

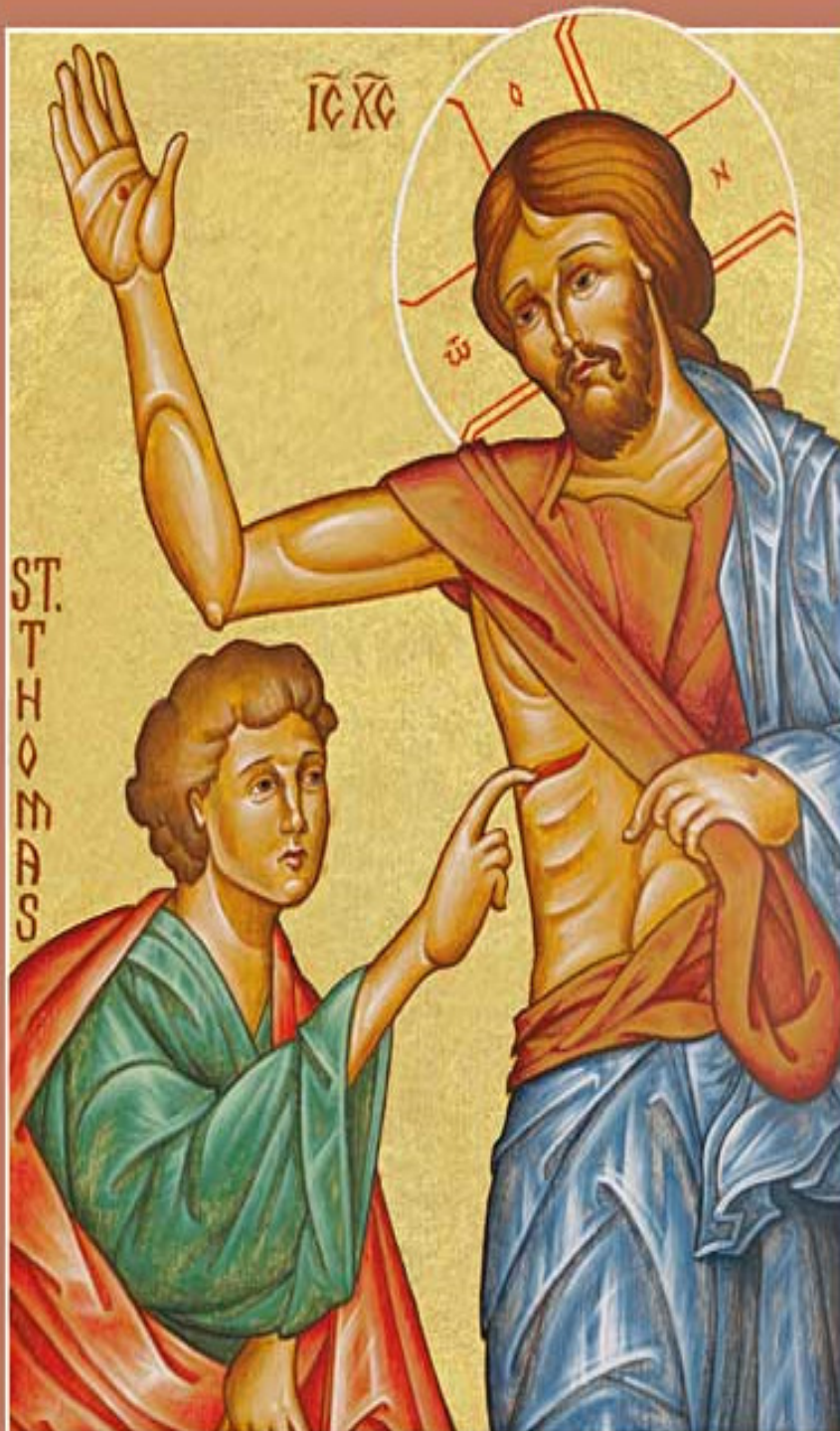
# ST. ANGELA MERICI PARISH

July 2, 2023

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3860 N. Hwy 67

Florissant, MO 63034



**PARISH OFFICE, 838-6565**  
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**838-6566**

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**Monique Zykan, ext. 103**

**Music Director**

**Sharon Churchill**

**Mary Ann Kauffman, ext. 101**

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**NEW PARISHIONERS**

**Register in the parish of-**  
**fice,**

**Mon-Fri, 8:00 am- 4:00pm**

**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 Friday at 4:00 pm. Please email notices to: [brindley@stangelam.org](mailto:brindley@stangelam.org).

**NEW PARISHIONERS:** Please register in the parish office, Mon-Fri, 8 am - 4 pm. For more information, call the Parish Office, 314-838-6565.

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

### Monday, July 3

8:00 am - Rosemary Licato

### Tuesday, July 4

9:00 am - Rosemary Licato

### Wednesday, July 5

8:00 am - Rosemary Licato

### Thursday, July 6

8:00 am - Priest Intention

### Friday, July 7

8:00 am - Schmidt Family  
 6:00 pm - Kenneth Schmidt

### Saturday, July 8

5:00 pm - Jim & Grace Niemann (Spec. Int.)

### Sunday, July 9

7:30 am - Robert (Bob) Happe  
 9:30 am - Harry Ziegler  
 11:30 am - People of the Parish

**MASS STIPENDS** If you would like to request a special Mass intention in thanksgiving or remembrance of a loved one at an upcoming Mass, please contact the parish office at 314-838-6565

## MINISTERS

FOR NEXT WEEKEND, JULY 8TH & 9TH

### 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 - Crystalyn Talavera

7:30 am - John Fallah

9:30 am - Mary Ann Kauffman

11:30 am - Julie Ratermann

### Sunday Collection - June 18, 2023

Sunday Offering	\$ 7,435
Weekly Budget	\$12,469
Weekly Over/Under	- \$ 5,034
Fiscal Year To Date	- \$135,733

## WELCOME!

Whether you are a longtime resident or newly arrived to the parish, we thank God for you. If you are not registered or if your information has changed, please let us know by returning the information below either by placing it in the collection basket, dropping it off at the parish office or emailing the parish office at [brindley@stangelam.org](mailto:brindley@stangelam.org).

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number : \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_



## *From The Desk of Msgr. Matthew Mitas:*

**REMEMBER THAT JULY IS THE MONTH OF THE MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD OF JESUS!**

### **ALL THINGS NEW**

By the time you read this, we will have already had the first organizational meeting of the All Things New rearrangement of the parishes (it took place on Tuesday, June 20). The problem is that I am having to write this on Monday, June 19 because the publishing of our bulletins is out of sync (because of holidays, I guess). I wish I could be more forthcoming in this space about what's going to take place. I do believe that there's a consensus of opinion that we should take these things *slowly*, especially since the merging of the parishes is being contested and appealed. And, as I keep saying, nothing is official before August 1.

### **COME JOIN US AT THE TOMBS OF THE MARTYRS!**

Is there still space for our pilgrimage to Italy this October/November? Of course! Every Catholic should have a pilgrimage both to Rome and the Holy Land under his belt before he leaves this world, and this may be your best opportunity to take care of the Rome part. We will see the Rome of the Caesars, the Rome of the Apostles, the Rome of the Renaissance, and the Rome of the Roman Catholic Church – 2,800 years of history and tradition, all in one spot! They don't call her the Eternal City for nothing! (In addition, we'll also see Florence, Pompeii, Naples, and Assisi!) Get your reservation in; we're booking with Travel Tyme (out Manchester way), 636-391-1000, and brochures are available in the parish office.

### **PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS**

It was the Gospel on June 18: "Beg the Master of the Harvest to send out laborers to gather His harvest." Come for the last hour of Adoration on Tuesdays and pray. God is already calling our young ones; pray that they will have the wherewithal to answer His call!

### **GRATITUDE ALL AROUND**

We at St. Angela are copiously blessed with people who are overflowing with evergetism (this was last week's *Word of the Week*), meaning that they keep giving and giving, and just don't count the cost. Two such groups come to mind right away, and they're our choir and our gardeners, but they're closely followed by the parishioners who make up the Men's and Ladies' Clubs. There are many more of course, and I hope to get around to recognizing them, but for right now, let's thanks these evergetic men and women!

### **CALLING ALL NEPHEWS AND NIECES OF OUR UNCLE SAM**

Don't forget: Mass on Fourth of July is at 9:00AM. **Since it is a national holiday, we will not have the Eucharistic Adoration or evening devotions that day.**

### **QUIZ-A-CATHOLIC**

I present to you now a grab-bag of disjointed local trivia – give it a shot:

1. Name the high school soccer team that won the silver medal in soccer at the 1904 St. Louis Olympiad.
2. Name the parish men's soccer team that won the bronze medal in the same event.
3. What did John Thornton do that was so significant in the history of our archdiocese?
4. What layman founded the first hospital in St. Louis (and west of the Mississippi)?
5. What great thing did Bryan Mullanphy & Dr. Moses Linton do in local church history?
6. What two professional athletes have served as permanent deacons in our archdiocese?
7. Name the various institutions in our archdiocese named after our former bishops.
8. Who was the Catholic layman who changed the map of Europe by helping form the nation of Czechoslovakia after WWI?
9. Name the oldest parish and oldest parish church in the archdiocese.
10. What parish church was recently voted the most beautiful in the United States?





## Features:

### CONTINUED

**ANSWERS:** 1. CBC 2. *St. Rose of Lima (on Goodfellow, now closed)...only three teams showed up for the event, and the St. Rose men, even though they lost two games, tied one, and didn't score any goals, finished third by default and thus qualified for the bronze!* 3. *When he died in the mid-19<sup>th</sup> c., he left his entire personal fortune of \$579,000 (over \$100 million in today's money) to the archdiocese* 4. *John Mullanphy* 5. *They established the first foundation of the St. Vincent de Paul Society in the United States* 6. *Rev. Mr. Larry Stallings and Hall-of-Fame roundballer, Rev. Mr. "Easy" Ed Macauley* 7. *Bp. Dubourg, Rosati-Kain, and Cardinal Ritter High Schools (there had been a Kenrick High, now long gone), Kenrick Seminary, Cardinal Glennon Hospital and College, Cardinal Carberry Campus (of Catholic Charities), Cardinal Rigali Center, located on Archbishop May Drive* 8. *Dr. Hynek Dostal, a Knight of St. Gregory, who also edited the Czech language newspaper, "Hlas"* 9. *Parish: Ste. Genevieve (1759), church: our own St. Ferdinand Shrine (1821)* 10. *The church of my baptism, St. Francis de Sales!*

### 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 for seniors, from 9:00-10:00AM in the gym

**By special arrangement with the Parish Office:** Pickleball! (in the gym)

**July 4, Tue.:** Independence Day...Mass at 9:00AM (NO ADORATION OR EVENING DEVOTIONS BECAUSE OF THE HOLIDAY)

**July 6, Thur.:** First Thursday birthday breakfast

**July 7, Fri.:** First Friday Mass & holy hour, 6:00PM in church

**July 11 & 18, Tues.:** Catechism Class (resuming after last week's holiday), after the evening devotions, in the Parish Meeting Room

### QUOTES OF THE WEEK

"Find out just what any people will quietly submit to and you have found the exact measure of injustice and wrong that will be imposed on them...the limits of tyrants are prescribed by the endurance of those they oppress." - *Frederick Douglas*

### WORD OF THE WEEK

UNHOUSELED (*adj.*) having died without receiving *Viaticum*, as in: "*You do not want to die unhouseled!*"

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH:

Rachael Lawson, Jeff Gauthier, Augustine Porter, Billie Lawson, Kristine Lawson, Margaret Kluge, Laurie Kauffman, Carl Kling, Sr., Trisha Looney, Jerome Rueckert, Debbie Vietmeier, Gloria Wasser, John Beyatte, Joe Knese, Donna Ahrens, Jim McMullen, Pat Brennan, June Hildebrand, Florence Coyne, John Thummel, Rita Sommer, Bill Moon, Vivian Easley, Deborah Corcoran, Tom George, Marge Dubray, Leona Alligood, Janet Stubits, Vince Perrot, Agnes (Babe) Dreyer, Sally Caruso, Steve Scherer, Tom Karanzieff, Alma Hankins, Christopher Dafflitto, Theresa Hamilton, Brian Perry, Jan Ostermeyer, Kathy Russell, Colleen Chronister, Tamara Shrader, Art Batson, Sharyn Buchholz, Lisa Williford, Joe O'Brien, Judy Eads, Tina McFadden, Tina Hawkins, Jack Kiaman, Wilma Schmidt, Clarence Friedman, Gloria Frisella, Barb Schmitz, Gerry & Wayne Schilly, Philip & Ester Sansone, Don Krause, Mary Krause, Dorothy Happe, Norma Trupiano, Ed Dafflitto and Marilyn Werner

### PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN & WOMEN:

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, Craig Richardson, Matthew Moorman, Dylan Krause, Tyler Krause, Daniel Schmitz, Zachary Hofer, Kyle Hofer, Jacob Graham, Michael Rose, Nicholas Hedlesky, Christopher Hedlesky, Maya Hedlesky, Brody MacKinnon and Mitchell Trost.



## Features:



**MID-LIFE SINGLES:** Are you looking for a renewed sense of purpose & belonging? Register today for a life-changing REFLECT weekend

retreat at La Salle Retreat Center, Wildwood, MO (35 min from downtown St. Louis), on July 21-23, 2023. Take a chance and get involved... you won't regret it! Early bird cost is \$240 (\$250 after July 7th) including meals and a single room. Visit [www.ReflectRetreat.com](http://www.ReflectRetreat.com), e-mail [reflect.stlouis@gmail.com](mailto:reflect.stlouis@gmail.com), or call (314) 283-0044 for details.



Parish office will be closed on Tuesday, July 4th due to the holiday. We will be back to work on Wednesday, July 5th. See you all then.



### Save the Date:

## 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Katy Trail Marian

### Pilgrimage:

**10/09/23 – 10/13/23**

Come for the day or stay for the week! As in years past, highlights include daily mass, adoration, prayer and fellowship; overnight accommodations and transportation provided as well as reasonably priced dinner arrangements.

### Questions?

Please send an email to:

[MarianPilgrimage77@gmail.com](mailto:MarianPilgrimage77@gmail.com)

Please note, our website

[www.katytrailpilgrimage.com](http://www.katytrailpilgrimage.com)

is currently UNDER CONSTRUCTION ...

Please continue to visit periodically for important updates regarding Pilgrimage plans!

### This Week in our Parish:

**Monday, July 3**

**Tuesday, July 4**

### Parish Office is Close

**Wednesday, July 5**

9:00 am - Quilters meet in Rectory Bsmt

**Thursday, July 6**

After 8am Mass– Birthday Breakfast

**Friday, July 7**

9:00 am - Exercise Class in GYM

6:00 pm– First Friday Mass & Holy Hour

**Saturday, July 8**

**Sunday, July 9**



### Retrouvaille-St Louis 2023 weekend

**October 13, 2023 - October 15, 2023**

For more information or to register, call 314.453.0110

[Helpourmarriage.org](http://Helpourmarriage.org)

The Retrouvaille Program is for Married Couples Facing Difficult Challenges in their Relationship.

- A Marriage program that helps couples restore their marriage and rebuild a loving relationship.
- A Christian marriage program, Catholic in origin, where couples of all faiths or no faith background are encouraged to attend.
- Primarily a practical program to improve communication, build stronger marriages, and help couples reconnect.
- Presenters are not trained marriage counselors, but rather couples sharing their personal stories of marital struggles and the tools they used to rediscover their love.

Questions:

Tom & Kerry Marsh

314.753.2022 / 314.409.4199



## Features:



# in the Trenches

A RETREAT FROM THE TRENCHES  
FOR MOMS OF LITTLES WITH **KELSEY GILLESPY**



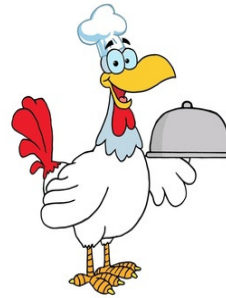
Grow closer to God and discover your truest self through the daily grind of raising young kids! Join Kelsey Gillespy, mother of five and author of *In the Trenches: Finding God through Parenting Littles*, for this special (and free!) morning of encouragement for moms. Includes a light breakfast, talk and Q&A, guided prayer, fellowship, and book signing.

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 12**  
**9:30-12:00**



Pauline Books & Media  
9804 Watson Road, St. Louis, MO 63126  
(314) 965-3512 | [stlouis@paulinemediamedia.com](mailto:stlouis@paulinemediamedia.com)

REGISTER: [tinyurl.com/yz4627h4](https://tinyurl.com/yz4627h4)



**CHICKEN CASSEROLES** are due by October 11th. Casseroles must be at Church by 10:00 am. We are always happy to accept new contributors to the program and if you call Paddy Vytlacil at 355 5897, she will be happy to share the super-easy recipe.

**THE SISTERS OF THE MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD** will offer an open house tour opportunity from **1-4 p.m. on August 13, 2023**, in their beautiful historic chapel and heritage area. **No reservation needed.** For more information or to schedule a tour at another time contact Sr. Cecile Gunelson at 636-293-8013.

**Address:** 204 North Main Street. O'Fallon. MO  
**Directions:** Use the entrance at Main and 3<sup>rd</sup> street and take the first right. Parking is available on the south side of the chapel. Chapel is handicapped accessible.

YOU ARE INVITED TO JOIN US FOR A  
**RETIREMENT**

*Celebration*

IN HONOR OF  
**Father Jim Benz**

FROM 1:00-3:00PM  
SUNDAY • 16TH JULY 2023

SAINT CLETUS CATHOLIC SCHOOL GYM  
2721 ZUMBEHL ROAD  
SAINT CHARLES, MO 63301

RSVP BY JULY 3RD TO LORI @314-518-7071, SIGN UP GENIUS @ <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B094DA4AB23A6FB6-father>, or in the church gathering space.



## Features:

# AVAILABLE GIFT CARDS



## AS OF JUNE 20, 2023



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|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| 3 Aeropostle @ \$25         | 1 Amazon @ \$25             | 2 Amazon @ \$100           |
| 3 Applebees @ \$25          | 6 Arby's @ \$10             | 5 Bass Pro @ \$25          |
| 5 Bath & Body @ \$10        | 4 Bath & Body @ \$25        | 2 Bed,Bath &Beyond @ \$25  |
| 13 Best Buy @ \$25          | 4 Bob Evans @ \$10          | 7 BP Gas @ \$50.00         |
| 10 Buffalo Wild Wings @\$10 | 9 Buffalo Wild Wings @\$25  | 8 Burger King @ \$10       |
| 2 Cabela's @ \$25           | 8 Chili's @ \$25            | 2 Chipotle Grill @ \$10    |
| 7 Cracker Barrel @ \$10     | 5 Cracker Barrel @ \$25     | 5 CVS @ \$10               |
| 5 Dillards @ \$25           | 5 Dominos @ \$25            | 2 Express @ \$25           |
| 3 Fazoli @ \$25             | 2 Foot Locker @ \$25        | 6 Freddy's @ \$25          |
| 1 Gamstop @ \$25            | 2 Gap @ \$25                | 4 Home Depot @ \$25        |
| 2 Home Depot @ \$100        | 5 IHOP @ \$25               | 5 Jack in the Box @ \$10   |
| 12 JC Penney @ \$25         | 2 Joanns @ \$25             | 5 Kohl's @ \$25            |
| 4 Kohl's @ \$100            | 2 Lowes @ \$100             | 15 Macy's @ \$25           |
| 3 Marshall's @ \$25         | 6 McAllister's Deli @\$25   | 2 Menards @ \$25           |
| 3 Michaels @ \$25           | 5 Mobil @ \$50              | 4 Petsmart @ \$25          |
| 4 PF Changs @ \$25          | 4 Pier 1 @ \$25             | 3 Qdoba @ \$25             |
| 2 Red Robin @ \$25          | 1 Regal @ \$25              | 9 St. Louis Bread Co @ \$5 |
| 2 St. Louis Bread Co @ \$10 | 4 St. Louis Bread Co @ \$25 | 4 Starbucks @ \$25         |
| 5 Subways @ \$10            | 2 Under Armour @ \$25       | 5 Walgreen's @ \$25        |
| 8 Walmart @ \$10            | 5 Walmart @ \$25            |                            |

## Going Going Gone