ST. ANGELA MERICI PARISH

May 17, 2020 saintangelamerici.org

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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



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) 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 Monday 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.

MINISTERS

FOR NEXT WEEKEND, MAY 23 & 24

WEEKEND SERVERS

5:00 pm - NONE

7:30 am - NONE

9:30 am - NONE

11:30am - NONE

WEEKEND LECTORS

5:00 pm NONE

7:30 am -NONE

9:30 am - NONE

11:30 am - NONE

EXTRAORDINARY MIN. OF HOLY COMMUNION

5:00 pm - NONE

7:30 am - NONE

9:30 am - NONE

11:30 am - NONE

WEEKEND GIFT BEARERS - MAY 23 & 24

Sat. 5:00 pm - NONE

Sun. 7:30 am - NONE

Sun. 9:30 am - NONE

Sun. 11:30 am - NONE

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, May 18

8:00 am - Mary Dietz

Tuesday, May 19

 $8:00 \ \mathrm{am}$ - The Desloge brothers & deceased

Members of the Family

Wednesday, May 20

8:00 am - Betty Schmidt

Thursday, May 21

8:00 am - Jeanne Croteau

Friday, May 22

8:00 am - Schmidt Family

Saturday, May 23

5:00 pm - Ralph, Ben & Theresa DuBray

Sunday, May 24

7:30 am –Jeanne Corteau

9:30 am - Mary Dietz

11:30 am - People of the Parish

Sunday Collection - May 3, 2020

Sunday Offering\$ 10,805Weekly Budget\$ 11,290Weekly Over/Under- \$ 485Fiscal Year To Date-\$ 38,227



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From I

From The Desk of Msgr. Matthew Mitas:

REMEMBER THAT MAY IS THE MONTH OF OUR LADY!

HALLELUJAH!

The blessed day has arrived. "This is the day the lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad." (Ps. 118:24) This is the day when we thumb our noses at the Wuhan Flu, start living like normal human beings again, and stop living like Howard Hughes. If you haven't already gotten it, you will receive a letter from me concerning the guidelines for the start-up, but suffice it, for now, to say, they will all predicated upon the social-distancing with which we are already quite familiar. The church will be open for 8:00AM Mass on Monday, May 18, and will remain so from then on. A couple of important notices:

- 1) If you are sick (especially with a fever), stay home until you're well.
- 2) If you're in the high-risk categories and are fearful about returning, stay home (you have a dispensation)
- 3) We are doing everything we reasonably can to insure a safe environment here in church.
- 4) When you do come into church, stay six feet from the person nearest to you.
- 5) We will continue to stream all the Masses live (and maybe some other things as well).

There will be some other particulars, which the letter will address. I hope we only need to do this stuff for a short time. There's already very good news about the imminent availability of reliable vaccines and dramatic reductions in the numbers of new cases.

THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD

Next Sunday, when we're all back where we belong, we will celebrate the Ascension of the Lord. Forty days after His Resurrection, He departed this world, but promised two things: first, that He would *never* leave us orphans, and second, that He would come again. The first promise He kept by establishing the Church, whose birthday and origin we celebrate *next* Sunday at Pentecost. Jesus didn't leave us a book (viz., the New Testament), but rather gave us a Church that would produce that book in order to help her accomplish her divine mandate to "teach all nations". The second promise remains unfulfilled, but will be fulfilled at the end of time. God always keeps His promises, so we patiently await (and long for) His Second Coming. What a combo of two great feasts to return to!

QUIZ-A-CATHOLIC

Let's play "Guess the Year"! Your task will be to name, as close as you can, the year when the following events took place. I'll give you three years plus or minus, meaning that you have a six-year target to hit, e.g., if something happened in 1305, then any answer from 1302 to 1308 will be counted as correct, but there will be extra credit for bulls-eyes (all events are A.D.):

- 1. In what year was the use of vernacular language allowed for the Mass prayers?
- 2. Permission given for Masses to be celebrated in the afternoon or evening.
- 3. Jesus Christ rose from the dead.
- 4. Celebrating Sunday Mass on Saturday (i.e., "anticipated Masses") approved.
- 5. The Battle of Lepanto.
- 6. The first Council of Nicea.
- 7. The Apparitions of Our Lady at Fatima.
- 8. The Apparitions of Our Lady at Lourdes.
- 9. Pope Francis was elected pope.
- 10. The Diocese of St. Louis became an archdiocese.





CONTINUED

Bonus Question: When was the St. Louis Gateway Arch completed (unrelated to our becoming an **arch**diocese)?

ANSWERS: 1.1964 2. 1953 3. 33 4. 1970 5. 1571 6. 325 7. 1917 8. 1858 9. 2013 10. 1847

BONUS: Construction completed, 1965 - open to the public, 1967

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 16, Sat.: Confessions, 4:00-4:45PM, Mass at 5:00PM (live streamed)

May 17, Sun.: Church open for prayer, 8:00AM-11:00AM, Mass at 7:00AM (live streamed)

May 18, Mon.: FIRST PUBLIC MASS IN TWO MONTHS! (8:00AM)-Y'all come!

May 19, Tues.: Eucharistic Adoration in church from 8:30AM-7:00PM (with Perpetual Help Devotions and Benediction at 7:00PM)

May 19, Tues.: My Catechism Class also resumes. It will take place in church, and I hope to have it on live streaming as well. (After Devotions and Benediction.)

May 23, Sat.: Confessions, 4:00-4:45PM, Mass at 5:00PM

May 24, Sun.: Mass at 7:30, 9:30, & 11:30AM (usual schedule)

QUOTES OF THE WEEK

"Fear is a reaction; courage is a decision." - Winston Churchill

"There is nothing that the government can give you that it hasn't taken from you in the first place." - Winston Churchill

"The main vice of capitalism is the uneven distribution of prosperity. The vice of socialism is the even distribution of misery." - *Churchill again, making this a Winstonian trifecta!*

WORD OF THE WEEK

WALLYDRAG: (N.) A feeble or worthless person or animal, as in: "Let's not act like a bunch of wallydrags, and get on with the business of our Church and country!"

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF OUR PARISH:

Rachael Lawson, Jeff Gauthier, Rosemary Licato, Guy Henriksen, Augustine & Ray Porter, Billie Lawson, Kristine Lawson, Neil MacKenzie, Margaret Kluge, Laurie Kauffman, Carl Kling, Sr., Trisha Looney, Jerome Rueckert, Charles Haynes, Kathy Pilla, Bill Stubits, Nancy Brennen, Peggy Hinrichs, Brian Bennett, William Buchholz, Debbie Vietmeier, Suzy Vietmeier, Gloria Wasser, John Beyatte, Phil Witte, Joe Knese, Donna Ahrens, Paula Gamel, Katie Sanders, Jim McMullen, Veronica Murray, Pat Brennan, Patty Holschen, Jude Pauli, June Hildebrand, John Keeven, and Brian Terry.

PLEASE LET US KNOW IF WE NEED TO ADD OR REMOVE ANYONE FROM THE ABOVE SO AS TO KEEP OUR SICK LIST CURRENT. THANK YOU!

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE MEN & WOMEN

Joshua Stremlau, 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, Dustin Kyle, Max Rose, Craig Richardson, Isiah Stewart, Matthew Moorman, Jacob Graham and Joshua Graham

CALL THE PARISH OFFICE IF YOU WISH TO ADD A FAMILY MEMBER WHO IS IN THE ARMED FORCES.



St. Louis Friends of Birthright Virtual Run for Life and Learning

Looking for a fun and safe way to support Moms in need? The Friends of Birthright Run for Life and Learning has gone Virtual! To register or donate, visit run4lifeandlearning.eventbrite.com. Complete a Run/Walk distance of your choice (6K, 1 mile, 0.25 mile) individually or with your immediate family anytime between Monday, June 1 and Sunday, June 7. Post your time and/or photo to our Facebook page, or email us, and receive a race t-shirt. Proceeds enable women who are financially stressed by an unplanned pregnancy to continue their education. Please email us at run4lifeandlearning@gmail.com for sponsorship opportunities.

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PROTECTING GOD'S CHILDREN This really should include vulnerable adults, also.

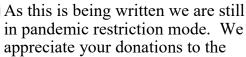
The Archdiocese of St. Louis has developed a new system for safe environment compliance called Prevent and Protect STL. Everyone ministering to minors and vulnerable adults (clergy, employees and volunteers) in the Archdiocese are required and asked to register in the new system before December 31, 2020. This includes those new to service and those who are cur**rently in service.** For those who have already attended a Protecting God's Children workshop, your previous training date will transfer to this new system. In addition to attending a live Protecting God's Children workshop, all clergy, volunteers, and employees will register for an updated background screening, view two new online training modules on abuse reporting and the Code of Ethical Conduct, and agree to the updated Code of Ethical Conduct. Please go to www.preventandprotectstl.org to register. Click "Register" below the LOG IN button. Enter the **passcode stlprotect**. Select the type of location where you are a volunteer or employee. Select the specific location by name: St. Angela Merici Parish. Contact Linda Brindley, our parish Child Safety Coordinator, at 314 -838-6565 with any questions or for further assistance. This should take about an hour to do. Thanks in advance for taking care of this.

ALL MINISTERS (Lectors-

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion-Altar Servers-Gift

Bearers): A Ministry Schedule will be prepared for the months of June, July and August 2020 to be ready when Mass will once again be available in Church. Please update your availability for those months in the Ministry Scheduler Pro (MSP) program or by note to Ken Schmalbeck. The new schedule will be prepared during the week of May 18th. Thank you for your service to Our Parish.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL



collection box in the parking lot. Your bagged & secured donations of clothing & small household goods have given us conference credits at the Thrift Store to help our neighbors in need when the store is reopened. While we are not making home visits yet, your contributions to the SVDP Society have allowed us to help our neighbors keep up with their utility bills. We hope to resume the Food Drives soon. We appreciate all the support you give to the SVDP Society.

Sorry for having the wrong address, here is the a correct one for T.E.A.M. it is 265 St. Catherine St., Florissant, MO 63031.

MEN'S CLUB

The normal scheduled meeting for Monday, May 18th has been cancel. The next meeting is schedule for Monday, June 22nd.

SUNDAY DONATION



During this time of the coronavirus and since we won't have large gatherings of people there are two ways to give your Sunday Donation

to St. Angela Merici. One is to either mail your envelope or drop it in the black mail box at the corner of the building before you get to the parish office. The mailing address is 3860 N. Hwy 67, Florissant, MO 63034. The other way is to sign up for the online giving. The link for the online giving is on the St. Angela Merici webpage, the address is

www.saintangelamerici.org. On the home page the link is at the very bottom on the right-hand side. Click on the online giving and it will take you to the page for the online giving. Click on Create New Account and fill out the information. Then you are all set up for the online giving.

Easter Flowers – 2020 addition

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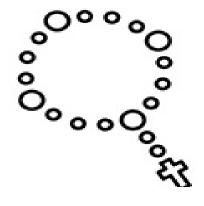
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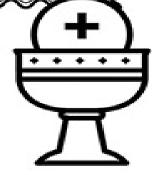
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