

ST. ANGELA MERICI PARISH

June 29, 2025
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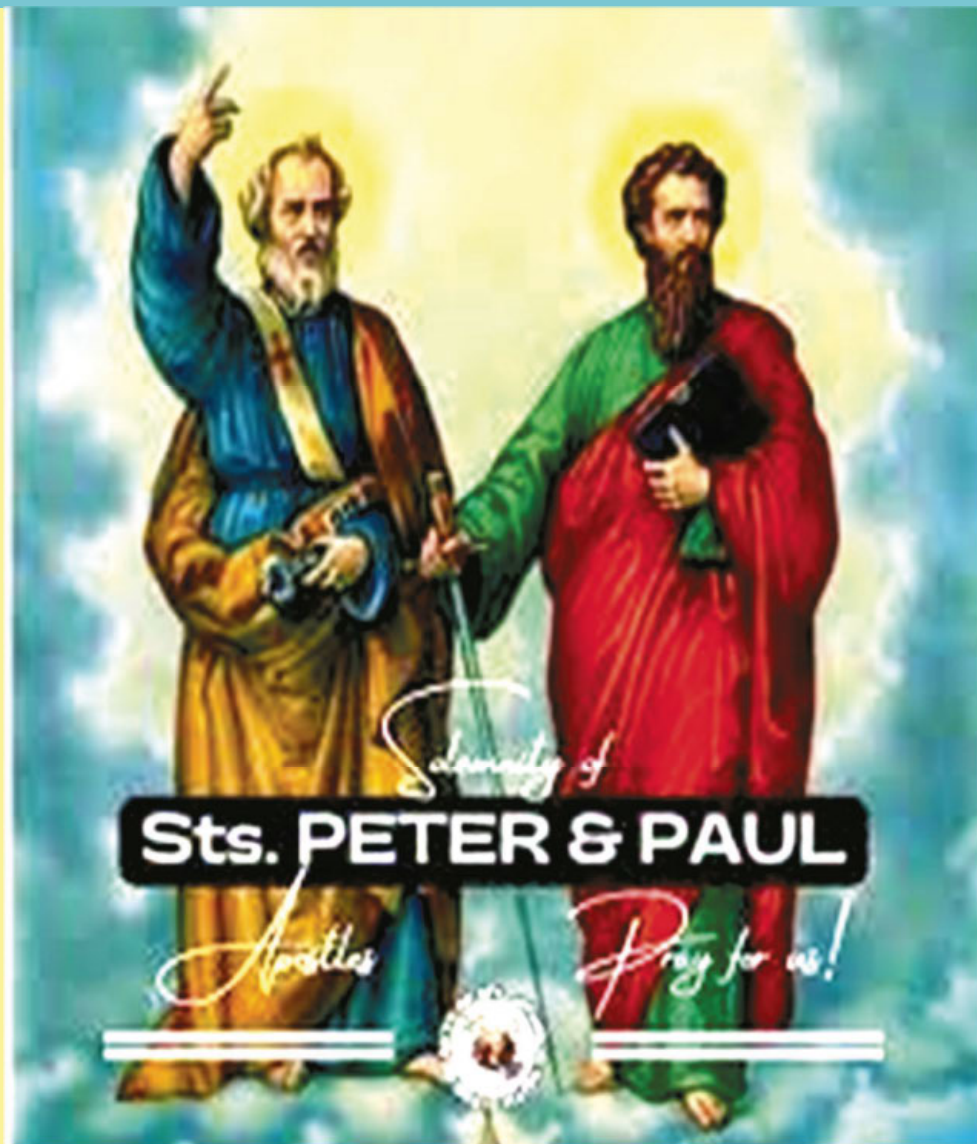
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NEW PARISHIONERS
Register in the parish
office,
Mon-Fri, 8:00 am-
4:00 pm.

SACRAMENT OF BAP-
TISM
Baptism Instruction is
to be scheduled with
the office.

SACRAMENT OF MAR-
RIAGE
To be arranged with
the parish
priest at least six
months prior.



Prayer, Liturgy and Sacrifice

Mass Schedule

Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri 8:00 am

1st Friday of the month 6:30pm

Saturday 8:00 am

Saturday 5:00 pm (Vigil)

Sunday 7:30, 10:00am

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesdays 8:30 am - 5:00 pm

Reconciliation

Saturdays 4:00 - 4:45 pm

Or by appointment, call 314-838-6565

Perpetual Help Devotions

Tuesdays After 8:00 am Mass

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, June 30

8:00 am - Priest Intention

Tuesday, July 1

8:00 am - Dot Aubuchon

Wednesday, July 2

8:00 am - Mass at St. Norbert or Holy Name of Jesus

Thursday, July 3

8:00 am - Priest Intention

Friday, July 4

9:00 am - Vince & Jeanne Murphy

Saturday, July 5

8:00 am - Priest Intention

5:00 pm—Gregory Keeven

Sunday, July 6

7:30 am - People of the Parish

10:00 am - Delaney Garrison

MINISTERS

FOR NEXT WEEKEND, JULY 5TH & 6TH

WEEKEND LECTORS

5:00 pm - Crystalyn Talavera

7:30 am – Linda McManus

10:00 am – Judy Pitlyk

WEEKEND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

5:00 pm - Deacon George

7:30 am - Deacon George

10:00 am - Deacon George

ST. ANGELA ALERTS

Due to some recent distribution issues we've had with the Post Office, we would like to **HIGHLY ENCOURAGE** you to share your email address and phone number with the Parish Office. We will continue to utilize the Post Office as needed, but we want to ensure we have multiple ways of communicating news, updates, events, etc. with our parishioners. You can stop by the Parish Office or email brindley@stangelam.org with your information. We greatly appreciate it!

And if you have not, consider registering as a parishioner at our parish so we can stay in touch!

IMPORTANT MESSAGE

We will celebrate mass on Friday, July 4th at 9:00am only. We will not have our normal first Friday evening Mass at 6:30pm.

Also the Parish Office is closed that day.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Parish Office



Pondering With Deacon George:

SAINTS PETER AND PAUL: A LESSON ON FOLLOWING JESUS

As we celebrate the Solemnity of SS. Peter and Paul, there is much we can learn from the lives of these early followers of Jesus. Among the lessons their lives teach us is that God can use anyone to do his work. Peter was an ordinary fisherman, and Paul started as someone who opposed Christians; yet both became leaders of the Church. Their story reminds us that no matter our past or weaknesses, we can serve God if we are willing to follow Him. Their lives are a journey of trust, faithfulness, forgiveness, and willingness to change and grow.

Peter's life is a lesson about trust and forgiveness. We know that Peter, after Jesus' arrest denied three times that he knew Jesus; and yet, he repented, and Jesus forgave him. After Pentecost, Peter led the early Church with courage. He gave us an example that failure is not the end. When we have the courage to turn back to God, God will always give us a second chance and use us for good.

Paul's life is a lesson in the power of change. He was an enemy of Christians, seeking them out and persecuting them. After encountering Jesus on the road to Damascus and his conversion, he became one of the greatest missionaries of the Church. Paul gives us an example that God's grace can change even the hardest of hearts.

The lives of Peter and Paul are also an example of working together. They both had different missions and as we read in the Acts of the Apostles, had their disagreements. Despite their differences, they worked for the same goal, spread the Good News of Jesus to others. They remind us that unity is more important than differences.

In our parish community, we have a diversity of gifts and abilities. We may not always see eye to eye on an issue. But as disciples of Jesus, we are about the same goal, bring his love and peace, through our Catholic presence to North County.

May the examples of Peter and Paul teach us to trust God, seek forgiveness, be open to change, and stay strong in faith!

Deacon George





Features:

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, Donna Ahrens, Jim McMullen, June Hildebrand, Bill Moon, Vivian Easley, Deborah Corcoran, Tom George, Janet Stubits, Steve Scherer, Tom Karanzieff, Alma Hankins, Christopher Dafflitto, Theresa Hamilton, Brian Perry, Kathy Russell, Colleen Chronister, Tamara Shrader, Art Batson, Lisa Williford, Joe O'Brien, Judy Eads, Tina Hawkins, Jack Kiaman, Gloria Frisella, Barb Schmitz, Gerry Schilly, Philip & Ester Sansone, Marilyn Werner, Pete Miller, Vitina Galati, Jaqueline Thomas, Mary "Meg" Peters, Baby Simon Jones, Julie Ross, Jo Chapman, Jerry Gomez, Joe Licavoli, Kaelen Askuvich, Doris Hofer, Marcia Cissell, Deacon Joseph Kroutil, Jim Belcher, Kaylee Gain, Tom O'Brien, Kay Cabay, Pat Scott, Bill Winters, William F. Tierney, David Neumann, Saralinda Bauer, Joan Geerling, Vincent Rojano, Sue Pitti, Maralee Wilson, Paul Prentice, Bill Boschert, Kathy Benoist, Joyce Donovan, Ed Dafflitto, Sue Scheiding, Robert Phinney, Joan Bowers, Emily Kauffman, Shirley Sweney, Karen Dafflitto, Anna Foncesa -Bartels, Al Ratermann, David Kauffman, Sandy Norman and Terry Farace.

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, Dylan Krause, Tyler Krause, Daniel Schmitz, Zachary Hofer, Kyle Hofer, Jacob Graham, Michael Rose, Nicholas Hedlesky, Christopher Hedlesky, Maya Hedlesky, Brody MacKinnon



The Archdiocese of Saint Louis stands firmly against gun violence, advocating for peace, justice, and the sanctity of human life. Emphasizing the moral imperative to protect individuals and communities, the Archdiocese in conjunction with the Veterans Administration, has gun locks available at the parish office.

They are free to anyone who would like one, just stop by the office to pick one up.

MERCY CONFERENCE AND RETREAT CENTER 2039 North Geyer Rd, St. Louis, MO (314) 966-4686 Silent Summer Directed Retreat. Step away from the busyness of life and enter the deep well of stillness and silence. Group contemplative practices and individual spiritual direction daily. 6 days for \$700 (Saturday 7/12-Thursday 7/17) or 4 days for \$425 (Saturday 7/12-Tuesday 7/15) Private room with private bath. Information, a list of directors, and registration by noon on July 1 at www.mercycenterstl.org

SAVE *the* DATE
FOR THE 9th ANNUAL
Katy Trail Pilgrimage
10/06/25 - 10/10/25
www.KatyTrailPilgrimage.com

As in years past, highlights include daily Mass, adoration, prayer and fellowship. Overnight accommodations and transportation provided. Reasonably priced dinner arrangements made for each day of the Pilgrimage. Hope to see you there!



Features:

Married Couple's Retreat July 11-13, 2025

Foundations for an Awesome Marriage

This summer's Married Couple's retreat here at the Marianist Retreat and Conference Center is set for the weekend of July 11-13, 2025, and our theme is: "Foundations for an Awesome Marriage".

Our retreat leaders for the weekend are Barb & Larry Kendrick, Lisa & Paul Masek, and Carla & Eric Struckhoff; these three young couples have been married for a combined total of 106 years! Dang.

Registration is **LIVE** on our website, where you can find additional valuable information:

<https://marianistretreat.com/events/marriage-retreat-2025/>

We just might sell out, so register early. And please help us out by sharing this information with anyone you know who might benefit from knowing about it!

This Week in our Parish:

Monday, June 30

9:00am - Quilters in the Rectory Basement

Tuesday, July 1

8:30am - Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday, July 2

Thursday, July 3

10:00am - Chicken Casseroles due

Friday, July 4

Mass at 9am and Parish office closed

Saturday, July 5

Sunday, July 6

Donut Social after all masses in the lunchroom

Eucharist: A Prayer - Study Experience

Beginning in August, Deacon George will be offering at St. Angela Merici an Adult Faith Formation program on the Mass entitled "Eucharist: A Prayer-Study Experience". The Eucharist, Prayer-Study Experience is a journey to explore what we do and why we do it when we gather to celebrate the Eucharistic Liturgy; and an opportunity deepen our experience of the Mass through personal sharing, instruction and prayer. Advance registration is required so adequate materials can be prepared. This seven-session program will begin August 6th-7th and will meet every other week until October 29-30.

Join us as we grow in our faith together.

PLEASE REGISTR BY July 27th

PLEASE PRINT

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Preferred Session ☐ Wednesday Morning (9:30 AM)
 ☐ Thursday Evening (6:30 PM)

PLEASE PLACE FORM IN THE COLLECTION BASKET OR DROP OFF AT THE PARISH OFFICE.

Features:

ARE YOU CALLED TO SERVE AS A LECTOR OR EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF HOLY COMMUNION?

The most important thing we do as Catholics is to come together as a faith community to celebrate the Eucharist; the heart and center of our Catholic life. For our celebrations to be a beautiful experience of worship for our community and worthy praise to God, we need parishioners to assist our priests and deacons in various ministries. Two liturgical ministries that play an important role at the Eucharistic Liturgy are the Ministries of Lector and Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion.

As a Lector, you proclaim the Word of God with clarity to the people during the Liturgy. Recently several of our Lectors have retired, and we are looking for volunteers to replace them. Training will be provided. If you feel called to the ministry Lector or would like more information, please contact the parish office at 314-838-6565.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion serve Christ who is present in the assembly by ministering the Eucharistic Lord to their sisters and brothers in the community. They also serve the Body of Christ, the Church, by taking Communion to those members who, through sickness, old age, or other causes are prevented from taking part in the Mass. Training will be provided.

If you feel called to assist at Mass with the distribution of Holy Communion to other parishioners and/or to bring Holy Communion to those who are homebound, please contact parish office at 314-838-6565.

St. Paul wrote: "For as in one body we have many members, and all the members do not have the same function, so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another. Having gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, let us use them..." (Rom. 12:4-6)

As a parish, we are a part of the Body of Christ, and made up of many members. We want to be a Living Body, fully functional. That means each member of the body responds to the call of the Lord, who is the Head, enlivened by the Heart. The Heart, the source and summit of our parish life, is the celebration of the Eucharist, the very Body and Blood of Christ.

Is God calling me to be a lector? Is God calling me to be an extraordinary minister of Holy Communion either at Mass or take the Eucharist to the homebound? Prayerfully consider if the Lord is calling you to these ministries.



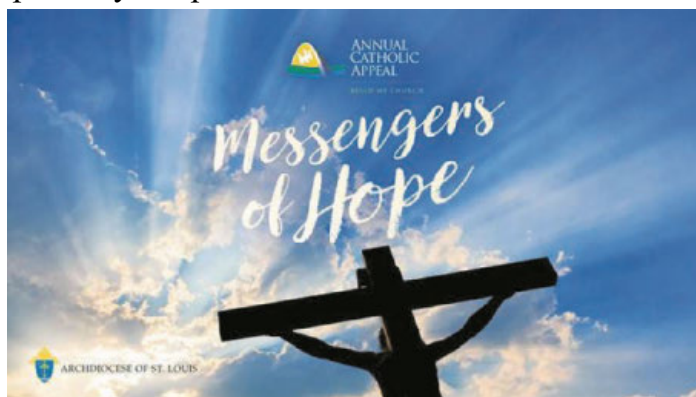
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MASS INTENTIONS

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.



CHICKEN CASSEROLES are due by July 3rd. 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 Vytlaclil at 355 5897, she will be happy to share the super-easy recipe.



Thanks to all who have pledged to date.

A reminder, no pledge is too small.

If you are unable to make a pledge this year, please still sign your card and return it to the ACA by mail, turn it into the parish office, or place it in the collection basket.

Here are our updated totals

2025 Published Goal: \$60,840

Total to Date \$25,926

WELCOME!

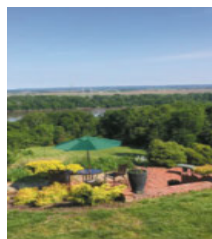
Whether you are a longtime resident or newly arrived to the parish, we thank God for you. If you are not registered or if your information has changed, please let us know by returning the information below either by placing it in the collection basket, dropping it off at the parish office or emailing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

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone number : _____

E-mail: _____



Join us for Faith, Food, & Friendship

We invite you to learn more about Marygrove and the work we do for the youth in our community. Join us for Mass in our beautiful chapel, followed by a delicious lunch and fellowship in the cafeteria.

2025 Lunch Club Dates:

February 7th

May 2nd

August 1st

November 7th

Mass begins at 11:30am

Lunch begins at 12pm

Free to attend. Donations appreciated

To learn more or to RSVP please contact Jackie Boyd at (314)584-6129 or jboyd@mgstl.org



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