# ST. ANGELA MERICI PARISH

April 6, 2025 saintangelamerici.org

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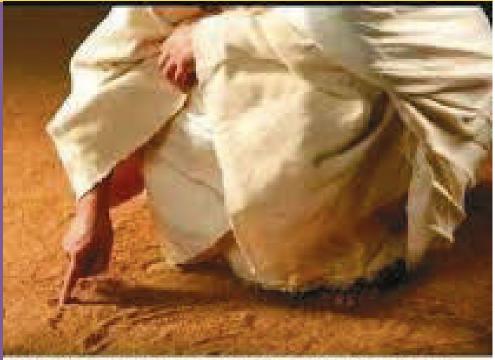
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"Neither do I condemn thee: go, and sin no more."

Repentance without a change in lifestyle is just an emotional moment

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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



# 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, April 7

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

Tuesday, April 8

8:00 am - Ken Vahrehold

Wednesday, April 9

8:00 am - Mass at St. Norbert (All School Mass)

Thursday, April 10

8:00 am - James Bruce

Friday, April 11

8:00 am - Joanne George

Saturday, April 12

8:00 am - Mark S. Knobloch

5:00 pm - Dan Keating

Sunday, April 13

7:30 am - Shirley Siebels 10:00 am - Hayden G. Pusatori

### **MINISTERS**

FOR NEXT WEEKEND, APRIL 12TH & 13TH WEEKEND LECTORS

5:00 pm - Crystalyn Talavera

7:30 am - Rena Hill

10:00 am -Mary Ann Kauffman

### **WEEKEND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

5:00 pm - Deacon George

7:30 am - Deacon George

10:00 am - Deacon George



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!

# **REMINDERS:**

Sign up sheets for Holy week are in the lunchroom. Please stop by and sign up.

Then Jesus straightened up and said to her,

"Woman, where are they?

Has no one condemned you?"

She replied, "No one, sir."

Then Jesus said, "Neither do I condemn you.

Go, and from now on do not sin any more."

A wise person once said that we cannot know the heart of another human being. How true that statement is. In this weekend's gospel, the religious leaders, who throughout John's gospel are looking for a reason to arrest Jesus and put him to death, seeks to test Jesus and trick him into judging the woman accused of adultery. Jesus does not fall for the trap, but instead, challenges everyone in the crowd, and us too, to look inwardly. The gospel given to us this weekend is a call to compassion and mercy. This is what we are called to do, not only during this Season of Lent, but throughout our lives of discipleship, to fast from judging others and see others, like Jesus, through eyes of mercy and compassion.

The beginning of Holy Week is just one week away. As we approach this most sacred time in our liturgical calendar, it's a good time to ask ourselves how are we on our Lenten journey of conversion, of striving to be more like Christ? Do we show the love and mercy of Jesus, or do we rather throw stones? Do we acknowledge our own sinfulness and need of God's mercy, or do we get discouraged by our failures that we try them hide them from others? Do we reach out to the needs of others, or do stay blind to their suffering and pain?

We are called to a change of heart this holy season, a heart that reflect the heart of Jesus; a heart that radiates love, compassion, mercy and forgiveness. We are reminded this weekend, that as sinners, we are all unworthy to judge the sins of others. Jesus, the one without sin, offers us who are sinners his mercy and forgiveness.

May we live in God's love and peace with one another, 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 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 Dafflitto, 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 Dafflitto, Sue Scheiding. Robert Phinney, Joan Bowers, Emily Kauffman, Delaney Garrison, Shirley Sweney, Karen Dafflitto, Anna Foncesa – Bartels, Debbie Pilla and Al Ratermann

# 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 MacKin-

non and Mitchell Trost.



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 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

# 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.



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. François St. Florissant, Mo 63031

Shoots Start at Noon Each Sunday

Virginia Russell: She just called me and wanted to make sure that I express how thankful she is to have all of the parishioners praying for her. She misses seeing all of you very much but she is doing well. Thanks again for everything. You are also in my prayers

# SOUP DINNER AND GUIDED ADORA-TION:

Holy Name of Jesus will host an evening of a simple diner of soup and bread followed by a time of Guided Adoration on Tuesday April 8. The meal will be from 5:40-6:45 PM in the Commons Area of the Parish Office Center. Guided Adoration, a time of scripture, song, reflection and private adoration time, will begin at 7:00 PM and last about one hour. Please join us for this beautiful opportunity to spend some time with Jesus in prayer.

# This Week in our Parish:

Monday, April 7

9:00 am - Quilters meet in Rectory Bsmt

Tuesday, April 8

8:30 am - Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday, April 9 Thursday, April 10

Noon - Ladies Club Meeting in the lunchroom

Friday, April 11

7:00 pm - Stations of the Cross in church

Saturday, April 12

Sunday, April 13

Holy Land Art in the lunchroom after all

Masses

St Vincent de Paul Food Drive after all

Masses







Auction items each range from .25 to \$1.00

paddle.

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

Combined sales of \$25 at Auction will give you free \$10.00

# TENEBRAE SERVICE AT SACRED HEART IN FLORISSANT ON APRIL 16TH

Prepare your heart for the Triduum - come to Sacred Heart Florissant on Wednesday night of Holy Week for a night of peaceful music, chanted Psalms, and reflection on the events of Holy Thursday. Between 6:30-8:30pm we will hold this sung celebration of the Liturgy of the Hours, originating in the 9th century, called "Tenebrae" or "darkness" because it is celebrated in a darkened church. As Psalms are chanted and readings are read, 15 candles are gradually extinguished, one after each Psalm, until only one remains. Feel free to arrive late or leave early as your schedule permits. On the eve of the Triduum, we hope you will be able to join us in prayerful stillness, and experience the deep riches of the Church's musical tradition.





# **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:	



Come one come all to the play "Sister Act" at Jame J. Eagan Center with the St. Angela

Merici Ladies club. All the ladies from Holy Name of Jesus, Saint Angela Merici and Saint Norbert are invited to join the Ladies club to a showing at 2:00pm on Sunday, May 25<sup>th</sup>. Tickets for a group of 8 or more cost \$20.00 each. We are planning on carpooling from Saint Angela Merici and having dinner after the show at Chimi's. If you would like to join us, please call Robin Galanos at 314-315-6858. Leave your name, phone number and how many tickets you are wanting. I would like to know by Sunday, April 6<sup>th.</sup> If you are coming, so that Robin can call and reserve seats for that day. Thank you



Tornatore's Catering will be preparing for us Pineapple Glazed Carving Ham, Baby Buttered Potatoes, Country Green Beans with Bacon, Italian Salad with Creamy Peppercorn Dressing

# For our entertainment it will be provided by **Bryan Foggs**



BULLETIN EARLY DEADLINES
Bulletin for April 20<sup>th</sup> notices due no later than April 7<sup>th</sup>
Bulletin for April 27<sup>th</sup> notices due no later than April

Bulletin for May 4<sup>th</sup> notices due no later than April 14<sup>th</sup> Bulletin for May 11<sup>th</sup> notices due no later than April 21<sup>st</sup>



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