

ST. ANGELA MERICI PARISH

April 14, 2024
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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 Friday at 4:00 pm. Please email notices to: 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, April 15

8:00 am - Grace Niemann

Tuesday, April 16

8:00 am - Carol Long

Wednesday, April 17

8:00 am - Tamela Sue Moria-Cincirtine

Thursday, April 18

8:00 am - Mike Taylor

Friday, April 19

8:00 am - Carol Long

Saturday, April 20

5:00 pm - Robert Anderson

Sunday, April 21

7:30 am - Violet & Paul Weiskopf

9:30 am - Mark S. Knobloch

11:30 am - People of the Parish

MINISTERS

FOR NEXT WEEKEND, APRIL 20TH & 21ST

WEEKEND LECTORS

5:00 pm - Claudia Bidleman

7:30 am - John Fallah

9:30 am - Mary Ann Kauffman

11:30 am - Linda McManus

Sunday Collection - March 24, 2024

Sunday Offering	\$ 8,501.00
Weekly Budget	To be determined
Weekly Over/Under	- \$
Fiscal Year To Date	- \$

Please join us in celebrating our time with Fr. Samuel and offering our thanks and well wishes to him in his future ministry.

Saturday, April 27 following the 5 pm mass at Holy Name of Jesus in the Parish Hall.

There will be refreshments.

MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to have a Mass celebrated for a loved one— deceased or living—contact Linda at the Parish Office at 314-838-6565 or stop by the office. The stipend is \$10 per Mass. There are infinite graces that flow from the Sacrifice of the Mass which benefits one's soul. The special ministerial fruits of the Mass are applied to the particular intention of the Mass. We have MANY open dates and times! The tradition of offering Masses for others, particularly the dead, originated in the very early Church. We have Mass Cards available in the office you can give to the family of a deceased person or Special Intention Cards for living, for a special occasion or for healing.



From The Desk of Msgr. Matthew Mitas:

REMEMBER: APRIL IS THE MONTH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT!

THE ANNUAL MAY CROWNING

Last year, we revived a good, old Catholic devotion and it was a great success I'm talking about the annual crowning of the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary on some day during her month of May. We were doing it again this year, so mark your calendars: Thursday, May 23, at 7:00PM. The actual crowning is done by one of the young people of the parish who either made her First Communion or received Confirmation, attended by a court of other young ladies of our parish. The ceremony is garnished with various Marian devotions, such as the Litany of Our Lady and a living rosary. (And, this being a St. Angela Merici project, there will, of course, be refreshments to follow.) Our Ladies' Club is putting this all together, and all we need is you!

GERMANFEST, 2024!

It's become a tradition here at St. Angela's for the past several years to have a big fall extravaganza as a celebration of Teutonic culture (but mostly just to party in the spirit of a German Oktoberfest). We call it "Germanfest", and we plan on doing it again this year. Last year, we had to slap it together almost at the last minute and I thought it still worked out well. This year, we're proceeding with good planning. The first stage is to have a meeting of people who would be willing to help. This will take place this Wednesday, April 17 at 7:00PM in the lunchroom. It should be another smash success with lots of *gemuetlichkeit!*

QUIZ-A-CATHOLIC

There's much noise in the media these days about being "trans". Many English words are derived from Latin roots, and the prefix "trans" is quite commonly attached to many of them. In Latin, it means "across" and, when tacked onto the beginning of a word, it changes it so that it now refers to something's changing from one thing to another, crossing over from one place to another, or being given from one to another. Whether it's in its full form "trans", or in its abbreviated form that drops the "s", a lot of words we use in church begin with that prefix. See whether or not you can identify these "trans" words in the Catholic Church:

1. The event when Jesus took Peter, James & John up the mountain and showed His glory.
2. The doctrine that the substance of the bread & wine is changed to Jesus' Body & Blood.
3. The Unwritten Word of God, equal to Scripture as a source of Public Revelation.
4. Notions such as "unity" or "truth", which go beyond what the five senses perceive.
5. The heresy that teaches that the human soul is instilled in the child by his parents.
6. The heresy that teaches that the substance of bread & wine at Mass remains unchanged, but, after the consecration, it begins to "signify" the Body & Blood of Jesus.
7. In a cruciform church, the section perpendicular to the main aisle that forms the cross.
8. From the Latin *traditor*, it literally means "one who hands over the books", and was applied to those who not only abandoned the faith during persecution, but also assisted the persecutors by handing over church records (and other goods) to them.
9. The process of rendering the text of one book into another language (as St. Jerome did for the Bible).
10. Any philosophy that gives priority to experiences that are beyond the five senses, usually devolving into a kind of occult mysticism.

ANSWERS: 1. Transfiguration 2. Transubstantiation 3. (Sacred) Tradition 4. Transcendentals 5. Traducianism 6. Transignification 7. Transept 8. Traitor 9. Translation 10. Transcendentalism

UPCOMING EVENTS

Every Tuesday: Eucharistic Adoration in church from 8:30AM-7:00PM, with Devotions and Benediction at 7:00. (The last hour, 6:00-7:00, is dedicated to prayer for vocations.)

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

April 17, Wed.: Germanfest planning meeting, 7:00PM, in lunchroom





Features:

CONTINUED

April 19, Fri.: Catholic Family Movie Night, “The Quiet Man”, John Ford & John Wayne’s classic about Ireland (a bit late for St. Pat’s, but still a treat!) free pop & popcorn, of course!

Apr. 22, Mon.: Men’s Club meeting & dinner, starting with rosary at 6:30pm in church

Apr. 23, Tue.: Catechism Class, after the 7:00pm devotions, in the Parish Meeting Room

May 23, Thu.: May Crowning, 7:00pm

QUOTES OF THE WEEK

(This week’s quotes are gleaned from the accumulated wisdom of mankind!)

“The lottery is a tax on people who are really bad at math.”

“Be nice to your kids...they’re the ones who will be choosing your nursing home.”

“The difference between Communism and Capitalism is that under Capitalism, man exploits man, whereas under Communism it’s the other way around.”

“Politicians and diapers should both be changed regularly...and for the same reason!”

“Health is the slowest possible way in which a person can die.”

“Time may be a great healer, but it’s a lousy beautician.”

“Always remember that you are unique...just like everybody else.”

STAT OF THE WEEK

The results are undeniable: the study of Latin is like push-ups for the brain! Kids that study Latin as part of their curriculum experience a significant increase in their verbal and math scores. *Certum est procul dubio!*

WORD OF THE WEEK

HAMARTIOLOGY (*n.*) the study of sin, as in: *“It doesn’t take much hamartiology to realize how screwed up things have become!”*

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH:

Rachel Lawson, Jeff Gauthier, Augustine Porter, Billie Lawson, Kristine Lawson, Laurie Kauffman, Carl Kling, Sr., Jerome Rueckert, Debbie Vietmeier, Gloria Wasser, Joe Knese, Donna Ahrens, Jim McMullen, June Hildebrand, John Thummel, Rita Sommer, Bill Moon, Vivian Easley, Deborah Corcoran, Tom George, Marge Dubray, Leona Alligood, Janet Stubits, Vince Perrot, Sally Caruso, Steve Scherer, Tom Karanzieff, Alma Hankins, Christopher Dafflitto, Theresa Hamilton, Brian Perry, Jan Ostermeyer, Kathy Russell, Colleen Chronister, Tamara Shrader, Art Batson, 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, Marilyn Werner, Pete Miller, Vitina Galati, Sister Suzanne Wesley, Jacqueline Thomas, Mary “Meg” Peters, Baby Simon Jones, Julie Ross, Jo Chapman, Jerry Gomez, Joe Licavoli, Mozell Baskin III, Kaelen Askuvich, Doris Hofer, Maricia Cissell, Deacon Joseph Kroutil, Gail Stefaniak, Jim Belcher, Kaylee Gain, Tom O’Brian, Kay Cabay, Pat Scott, Bill Winters and Joan Geerling.

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, 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:

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PLANT SALE

Saturday, April 27th, from 8:00am to 6:00pm
Sunday, April 28th, from 8:00am to 1:00pm

Hanging Baskets 

Annual Bedding plants. 

Veggies. 

Thank you for your support!



MOVIE NIGHT AT S.A.M

Please join us Friday, April 19th, at 7:00 PM in the lunchroom for a post-Lenten entertaining evening with the showing of the movie *The Quiet Man*. This movie was a director John Ford masterpiece, featuring Maureen O'Hara, John Wayne, Barry Fitzgerald, Victor McLaglen, and Ward Bond. After accidentally killing an opponent in the ring, Sean Thornton (John Wayne) leaves America and returns to his native Ireland, hoping to buy his family's home-stead and live in peace. Join us to see how Sean's quest for peace unfolds.

Popcorn and soda will be provided—see you Friday night



This Week in our Parish:

Monday, April 15

Tuesday, April 16

8:30 am - Eucharistic Adoration

7:00 pm - Benediction

Wednesday, April 17

9:00 am - Quilters meet in Rectory Bsmt

7:00 pm - Germanfest meeting in lunchroom

Thursday, April 18

Friday, April 19

7:00 pm - Movie Night in the lunchroom

Saturday, April 20

Sunday, April 21



S.V.D.P. FOOD DRIVE

The next food drive will be the weekend of April 20th & 21st. The following are items that are needed at the pantry: Pasta, Tomato products, boxed potatoes, rice & helpers, canned meats & chicken, cereal & snack items. Thank you in advance for your generosity and past donations. Thanks Frank M.

SPIRITUAL ADOPTION

Development of Unborn Baby—Eighth Month
Your spiritually adopted baby is increasing in size and strength. Because of her large size she is not able to move as freely about in her mother's womb. She is receiving from her mother precious immunities to a number of diseases that will last until she is about six months old and able to begin building up her own immunities. Her mother is patiently waiting for the last weeks of pregnancy to pass. She depends on your prayerful support.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

The Men's Club will be selling TJ pizzas and desserts the weekend of April 27th & 28th after all masses and then also on the weekend of May 4th & 5th. So stop by the lunchroom and order your TJ Pizzas.



Features:

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION ADORERS NEEDED JUST ONE HOUR!

If you want to feel the "Peace of Christ", try giving Jesus an extra hour this week. A young man referred to this as taking a "holy nap", which is a time of reflection between you and the Lord. A time where you close your eyes, breathe, focus on all the goodness surrounding you and offering up all of your burdens to Jesus to take care of. "Come and spend an hour with Me," Jesus, Himself, made this request of us, His disciples. The benefits we receive are tremendous. **Due to various circumstances we are in need of additional adorers. Why not give it a try and then consider being placed on the list? There are openings during Tuesdays. We are also looking for subs to add to the list. You can either call the parish office at 314-831-6565 or sign your name and phone number on the list in church.**

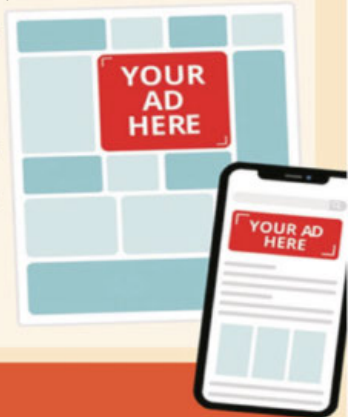
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The Support of Your Business is Greatly Appreciated

Chad Roehrs from LPi, our bulletin printer, will be securing new ads for our church in the coming weeks. It is the support of the business community that helps to make our church thrive. Please consider purchasing a print and/or digital ad as your participation makes our bulletin successful, and you attract customers!

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**DECLINE
TO
Sign**



This petition goes too far for Missouri!

Don't sign your rights and freedom away by signing an abortion initiative petition that would alter Missouri's Constitution!

Don't let lobbying groups and out-of-state special interests inject abortion politics where it doesn't belong and where it isn't wanted.

This extreme initiative petition could:

- **Legalize abortion as a method of birth control** and abortion after a baby can survive outside the womb.
- Allow unlicensed abortion clinics in your neighborhood — even near schools and churches.
- Give power to judges and **the government to force Missouri taxpayers to fund abortions.**
- Permit governmental intrusion in health care decisions made by parents with their children.

Don't be fooled! Signature collectors might tell you that it's for "women's health" or "reproductive rights" or "to restore Roe" —or that it's "pro-life" or "pro-choice"—or say **anything** to get you to sign. **Don't believe them!**

DECLINE TO SIGN any petition that lets lobbying groups and the government take away your rights and freedom! Tell family, friends, neighbors, coworkers and everybody to **DECLINE TO SIGN.**

The future of Missouri is counting on you!

For more information on **Decline to Sign**, contact **Missouri Stands with Women** at mostandswithwomen.org.



**Missouri Stands
with Women**

The Archdiocese of St. Louis has a long history of supporting women facing unplanned or crisis pregnancies. A wealth of local life-affirming resources and help for pregnant mothers and their families is available through the Walking with Moms St. Louis network at: WalkingwithMomsSTL.com



Features:

Men's Club BBQ
Saturday, April 27th
from 11:00am-6:00pm
ORDER FORM



Menu:

1/2 Slab of Ribs w/2 sides \$12.00 _____ Brat w/1 sides \$5.00 _____
Pork Steak w/2 sides \$10.00 _____ Burger w/1 sides \$5.00 _____
Chicken Breast Plate w/2sides\$8.00 _____ Hot Dog w/chips \$4.00 _____
Chicken Breast Sandwich w/1side \$5.00 _____

Choice of Sides (pick 2 for every meal order but Brat, Burger, Chicken Breast Sandwich or Hot Dog) :

Baked Beans _____ Cole Slaw _____ Chips _____ Potato Salad _____

Ala Cart:

1/2 Slab of Ribs \$10.00 _____ Pork Steak \$8.00 _____
Chicken Breast \$6.00 _____ Hot Dog \$2.00 _____
Hamburger or Brat \$3.00 _____ Chicken Breast Sandwich \$3.00 _____
Chips \$.75 _____ Cole Slaw \$.75 _____ Potato Salad \$.75 _____
Baked Beans \$.75 _____

Drink:

Soda or Water \$1.00 _____ Beer \$3.00 _____

Name: _____ Time for Pick-Up: _____

Phone Number: _____

Please leave this order in the parish office or put it in the collection basket before Thursday, April 25th. .

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