact the grace and vocation proper to the Church, her deepest identity. She exists in order to evangelize" (EN, 14). We pray that these discussions may help all the faithful be further conformed to Christ and become powerful evangelists in the world today.

LISTEN

THE LEGENDS OF ROBIN HOOD AUDIO DRAMA

The child of a reputable family and a faithful son of the Church, Robert of Locksley had no intention of becoming an outlaw. But the relentless cruelty and tyranny by the elite nobility of England demanded that someone rise up to give answer. And so Robert of Locksley became Robin Hood – a man thrown into a fierce struggle to balance his deep faith with a call to action in a violent age.



Our parish has a FORMED subscription. To set up your free account visit formed.org/signup and select our parish.

More information on the back.

Announcing a New Monthly Catholic Formation Opportunity for Men—**Signum Crucis**

A group of Catholic men in our area is excited to introduce a new interparish, multi-generational men's formation group in Jefferson City. It is called the "Men of **Signum Crucis**."

Why **Signum Crucis**? **Signum Crucis** is Latin for "Sign of the Cross." This new group will focus on growth in the areas of Study, Devotion, and Service. As we trace the Sign of the Cross on our bodies and pray this most basic prayer, we recognize that we need to seek Study for our Minds, seek Devotion in our Hearts, and to wear our faith gained from Study and Devotion on our sleeves in the form of Service.

This group will strongly encourage men to bring their sons to our monthly gatherings. We know how important it is in our current culture to model our faith to our young people before they leave the fold. Therefore, men are especially requested to bring their sons, nephews, and grandsons who are in high school and grade school. By doing this, adult men will be able to model how to be a true Catholic man by seeking more. This is needed now more than ever.

Monthly gatherings will always be on the third Wednesday of each month, at Helias Catholic High School, from 6:30 p.m. till 8:00 p.m. This timeframe was intentionally set to allow men to get back home in time to help with the family bedtime routine. Our plan is to allow men to choose between attending either a Devotional session or a Study session when we gather, whichever is most needed by each man attending. We might offer a Service opportunity on Wednesday evenings as well. Our Study, Devotion, or Service sessions will last approximately 45-60 minutes, with a wrap-up of our sessions in the Commons, followed by brief fellowship.

Our first gathering will be on September 21. Father Paul Clark, Chaplain of Helias Catholic High School, will offer Mass for us in the Chapel of St. Pius X at Helias at 6:30 p.m. More details about **Signum Crucis** will be shared after the Mass.

The second gathering will be on Oct. 19. Father Anthony Viviano will lead us in Study, and will challenge us to be strong Catholic men for our parish, our family, our friends, and our community. Details about the November **Signum Crucis** gathering will be shared after the session with Father Viviano.

Entrance into Helias for the **Signum Crucis** gatherings will be through the entrance on the east end of the school on Swifts Highway. You will see signage to direct you into the entrance.

We hope you also have the desire to be the Catholic man that God is calling you to be for your family and parish community. The area men who have put this concept together are eager to join you in developing our faith life as a fraternity of committed Catholic men. We are confident that our fraternity will help men grow in their faith and faithfulness to all who are important to them.

For more information, please contact Tim Hronick at 573-418-0851 or Mark Rehagen at 573-680-2520.

St. Joseph, Foster Father of the Son of God, pray for us.

RECYCLING OF ALUMINUM Thank you to everyone who has been recycling their aluminum cans here at St. Andrew's. For those who don't know, the recycling area is in the fenced enclosure next to the lower parking lot. All money collected from the recycling benefits the youth of the parish. A few details to remember as you recycle:

- Aluminum cans need to be placed in bags securely tied.
- PLEASE - no aluminum foil or pans. The recycling center does not pay for these items.
- Metal or steel items need to be placed in separate bags.

Breaking the Silence of Abuse

As a Diocese, we are committed to breaking the silence of abuse. When someone is reporting abuse, we must acknowledge their pain and how difficult it is to talk about it. False allegations are very rare. Our initial response to someone who is disclosing abuse for the first time must be compassionate. For those who need to report abuse, encourage them to contact our Victims Assistance Coordinator, Nancy Hoey, and to make use of the appropriate State of Missouri hotline or the Attorney General's clergy abuse online form. All of this information is also on our website, under the 'report abuse' tab. For those who want information, or want you to convey a message to Bishop McKnight, please encourage them to use the 'reach us' form on our diocesan website, diojefcity.org. Assure them every submission is read.

SICK OR HOSPITALIZED? If you know of a parishioner who is ill, the parish health ministry committee sends a card. Please share with us so we can send a card. Email the name and address to admin@standrewparishhs.org.

PRAYER LINE is always in need of prayer warriors. If you would like to be on our prayer line please email Carol at mamcheaf@yahoo.com. Carol will email out all pray requests. If you are in need of prayers you can also email Carol requesting those or email the parish office.

OUR MONEY COUNTERS NEED YOUR ASSISTANCE

St. Andrew parishioners are very generous - both of their talents and financially. You are appreciated! It would be very helpful to those who volunteer their time to count the weekend collections, if everyone would write a separate check for each type of donation, rather than rolling everything into one check. One check works well for multiple weeks of offertory donations, but it complicates things when one check is written for multiple purposes (i.e., offertory, capital improvements, and a special collection).

DIocese of Jefferson City has many job postings. Check them out diojc.org. It is updated often.

WORKOUT CLASS The workout class has resumed in the Veit Hall St. Andrew. Come join us on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays 6-7pm. We have a personal trainer that will work with you at your own pace. It's only \$5.00 a session and you can come and go as your schedule allows. The workouts are focused on cardio, strength training and overall fitness. For more information call or text Theresa at (573) 680-9600 or email at verslues1064@gmail.com.

MEDICAL EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE for loan to anyone needing it:

- 2 manual wheelchairs
- 4 walkers, (1 with a seat)
- 3 bath seats
- 3 bedside commodes
- 1 knee roller
- 3 pairs crutches
- 5 canes
- 4 gait belts

Above equipment (except for bed) is stored in the storage area in the back of the St. Joseph room. Take anything you need and sign it out on the clipboard hanging on hook just inside doorway. Keep it as long as you need, then return it and sign it in on clipboard. Any questions? Call Helen at 573-491-3813.

TEXT & EMAIL SCAM Often times a parishioner receives text or email messages from an number claiming to be Fr. Roberto. They may ask for "a favor", "he is in a meeting and can not call", in the end they want you to get iTunes gift cards or something similar, scratch off the numbers and text them to that number.

Fr. Roberto, another priest, deacon or parish staff member will never ask for you to purchase gifts cards of this kind and then have you text us the information. PLEASE always check with us before doing so, by calling the office, call the rectory, CALL the number back &/or talking directly with the person by phone or email them back. Check the email address as well, it is usually not Fr. Roberto's. Thanks.

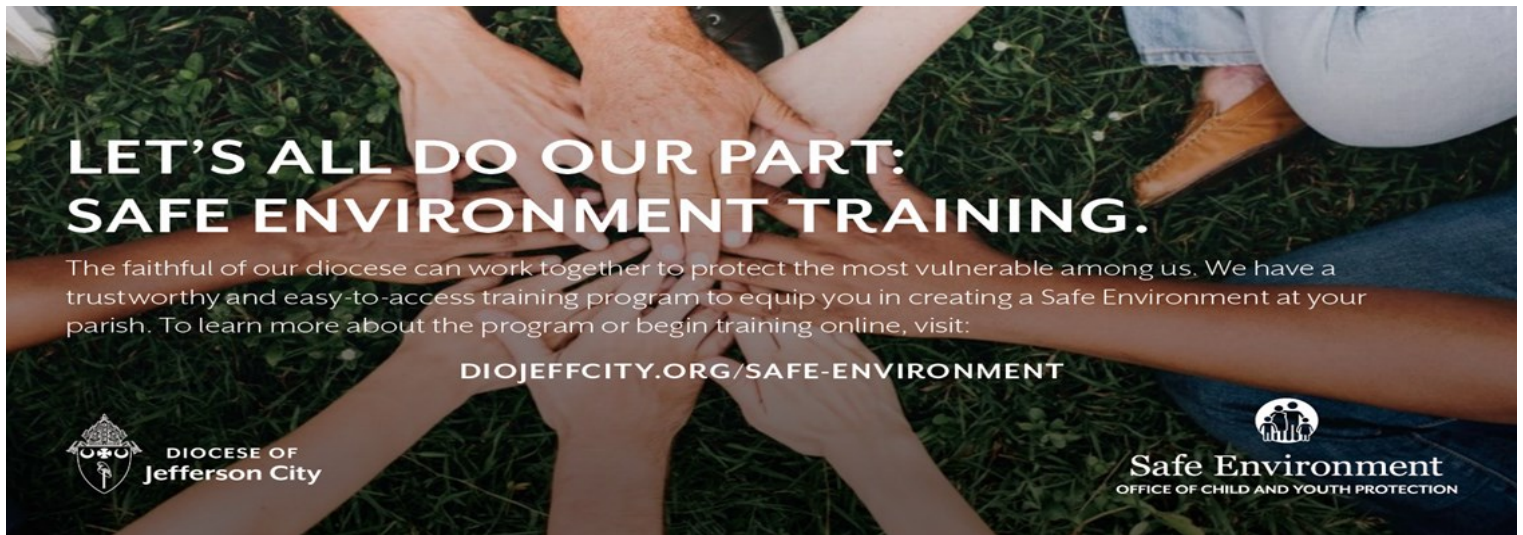
TEXT & SCAM ALERT

The Diocese of Jefferson City warns the public of what appears to be an ongoing phishing scam involving emails and texts purportedly from priests or parish/Chancery staff. This scam has hit many parishes across the United States. The email or text purports to be from a person the target knows, such as one's pastor, a parish staff member, the bishop or someone else from the Church. If the target responds to the fake email or text, the sender will follow up with a request for some sort of monetary assistance, often for gift cards or iTune cards. It is truly unfortunate cyber criminals will attempt to exploit the generous nature of our community. Sending emails or texts asking for cash or gifts cards is not how priests, parishes or the Diocese of Jefferson City seeks financial assistance for our work. If you receive an email or text from a trusted church personnel asking for assistance, confirm by calling that person and do NOT respond to the email or text.



Studies show that one in four females, and one in six males, will be a victim of sexual abuse by the time they reach the age of 18. You can help prevent this from happening. The Diocese of Jefferson City will hold a VIRTUS® *Protecting God's Children* class on line.

This program is one component of the overall effort to protect God's children and vulnerable adults. **All employees, volunteers, and parents of Catholic grade school children are required to attend a *Protecting God's Children* session. Other adults in the parish community are also encouraged to attend. Grandparents, etc. who plan to help with school activities or field trips are also required.** To view valuable resources regarding the protection of children and vulnerable adults, please go to www.virtus.org or the USCCB's website at <http://www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/child-and-youth-protection/index.cfm>.



LET'S ALL DO OUR PART: SAFE ENVIRONMENT TRAINING.

The faithful of our diocese can work together to protect the most vulnerable among us. We have a trustworthy and easy-to-access training program to equip you in creating a Safe Environment at your parish. To learn more about the program or begin training online, visit:

DIOJEFFCITY.ORG/SAFE-ENVIRONMENT



In the fall of 2020, safe environment policies were updated to strengthen how our diocese is protecting the vulnerable among us by training employees, priests, deacons, religious, adults, youth, and volunteers in our parishes, including our schools. This also means about 24,000 people in our diocese know the warning signs of predatory behavior, know the Diocese's code of conduct, and know how to report suspicious activity of anyone who might want to harm children. Every person who works or volunteers for the Church in a setting with children must undergo a background check and receive training on "Safe Environment."

Please see where you fit in below and help St. Andrew become compliant with the new diocesan policies. This can be done online, but if you would prefer to attend an in-person class call the parish office and we can get something scheduled.

Categories of those who are required to be Safe Environment Compliant

1. Adult Employees, Priests, Deacons, Religious Brothers and Sisters, Seminarians, and Deacon Candidates are required to do the following:
 - Attend a *Protecting God's Children (Virtus)* workshop in person or online and agree to ongoing online training;
 - Agree to a national background screening that evaluates any history related to criminal charges, and agree to regular screening every three months;
 - Complete the *Child Abuse or Neglect Registry* background check form; and
 - Read and consent to the *Code of Pastoral Conduct* by providing an electronic signature.
2. For those volunteers whose duties involve contact with minors. This would be PSR teachers, Adult servers serving with minors, children's choir directors, Confirmation leaders, working in a children's booth at a fund raiser, coaching, etc.
 - Attend a *Protecting God's Children (Virtus)* workshop in person or online and agree to ongoing online training;
 - Agree to a check through the *National Sex Offender Registry* (this is completed by the Safe Environment Office).
 - Complete the *Child Abuse or Neglect Registry* background check form; and
 - Read and consent to the *Code of Pastoral Conduct* by providing an electronic signature.
3. For those volunteers whose duties do not involve contact with minors. This would include (but is not an exhaustive list) Eucharistic Ministers of Holy Communion, ushers, lectors, workers at a fund raiser in the kitchen or closed off area where children are not around, music ministers, officers of organizations, greeters, etc.
 - Attend a *Protecting God's Children (Virtus)* workshop in person or online and agree to ongoing online training;
 - Agree to a check through the *National Sex Offender Registry* (this is completed by the Safe Environment Office).
 - Read and consent to the *Code of Pastoral Conduct* by providing an electronic signature.
4. For those volunteers whose duties do not involve contact with minors and who volunteer no more than one time per calendar year.
 - On the website diojeffcity.org click on Safe Environment. Scroll down to the middle of the page and click on "Please click here to fill out the single occasion volunteer form" located in the mid-section of the page. Complete the form and read and electronically sign the *Code of Pastoral Conduct*. Submit your form.

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