

ST. ANGELA MERICI PARISH

July 6, 2025
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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, July 7

8:00 am - Priest Intention

Tuesday, July 8

8:00 am - Vince & Jeanne Murphy

Wednesday, July 9

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

Thursday, July 10

8:00 am - Priest Intention

Friday, July 11

9:00 am - Priest Intention

Saturday, July 12

8:00 am - Priest Intention

5:00 pm - Marge DuBray

Sunday, July 13

7:30 am - Charles & Pearl Rujano

10:00 am - Dan Keating

MINISTERS

FOR NEXT WEEKEND, JULY 12TH & 13TH
WEEKEND LECTORS

5:00 pm - Matt Adams

7:30 am – John Fallah

10:00 am – Laura Vietmeir

WEEKEND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

5:00 pm - Deacon George

7:30 am - Deacon George

10:00 am - ?????

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

July 1, 2025

Dear Parishioners,

I want you to be aware that we have leased the rectory house. The tenants, Fr. Tegha Nji from Cameroon and Fr. Ken Amadi from Nigeria will be residing at the house. They will not be assigned to any parish in our community but they may assist us on occasion for Holy Mass. Blessings to all of you!

Fr. Peter Faimega



Pondering With Deacon George:

**Rejoice that your names are written in heaven.
-Luke 10: 20**

The Christian song “The Truth” by Megan Woods is a song of how the world tells us we are not good enough. The world assigns our value to our work, our house, our car, how much money we have, how we look. But in the refrain of the song “The Truth”, the lyrics speaks to our true value:

**The truth is I am my father's child.
I make Him proud, and I make Him smile.
I was made in the image of a perfect King
He looks at me and won't change a thing
The truth is I am truly loved
By a God who's good when I'm not good enough
I don't belong to the lies, I belong to You
And that's the truth**

In our Gospel this weekend from Luke 10, Jesus sends out 72 of His followers to share God's message and heal people. They come back excited because even demons listened to them! But Jesus says something surprising. He tells them, “Do not rejoice that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven.”

Jesus wanted his disciples to know that their joy shouldn't come from what they had done or how powerful they felt. They should celebrate because they belong to God. Their identity wasn't based on their success, but on God's love for them.

As we journey through life, often things do not go as we planned or wished. We face challenges and struggles that may make us feel defeated and of little value. The world may look upon us that way but not God.

In God's eyes, our value, our worth does not change, no matter what we face in life. Our identity in Christ, from the moment of our baptism, is unshakable because it's rooted in His love, not in what We do.

God loves us and that shapes who we are. May we carry that truth with us into the world. It will make all the difference,

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 Dafflito, 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, Maricia 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 Dafflito, Sue Scheiding, Robert Phinney, Joan Bowers, Emily Kauffman, Shirley Sweney, Karen Dafflito, 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.

EARLY BULLETIN SUBMITTING ARTICLES:

Bulletin for July 13th due July 2nd
 Bulletin for July 20th due July 9th
 Bulletin for July 27th due July 16th
 Bulletin for August 3rd due July 23
 Bulletin for August 10th due July 30th
 Bulletin for August 17th due August 6th
 Bulletin for August 24th due August 8th
 Bulletin for August 31st due August 12th.

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.





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, July 7

9:00am - Quilters in the Rectory Basement

Tuesday, July 8

8:30am - Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday, July 9

Thursday, July 10

Noon - Ladies Club Meeting in lunchroom

Friday, July 11

Saturday, July 12

Sunday, July 13

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:

ANNOUNCING CHOIR AUDITIONS AT THE CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF ST. LOUIS

Join the Cathedral Choir, Schola Cantorum, or Archdiocesan Choir. The Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis invites singers to audition for three of its sacred music ensembles: the Cathedral Choir, the Cathedral Schola Cantorum, and the Archdiocesan Choir. These choirs offer opportunities for vocalists of all backgrounds to participate in the vibrant musical life of the Cathedral and the Archdiocese.

Auditions are required to participate in any of the three choirs. Audition Dates: ● Tuesday, July 8 | 4:00–7:00 p.m. ● Wednesday, July 9 | 4:00–7:00 p.m. Location: St. Cecilia Chapel (Lower Level of the Cathedral Basilica) 4431 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63108

Cathedral Choir The Cathedral Choir sings regularly at the 10:00 a.m. Sunday Mass, as well as for various solemnities and major liturgical celebrations. This choir is geared toward volunteer parishioners and is ideal for those who wish to contribute more fully to the liturgical life of the Cathedral. ● Rehearsals: Wednesdays, 7:00–9:00 p.m. in St. Cecilia Chapel ● Membership Requirements: A healthy voice, good musical ear, choral experience, and a commitment to rehearsals and the liturgical schedule ● Audition is required

Cathedral Schola Cantorum. The Schola Cantorum is the cathedral's professional chamber ensemble in residence and specializes in the Church's most treasured sacred music. Repertoire styles include Gregorian chant and Renaissance polyphony from the 16th and 17th centuries. ● The Schola Cantorum sings in collaboration with the Cathedral Choir at weekly Sunday 10:00 AM Mass, Archdiocesan liturgies, and concerts. ● Rehearsals: Wednesdays, 7:00–9:00 p.m. in St. Cecilia Chapel ● A classical or baroque sacred aria is required for consideration into this ensemble. Repertoire choices must be approved by the director prior to the audition.

Archdiocesan Choir For those who are not parishioners of the Cathedral, participation in the Archdiocesan Choir is warmly encouraged. This choir serves a broader role in the life of the Archdiocese and is composed of singers from parishes throughout the region. ● The Cathedral Choir sings in collaboration with the Archdiocesan Choir. ● Participates in many of the major Archdiocesan celebrations and select concerts ● Rehearsals: Tuesdays, 7:00–9:00 p.m. in St. Cecilia Chapel ● Encouraged Participants: Parish music directors, cantors, and choir members are especially invited to consider this opportunity for fostering greater musical and spiritual community across the Archdiocese. Audition Information: For more information regarding audition materials and requirements, or to schedule your audition, please visit: ☐ ☐ <https://cathedralstl.org/about-basilica/sacred-music>



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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