

ST. ANGELA MERICI PARISH

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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



Prayer, Liturgy and Sacrifice

Mass Schedule

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, March 17

8:00 am - Communion Service at St. Norbert's

Tuesday, March 18

8:00 am - John Thummel

Wednesday, March 19

Mass at St. Norbert (All School Mass)

Thursday, March 20

8:00 am - The Souls of Andrew, Antoinette & Robert Prosser

Friday, March 21

8:00 am - Special Intentions

Saturday, March 22

8:00 am - Don Keating

5:00 pm - Amy Umbeck

Sunday, March 23

7:30 am - Randy Siebiels

10:00 am - Arthur & Evelyn Veitmeier

MINISTERS

FOR NEXT WEEKEND, MARCH 22ND & 23RD
WEEKEND LECTORS

5:00 pm - Karen Dafitto

7:30 am - Yvonne Jackson

10:00 am - Marty Gremminger

WEEKEND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

5:00 pm - Claudia Bidleman

7:30 am - Katherine Ising

10:00 am - John Scheiding

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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!

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REMINDERS:

St Vincent de Paul Food Drive for the month of April will be moved to the weekend of 12th & 13th.



Pondering With Deacon George:

**Jesus took Peter, John, and James
and went up the mountain to pray.
While he was praying his face changed in appearance
and his clothing became dazzling white.
- Luke 9: 28-30**

On the second Sunday of Lent, we move from Jesus' retreat to the desert and temptation by the devil to the mountain top to experience glory shown in Jesus' Transfiguration. In Luke's account, we are told that Jesus took Peter, John and James up the mountain to pray and in that moment, they experienced the glory of God. The mountain in the Bible always represents a place close to God and an intimate encounter with Him, a place of prayer where one stands in the presence of the Lord. Throughout history, many holy men and women have experienced "mountaintop" experiences.

During this Lenten season, as we were invited last week to a 40-day journey in the desert; we are also invited the mountain top to pray, to the mountain top to experience an intimate encounter with the Lord. God invites us to know Him deeper, to know ourselves as being love by Him and then to rest in His peace.

In His Transfiguration, we also see an anticipation of the glory of Jesus' Resurrection. In each of the reports of the Transfiguration, the disciples keep secret what they have seen. Not until they also witness His Passion and death will the disciples understand Jesus' Transfiguration. We hear this story of Jesus' Transfiguration early in Lent, but we have the benefit of hindsight. In our hearing of it, we anticipate Jesus' Resurrection even as we prepare to remember Jesus' Passion and death.

May God lead you to the mountaintop this Lent,
Deacon George

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.

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 and Mitchell Trost.



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, Marge Dubray, Janet Stubits, Sally Caruso, Steve Scherer, Tom Karanzieff, Alma Hankins, Christopher Dafflito, Theresa Hamilton, Brian Perry, Jan Ostermeyer, 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'Brian, 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, and Delaney Garrison.

Desert Day: I really need a day of prayer and quiet! Desert Days at the Sanguis Christi Spirituality Center of the Sisters of the Most Precious Blood are just that. Come to the quiet and beauty of St. Joseph Chapel at 204 North Main St., O'Fallon, MO **March 20, April 15 or May 21 from 9:15 am – 3:15 pm.** The day will begin and end with prayer. The remainder of the day is solitude, quiet, reflection, and rest. The opportunity to talk with a spiritual director is also available. Lunch is provided. A free will offering is requested. For more information or to register contact Sr. Mary Cecile Gunelson, CPPS at 636-293-8013 or by email mcgunelson@cpps-ofallon.org



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2025 Lunch Club Dates:
February 7th
May 2nd
August 1st
November 7th

Mass begins at 11:30am
Lunch begins at 12pm

Free to attend. Donations appreciated

To learn more or to RSVP please contact
Jackie Boyd at
(314)584-6129 or jboyd@mgstl.org



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St. Angela Merici Altar Society Needs You!

The Altar Society is in need of a few volunteers to assist with keeping our Church clean. Total commitment is only 8 hours over the course of the year. Interested in joining our *Cleaning Angels*? Please call the Parish office at 314-838-6565 to sign up.

PRO-LIFE PLANT SALE!

It's almost that time of year again! We will again be having our annual plant sale the final weekend of April to raise money for various organizations that support human life. (Two weeks before Mother's Day) April 26th all day and the 27th after all masses, or until we sell out! In the lunchroom.

SAVE SOME SPACE IN YOUR GARDEN FOR OUR BEAUTIFUL PLANTS SUPPLIED BY RITTER'S IN BRIDGETON.





Features:

The Knights of Columbus Duchesne Council 2951

Meat Shoots

All Proceeds to go toward Charity Food Baskets for
Thanksgiving, Christmas & Easter



When: March 23, March 30, April 6, and April 13

Where: Duchesne Home Association Grounds
Formerly Known as Knights of Columbus Grounds
50 Rue St. Francois St.
Florissant, Mo 63031

Shoots Start at Noon Each Sunday

LENTEN MISSION "THE MAIN THING IS"

This will be explained at the evening of missions on Monday, March 24th at St. Angela, Tuesday, March 25th at Holy Name of Jesus and Wednesday, March 26th at St. Norbert. Each night it is at 6:30pm.



If you would like to carpool to either of the two parishes, please sign up in the lunchroom after Mass. You will be driven to and brought back to the parking lot of St. Angela Merici. We will then celebrate, knowing the MAIN THING and will have grown in the love of God! GOD IS GOOD!!!

This Week in our Parish:

Monday, March 17

9:00 am - Quilters meet in Rectory Bsmt

Tuesday, March 18

8:30 am - Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday, March 19

7:00 pm - Liturgy Committee Meeting in meeting room

Thursday, March 20

6:00 pm - Neighborhood Watch Meeting in Lunchroom

Friday, March 21

7:00 pm - Stations of the Cross in church

Saturday, March 22

Sunday, March 23



LENTEN MISSION "THE MAIN THING IS..."

DATES:

Monday, Mar 24 6:30pm @ St. Angela Merici
Tuesday, Mar 25 6:30pm @ Holy Name of Jesus
Wednesday, Mar 26 6:30pm @ St. Norbert

Mass each evening with
Fr. Richard Gielow C.M.

His homilies will help us
understand "The main thing"

Each evening is different. Attend all nights.

Refreshments after each mass

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Features:



Fun! Fun! Fun!



KofC Bishop Wurm Assembly Ladies Auxiliary 9th Annual

Quarter Auction

When: Sunday, April 6, 2025

Where: St. Angela Merici Catholic Church (Gym)

Address: 3869 N. US-67

Florissant, MO 63034

Doors open: 12:00 p.m.

Auction: 1:00 - 4:30 p.m.

Food Available
at nominal cost:
Hot Dogs,
Brats, Chips,
Soda, Beer and
Wine

Only 25 Golden
Paddles will be
available!

Price of Admission \$10.00 buys you 1 Auction Paddle or
\$50.00 Buys an ALL INCLUSIVE Paddle good for every auction item.

Bring your rolls of quarters for the Auction!

Limited amount of Quarters will be available for purchase.
Combined sales of \$25 at Auction will give you free \$10.00
paddle.

Auction items each range from .25 to \$1.00

Call Chris Herbert 314-650-7622 to purchase your tickets and/or to
reserve your table. Tables are seats of 8-10.

St. Norbert Parish Trivia Night "Favorite Celebrity Theme" Saturday, March 29th



Trivia
Winner
\$400
Table Prize

"Best
Costume"
Prize

Doors open at 6:30 pm

Trivia begins at 7 pm

\$200 for a table of 8/\$250 for 10

Bring Your Own Food and Beverages!

Water and Ice Provided



To reserve a table call the
St. Norbert parish office at (314) 831-3874



Features:



ST. ANGELA MERICI CATHOLIC CHURCH

FISH DINNER

MARCH 28, 2025

5:00-6:30 PM DINNER | 7:00 PM STATIONS

**JOIN US FOR DINNER FOLLOWED BY
STATIONS OF THE CROSS!**

DINNER INCLUDES

**COD FISH (2 - 4 OZ. PIECES)
PASTA WITH MARINARA SAUCE
COLESLAW
GREEN BEANS
SLICED BREAD
COOKIES (2)
COMPLIMENTARY DRINKS**

WATER & SODA (\$1.00 EACH)

OTHER DETAILS

\$14.00 PER PERSON

RESERVATION OPTIONS:

- AFTER ALL WEEKEND MASSES
- VISIT OR CALL THE PARISH OFFICE
- ONLINE (WWW.SAINTANGELAMERICI.ORG)

JOIN US!

Dine In ☐ Carry Out ☐
(Lunchroom)

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Number of Dinners: _____

Total: _____

Cash ☐ Check ☐ # _____

All orders must be placed by
MARCH 18. You can return this
form or call/email the Parish Office.

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