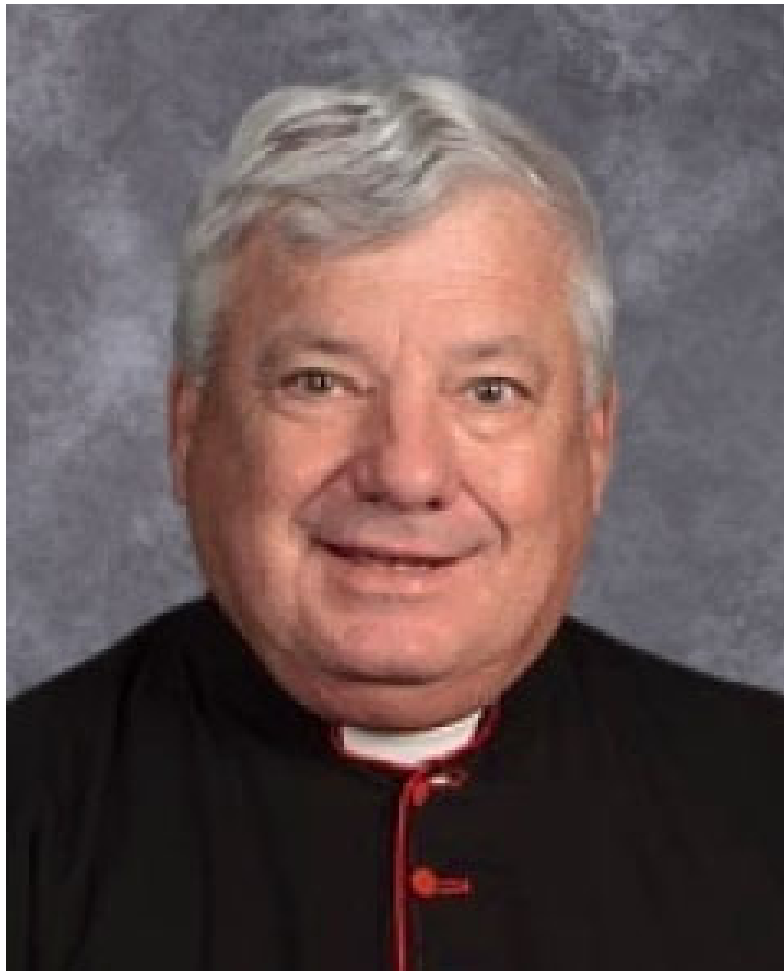


# *Church of the Annunziata*



Msgr. John B. Shamleffer

## **Mass Schedules for Church of Annunziata and Ste Genevieve du Bois Parishes,**

With the implementation of our new pastoral structure, keeping a full schedule of Masses, Confessions, and other liturgical events has to be coordinated with the new availability of clergy. While grateful for all the help we can get from other priests, the schedule could be covered by the two priests assigned to the parishes.

Our new schedule begins on Saturday August 5, 2023 will be as follows:

### **Church of Annunziata**

Mass 7:00 am Monday-Saturday

Saturday Confessions 3:30-4:45pm

Saturday Mass 5:00 pm (Vigil)

Sunday Masses 9:00 and 11:00 am

### **Ste. Genevieve du Bois**

Mass 7:00 am Monday-Friday

Mass 8am on Tuesdays during school year

Saturday Confessions 3:30-4:15pm

Saturday Mass 4:30pm (Vigil)

Sunday Masses 7:30 and 9:30 am

I know this will take some time to get used to and it is “temporary” until January 1, 2024 to see how this works for our communities. Thanks to all for your prayers during this time of change.

Dear Parishioners of Annunziata and Ste Genevieve du Bois,

I am honored to be your Pastor. I have served at Ste Genevieve and have a number of friends both there and at The Church of the Annunziata. I trust in the Lord to guide me and our parishes in the years to come.

This assignment is new for me, and for all of us. Annunziata has served the families of Ladue for almost 95 years and is a gift to this community. Ste Genevieve has served the city of Warson Woods, Ladue, and Kirkwood for the past 67 years and is an integral part of that community.

Both parishes remain as separate and distinct parishes, and I understand the importance of this distinction. Both parishes have families that have attended their respective church for several generations and are fiercely loyal to their parish. I believe this loyalty is a gift that will continue to serve all of us well.

All that we are as Catholics and all that we are as parishioners begins at the Altar at the celebration of the Eucharist. The second Vatican council in the document *Sacrosanctum Concilium* describes it this way:

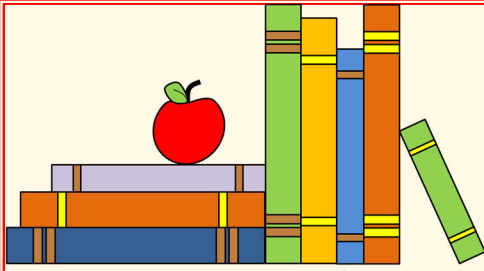
*The liturgy is the summit toward which the action of the Church tends, and, at the same time, the fountain from which her energy flows. Apostolic work, in fact, is ordered so that all who have become (children) of God by means of faith and baptism may join in assembly, praise God in the Church, and take part in the sacrifice and at the table of the Lord. (SC 10).*

I am appreciative and thankful to both Msgr John Leykam and Msgr Daniel Mosley for their many years of faith-filled service to their parishes. A solid foundation exists at each parish but parishes, much like our lives, are living organisms. You and I are constantly building on past experiences and opening ourselves to new ones, we are dynamic beings.

In reviewing the mass counts at each parish over the past ten years it is evident that participation at our Sunday liturgies has diminished in numbers. Since I am aware of how much you love your parishes, this might be a great occasion to renew our commitment to attendance at Sunday Mass. With a full and active participation at Mass by all our members, we can better foster our parish life and achieve greater unity as members of Christ's Body. This Eucharistic foundation will be represented in all that we do: in prayer, in education of our children, in our acts of charity and ministry, and in all our social interactions with one another.

I am keeping both Annunziata and Ste Genevieve in my prayers as I prepare to begin my ministry this August. Please pray for me, as I look forward to being a part of two wonderful parish families.

*God Bless,  
Msgr John B. Shamleffer  
Pastor*



# IT IS ALMOST BACK-TO-SCHOOL TIME!

**ANNUNZIATA LEARNING CENTER is getting ready for the next school year. We have recovered from the flood and are ready for the new school year to begin! We would appreciate any help you can give us with regular school supplies for our students. Below is a short list of needed items. Of course gift cards and any monetary contributions will help us see that each student will have what he/she needs to get off to a good start!**

*folders and spiral notebooks in primary colors, pencils, erasers, WASHABLE markers, crayons, highlighters, plastic or wooden ruler (12" and cm).*

**We are very grateful for any help you can give us!**



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

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  
 2nd Lt Norman Benedict (Buddy) Conley IV, U.S. Army  
 Major Patrick M. Cronin, U.S. Army  
 William Donovan, U.S. Airforce  
 Martin Drakes, U.S. Marine Corps  
 John R. Driscoll, U.S. Navy  
 Timothy Fox, Jr. S.O. 2, U.S. Navy  
 Master Sgt. Alex Fox, U.S. Army  
 Soosan Good, U.S. Army  
 Lt. Charles Horn, M.D., U.S. Navy

Clare Lane, U.S. Airforce  
 1Lt. Robert Mandel, U.S. Army  
 Col. John M. Oberkirsch, U.S. Army  
 James Peterson, *retired* U.S. Marine Corps  
 GSgt. 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 let us know if there has been a change of rank or active military service, so we can keep this prayer list up-to-date. Please call the rectory to add the name of a loved one who is serving in the military.*



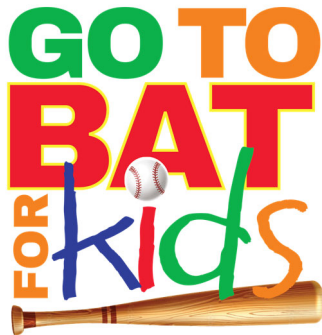
## Annunziata's Society of St. Vincent de Paul provides for those in need.

We are **DESPERATELY** in need of **DIAPERS!** You helped so much during the Deacons' Diaper Drive, but now we have run out. **PLEASE HELP** us again!  
— We especially need sizes 3, 4 & 5 —

### Donate your vehicle and Help the Society of St. Vincent de Paul!

Running or not. Free towing. Tax deductible. A vehicle donation from you gives hope to those in need. We have an easy process and free pick-up. To learn more, call or visit us online. 800-322-8284 or [www.svdpusacars.com](http://www.svdpusacars.com)

**Your generosity is greatly appreciated.  
God bless You!**



### Go to Bat for Kids

Make a memorable night at Busch Stadium possible for children and families who might not otherwise have the opportunity. At each of the four **Go to Bat for Kids** games, a child will experience the thrill of throwing out a ceremonial pitch. Children served by our family of nine ministries will walk in a pregame parade on the field.

**We invite you to step up to the plate and Go to Bat for Kids by sponsoring a child for just \$26.**

Your donation provides admission to a game, a hot dog, and a soda; and helps create a memory for one or more children!

For more information or to get involved, please contact one of your Parish Ambassadors  
Lyn Grace 314-997- 848 or Trow Meier 847-778-9867



*Annunziata* is open for private prayer  
Monday thru Saturday  
8:00 am — 3:00 pm

**PRAY  
To END  
ABORTION**



# Church of the Annunziata

## *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](http://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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Margie Meyers, Rectory Manager  
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**St. Vincent de Paul Hotline  
(314) 993-8133 ext. 225**

*Our warm WELCOME to all!  
If you wish to join our Parish Family, please contact the  
Parish Office.*

***READINGS FOR THE WEEK***

Monday: Ex 14:5-18; Ex 15:1bc-2, 3-4, 5-6;  
Mt 12:38-42

Tuesday: 2 Cor 4:7-15;  
Ps 126:1bc-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6;  
Mt 20:20-28

Wednesday: Ex 16:1-5, 9-15;  
Ps 78:18-19, 23-24, 25-26, 27-28;  
Mt 13:1-9

Thursday: Ex 19:1-2, 9-11, 16-20b;  
Dn 3:52, 53, 54, 55, 56; Mt 13:10-17

Friday: Ex 20:1-17; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11;  
Mt 13:18-23

Saturday: Ex 24:3-8; Ps 50:1b-2, 5-6, 14-15;  
Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42

Sunday: 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12; Ps 119:57, 72,  
76-77, 127-128, 129-130 (97a);  
Rom 8:28-30;  
Mt 13:44-52 or 13:44-46

***MASS INTENTIONS***

Saturday, July 22  
7:00 a.m. Rita Beckmann  
5:00 p.m. Marilyn Morrison

Sunday, July 23  
7:00 a.m. Jack Leykam  
9:00 a.m. Celebrant's Intention  
11:00 a.m. People of the Parish

Monday, July 24  
7:00 a.m. Carol Dubuque

Tuesday, July 25  
7:00 a.m. John Brennan, Jr.

Wednesday, July 26  
7:00 a.m. Tom Strobl

Thursday, July 27  
7:00 a.m. Nancy Schwarz

Friday, July 28  
7:00 a.m. Bommarito Family

Saturday, July 29  
7:00 a.m. Mary Wiese  
5:00 p.m. William D. Holthaus, Sr.

Sunday, July 30  
7:00 a.m. Rosa Donnarumma  
9:00 a.m. People of the Parish  
11:00 a.m. Celebrant's Intention

***From Death to New Life*** 

Charles R. Cuntz	July 23, 1994
Kathryn B. Denny	July 23, 1987
Virginia M. Grumney	July 23, 2008
Edith Reilly	July 23, 1992
Mary Agnes "Aggie" Krause	July 25, 2017
Robert Alexander Britt	July 26, 2008
Jessie C. Hertslet	July 26, 1994
Frederick "Hank" Schwetye	July 27, 2018
Andrew J. Tobin	July 28, 1985

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***Pray the Rosary***

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