

Church of the Annunziata

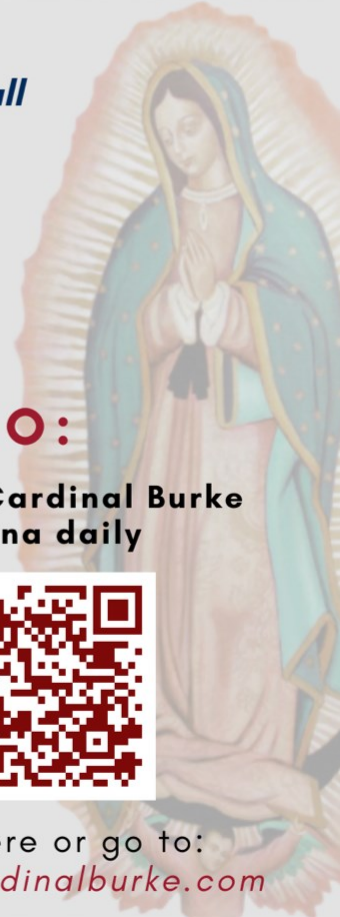


We Need You to **PRAY**

In November, there is a potential amendment that would enshrine abortion in the Missouri Constitution

If passed, it will:

- Allow unlimited, unrestricted abortions *for all 9 months* of pregnancy
- NO parental consent or notification
- NO health and safety standards
- NO ability to sue for malpractice
- Taxpayer funded



WHAT YOU CAN DO:

**Pray the
Rosary daily**



Scan here or go to:
therosary.online

**Pray the Cardinal Burke
Novena daily**



Scan here or go to:
novena.cardinalburke.com

*"There is no problem, no matter how difficult it is, I tell you, that we cannot resolve by the Rosary."
-Saint Lucia of Fatima*

July 21, 2024—16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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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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Dear Parishioners:

A couple years ago when I was the Pastor at St Gabriel the Archangel we held this exhibit by Carlo Acutis: **The Eucharistic Miracles of the World**. Its purpose was to foster Eucharistic adoration. I appreciate all of our parishioners who regularly make visits before the Blessed Sacrament; your prayers are a gift to our community.

Last week Pope Francis declared Carlo the first millennium saint. Carlo was a 15-year-old Italian web designer is set to become the Catholic Church's first saint from the millennial generation. Last week, in a ceremony called an Ordinary Public Consistory, Pope Francis and the cardinals residing in Rome formally approved the canonization of Carlo Acutis, along with 14 others. No specific date has been set for the canonization of Acutis, who was dubbed "God's Influencer" for his work spreading Catholicism online, but he's likely to be proclaimed a saint in 2025.

Acutis was born to wealthy Italian parents in London in 1991, but the family moved to northern Italy shortly after his birth. His family have said he was a pious child, asking at the age of 7 to receive the first communion.

He went on to attend church and receive communion every day. As he grew older, he became interested in computers and the internet, creating a website on which he catalogued church-approved miracles and appearances of the Virgin Mary throughout history.

According to the Vatican, Acutis was "welcoming and caring towards the poorest, and he helped the homeless, the needy, and immigrants with the money he saved from his weekly allowance."

He reportedly used his first savings to buy a sleeping bag for a homeless man he often met on his way to mass.

Acutis died in October 2006 at the age of 15 in Monza, Italy, of leukemia. Some of the city's poorest residents, whom Acutis had helped, turned out to pay their respects to the teenager at his funeral.

His body lies in an open tomb in Assisi, in central Italy, wearing blue jeans and Nike sneakers. "I am happy to die because I lived my life without wasting even a minute of it on anything unpleasing to God," Acutis was quoted as saying before he died.

Pope Francis declared Acutis "blessed" in October of 2020, after a miracle attributed to him was approved by the church. That miracle was a young boy in Brazil who was healed of a deadly pancreatic disease after he and his mother prayed to a relic of Acutis. A second miracle was recently recognized opening the way to Carlo's declaration as the first millennium saint.

*God Bless,
Msgr John Shamleffer*



For over 110 years, **Catholic Charities of St. Louis** has been bringing the healing, help, and hope of Jesus Christ to those in need with a compassionate and caring presence. Catholic Charities helps change lives through the work of nine ministries which are: Cardinal Ritter Senior Services, Good Shepherd Children & Family Services, LAMP, Marygrove, Queen of Peace Center, Saint Louis Counseling, Saint Martha's, St. Francis Community Services, and St. Patrick Center.

Annunziata has earned a special designation as a Catholic Charities Ambassador Parish. Ambassadors are generous volunteers who share their knowledge and passion for Catholic Charities mission. They help parishioners understand how to access our services and help coordinate service projects, donation drives, speaker events, and other support opportunities.

If you are interested in learning more about the program or getting involved with Catholic Charities, please contact your Parish Ambassadors trowmeier@gmail.com or 996apex@gmail.com

Serve Meals at St. Vincent de Paul Parish

Join Ste. Gen parishioners to assist with meals for the poor and homeless at St. Vincent DePaul Parish. Volunteers will serve the meals, clear the tables and sweep the floors in the Parish Hall.

Location: St. Vincent DePaul Parish, 1408 South 10th Street, St. Louis, MO 63104 (ask about carpooling)

Day: 4th Sunday of each Month

Time: 4:30-6:30 pm

If interested please contact Maura McShane at 314-402-7848 or mmshane08@yahoo.com



**It's Almost
Back to School
Time!!**

Annunciata Learning Center is getting ready for this coming school year! 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 or monetary contributions will help us see that each student will have what he/she needs to get off to a good start! Thank you in advance!

- Orange or Black 2 Pocket Folders
- Green, Red, Yellow or Orange Wide Rule Spiral Notebooks
- Pencils
- Erasers
- Washable markers (thick or thin)
- 24 Count Crayons
- Highlighters
- 12 Count Colored Pencils



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at *Annunziata*

Go to **Annunziata.org** and click on the blue **"DONATE NOW"** button to sign up for *one time, weekly or monthly* offering. Click on the light blue **"Register"** button to get started. Or scan the code to the right.

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CODE WITH
YOUR MOBILE
DEVICE NOW



Hospitalized Parishioners

Because of the Federal Privacy Act there is no longer a "clergy list" at any of our hospitals. If you are admitted to a hospital, and they ask you if you would like your priest to be notified, **please say: "yes call my parish priest at Annunziata at 314-993-4422."**

If you know ahead of time you will be admitted, please call your priest at the Rectory and he will readily offer you the Sacrament of the Anointing.

**If you know of a parishioner who is hospitalized,
please do not assume we know. Please call the
Parish Office 314-993-4422.**



**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
William Boldt, USMA, 2nd Lt. U.S. Army
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



PSR Registration Now Open

Annunziata PSR Registration is now open! Join your classmates and teachers for a faith filled year! Open to Parishioners in grades kindergarten through eighth grade.

Register at: <https://annunziata.psrenroll.com/>

Sign up before August 15 to avoid a late fee.

PSR begins on Sunday, September 8

Scholarships are available for those that need financial assistance.

Questions email: julie@annunziata.org.

The Annunziata Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society

Jane Garvin

President

Rick Hagedorn

Vice President

Cindy Cunningham

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Secretary



*Please consider becoming a member of our
St. Vincent de Paul Conference. It takes so
little time and can give so much!
For more information, please contact*

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Annunziata

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

Is God Calling You?

Our PSR program is successful because of those who are willing to give of their time and talent. We meet on Sundays 10-11 during the school year. Please prayerfully consider joining us for the upcoming school year. No experience necessary and some roles offer a stipend. Please reach out to Julie@annunziata.org for additional information.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Readings for the week of July 21, 2024

Sunday: Jer 23:1-6/Ps 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6 (1)/Eph 2:13-18/Mk 6:30-34

Monday: Sg 3:1-4b or 2 Cor 5:14-17/Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9/Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

Tuesday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20/Ps 85:2-4, 5-6, 7-8/Mt 12:46-50

Wednesday: Jer 1:1, 4-10/Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15 and 17/Mt 13:1-9

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

Friday: Jer 3:14-17/Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11/Mt 13:18-23

Saturday: Jer 7:1-11/Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a, and 8a, 11/Mt 13:24-30

Next Sunday: 2 Kgs 4:42-44/Ps 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18 (see 16)/Eph 4:1-6/Jn 6:1-15

From Death to New Life

Mary Martha Daly	July 22, 1981
Nada Smith McNearney	July 22, 2010
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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ANNUNZIATA.ORG

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

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, July 20—Feast of St. Apollinaris

7:00 a.m. Nancy Smith

5:00 p.m. People of the Parish

Sunday, July 21

9:00 a.m. People of the Parish

11:00 a.m. Rita Beckmann

Monday, July 22—Feast of St. Mary Magdalene

7:00 a.m. Marilyn Morrison

Tuesday, July 23—Feast of St. Bridget

7:00 a.m. Jack Leykam

Wednesday, July 24—St. Sharbel Makhluf

7:00 a.m. Eleanor McKenzie

Thursday, July 25—Feast of St. James, Apostle

7:00 a.m. Jim "Huck" Stratman

Friday, July 26—Feasts of SS. Joachim & Anne

7:00 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. Nico Frederici

Saturday, July 27

7:00 a.m. John Suarez

5:00 p.m. People of the Parish

Sunday, July 28

9:00 a.m. People of the Parish

11:00 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. Ryan McGirr

Lector Schedule

Saturday, July 27

5:00 pm—Larry Tychsen

Sunday, July 28

9:00 am—Geoff Morrison

11:00 am—Ray Steitz

Server Schedule

Saturday, July 27

5:00 pm—Trent Nardini

Sunday, July 28

9:00 am—Elli & Nora Gilligan

11:00 am—