

ST. ANGELA MERICI PARISH

August 31, 2025
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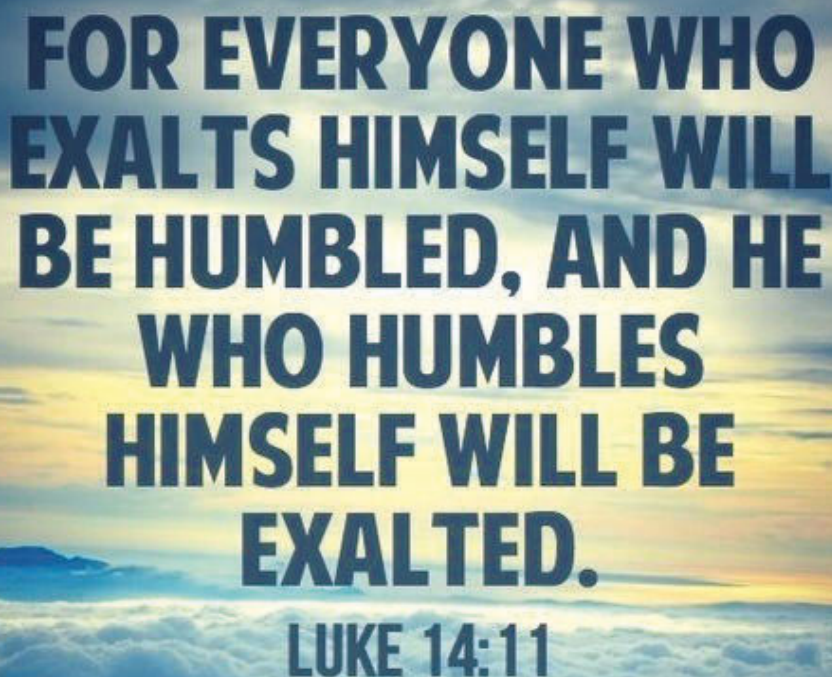
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NEW PARISHIONERS
Register in the parish
office,
Mon-Fri, 8:00 am-
4:00 pm.

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.



FOR EVERYONE WHO
EXALTS HIMSELF WILL
BE HUMBLLED, AND HE
WHO HUMBLLES
HIMSELF WILL BE
EXALTED.
LUKE 14:11



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, September 1

9:00 am - John & Maria Zich

Tuesday, September 2

8:00 am - Janet Miller

Wednesday, September 3

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

Thursday, September 4

8:00 am - Priest Intention

Friday, September 5

8:00 am - Marietta Howk

6:30 am - Willia "Bill" Pezold

Saturday, September 6

8:00 am - Geerling Mission Partners (Spec. Int.)

5:00 pm - Roger & Marilyn Brendenkamp

Sunday, September 7

7:30 am - Monsignor Jerome Billing

10:00 am - Kevin Behlmann

MINISTERS

FOR NEXT WEEKEND, SEPTEMBER 6TH & 7TH
WEEKEND LECTORS

5:00 pm - Crystalyn Talavera

7:30 am - Yvonne Jackson

10:00 am - Linda McManus

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!

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.



Pondering With Deacon George:

Rather, when you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind; blessed indeed will you be because of their inability to repay you.
- Luke 14:13

Throughout the Gospels, Jesus' teachings and actions are given to us as an example of how we are to treat one another. Think about the way Jesus lived His life. He didn't spend His time with people who had power, wealth, or high social status. He didn't focus on those who could help Him gain more influence or make Him look important. Instead, Jesus chose to spend His time with people who were often ignored or looked down on.

Jesus healed the sick, spoke with outcasts, and ate meals with sinners. He went to the ones others avoided—the poor, the lonely, and the rejected. Why? Because Jesus saw their dignity. He saw their worth, not in what they had or what they could do, but in the simple fact that they were created and loved by God.

Our scriptural reading for this weekend brings us a strong message about humility. Jesus reminds us not to seek praise or high places. Instead, he shows us that real honor comes when we let go of pride. Those who lift themselves up will be brought down, but those who stay low will be raised up by God.

The readings today all point to the same idea. Sirach tells us to be gentle and humble. Hebrews reminds us that we are part of something bigger than we can see. And in the Gospel, Jesus teaches that when we welcome the poor, the sick, and the outcast, we welcome blessings that will last forever.

As we reflect on our liturgy this weekend, it is a good time to check our hearts. Are we looking to impress others? Or are we quietly doing good and trusting God to see it? When we stop trying to get ahead, we make room for God to lead us,

Deacon George



CHICKEN CASSEROLES are due by September 4th. 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 Vytlačil at 355 5897, she will be happy to share the super-easy





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, 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 Dafflito, Sue Scheiding, Robert Phinney, Joan Bowers, 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

GERMANFEST

The committee is asking for each family, if possible, to donate one new stuffed animal, any size, for the sucker pull booth this year. A container will be provided in the back of the church for your donations. Please deposit stuffed animals by Sunday, September 14th. Thank you.



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.

Taste of St. Norbert

At St. Norbert Catholic Church
16455 New Halls Ferry Road—Florissant, MO 63031
(A celebration of the churches of:
St. Angela Merici, Holy Name of Jesus, and St. Norbert)

Sunday, September 28, 2025
Mass ~ 11 AM
Food & Fellowship ~ Noon to 3 PM

MULTICULTURAL
Festival

- Food From Many Nations
- Entertainment
- 50/50 Raffle/Basket Raffles

Ticket/Donation	
Ages (0-5 yrs)	FREE
Ages (6-12 yrs)	\$5.00
Ages (13 +)	\$10.00
Family Ticket	\$15.00

Win a \$200 Visa Gift Card ~ Receive 1 FREE raffle ticket for every child in the family when you purchase a family ticket!

Tickets can be purchased at all three church offices OR at the door the day of the event. For more information call (314) 831-3874.

Unity through the Celebration of Our Diversity



Features:



Saturday, September 13, 2025

Sign-In & Practice: 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Start Time: 12:00 PM

Duchesne Home Association Grounds
50 Rue Saint Francois
Florissant, MO 63031

\$50 PER TEAM (Non-refundable)

PRIZE INFORMATION

1st Place: \$250 | Runner Up Prize: \$150

*Based on 16 team registration

For more information, Contact Chris Oldani at
314-541-0525



Save the date!



September 27, 2025

This Week in our Parish:

Monday, September 1

9:00am - Quilters in the Rectory Basement

PARISH OFFICE CLOSED

Tuesday, September 2

8:30am - Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday, September 3

9:30am - Deacon Eucharist Class

Thursday, September 4

6:30pm - Deacon Eucharist Class

Friday, September 5

Saturday, September 6

Sunday, September 7

After all masses on Sunday we will have the Donut Social in lunchroom

On Monday, September 1st the Parish office will be closed for the Labor Day holiday but we will be back to work on Tuesday, September 2nd.

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: _____

Features:

ST. ANGELA MERICI CHOIR

Attention choir members ! Choir season will be starting soon. Our first practice will be **Wednesday, September 3rd at 6:00pm in church.**

Note: The choir always welcomes new members to our ministry. Practices are on Wednesday at 6:00 pm in the church and the choir sings at 10:00 am Mass on Sundays, as well as various holy days and other special occasions. If you have any questions or are interested in joining the choir, please call Chris at 314-630-4247 or stop by the organ after mass. If you like to praise the Lord in song, please consider joining the choir!



ST ANGELA MERICI
Germanfest & Biergarten
- SATURDAY -
SEPTEMBER 20
5:00 - 9:00PM

Mass 4:00PM | Dinner & Biergarten 5:00 - 9:00PM
FAMILY-FRIENDLY EVENT
- NO OUTSIDE FOOD OR DRINKS -
Pre-order dinners; please visit our website or contact the Parish Office

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3860 N Highway 67 | Florissant, Missouri 63031

\$10.00 for all outdoor activities





Features:

Thirsting for God?

- ♦ Do you know of someone not baptized or baptized in a non-Catholic Christian tradition, who is thirsting for what it means to become Catholic?
- ♦ Do you know someone already Catholic but has not received Confirmation or Eucharist. They may be thirsting too!

The Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (OCIA) is a place to ask questions and seek understanding. Weekly "no obligation" Inquiry Sessions begin in September. For more information, contact Deacon George at dcngeorgehnj.sam@gmail.com or call parish office at 314-838-6565.

S.A.M.
SENIORS
WE ARE BACK

Happy Fall Everyone, we are back in business.
Our first meeting will be on Monday,
September 8th at 11:30am in the lunchroom.

We will be serving Salisbury steak with gravy, baby seasoned potatoes, seasoned peas and carrot's, Italian salad with peppercorn dressing, roils and butter. Beverages will be provided along with dessert.

Michael Benoist, a parishioner and lawyer will talk about estate planning.

You will get all of this for the cost of \$17.00 per person. Payment must be received by Wednesday, August 27th, which can be the Sunday collection basket, the parish office or the black mailbox outside the parish office. SEE Y'ALL THERE.

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. The Legion of Mary would like you to give prayerful consideration to commit or recommit to an hour a week to the Lord.

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. Eucharistic Adoration is at St. Angela Merici on Tuesdays, from 8:30am until 5:00pm. Times in real need are from 1pm—3pm. We are also looking for subs to add to the list. If you are interested, please contact the Parish Office at 838-6565.

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