

ST. ANGELA MERICI PARISH

July 23, 2023

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Florissant, MO 63034



St. James Apostle

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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.

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MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, July 24

8:00 am - Barbara Ann Frampton

Tuesday, July 25

8:00 am - Art & Debbie Batson (Spec. Int.)
 45th Wedding Anniversary

Wednesday, July 26

8:00 am - Kathy Russell (Spec. Int.)

Thursday, July 27

8:00 am - Anthony Dietz, Jr.

Friday, July 28

8:00 am - Rosemary Licato

Saturday, July 29

5:00 pm - Louis J. Mitaš, Sr.

Sunday, July 30

7:30 am - People of the Parish

9:30 am - Anthony Dietz, Jr.

11:30 am - Barbara Ann Frampton

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 29 & 30

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 - Theresa Prosser

7:30 am - Theresa Watson

9:30 am - Rick Dorsey

11:30 am - Jeanie McCrary

Sunday Collection - July 9, 2023

Sunday Offering	\$ 7,893
Weekly Budget	\$12,469
Weekly Over/Under	- \$ 4,576
Fiscal Year To Date	- \$143,938

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.

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 - THE CHANGES

The fact that I have to compose this column on the Monday before its publication limits my ability to present to you important information in a timely manner. Tomorrow night (Tuesday, July 18) there will be a big meeting of the combined parish council, representing Holy Name, St. Norbert's and us, and very consequential things will be discussed. Like what? Like the new weekend Mass schedule for our new, merged parish and where the Masses will be celebrated and the new name for our parish as well. Sad to say, the meeting hasn't taken place yet as I write this, so I will have to get the information to you in another way (in next week's bulletin, for sure).

QUIZ-A-CATHOLIC

The Latin language has given many prefixes of words in the English language. The Latin word *cum*, which means "with", comes to mean "together" or "united", when used as a prefix of an English word, usually in the form of "con" or "com". Many such words are used in Catholic teaching and practice. Identify these words that begin "com" or "con":

1. The term that names the flock of the faithful when it's gathered for worship.
2. The sacrament in which the gifts of the Holy Spirit are imparted and strengthened.
3. The soft voice within you that confronts you with your sins and urges you to repent.
4. The deepest form of prayer, in which soul enters into union with God in His holy place.
5. A residence for those in religious vows where they live and pray together.
6. The act of admitting one's sins to the priest in order to be absolved from them.
7. The impediment to marriage that is based on the couple's being too closely related.
8. The act by which a thing is separated from profane usage and dedicated to holy usage.
9. The fruit of the Holy Spirit which enables its recipient to better control his appetites.
10. True sorrow for one's sins.

ANSWERS: 1. *Congregation* 2. *Confirmation* 3. *Conscience* 4. *Contemplation* 5. *Convent* 6. *Confession*
7. *Consanguinity* 8. *Consecration* 9. *Continence* 10. *Contrition*

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 25, Tues.: Catechism Class (moved to a different day), after the evening devotions, in the parish meeting room

Aug. 3, Thu.: First Thursday birthday breakfast

Aug. 4, Fri.: First Friday, Mass at 8:00AM & 6:00PM, holy hour from 6:30-7:30PM

Aug. 5, Sat.: First Saturday Mass, 8:00AM

Aug. 5, Sat.: Annual Ice Cream Social for the Transfiguration, after 5:00PM Mass

Aug. 6, Sun.: Annual Mass for God the Father, 1:30PM





Features:

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QUOTES OF THE WEEK

“More children from the fit and less children from the unfit. That is the chief aim of birth control.” - *Margaret Sanger, foundress of Planned Parenthood*

“There’s just enough of me and waaay too many of you.” - *P.J. O’Rourke, summarizing Planned Parenthood’s attitude toward minorities*

“The Second Vatican Council rejected Gnosticism’s dualism: ‘Man, though made of body and soul, in a unity...he is obliged to regard his body as good and hold it in honor, since God has created it and will raise it up on the last day’. Imaginary redefinition of the self has widely become a political ‘right’, and the sane rejection of that is called ‘hate speech’. Where is George Orwell? The Johns Hopkins psychiatrist, Dr. Paul McHugh, explains that ‘sex change’ is ‘biologically impossible’, and ‘people who promote sexual reassignment surgery are collaborating with and promoting a mental disorder’. Confusing children about their identity comes ‘close to child abuse’”. - *Fr, George Rutler*

WORD OF THE WEEK

LETHOLOGICA (*n.*) the inability to remember the proper word or name of something, as in: *“I suffer from lethologica, so lot of times I struggle to come up with just the right...oh, darn! I forgot the word again!”*

DESERT DAY: I really need a day of prayer and quiet! Desert Days at the Sanguis Christi Spirituality Center of the sisters of the Most Precious Blood are just that. Come to the quiet and beauty of St. Joseph Chapel at 204 North Main, O’Fallon, MO on **July 19, August 17 or September 21, 2023 from 9:15 am - 3:15 pm**. The day will begin and end with prayer. The remainder of the day is solitude, quiet, reflection, and rest. The opportunity to talk with a spiritual director is also available. Lunch is provided and we ask a free will offering. For more information or to register contact Sr. Mary Cecile Gunelson, CPPS at 636-293-8013 or by email at mccgunelson@cpps-ofallon.org

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, Marilyn Werner and Vitina Galati

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:

Are You Celebrating 25, 30, 35, 40, 45 50, or over 50 Years of Marriage?

Annual Silver and Gold *Wedding Jubilee Mass*

Sunday, October 1, 2023

Cathedral Basilica of Saint Louis

2:30 p.m.



For details or to register
archstl.org/jubilee or call 314.792.7171.

This Week in our Parish:

Monday, July 24

Tuesday, July 25

8:30 am - Eucharistic Adoration

9:00 am - Exercise Class in GYM

7:00 pm - Benediction

After 7pm Devotions- Catechism Class in meeting room

Wednesday, July 26

9:00 am - Quilters meet in Rectory Bsmt

Thursday, July 27

Friday, July 28

9:00 am - Exercise Class in GYM

7:00 pm - Movie Night in Lunchroom

Saturday, July 29

Sunday, July 30



**Retrouvaille-St Louis 2023 weekend
October 13, 2023 - October 15, 2023**

**For more information or to register, call
314.453.0110**

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

MARK YOUR CALENDAR: Saturday August 12th following the 5:00pm Mass, come and help us celebrate the 70th birthday of the Man with the Mitas touch. That is correct **Mon-signor Matthew Mitaš**



is turning 70 this year, so come and join us. This celebration will be held in the Gym. So break out your best gold party clothes and come help Monsignor welcome in a new decade.

Any questions or to volunteer, please contact Parish Office at 314-838-6565 or email at brindley@stangelam.org

******RSVP to the parish office at 314-838-6565 no later than Monday, August 7th.**



Features:

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You have been a great help with our Gift Cards. We do need a little more help. Our inventory is down but not gone. **Please** look over the list and see if you are in need of any of the cards that are left. We would greatly appreciate it!

THANK
YOU!

AVAILABLE GIFT CARDS



AS OF JULY 17, 2023



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|----------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| 3 Aeropostle @ \$25 | 3 Bass Pro @ \$25 | 4 Bath & Body @ \$10 |
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| 8 Buffalo Wild Wings @\$10 | 1 Cabela's @ \$25 | 3 CVS @ \$10 |
| 5 Dillards @ \$25 | 4 Dominos @ \$25 | 2 Express @ \$25 |
| 3 Fazoli @ \$25 | 2 Foot Locker @ \$25 | 2 Gap @ \$25 |
| 2 Home Depot @ \$25 | 9 JC Penney @ \$25 | 11 Macy's @ \$25 |
| 3 McAllister's Deli @\$25 | 2 Menards @ \$25 | 4 PF Changs @ \$25 |
| 1 Qdoba @ \$25 | 1 Regal @ \$25 | 2 Under Armour @ \$25 |

**We are still in need of your help!!!
Going Going Gone**



Features:

Please join us Sunday, August 6th at 1:30pm

Place: St. Angela Mercè - 3860 N. Highway 67

Florissant, MO 63034

Celebrant: Msgr. Matthew Mitas

Mass for Father of All Mankind

*In 1932, God the Father dictated the following message to Mother Eugenia:
I desire only this –*

I desire that one day, or at least a Sunday, be dedicated to honoring Me in a special way under the title of Father of All mankind. If you prefer to offer Me this special devotion on a Sunday, I choose the first Sunday of August. My hour has come! I must be known, loved and honored by men, so that having created them I can be their Father, then their Savior and finally the object of their eternal delight.

