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Pastor
Msgr. Matthew Mitas, ext. 102

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Rev. Mr. Joseph Kroutil

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Sharon Churchill

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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, October 5

9:00 am - Dorothy Vogel

Tuesday, October 6

8:00 am - All Souls in Purgatory

Wednesday, October 7

8:00 am - Ted Lehmkuhl

Thursday, October 8

8:00 am - Tom & Elnora Tooley

Friday, October 9

8:00 am - Bob Phillips

Saturday, October 10

5:00 pm - Cliff Cooper

Sunday, October 11

7:30 am - The Bredenkamp Family (Spec. Int.)

9:30 am - Robert Tudor

11:30 am - People of the Parish

MINISTERS

FOR NEXT WEEKEND, OCTOBER 10 & 11

WEEKEND SERVERS

5:00 pm - N/A

7:30 am - N/A

9:30 am - N/A

11:30 am - N/A

WEEKEND LECTORS

5:00 pm - N/A

7:30 am - N/A

9:30 am - N/A

11:30 am - N/A

EXTRAORDINARY MIN. OF HOLY COMMUNION

5:00 pm - N/A

7:30 am - N/A

9:30 am - N/A

11:30 am - N/A

WEEKEND GIFT BEARERS - OCTOBER 10 & 11

Sat. 5:00 pm - N/A

Sun. 7:30 am - N/A

Sun. 9:30 am - N/A

Sun. 11:30 am - N/A

Sunday Collection - September 27, 2020

Sunday Offering	\$ 9,435
Weekly Budget	\$ 11,980
Weekly Over/Under	-\$ 2,545
Fiscal Year To Date	-\$ 18,982

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From The Desk of Msgr. Matthew Mitas:

REMEMBER THAT OCTOBER IS THE MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY!

THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY, *continued*

Our Lady, in several of her apparitions, has promised countless blessings (and the side-stepping from many evils) to those who pray her rosary. Armed with those promises, and further buttressed by the lived experience of millions of souls in heaven, we promote that rosary not only as a magnificent exercise of devotion, but also of mental prayer (i.e., meditation), which is the most powerful kind of prayer. When I say that, I mean that it is uniquely potent in its ability to draw us into the presence of God. All prayer is communication with the Almighty: we talk to Him (and He listens), then He talks to us (and we're supposed to listen, too). Sadly, many people only reach the stage of talking to God, and never take the time to listen to Him as He speaks to us. Let's face it: what we have to say to God isn't any great shakes. When He speaks to us, however, *and we finally start to listen*, then the whole universe starts to change. That's precisely what meditation is: listening to the voice of God. As we meditate on the mysteries of the rosary while we pray, we are drawn into an ever deeper personal experience of those mysteries, and of God Himself. Pray the rosary this month and every day of your life. It will change you.

RELIEF FOR THE VICTIMS OF THE WEST COAST CONFLAGRATIONS

Archbishop Rozanski has asked all the parishes of the Archdiocese to take up a second collection for the relief of the victims of the unprecedentedly-horrible fires on the West Coast. We will, of course, comply. Please take a separate envelope and mark it: **FIRE RELIEF** (or some other designation by which we will know your true intention), write your name on it, too (so we can credit it to you as a parish contribution), insert your offering (checks should be payable to St. Angela Merici), and drop it in the basket on Sunday (or somehow get it to the parish offices) at your first convenience.

KEEP SENDING IN YOUR ENVELOPES!

I thank all of our faithful parishioners who have been keeping current with their parish support. We're persevering despite everything, and need everybody's cooperation to keep going. Your contributions can be made in person (of course), on line (call the parish office for assistance in setting that up if you need it), by mail, or dropping it off in the parish mailbox (right outside the offices).

QUIZ-A-CATHOLIC

This being a Marian month (the month of the Holy Rosary), we're going to test your knowledge of the Blessed Mother, including our doctrines about her, our devotions to and about her, and her role in salvation history over the past 2,000 years. See how well you can do:

1. Name the four great Marian dogmas.
2. Name the three Marian holy days of obligation in the United States.
3. What title was bestowed on her at the Second Vatican Council?
4. Name three approved major apparitions of the Blessed Mother.
5. Under which of her titles is she the patroness of the United States?
6. Name the first and most important church dedicated to Mary in the Catholic world.
7. Across the piazza from #6 is a church which contains an icon of the BVM which has a great devotional connection to the Archdiocese of St. Louis; what is it?
8. Speaking of Marian icons, which great saint is said to have painted icons of her while she still lived (some of which are said to be still with us)?
9. By what names do we know her parents (and, hence, Jesus' grandparents)?
10. What are Mary's last words in the gospels, and at what occasion were they spoken?

ANSWERS: 1. *That she is Mother of God, was Immaculately Conceived, was always a virgin, and was assumed body and soul into heaven* 2. *Her divine maternity (Jan. 1), her Assumption (Aug. 15), and her Immaculate Conception (Dec. 8)*





Features:

CONTINUED

ANSWERS: 3. "Mother of the Church" 4. Lourdes, Fatima, Guadalupe, LaSalette, Paris (on the Rue du Bac/Miraculous Medal), Aparecida, Banneux, Beauraing, Laus, Pontmain 5. Immaculate Conception 6. Basilica of St. Mary Major in Rome 7. The icon of Our Mother of Perpetual Help 8. St. Luke, the Evangelist 9. Ss. Joachim and Ann 10. "Do whatever He (Jesus) tells you", spoken at the Wedding Feast in Cana (ed. note: Wonderful advice!)

UPCOMING EVENTS

Every Tuesday: Eucharistic Adoration in church from 8:30AM-7:00PM, with Devotions and Benediction at 7:00.

Every Tuesday and Friday: Exercise in the gym from 9:00-10:00AM.

Oct. 6, Tue: Catechism class after the 7:00PM Devotions (in church and live-streamed)

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"What is startling is the perpetual passion of anti-Catholicism. You'd think that by now people who reject Catholicism would calmly ignore its teachings as old and irrelevant superstitions. After all, the Church has none of her old political power, adherence is now totally voluntary, and she has enough trouble getting her own children to listen to her. But Catholicism still has a strange moral authority, and many people are unable to achieve a calm and assured disbelief. They are still driven to discredit the Church - perhaps for the same reason so many of us believe in her. I don't defend the Church's morality because I am a Catholic. I became and remain a Catholic because the Church maintains a consistent morality - while the rest of the world keeps veering of finto moral fads. My conviction that she is right is only strengthened by the world's strident demand that she change along with it, as if it were a sort of moral duty to change one's principles, like underwear, with reasonable frequency."

WORD OF THE WEEK

SOSPITAL: (*adj.*) Keeping safe and healthy, preserving from danger, as in: "Nowadays, the government is imposing all kinds of restrictions, claiming they are sospital and for our own good."

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH:

Rachael Lawson, Jeff Gauthier, Rosemary Licato, Guy Henriksen, Augustine & Ray Porter, Billie Lawson, Kristine Lawson, Neil MacKenzie, Margaret Kluge, Laurie Kauffman, Carl Kling, Sr., Trisha Looney, Jerome Rueckert, Kathy Pilla, Nancy Brennen, Peggy Hinrichs, Brian Bennett, William Buchholz, Debbie Vietmeier, Suzy Vietmeier, Gloria Wasser, John Beyatte, Joe Knese, Donna Ahrens, Paula Gamel, Katie Sanders, Jim McMullen, Veronica Murray, Pat Brennan, Patty Holschen, Jude Pauli, June Hildebrand, John Keeven, Florence Coyne, John Thummel, Margaret Nolte, Zachery Davisson, Rita Sommer, Bill Moon, Gladys Broyles, Caroline Layton and Brian Perry .

PLEASE LET US KNOW IF WE NEED TO ADD OR REMOVE ANYONE FROM THE ABOVE SO AS TO KEEP OUR SICK LIST CURRENT. THANK YOU!

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN & WOMEN:

Joshua Stremlau, Bradley Stremlau, Corey Rudroff, Steven Bennett, Jerrod Klug, Pat Edwards-Parrish, Jonathan Buss, Brad Sanders, Matthew Meske, Jackie Cotter, J. Timothy Sullivan, Matthew Hawkins, John Reddan, Dustin Kyle, 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.

Wedding Banns



Matthew Adams and Alexandra Chaney, who will be married on Saturday, October 10th

Monica Danganan and Kyle Rasch

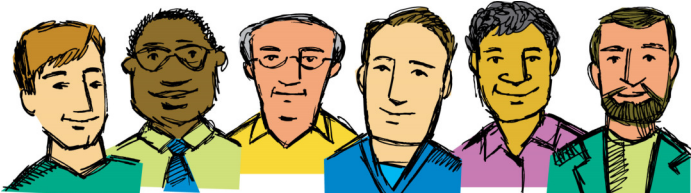


Features:



CALLING ALL CRAFTERS! We are resuming our Saturday get together on November 14th from 9:00am until 3:00pm in the lunchroom.

Bring your machines, tools and let's craft together and have a great time.



THE MEN'S CLUB would like to thank everyone that supported the Fall BBQ last Saturday. The event was a **HUGE** success with over 150 meals served! All proceeds were given to Monsignor to be applied towards the new camera system. Thanks again!



RACHEL'S VINEYARD

The Archdiocese of St. Louis is expanding its Abortion Healing Ministry through the addition of Rachel's Vineyard, an intensive weekend retreat. This ministry is considered the world's largest ministry for healing after abortion and to date has helped more than 320,000 women and men globally since its founding. This retreat is open to women, men and couples, and will take place Nov. 13-15. The program expands upon the existing Project Rachel and Project Joseph programs, both of which provide healing to women and men affected by an abortion. Rachel's Vineyard also offers up to six weeks of follow-up care after the retreat. A separate Bible study is offered to anyone who has participated in Rachel's Vineyard. Project Rachel or Project Joseph.

WHEN; Nov. 13-15 in St. Louis

COST; \$50 per person, which includes 2 night's lodging, all meals and materials.

MORE INFO: Register by Nov. 6. For more information, call (314)792-7565, or email stlprojectrachel@archstl.org. All information and inquiries are kept confidential.



Archdiocese of St. Louis 44th Annual Respect Life Convention Live from the Ritz-Carlton!

Beginning at 10 a.m. on **Sunday, October 18**, join the Respect Life Apostolate (RLA) virtually for an inspirational and educational day of prayer, dynamic speakers on the Gospel of Life, awards and Walking with Moms ministry partners—all live from the Ritz-Carlton, St. Louis. Watch the Convention live-stream with your family, parish, school, youth group or pro-life organization!

During the **44th Annual Respect Life Convention: Walking with Moms**, learn the latest from local, state and national prolife and Catholic leaders. Prayers and presentations those by:

- *Most Rev. Mark S. Rivituso* (Auxiliary Bishop of St. Louis)
- *David Bereit* (Founder, 40 Days for Life)
- *Elizabeth Westhoff* (award-winning Catholic communications professional)
- *Dr. James Sherley* (Charlotte Lozier Institute & Asymmetrex LLC)
- *Dr. Patrick Yeung* (St. Louis University & Catholic Medical Association)
- *Cynthia Haehnel JD* (Respect Life Director, Archdiocese of St. Louis)
- *Sr. Sue Ann Hall & Sr. Delores Vogt* (Our Lady of Guadalupe Pro-Life Convent)

Sign-up online today now through October 14! Registration, pricing, sponsorship opportunities, limited live-seating options, video challenge contest, and other details available at: <https://prolifestl.regfox.com/2020-respect-lifeconvention>

For questions or online registration help, please contact the RLA at prolife@archstl.org or 314-792-7555.



Features:

Whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me." JESUS, MATTHEW 25:40

This is your St. Vincent de Paul Society sharing a story. Our "Neighbors" are people in our area that are in need.

We have many neighbors who are in need. Many have not worked because of Covid-19 since the end of March. They are waiting to be called back from being furloughed. They are hoping and praying. It was great that the gas and electric companies did not shut off during the pandemic. The real world has appeared! Cutoffs are now being issued!

You can imagine how big some of the utility bills are since the beginning of April! If you have not worked, how are you able to pay those bills? This is also true about rent and mortgages. Your donations are greatly appreciated and your prayers for our "Neighbors" are fantastic!!

All of you are the "heart" for our hands!
Thanks



PROJECT JOSEPH SPIRITUAL SUPPORT GROUP

This is for any man who has been wounded by an abortion experience and is seeking healing. The group meets on the first Monday of the month. The next meeting is on Monday October 5, 2020, 7PM. Contact 314-792-7565 or pro-life@archstl.org.

6TH ANNUAL ANNIVERSARY MASS AT 5 PM SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2020 AT STS. PETER AND PAUL CHURCH

If you were married at Sts. Peter & Paul Church in Historic Soulard and have or will be celebrating a five-year marker anniversary in 2020, then we would like to invite you to an Anniversary Mass to honor your marriage and renew your wedding vows on Saturday, November 7, 2020 at the 5:00 p.m. Mass at Sts. Peter & Paul Church at the corner of 8th and Allen.

Please RSVP to Rachel Schoenberger asap or by Friday, October 23rd at 314-231-9923 or office@stpeterandpaulstl.org. Please include your first and last names, wedding month, day and year, number of years married and your contact information.



St. Ferdinand Fish Fry is OPEN Carry Out Only 3-7 pm

There will only be one way in and one way out. Please observe the markings on the floor to keep your social distancing. Masks are required.

We will also take orders over the phone at 314-839-5312 and can be picked up at door #3 in the back parking lot.

The menu will be limited at this time.



We have a parishioner that is willing to notarize all mail in ballots for the upcoming election. If you want to use his service, all you need to do is call the parish office and set up an appointment. Appointments will only be on Tuesday or Thursday morning after 9:00am.



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