

Annunziata

Many of us were concerned by the fact that through ALL THINGS NEW many St. Vincent de Paul conferences were merged or eliminated, but the **number of people in need has not diminished.**

Your generosity for the people seeking help at ***Our Lady of Perpetual Help Food Pantry*** was so encouraging. The donations of hundreds of canned goods: pasta, cereals and peanut butter and jelly as well so many rolls of toilet paper and other personal care items was awaited early this morning by a line of people ([see photo in this week's bulletin](#)). We pray for God's blessings on these hungry people.

OUR ANNUNZIATA CONFERENCE SUPPORTS FOUR FOOD PANTRIES.

Next month on **May 12** we will collect for the members of the former Immaculate Conception parish. Their food pantry in Maplewood is now known as ***St. Vincent dePaul Food Pantry***.

In the future we will be providing staples and food products to ***St.Pius Food Pantry*** at St. Rita's Parish in Vinita Park which has closed, but the food pantry still services those in the area.

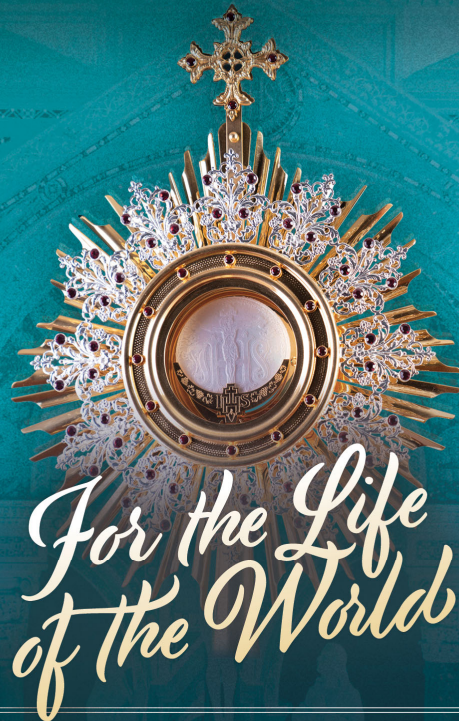
We will be asking for your assistance regularly. Please give whatever and whenever you are able. We appreciate your efforts and ask that you please pray for these neighbors in need.

Gratefully,
Jane Garvin
Annunziata Conference St. Vincent dePaul



April 21, 2024 — Fourth Sunday of Easter

Please consider a gift to the *Annual Catholic Appeal*.



*For the Life
of the World*

**Please consider a gift to the
Annual Catholic Appeal.**

Share the saving hope and love
of Jesus Christ with those in
need by supporting this
year's Appeal.



ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL
BUILD MY CHURCH

From Our Pastor . . .



Dear Parishioners:

One of the gifts of the Easter season is baptism. We are blessed to celebrate many Baptisms a year here at the Church of the Annunziata. The gift of new life is a great gift to our families and our entire parish community. It was wonderful on Easter to have so many families and their children with us at Mass. The sounds of life were joyful for all.

I especially want our Parents of Young Children to know how grateful we are that you and your family have joined us for Mass at Annunziata. It is our hope that your little ones will grow up to be vital members of our parish family. We are grateful that you begin this journey with us.

I and all of our parish family realize that it's not easy to get your whole family to Mass, and it can be even more difficult to keep all of your little ones still throughout Mass, but your kids should know that this church is their home and we, the community, are all brothers and sisters. They should feel welcome and at home in this place of worship, in the house of God.

We invite you to sing, pray, teach, respond, and explain what is going on at Mass with your children. Our liturgy is full of life and our little ones learn how to worship through you and your participation. Children learn by example and your dedication to coming to Mass and attentiveness to it will be their best lesson.

The presence of children in Mass is a gift to our church and a sign that we are growing! We rejoice that our children are with us, and that our parish welcomes new life! Please remember to keep encouraging our young families, offer your help if they need it, and support them as best you can!

Jesus said, "Let the children come to me, and do not prevent them; for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these." (Matthew 19:14)

Special congratulations to our second graders as they received their First Communion this Saturday April 20!

*Easter Blessings!
Msgr John Shamleffer*

YOU DID IT!



THANK YOU!



YOUR GENEROUS RESPONSE TO THE ANNUNZIATA FOOD DRIVE MADE THE DIFFERENCE IN THE LIVES OF SO MANY!



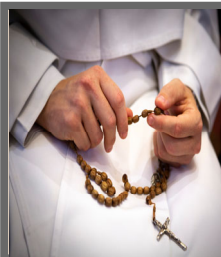
ONLINE GIVING NOW
at Annunziata

Go to Annunziata.org
Click on the blue "DONATE NOW" button
Sign up for *one time, weekly or monthly* offerings
(You can make your regular offering, donate to St. Vincent DePaul or any other fund.)
Click on the light blue "Register" button to get started.
Or scan the code to the right.

SCAN THIS CODE WITH YOUR MOBILE DEVICE NOW



Jonathon Phillips & Jacqueline Pelletier
will celebrate the Sacrament of Matrimony
April 27, 2024



PLEASE PRAY TO END ABORTION

INFORMATION ANYTIME!

Annunziata.org
See the latest bulletin
Access online Masses
Sign up for Online Giving
Register for FORMED

**DECLINE
TO
Sign**



Through May 5, pro-abortion supporters are attempting to collect signatures for a ballot initiative to insert abortion language into the Missouri Constitution.

Committed to saving preborn children and protecting Missouri women, the Archdiocese of St. Louis invites Missouri Catholics and other pro-life advocates to unite in prayer



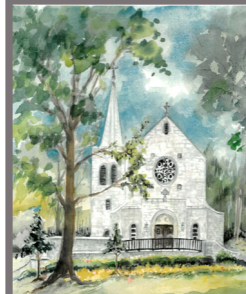
Please pray for all who have served or are serving in the U.S. Military and for all First Responders.

LTJG Haydn Boldt, U.S. Navy
Cadet William Boldt, USMA, West Point
Captain Winston Boldt, U.S. Army
Lt. Col. Michael Butler, Chaplain U.S. Army
Lt. Col. Eric Carlson, U.S. Army
Major Courtney Collins, U.S. Army
LCDR Michael Collins, U.S. Navy
Captain Molly Collins, U.S. Army
Captain Norman B. (Buddy) Conley IV, U.S. Army
Major Patrick M. Cronin, U.S. Army
William Donovan, U.S. Air Force
CPL Martin Drakes, U.S. Marine Corps
William Drakes, U.S. Air Force
John R. Driscoll, U.S. Navy
Timothy Fox, Jr. S.O. 2, U.S. Navy
Master Sgt. Alex Fox, U.S. Army
Lt. Charles Horn, M.D., U.S. Navy

Clare Lane, U.S. Air Force
1Lt. Robert Mandel, U.S. Army
Col. John M. Oberkirsch, U.S. Army
James Peterson, *retired* U.S. Marine Corps
GySgt. Ryan Rittenhouse, U.S. Marine Corps
Master Sgt. Patricia Roddy, U.S. Marine Corps
Maj. Rommel L. Romero, U.S. Air Force
Chelsea Schaffer, U.S. Army
Frankie Schaffer, U.S. Army
Sgt. Eric Secrease, U.S. Army
SSgt. Anthony J. Smith, U.S. Army
PFC. Nicholas Spangler, U.S. Army
SPC H. Meade Summers IV, U.S. Army
Major August B. Valentine, U.S. Marine Corps
Major Candace R. Valentine, U.S. Marine Corps
Sgt. Michael White, U.S. Army Rangers
Cpl. Robert Wigginton, U.S. Marine Corps

Baptism

Jacob Robert Redlingshafer, Jr.
Son of Jake & Lexi Redlingshafer
April 13, 2024



Annunziata

is open for private prayer
Monday thru Saturday
8:00 am — 3:00 pm
(Please use east entrance.)



Church of the Annunziata

Celebration of the Eucharist

Saturday (Vigil Mass) 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 9:00, and 11:00 a.m.
Monday - Saturday 7:00 a.m.

**All Masses are streamed at
www.annunziata.org**

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays from 3:30 to 4:45 p.m.

Holy Communion for Homebound Parishioners

Please call the Rectory to make arrangements.

Sacrament of Baptism

By appointment, usually on Sunday at noon.
Please call the Rectory for more information.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Please call the Rectory for information.

Our warm

WELCOME *to all!*

*If you wish to join our Parish
Family, please contact the
Parish Office.*

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4;
Jn 10:1-10

Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-3, 4-5, 6-7;
Jn 10:22-30

Wednesday: Acts 12:24—13:5a;
Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6 and 8; Jn 12:44-50

Thursday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14; Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17;
Mk 16:15-20

Friday: Acts 13:26-33;
Ps 2:6-7, 8-9, 10-11ab; Jn 14:1-6

Saturday: Acts 13:44-52;
Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Jn 14:7-14

Sunday: Acts 9:26-31;
Ps 22:26-27, 28, 30, 31-32 (26a);
1 Jn 3:18-24; Jn 15:1-8

From Death to New Life



Mary Franciscus Gleeson	April 21, 1998
T. Ellis Barnes III	April 22, 1989
Margaret Mary Wolfner	April 22, 2014
Ruth Laverne Deimeke	April 23, 1990
Joseph L. Krechel	April 23, 2000
Wm. Thomas Dooley, Jr.	April 23, 2004
Zoe Maginity	April 24, 1985
Lillian S. Childress	April 24, 1995
Louis A. Luth	April 24, 2001
Gene R. Frederic	April 24, 2003
Jean Frances Corley	April 24, 2005
Marie A. Thomas	April 26, 1986
Richard F. Huck	April 26, 2015
Briggs Hoffmann, Jr.	April 26, 2023
Alice Henry Barnes	April 27, 2006
John O. Niemann	April 27, 2013
Judy J. Humes	April 27, 2020

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, April 20

7:00 a.m. Kenrick Jones
5:00 p.m. Margaret Fox Wolfner

Sunday, April 21

9:00 a.m. People of the Parish
11:00 a.m. Matthew Buckley

Monday, April 22

7:00 a.m. Marilyn Morrison

Tuesday, April 23

7:00 a.m. Mary Griesedieck

Wednesday, April 24

7:00 a.m. Kevin Edward Gilligan

Thursday, April 25

7:00 a.m. Margeaux Thomas

Friday, April 26

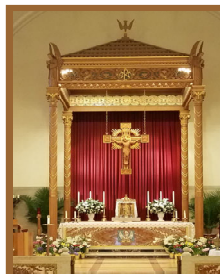
7:00 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. John E. Simon, Sr.
and Family, Living & Deceased

Saturday, April 27

7:00 a.m. Charles Disbrow
5:00 p.m. Elda Valli

Sunday, April 28

9:00 a.m. Jon (Dan) Picou
11:00 a.m. People of the Parish



Annunziata
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*One click to connect to
current Mass or to view past Masses.*



Pray the Rosary

Monday thru Saturday
Immediately after the
7:00 a.m. Mass

