

St. Stephen Catholic Church

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September - September - September 2015

Parish Office Hours: Monday-Friday: 9:00am – 12:00pm & 1:00pm – 7:30pm
Saturday : 9:00am – 12:00pm & 1:00pm – 3:30pm
Sunday: 9:00am – 1:30pm

Parish Office is located at: St. Patrick Church
1046 E. 34th St.
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Oktoberfest!

Sunday, September 27
we will be celebrating
Oktoberfest. This will be a
special celebration for the entire parish,
both German and Hungarian congregations,
with traditional foods, music, and
performances by ethnic folkdance groups.
More information will be mailed out
separately with raffle tickets.

The donation of desserts is requested.

All proceeds will go to the Building Fund.

Schulanfangsmesse

On Sunday, September 13, the
German Mass will be the Schulanfangsmesse
(Mass for the beginning of the school year).
All who are involved in education, both
children and adults, whether as students,
teachers, or in any other capacity, are
encouraged to attend.

A Prayer Before Study

Creator of all things, true source of light and
wisdom, origin of all being, graciously let a ray of your
light penetrate the darkness of my understanding.

Take from me the double darkness in which I have
been born, an obscurity of sin and ignorance.

Give me a keen understanding, a retentive memory,
and the ability to grasp things correctly and
fundamentally.

Grant me the talent of being exact in my
explanations and the ability to express myself with
thoroughness and charm.

Point out the beginning, direct the progress, and help
in the completion. I ask this through Jesus Christ our
Lord. Amen.

-Saint Thomas Aquinas, OP (patron of scholars)

“What kind of work can be more noble than to
cultivate the minds of young people, guarding it carefully,
so that the knowledge and love of God and His holy
precepts go hand-in-hand with learning? To form young
Christians and citizens — isn't this the most beautiful and
noble-minded way to make use of life, of all one's talents
and energy?”

- St. John Cantius

Daily Mass readings and prayers in German may be found online at: <http://erzabtei-beuron.de/liturgie/index.php>

Parish Calendar for September 2015

September 6, Sunday – Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time - Green

- 9:15 AM - German Mass / Deutsche Messe
Lotte and Karl Seitz (40th wedding anniversary) Lotte Seitz
- 10:45 AM - Hungarian Mass / Magyar mise
Emöke and Izabella Csengeri (Thanksgiving) Csengeri Family

September 13, Sunday – Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Green

- 9:15 AM - German Mass / Deutsche Messe – Schulanfangsmesse
Nikolaus Friedrich Jr. and Sr (both deceased) Lotte Seitz
- 10:45 AM - Hungarian Mass / Magyar mise
Jenö Nagy (deceased) Erzsébet Nagy

September 20, Sunday – Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Green

- 9:15 AM - German Mass / Deutsche Messe
Josef Gauss (deceased) and The Gauss Family
Hans Seitz (deceased) The Seitz Family
- 10:45 AM - Hungarian Mass / Magyar mise
István Prihisztál (deceased) The Prihisztál Family

September 27, Sunday – Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time – Oktoberfest - Green

- 9:15 AM - German Mass / Deutsche Messe
Mary Schneider (deceased) and The Gauss Family
Karl and Anna Seitz (both deceased) The Seitz Family
- 10:45 AM - Hungarian Mass / Magyar mise
Béla Surányi (deceased) The Surányi Family

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Mass Intentions

Please contact Monika Mohos before or after Sunday Mass for any Mass intentions you would like to request. You may also contact her by phone at:

(818) 846-2651 or by email at: **monikamohos@yahoo.com**

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