

ST. ANGELA MERICI PARISH

July 5, 2026
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NEW PARISHIONERS
Register in the parish
office,
Mon-Thurs, 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

Saturday 8:00 am

Saturday 5:00 pm (Vigil)

Sunday 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 6

8:00 am - Julie Yerkey

Tuesday, July 7

8:00 am – Ken & Wilma Schmidt

Wednesday, July 8

Mass at St. Norbert/Holy Name of Jesus

Thursday, July 9

8:00 am - Caroline Farace

Friday, July 10

8:00 am - Stephanie Licklider (Spec. Int.)

Saturday, July 11

9:00 am - Rita & James O'Donnell

5:00 pm - Del White

Sunday, July 12

10:00 am - Cindy Korte

MINISTERS

FOR NEXT WEEKEND, JULY 11TH & 12

WEEKEND LECTORS

5:00 pm - Matt Adams

10:00 am – Mary Ann Kauffman

WEEKEND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

5:00 pm - Deacon George

10:00 am - Deacon George

JOIN US FOR
Rosary

MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY
7:15 AM

SATURDAY
7:30 AM

SATURDAY VIGIL
4:30 PM

SUNDAY
9:30 AM

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:

“Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart.”

Our readings this weekend invites us to discover the gentle heart of God. In the first reading, the prophet Zechariah announces a king who comes not with weapons or pride, but with humility and peace. This image prepares us to recognize Jesus, the humble King who does not crush the weak but lifts them up.

In the Gospel, Jesus offers one of the most comforting invitations in Scripture: “Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest.” These words speak directly to every person carrying worries, disappointments, responsibilities, grief, or spiritual fatigue. Jesus does not promise a life without challenges, but he promises his presence, his strength, and his peace.

Jesus also says, “Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart.” A yoke joins two animals together so that they can share the work. When Jesus asks us to take his yoke, he is not adding another burden to our lives. He is inviting us to walk with him, to let him share our burdens, and to learn his way of humility, trust, patience, and love.

This Sunday reminds us that true strength is not found in control, pride, or self-reliance. True strength is found in surrendering ourselves to God and allowing the Holy Spirit to guide our lives. Saint Paul reminds us that those who live by the Spirit will have life. To live by the Spirit is to choose what leads to peace, forgiveness, compassion, and holiness.

Many people today are tired – not only physically, but emotionally and spiritually. We may be tired from family struggles, financial worries, illness, work, loneliness, or the pressure to appear strong all the time. Jesus sees this tiredness. He does not judge us for it. Instead, he invites us closer: “Come to me.”

The message of this Sunday is simple but powerful: we do not have to carry everything alone. The Lord who is meek and humble of heart walks beside us. He gives rest not by removing every difficulty, but by giving us the grace to face life with faith, courage, and peace.

May we walk each day trusting in the love and protection of Jesus,

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, 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, Gloria Frisella, Barb Schmitz, Gerry Schilly, Philip & Ester Sansone, Marilyn Werner, Vitina Galati, Jaqueline Thomas, Mary "Meg" Peters, Baby Simon Jones, Julie Ross, Jo Chapman, Jerry Gomez, Kaelen Askuvich, Doris Hofer, Maricia Cissell, Deacon Joseph Kroutil, 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, Terry Farace, Darrell Van-Hooser, Debbie Schroeder, Sharon Zelch, Teka Jefferson, Marian Buckley, Marnie Brown, Joyce Borgmeyer, William Johnson, Jim Donovan, Mike Benoist, Chuck Lawless., Mark Mamer, Carmen Compass and Lucille Mamer

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN & WOMEN:

Bradley Stremlau, 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

**Marianist Retreat and Conference
Center's
Fifth Annual Married Couple's
Retreat
July 10-12, 2026
there is still time to register
(though the registration deadline is
closing in)**

If you have not yet registered, please consider joining us by going to [our registration page to sign up](#) before our deadline of June 29.

Our three presenting couples - Barb and Larry Kendrick, Carla and Eric Struckhoff, & Lisa and Paul Masek - hope to see you there.

Project Rachel Hope & Healing Weekend

A WEEKEND RETREAT FOR WOMEN
IMPACTED BY ABORTION

August 1-2, 2026

St. Louis County Location
\$25 per person
Includes lodging, meals, &
materials

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Features:

Sunday Collection - June 21, 2026

Sunday Weekly Offering	\$ 3,974
Weekly Budget	\$ 7,615
Weekly Over/Under	- \$ 3,641

Registration is now open for all Marquette Catholic High School athletic summer camps! Get first-class athletic instruction, meet coaches and players, all while having a great time! Dates, times, locations, and early registration discounts are all online. Please see the link below to learn more about this great opportunity!

www.marquettecatholic.org/summercamps



St. Louis Archdiocesan Youth Choir

Auditions



Join the St. Louis Archdiocesan Youth Choir – a community of young people who sing for Christ and His church.



Audition Dates

Thursday, June 18, 2026
10:00 am - 12:00 pm

Thursday, July 9, 2026
10:00 am - 12:00 pm



Cathedral Basilica

in the St. Cecilia Chapel
4431 Lindell Blvd.
St. Louis, Mo 63108



Season Rehearsals

Wednesdays
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm
Cathedral Basilica
Sept. - May



Directed by

Charlie Kinnison



Who Can Audition?

Young singers entering 4th-12th grade



What to Expect

- Basic vocal exercises
- Ear training
- Sight reading
- Maintaining harmony



Where We Sing

- Christmas at the Cathedral
- Divine Mercy Sunday
- Chrism Mass
- Ordination Mass
- Other Archdiocesan liturgies

To audition visit:



tinyurl.com/stl-arch-youth-choir



This Week in our Parish:

Monday, July 6

9:00am - Quilters in the Rectory Basement

Tuesday, July 7

ADORATION ALL DAY UNTIL 5PM IN CHURCH

Wednesday, July 8

Thursday, July 9

Noon - Ladies Club meeting in lunchroom

Friday, July 10

Saturday, July 11

Sunday, July 12



You're Invited!

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25th
The Ritz-Carlton, St. Louis



An evening of cocktails, dinner and dancing in honor of Birthright Counseling, STL's mission to support women facing unintended or complex pregnancies.



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St. Louis Archdiocesan Youth Choir

Features:

Anointing of the Sick:

“Is any among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord; and the prayer of faith will save the sick man, and the Lord will raise him up; and if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven.”

-James 5:14-15

Throughout his public ministry, Jesus healed the sick physically, mentally and spiritually. The apostles continued this ministry and handed it on to their successors. For 2,000 years, the Church has continued Jesus’ ministry of healing through the **Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick**.

At St. Angela we are going to begin celebrating each month the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick on the second weekend after Mass, alternating between the Saturday evening and the Sunday Masses. **The next will be on Saturday, July 11 following the 5:00PM Mass.**

This Sacrament is a sacrament of healing and so is for anyone who has a chronic, serious illness, anyone preparing for surgery, or anyone suffering from the effects of advance age.

We invite all in the parish who could receive benefit and grace from this sacrament to join us on July 11th, as we pray with and for each other, asking God’s healing, comfort and peace for all who receive the sacrament.



WEEK #1 - Theme: Finding Rest and Gentleness in Each Other’s Arms July 5 - Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Cycle A) “Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am meek and humble of heart; and you will find rest for yourselves. For my yoke is easy, and my burden light.” (Matthew 11:28-30) Couple Prayer: Lord Jesus, You invite us to come to You when we are weary. Help us as husband and wife to be gentle with one another, to carry each other’s burdens with meekness and love. May our home be a place of rest and joy in Your presence. Amen. Marriage Motivation Tip: Practice “soft starts” when discussing challenges—begin with affection or appreciation. This builds emotional safety and deepens intimacy, mirroring Christ’s gentle heart. Couple Conversation Question: When do you feel most rested and loved in our marriage? What small thing can I do this week to help you feel lighter and closer to me?

WEEK #2 - Theme: Sowing Seeds of Love and Understanding July 12 - Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Cycle A) “As the rain and the snow come down from heaven, and do not return there until they have watered the earth... so shall my word



Features:

Funeral Liturgy Planning Workshop

When a family is faced with death, there are decisions to be made to include the Funeral Liturgy. In these moments, many do not know where to turn or where to begin. We will be offering a session for parishioners on how to plan their funeral liturgy in a thoughtful and faith-filled way. This session will offer guidance on choosing readings, music, and other elements of the Catholic funeral liturgy, helping individuals and families prepare with peace of mind and trust in the Church's traditions.

This session will be offered on Wednesday, August 5th. So that materials can be prepared, advance registration is required. Please register by July 26 by filling out the slip below and returning it in the collection basket or to the parish office

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PLEASE PRINT

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Preferred Session **Aug 5 – 9:30 AM** **Aug 5 - 6:30 PM**

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.

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