

ST. ANGELA MERICI PARISH

September 15, 2019
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Rev. Mr. Joseph Kroutil

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NEW PARISHIONERS

**Register in the parish office,
Mon-Fri, 8:00 am- 4:00 pm.**

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

**Baptism Instruction is to be
scheduled with a parish priest.**

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

**To be arranged with the parish
priest at least six months prior**



Prayer, Liturgy and Sacrifice

Mass Schedule

Mon - Fri 8:00 am
Saturday First Sat. of the month, 8:00 am
Saturday 5:00 pm (Vigil)
Sunday 7:30, 9:30 & 11:30 am

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesdays 8:30 am - 7:00 pm
 7:00 pm - Perpetual Help & Benediction

Reconciliation

Saturdays 4:00 - 4:45 pm
 Or by appointment, call 314-838-6565

Perpetual Help Devotions

Tuesdays After 8:00 am Mass & 7:00pm

Holy Day of Obligation Masses

To Be Announced.

BULLETIN NOTICES: Submit to the parish office by Monday at 4:00 pm. Please email notices to: brindley@stangelam.org.

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, September 16
 8:00 am - Margie Ponnath
Tuesday, September 17
 8:00 am - Jane Buchholz
Wednesday, September 18
 8:00 am - Helen Thielker
Thursday, September 19
 8:00 am - Juanita Uezen
Friday, September 20
 8:00 am - Ralph Wilcox
Saturday, September 21
 5:00 pm - Hank Deaepe
Sunday, September 22
 7:30 am - Birdie Wohldman
 9:30 am - People of the Parish
 11:30 am - June Ewers

MINISTERS

FOR NEXT WEEKEND, SEPT. 21 & 22

WEEKEND SERVERS

5:00 pm - Matt Adams, Daena Talavera,
VOLUNTEER NEEDED
7:30 am - Thomas Anderson, 2 **VOLUNTEER NEEDED**
9:30 am - Hunter Dodson, Aaron Fenner, Matthew Neiner
11:30am - Megan Kelley, 2 **VOLUNTEER NEEDED**

WEEKEND LECTORS

5:00 pm - George Bidleman
7:30 am - Katherine Ising, Theresa Watson
9:30 am - Elaine Neiner, Mary Ann Kauffman
11:30 am - Jeanie McCrary

EXTRAORDINARY MIN. OF HOLY COMMUNION

5:00 pm - Claudia Bidleman, Tina Clarkin, Karen Dietz, Vitina Galati, Nora Kaikati, Shirley Sweney,
VOLUNTEER NEEDED
7:30 am - Geoffrey Bullock, Margie Heppermann, Donna Krause, Harry Maier, Carol Pauli, William Watson, Cathy Welsh
9:30 am - Nancy Hesselbach, John & Sue Scheiding, Laura Vietmeier, 3 **VOLUNTEER NEEDED**
11:30 am - Charles Danganan, Linda McManus, Denyse Sternberg

WEEKEND GIFT BEARERS - SEPT 21 & 22

Sat. 5:00 pm - Tim Adams Family
 Sun. 7:30 am - Tom & Marie Trost
 Sun. 9:30 am - Tony & Norma Trupiano
 Sun. 11:30 am - The Licalde Family

Sunday Collection - September 8, 2019

Sunday Offering	\$ 11,479
Weekly Budget	\$ 11,290
Weekly Over/Under	+ \$ 189
Fiscal Year To Date	- \$ 1,712

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From The Desk of Msgr. Matthew Mitas:

REMEMBER THAT SEPTEMBER IS THE MONTH OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS!

CALLING ALL CATECHUMENS!

This is the time of year when we start looking at the next RCIA class, and so if either you or anyone you know is interested in becoming Catholic (or just learning more about our faith), please let me know as soon as possible. The classes will start in late September.

GERMANFEST

I'm getting very excited about this year's extravaganza. We started this last year, and none of us had any idea of how it would be received and attended. Well, it exceeded anything we could have reasonably hoped for. We made some money and, most of all, the parish pulled together as a *thriving* community and had a wonderful time enjoying each other's company and meeting some new neighbors. The more things like this that we have, the more it tells our whole neighborhood that we are still a vital force in North County and will be for the foreseeable future. This year's looks to be even more exciting, as we will offer more things for all members of the family. So let your neighbors, kids and grandkids know: **ST. ANGELA MERICI GERMANFEST, 2019!** (Sept. 28, 4:30-10:00PM).

MASS TIME FOR GERMANFEST

As previously announced, there will be one change in the Mass schedule to accommodate Germanfest, and that is that the usual 5:00PM Mass on Sept. 28 will begin at 4:00, and the 4:00PM Confessions will take place at 3:00 instead. That is the only change and it is for that one day **ONLY!**

WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF YOUR PRAYERS

I am well on the road to recovery from my last hip surgery, and I have great gratitude both to you, for all your prayers on my behalf, and to God, who answered all those prayers! Although not quite fully recovered yet, I am well-ahead of schedule and, again, I cannot thank you enough for your kindness.

QUIZ-A-CATHOLIC

Entering the seminary is no guarantee of becoming a priest. Historically, the vast majority of those who do enter, do *not*, in fact, make it all the way to ordination. The seminary has two purposes: first, to help a young man discern whether or not he actually has a calling, and, second, only after that calling has been established, to form him into a priest. Of those who enter and then drop out before orders, most go on to live rich lives of great fulfillment, and are successful in their pursuits, typically contributing greatly to the parishes in which they live. A remarkable number of ex-seminarians went on to have careers in show biz. Name which of the following Hollywood-types is an ex-seminarian:

1. Tom CRUISE
2. Spencer TRACY
3. Levar BURTON
4. Gene RODDENBERRY
5. Martin SCORSESE
6. Peter BOYLE
7. Gabriel BYRNE
8. Dan AYKROYD
9. Michael MOORE
10. John WAYNE

ANSWERS: 1. Yes 2. Yes 3. Yes 4. Yes 5. Yes 6. Yes 7. Yes 8. Yes 9. Yes 10. No (but he did have a grandson who became a priest!)





Features:

CONTINUED

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 17 & 20: Exercise class for seniors in our gym. (Every Tuesday and Friday from 9:00-10:00AM)

September 17: Msgr. Mitas' Catechism Class resumes!

September 28: GERMANFEST! Back this year and better than ever!

TBD: Church tour of the archdiocese

TBD: Pilgrimage to shrine or monastery (see above)

QUOTES OF THE WEEK

"I am not absent-minded. It is the presence of mind that makes me unaware of anything else!" - *G. K. Chesterton*

"Without education, we are in a horrible and deadly danger of taking educated people seriously!" - *The Great Chesterton, again*

"There are two ways to get enough: one is to continue to accumulate more and more. The other is to desire less." - *G. K. Chesterton (completing the Chesterton trifecta)*

WORD OF THE WEEK

HODIERNAL: (*n.*) of today, as in, "*Do not put off hodiernal things until tomorrow!*"

WOMEN'S RETREAT

Are you over-due for a relaxing weekend of peace, quiet, great food, and spiritual nourishment? Take some time away and join your friends for a women's retreat on Sept 27-29 at King's House Belleville. Contact our Parish Captain Jeanette at 314-837-5144 for further information or to register.

LECTORS/ EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION/ WEEKEND ALTAR SERVERS NEW SCHEDULE

The October-November-December Schedule will be prepared the week of September 15th. Please sign-in to your schedule before Sep 15 and enter any dates in the next quarter you will not be available to serve in your ministry(ies).

This Week In Our Parish:

Tuesday, September 17

8:30 am - Eucharistic Adoration

9:00 am - Seniors Exercise Class, GYM

3:00 pm - Legion of Mary, Rectory Basement

7:00 pm - Benediction

Wednesday, September 18

9:00 am - Quilters Meeting, Rectory Basement

Thursday, September 19

7:00 pm - Ladies & Men K of C , Rectory Basement

Friday, September 20

9:00 am - Seniors Exercise Class, GYM

Saturday, September 21

9:00 am - Quilt Show, GYM

Sunday, September 22

12:00 pm - Quilt Show, GYM

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH:

Rachael Lawson, Dorothy Martinelli, Jeff Gauthier, Jennifer Berkbigler, Sue Pitti, Mary Dietz, Rosemary Licato, Evelyn Finno, Claudette Kazakian, Shirley Bertin, Lisa Williford, Roy Wong, Guy Henriksen, Augustine & Ray Porter, Billie Lawson, Jim & Eileen McMullen, Kristine Lawson, Katie Horn, Neil MacKenzie, William Brennan, Carolyn Stokes, Margaret Kluge, Laurie Kauffman, Carl Kling, Sr., Trisha Looney, Jerome Rueckert, Charles Haynes, Kathy Pilla, Eli Felder, Mary Shive, Marion Miller, Bill Stubits, Bob Kenney, Nancy Brennen, Peggy Hinrichs, Katie Sanders, Margaret Nolte, Joe Cyr, Mike James, Brian Bennett, Teresa Hamilton, Jude Wulf, Gladys Herrera, Deborah Batson, William Buchholz, Patrice Broyles, William Belcher, Hal Dietz, Harry Maier, Janet Garvin, Debbie Vietmeier, Suzy Vietmeier and Ken Schmidt.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES AT REGINA CLERI

Regina Cleri, an independent living community for Retired Priests, has the current job opportunities: Housekeeper part-time M-F morning shifts pays \$10.30 per hour, and full-time & part-time Kitchen/Dining Room Server 7a-7p split shifts pays \$9.79 per hour. All positions have health insurance and benefits available on first day of hire. This is rewarding work where you will find yourself serving our retired Archdiocesan Priests. Submit your resume and cover letter to MikeMiller@archstl.org or call Mike at 314-792-7742.



Features:

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN & WOMEN

Joshua Stremlau, Bradley Stremlau, Corey Rudroff, Steven Bennett, Jerrod Klug, Michael Olwig, Pat Edwards-Parrish, Jonathan Buss, Brad Sanders, Matthew Meske, Jackie Cotter, J. Timothy Sullivan, Matthew Hawkins, John Reddan, Dustin Kyle, Jacob Doerle, Max Rose, Craig Richardson, Isiah Stewart, Matthew Moorman, Jacob Graham, and Joshua Graham

CALL THE PARISH OFFICE IF YOU WISH TO ADD A FAMILY MEMBER WHO IS IN THE ARMED FORCES.

REMINDER!! \$150 CLUB

Our first monthly drawing of \$250 is just weeks away. If you have not signed up for the 150 Club, hurry and do so! You could be the September winner!!



FLU SHOTS

Walgreens and parishioner Martha Keegan, will be hosting a Flu shot clinic on Monday, October 14th from 12:30-2pm in the lunchroom after the SAM meeting. Flu shots will be given to those 12 years of age and older (those 12-17 years old must have a legal guardian present). Please bring your Medicare and Medical/Prescription cards for billing.

The Flu shots are free with insurance.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Please help us to show Christ's love to all those we visit who are in need. Your financial support in the parish or brown envelopes is a tremendous help when we try to keep neighbors from being evicted or having their utilities disconnected. Please continue to support our Food Drives. Thanks to everyone who supports the SVDP Society.



CALLING ALL GOURMETS, BAKERS AND COOKS!!!

Our parish is world famous for being the Shaw's Garden of the North, providing pleasure to the eye and the nose. Now, the ladies of our parish are putting together a cookbook to satisfy the taste buds and to raise funds for our new roof! Recipes are being sought for this tasteful endeavor. Please submit your recipes via email to Agnes Bullock at dachsieswithmoxiemama@gmail.com, or place them in an envelope in the weekly collection. Due date for our gastronomical delights is October 1st!! Any questions or to volunteer, please contact Claudia Bidleman, Agnes Bullock or contact the parish office.



Respect Life CONFERENCE

The Respect Life Apostolate will be hosting the 43rd Annual Respect Life Convention on Sunday, October 13 at the St. Charles Convention Center. The event includes Mass with Bishop Mark Rivotuso, inspiring workshops, exhibits, and a keynote address by Abby Johnson. Abby Johnson is a former Planned Parenthood director turned national pro-life advocate and author. Her best-selling book, *Unplanned* (now also a major motion picture), depicts her powerful conversion to the pro-life movement. She is also the founder of *And Then There Were None*, a registered nonprofit organization that exists to help abortion clinic workers leave the abortion industry. The convention is a FREE EDUCATIONAL EVENT. Only the keynote presentation and luncheon require pre-registration. St. Angela Merici has a table reserved for the luncheon/speaker. Seats are \$50. To reserve a seat at the St. Angela Merici table or for questions, please contact Debbie Pilla at 314-803-0759.



Features:



BLOOD DRIVE

Wednesday, October 9
3:30 - 6:30 in the lunch room

Please join us and donate blood if you are able. As usual, the need is great, so also tell your family and friends.

If you have any questions call the Parish Office at 314-838-6565 you can schedule an appointment or just show up that day.

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**St. Angela Merici Men's Club
is barbecuing on September
21st & 22nd for the Quilter
Show**

**Hours: Saturday Ham—5pm
Sunday Ham—2pm**



GERMANFEST

Calling all Parishioners of St. Angela Merici. We are in need of volunteers to help make the GERMANFEST a great success again this year. It will be a great night for good food, company and lots of fun. Please stop by the lunchroom and sign up for a two hour shift. The Germanfest Committee would like to thank you in advance for your help to make this event great.

MOTHER OF GOOD COUNSEL HOME is hosting their 16th Annual Golf Tournament on Monday, September 23, at Glen Echo Country Club. The \$250 golfer fee includes goody bag, practice time, lunch, 18 holes with a cart, a cocktail hour with dinner to follow and a silent and oral auction, plus a hole in one prize, etc. Not a golfer? Join us for drinks, dinner and the auctions. For more details and to sign up please contact Marsha Heine at 314-383-4765 or mheine@mogch.org for more details.



Join us Saturday October 19th, from 9 to 4, in the lunchroom for a day of crafting and fun! Avoid the last minute rush and come have fun!

Bring your crafts- quilting, sewing, embroidery scrap booking etc. and enjoy the companionship of your fellow crafting aficionado!

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Bring your snacks, lunch and drinks.



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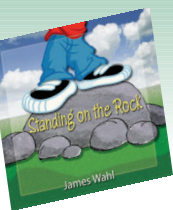
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