

# ST. ANGELA MERICI PARISH

April 4, 2021  
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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  
priest at least six months prior.





# 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)  
**Sunday** 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](mailto:brindley@stangelam.org).

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## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

### Monday, April 5

8:00 am - Holy Souls in Purgatory

### Tuesday, April 6

8:00 am - Helen De Stephane

### Wednesday, April 7

8:00 am - Frederick Haydon

### Thursday, April 8

8:00 am - George Hendrix

### Friday, April 9

8:00 am - Schmidt Family

### Saturday, April 10

5:00 pm - James Krispin

### Sunday, April 11

7:30 am - People of the Parish

9:30 am - Carl Herbergs

11:30 am - Caroline Laska



*Happy  
Easter*

## MINISTERS

FOR NEXT WEEKEND, APRIL 10 & 11

## WEEKEND SERVERS

5:00 pm - N/A

7:30 am - N/A

9:30 am - N/A

11:30 am - N/A

## WEEKEND LECTORS

5:00 pm - George Bidleman

7:30 am - John Fallah

9:30 am - Laura Vietmeier

11:30 am - Julie Ratermann

## EXTRAORDINARY MIN. OF HOLY COMMUNION

5:00 pm - N/A

7:30 am - N/A

9:30 am - N/A

11:30 am - N/A



## Sunday Collection - March 21, 2021

|                     |            |
|---------------------|------------|
| Sunday Offering     | \$ 9,031   |
| Weekly Budget       | \$11,980   |
| Weekly Over/Under   | - \$ 2,949 |
| Fiscal Year To Date | - \$63,084 |

## CONGRATULATIONS

The winner of the S.A.M.  
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## *From The Desk of Msgr. Matthew Mitas:*

**REMEMBER THAT APRIL IS THE MONTH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT!**

### **HE IS RISEN**

That simple three-word phrase needs no explanation: Jesus Christ, who suffered and died in our place, was buried and left for dead in the Holy Sepulcher, did not stay dead. He is risen, He is *truly* risen, and all of human history is the better for it. Countless times since then the world has been plunged into darkness (e.g., the French Revolution, the Russian Revolution and the rise of Communism, the Fall of the Roman Empire, wars and more heinous wars, and even, ironically, the “Enlightenment”) and each time the light that first shone from that Tomb was able to conquer the darkness. It will again, if only we have the faith, faith in Him who truly was dead, but now is truly risen!

### **EASTER DECORATIONS**

We are always very proud here at St. Angela for the way our people lovingly decorate our house of worship (i.e., our parish church), and this Easter is just one more example. All praise and all our thanks to Don Krause, Matt Adams and their crew. Well done! God is praised by all that you do so well!

### **MASS AT PIPERS’ CHAPEL IN COTTLEVILLE**

Once again we will be making the pilgrimage to Cottleville for Easter Week Mass. Dr. Piper and his wife, Judy, are welcoming us as their guests for the evening this Wednesday, April 7, at 5:30PM. If you wish to drive yourselves there and know the way, we’ll meet you there; if not, we can assemble here at SAM at 4:30 and carpool over. After Mass, those who wish can join us at the Madison Café, located about a mile from their home. All are welcome (there’s a sign-up list in the lunchroom for reservations).

### **THE RETURN OF ST. JOSEPH**

We had to take down the exquisitely appointed decorations at St. Joseph’s altar in church in order to show the Passion and Easter ones, but fear not: in this Year of St. Joseph, when the Easter decorations come down, St. Joseph’s frippery (see “word of the week” below) will be restored in all its glory, and will remain in place until the end of the year.

### **QUIZ-A-CATHOLIC**

Jesus warned us that what they did to Him, they would likewise do to us, and true to His word, many of Jesus’ disciples over the past 2,000 years have also been literally crucified. Your task is to match up with details of each crucifixion with the saint(s) who underwent it:

1. Crucified upside down in Nero’s Circus
2. Crucified on a X-shaped cross
3. Crucified in Nagasaki, Japan in 1632
4. Strangled while hanging on a cross in Wuchang, China in 1840
5. Crucified next to Jesus on Calvary (and canonized by Him)
6. Crucified after being skinned alive
7. In the year 250, he was crucified and then shot with arrows, hanging in agony for 5 days
8. Ironically, this saint was himself crucified after having helped Jesus carry His Cross
9. A cousin of Jesus, he was one of the 72 Disciples and the 2<sup>nd</sup> bishop of Jerusalem
10. Crucified rather than being wrapped in pitch and set ablaze (as were others) by Nero





## Features:

### CONTINUED

A) St. Faustus B) St. John Gabriel Perboyre C) St. Simon/Simeon of Jerusalem D) St. Andrew  
E) St. Bartholomew F) St. Peter G) St. Simon of Cyrene H) St. Dismas I) St. Pauli Miki  
J) The Martyrs of Rome

**ANSWERS:** 1) F 2) D 3) I 4) B 5) H 6) E 7) A  
8) G 9) C 10) J

### UPCOMING EVENTS

**Every Tuesday:** Eucharistic Adoration in church from 8:30AM-7:00PM, with Devotions and Benediction at 7:00.

**Every Tuesday and Friday:** Exercise in the gym from 9:00-10:00AM

**Mar. 28, Sun.:** Palm Sunday, showing of Mel Gibson's *The Passion of the Christ* in the lunchroom at 2:00PM

**Apr. 5, 12 & 19. Mon.:** RCIA for Catholics, Parish Meeting Room, 6:30PM (all welcome!)

**Apr. 6 & 20, Tue:** Catechism Class, in church after the 7:00PM Devotions (all welcome!)

**Apr. 7, Wed.:** Mass at Pipers' Chapel (with dinner at the Madison Café after) - meet here at SAM at 4:30PM.

### QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"The historical case for the Resurrection is that everybody else, except the Apostles, had every possible motive to declare what they had done with the body, if anything had been done with it. The Apostles might have hidden it in order to announce a sham miracle, but it is very difficult to imagine men being tortured and killed for the truth of a miracle which they knew to be a sham." - *G. K. Chesterton*

"In short, we do not need good laws to restrain bad men, we need good men to restrain bad laws." - *Chesterton, again*

### WORD OF THE WEEK

**FRIPPERY:** (*n.*) finery in dress, especially when showy, gaudy, and the like, as in: *"'Tis Easter! Time for all to put on their frippery and celebrate with all due pomp and fashion the Resurrection of Christ!"*

### 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, Nancy Brennen, Brian Bennett, William Buchholz, Debbie Vietmeier, Gloria Wasser, John Beyatte, Joe Knese, Donna Ahrens, Paula Gamel, Katie Sanders, Jim McMullen, Pat Brennan, Patty Holschen, Jude Pauli, June Hildebrand, John Keeven, Florence Coyne, John Thummel, Margaret Nolte, Zachery Davisson, Rita Sommer, Bill Moon, Gladys Broyles, Vivian Easley, Deborah Corcoran, Bob Happem, and Brian Perry.

**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, Craig Richardson, Isiah Stewart, Matthew Moorman, Dylan Krause, Tyler Krause, Jacob Graham and Joshua Graham

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

### HELP NEEDED FOR 60TH ANNIVERSARY

We are looking for volunteers to help with our Diamond Jubilee (60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary) celebration. We will be having a dinner on St. Angela Merici feast day which is Thursday, January 27<sup>th</sup>, 2022 and the Parish Anniversary is Monday, July 18<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Please call the parish office with your name and phone number. Also let them know if you want to volunteer for both days or if you have a certain day you would like to work. Thanks so much for helping make this a great celebration of our parish.





## Features:



### **MEN'S CLUB SPRING PIZZA/DESSERT SALE**

The Men's Club will be holding their spring pizza/dessert sale in April and May. We will once again offer distance ordering by using the order form you will find in the bulletin. The forms will be available in the April 18th bulletin and in the back of church. If you prefer to distance order, complete the order form, include a check or cash in an envelope and return it to the parish office or parish mailbox outside the office. If you wish to place your order on a credit card, you will need to order in person in the lunchroom during the week-ends of Apr 24/25 or May 01/02. Order pick-up will be May 15, 12:00PM – 2:00PM in the lunchroom. Thank you in advance for your generosity.



**Save the Date**

**DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY**  
**April 11, 2021**  
**St. Ferdinand Parish**  
**CONFESSIONS**  
**1:30 PM**

**Followed by**  
**ADORATION AND**  
**CHAPLET**  
**2:00 PM**

**BENEDICTION**  
**HOLY MASS**  
**3:00 PM**  
**CELEBRANT:**  
**FR. ANTHOLY GERBER**  
**ASSOCIATE, SACRED HEART**

*"On the day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the fount of My Mercy. The Soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment."*

*Diary of St. Faustina, #699*

For more information call: Maggie at (314) 691-9165.



### **Got Golf Fever?? Save the Date!!**

Calling all golfers and business owners! As you may know, the **St. Angela Merici** Conference of the Society of St. Vincent DePaul visits and serves those in our neighborhood who need assistance with utilities, furniture, clothing, vehicles, food, rent, car repair and much more. As in previous years, we are again raising funds for our North District account,

which provides vital funding support for needs that are greater than our conference funding can provide. So, PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDER for our 8<sup>th</sup> Annual GOLF TOURNAMENT and consider GATHERING A TEAM AND/OR SPONSORING A HOLE! Here are the details:

**DATE:** Friday, June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2021

**LOCATION:** Florissant Golf Course @ 50 Country Club Ln., Florissant

**TIME:** 9:00am shotgun start (breakfast to go & quick sign in at 8:00am)

**COST TO GOLF:** \$105 per person – 4-person scramble

**INCLUDES:** Green Fees, Cart, Mulligans, Skins, Greenies, refreshments on and off the course, and food is included.

**COST TO SPONSOR SINGLE HOLE:** \$100 (tax deductible)

**CONTACT:** Pat Bettis @ 314-372-1780 or email [pjbettis@aol.com](mailto:pjbettis@aol.com) or Frank Muldowney for Registration or hold sponsor forms @314-837-5144

**PLEASE SUPPORT THIS VITAL MINISTRY!! THANK YOU!!**

**Save the date:** May 22nd from 8am–4pm for the SVdP Truck at St. Angela Merici



## Features:



### PLANT SALE

The St. Angela Merici Pro-Life Committee is sponsoring a pre-order hanging basket Plant Sale. Delivery/Pick-Up will be the weekend of May 1st and 2nd. More

details to follow. If you have any questions, please contact Rena Hill 314-830-4874.

### YEAR-END STATEMENTS

Please notify the parish office by email at [brindley@stangelam.org](mailto:brindley@stangelam.org) or by phone at 314-838-6565 if you would like to get your statement. Just let us know if you would like to pick it up, have it emailed to you or sent by regular mail.



20th Annual

# RUN

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June 5th, 2021

### SAVE THE DATE! The Run for Life and Learning, benefiting Birthright STL, is June 5!

Join us for the in-person, socially-distanced event at Creve Coeur Lake on June 5. Or participate on your own anywhere, any time from June 1 through June 6. To register or donate, visit [runsignup.com/run4lifeandlearning](https://runsignup.com/run4lifeandlearning). Please contact us at [run4lifeandlearning@gmail.com](mailto:run4lifeandlearning@gmail.com) for sponsorship opportunities. Proceeds enable women who are financially stressed by an unplanned pregnancy to continue their education.

### 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](mailto:brindley@stangelam.org).

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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### ST. ANGELA MERICI DIAMOND JUBILEE(60TH ANNIVERSARY)

Do you have memories of St. Angela Merici that you would like to share with fellow parishioners? As part of our Diamond Jubilee (60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary) celebration, we are collecting any stories, recollections, or photos of things that happened over the years. We will compile these stories into a memory book and photos that will be part of a slideshow for the Diamond Jubilee gala celebration on July 18<sup>th</sup> 2022. If you have stories, you can submit them in the following ways:

Email: [brindley@stangelam.org](mailto:brindley@stangelam.org)

Place them in a box in the church marked "Diamond Jubilee (60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary) Memories".

Mail or drop by the Parish office and mark the envelope – St. Angela Merici 60<sup>th</sup> Stories.

Photos will be returned after they are copied if you put them in an envelope with your name.







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