

Catholic Schools Week



ANNUNZIATA PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION



*Sharing the great love of Jesus
through the beauty of our Catholic faith*

Our Catholic faith is a roadmap to a peaceful life, which is why God gave it to us. But, practicing it isn't always easy, because life is hard, especially these days.

ANNUNZIATA LEARNING CENTER

Our Annunziata Learning Center is a special mission of our Parish. This is a full day special education for children with learning disabilities. The Annunziata School is part of the St. Louis Archdiocese Department of Special Education.



Heavenly Father,

For all who have contracted coronavirus, we pray for care and healing.

For those who are particularly vulnerable, we pray for safety and protection.

For all who experience fear or anxiety, we pray for peace of mind and spirit.

For affected families who are facing difficult decisions between food on the table or public safety, we pray for policies that recognize their plight.

For those who do not have adequate health insurance, we pray that no family will face financial burdens alone.

For those who are afraid to access care due to immigration status, we pray for recognition of the God-given dignity of all.

For our brothers and sisters around the world, we pray for shared solidarity.

For public officials and decision makers, we pray for wisdom and guidance.

Father, during this time may your Church be a sign of hope, comfort and love to all. Grant peace. Grant comfort. Grant healing. Be with us, Lord.

Amen.



FROM OUR PASTOR.....

PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION and SPECIAL EDUCATION



Catholic Schools' Week, January 31 to February 6th, offers us the opportunity to thank the entire Parish of Annunziata for their support of our excellent P.S.R. program and our Parish Mission of providing full time Catholic Special Education for children with learning disabilities or special needs. We know our parents are the essential, primary Teachers of their children in the Catholic Faith. Our Parish School of Religion is blest to have Mrs. Laura Gyawali as Principal, along with her dedicated Teachers and Staff, who volunteer their time and talent to assist parents in forming their daughters and sons as disciples of Jesus through understanding and living their Catholic Faith.

Ms. Gerre Book is a treasure who has guided the development and impact of Catholic Special Education in our Parish for over thirty years as teacher and Principal. Ms. Book sent a letter to the Parish, from which I quote: "Your commitment to the Catholic education of children who learn differently is truly commendable. With your support, we are able to spread the joy of Christ to many children. Annunziata School truly is a school family because of the wonderful children and staff who are here. Thanks to all the parishioners for helping make Annunziata School a special place for the students and their families."

Last Sunday the whole Church celebrated, "WORD OF GOD" Sunday. Pope Francis reflects, "The Word of God is the antidote to our fear of having to face life. In speaking to us, the Lord reminds us that we are in His Heart, that we are precious in His eyes, and that He holds us in the palm of His hand,"

BLESSING OF THROATS ON SAINT BLAISE DAY (Feb. 3)

Christ is the Divine Healer who listens to our prayers and intercessions for the good health of one another. Part of the plan laid out by God's providence is that we should fight strenuously against all sickness and carefully seek the blessings of good health, so that we may fulfill our mission in human society and in Christ's Church.

In light of the continuing health concerns caused by Covid-19, the Office of Worship for the Archdiocese of St. Louis has instructed Priests and Deacons to give the prayer of blessing, without candles, as the final blessing for the Mass of St. Blaise on Wednesday, February 3rd.

January 31, 2021

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Our Prayer Page

PLEASE PRAY

for doctors and nurses, first responders, and everyone impacted by the coronavirus.

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
LCDR Michael Collins, U.S. Navy
2nd LT Norman Benedict (Buddy) Conley IV, U.S. Army
Martin Drakes, U.S. Marine Corps
John R. Driscoll, U.S. Navy
1SG Charles DuTart, U.S. Army
Captain Molly Collins DuTart, U.S. Army
Major Courtney Collins Fox, U.S. Army
Soosan Good, U.S. Army
Lt. Charles Horn, M.D., U.S. Navy
1Lt. Robert Mandel, U.S. Army
Col. John M. Oberkirsch, U.S. Army
James Peterson, retired U.S. Marine Corps
SSgt. 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
Captain August B. Valentine, U.S. Marine Corps
Sgt. Michael White, U.S. Army Rangers
Cpl. Robert Wigginton, U.S. Marine Corps

*(Please call the rectory to add the name of
a loved one who is serving in the military.)*

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

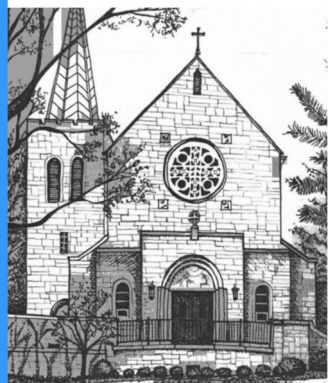
Monday: Heb 11:32-40; Ps 31:20-24;
Mk 5:1-20
Tuesday: Mal 3:1-4; Ps 24:7-10;
Heb 2:14-18; Lk 2:22-40
Wednesday: Heb 12:4-7, 11-15;
Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18a;
Mk 6:1-6
Thursday: Heb 12:18-19, 21-24;
Ps 48:2-4, 9-11; Mk 6:7-13
Friday: Heb 13:1-8;
Ps 27:1, 3, 5, 8b-9;
Mk 6:14-29
Saturday: Heb 13:15-17, 20-21;
Ps 23:1-6; Mk 6:30-34
Sunday: Jb 7:1-4, 6-7; Ps 147:1-6;
1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-23;
Mk 1:29-39

From Death To New Life



Helen Costello Brown	January 31, 1983
Elizabeth White Scull	February 1, 2009
Maie Kimball Schlafly	February 2, 1990
Alexander McNair Bakewell	February 3, 1987
Patricia Allen Dean	February 3, 2002
Katherine H. Connaughton	February 4, 2012
June Corley Jessee	February 4, 2016
Berenice P. Kloecker	February 4, 1993
John Krey Stephens	February 4, 2009
Donald E. Lasater	February 5, 2016
Edmund J. Pung	February 5, 2001
Margaret Loretta Vollmer	February 5, 2002
Alexander J. Muckerman	February 6, 1980
Lorene (Laurie) Griesedieck	February 6, 2020

The Church of the Annunziata



is open for
private prayer

Monday – Saturday
7:30 am - 3:00 pm

Stop by and spend
some time with
Our Lord!

Annunziata 2021 Directory

Have you discontinued your land-line?

Does the Parish Office have your correct phone number, email and mailing addresses?

Our 2021 Directory is scheduled to go to the publisher in February and be delivered in early spring. (This is an annual publication which was delayed in 2019/2020 because of Covid-19.) If your information has changed or if it is not correct in the 2020 edition, *please notify the Parish Office (314-993-4422) before the end of January!*

Advertising Opportunity - This book is mailed directly to each parish family at no cost to Annunziata. It is provided by businesses advertisements. If you have or know of a business that would like to learn more about advertising in our Parish Directory, please contact the Parish Office by phone 314-993-4422 or email dodie@annunziata.org. (A recent survey showed that 92% of families would rather patronize a Directory advertiser over a non-advertiser. It "will pay" to advertise in Annunziata's new Guide Book & Directory.

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January 31, 2021

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

NEW EMAIL DELIVERY

Everyone on our email list will receive an email copy of the weekend bulletin on Saturday, replacing the email messages you have been receiving in the past. As always, please refer to our website

ANNUNZIATA.ORG

for additional detailed information.

You may add or remove an email address from this list by going to our website.

REMINDER

The need is greater than ever!

St. Patrick's Center Casseroles should be dropped off at the Rectory

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5TH

no later than 10:00 a.m.



Casseroles should be FROZEN
when dropped off!

Thank you for your generosity!



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IS LIVESTREAMING
ALL MASSES!
GO TO
ANNUNZIATA.ORG
ONE CLICK
TO CONNECT
TO THE
CURRENT MASS
OR
VIEW PAST MASSES

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, January 30

7:00 a.m. Richard Tenge

5:00 p.m. Robert S. Smith

Sunday, January 31

7:00 a.m. People of the Parish

9:00 a.m. Celebrant's Intention

11:00 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. William

Francis, III and Family

Monday, February 1

7:00 a.m. The Hebron Family

Tuesday, February 2

7:00 a.m. Kathryn White

Wednesday, February 3

7:00 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. John E. Simon, Sr.
& Family (living and deceased)

Thursday, February 4

7:00 a.m. Lee Savage

Friday, February 5

7:00 a.m. Jack Curran

Saturday, February 6

7:00 a.m. George "Lee" Chartrand

5:00 p.m. Celebrant's Intention

Sunday, February 7

7:00 a.m. People of the Parish

9:00 a.m. Kelly Holton

11:00 a.m. Dan Ferry



Church of the Annunziata

9305 Clayton Road - St. Louis, MO 63124 - (314) 993-4422 - Fax (314) 994-7877 - www.annunziata.org

Celebration of the Eucharist

Saturday (Vigil Mass) 5:00 p.m.
Sunday 7:00, 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 12:15 p.m.
Please call the Rectory for more information.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Please call the Rectory for information.

Parish Staff

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OUR WARM WELCOME TO ALL!

We welcome all who come and worship with us. If you wish to join our parish faith family, or have a change in your contact information, kindly complete this form. You can return it to the Rectory, place it in the collection, or give it to a Priest or Deacon.

Name _____

Cell/Phone Number _____

Address/Zip _____

Email _____

☐ Please make the above changes to my parish record.

☐ I would like our Church Family to pray for:

☐ I wish to find out more about the Catholic faith.

☐ I would like to speak with a Priest/Deacon
