

Church of the Annunziata



September 1, 2024—22nd 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.
The last Sunday of the month after all Masses.

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:

This Monday is Labor Day, which is celebrated in the United States and Canada on the first Monday in September to honor the laborer. It was inaugurated by the Knights of Labor in 1882 and made a national holiday by the U.S. Congress in 1894. It is a day to give thanks for all those who labor for us.

One of the feast days of St. Joseph is that of Joseph the Worker. Pope Pius XII instituted the feast of St. Joseph the Worker in 1955. While this is a recent feast, the relationship between Joseph and the cause of workers has a longer history. In a constantly necessary effort to keep Jesus from being removed from ordinary human life, the Church has from the beginning proudly emphasized that Jesus was a carpenter, obviously trained by Joseph in both the satisfactions and the drudgery of that vocation. Humanity is like God not only in thinking and loving, but also in creating. Whether we make a table or a cathedral, we are called to bear fruit with our hands and mind, ultimately for the building up of the Body of Christ.

Also, coming next week is the twenty-third anniversary of the attacks and tragedy of September 11, 2001. With so much violence and fatal shootings in our world, country and our own city I invite you to take some time in the coming week either at Mass or in prayer to remember those who died, their families and to pray for an end of terrorism, racism and violence in our homes, city, country and world.

Pope John Paul II said. *The human heart has depths from which schemes of unheard-of ferocity sometimes emerge, capable of destroying in a moment the normal daily life of a people, But faith comes to our aid at these times when words seem to fail, he stressed. Christ's word is the only one that gives a response to the questions which trouble our spirit. He continues; Even if the forces of darkness appear to prevail, those who believe in God know that evil and death do not have the final say. Christian hope is based on this truth; at this time our prayerful trust draws strength from it.*

Through prayer and solidarity, we will remember those who lost their lives, and pray with the still-grieving families and all who lost loved ones in this tragedy and unfortunately the many that have followed. Hopefully our thoughts and prayers will be a source of comfort for all and help to console us, strengthen us in hope, and give us the wisdom and courage to work tirelessly for a world where true peace, religious freedom and love reign among nations and in the hearts of all.

*God Bless!
Msgr. John Shamleffer*

Thank you to all who labor for our parish community, all our employees, volunteers, parishioners and benefactors. Blessings on your labor!



Coffee & Donut Sundays

Join fellow parishioners for
coffee & donuts on
Sunday, September 8 after the 9:00 am Mass

If you would like to volunteer for a future Coffee & Donut Sunday please contact Virginia Carmody at 314-308-6465.
They will be held the second Sunday of each month

REMINDER

Casseroles for St. Patrick's Center

should be dropped off at the Rectory

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2024

no later than 10:00 a.m.

Casseroles should be **FROZEN** when dropped off!



THANK YOU for your support of the St. Patrick Center



Pray the Rosary

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



Caroline Rank & Liam Sehnert

September 7, 2024



**September 6-8, 2024—Healing
your Marriage**

Retrouvaille (French for Rediscovery) is a Catholic Based 3-phase program designed to give you the tools to restore your marriage and rebuild a loving relationship. For more information or to register: call 314-453-0110 or visit www.helpourmarriage.org.



All are Welcome, First Friday

SEPTEMBER 6, 2024



For more information on the
Sodality, our events, and
enrollment, visit:
MostSacredHeart.net

4:30 PM - Adoration, Reconciliation & Benediction
5:30 PM - Celebration of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. Celebrant: Fr. Sam Conedera, SJ, St. Louis University, Assistant Professor of History
6:30 PM - Dinner in church lower level (free-will offering ~ pizza, salad, cookies)
7:00 PM - Reflection by Fr. Conedera, SJ, and Activities for Children, including a bounce house, until 7:30 PM.

Sodality Event Location:
Saint Mary Magdalen Church
2618 S. Brentwood Blvd, 63144



The Parish Office will be
closed on Monday, September 2 for Labor Day



**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
Maj. August B. Valentine, U.S. Marine Corps
Maj. Candace R. Valentine, U.S. Marine Corps
Sgt. Michael White, U.S. Army Rangers
Cpl. Robert Wigginton, U.S. Marine Corps



Catholic Charities of St. Louis is dedicated to providing compassionate care and support to individuals and families in need across the community. **Saint Martha's** is a ministry of Catholic Charities that serves women and their children impacted by domestic violence by providing shelter and many supportive services. Saint Martha's offers a residential emergency shelter as well as a drop-in resource center that offers information and referrals with compassionate support.

Saint Martha's is looking for volunteers for their **Court Watch Project** which sends trained volunteer monitors to observe civil domestic violence proceedings in the St. Louis Circuit Courts. The goal is to make the judicial system more effective and responsive to domestic violence cases. To learn more about this role, please contact your Parish Ambassador(s) trowmeier@gmail.com or go to ccstl.org/volunteer.

CATHOLICS CARE CATHOLICS VOTE

Join us for a conversation on faithful citizenship and the importance of voting, as well as an explanation of the amendments appearing on the Missouri ballot this November, discussed through a Catholic lens. No RSVP necessary.

SPEAKERS
INCLUDE

- Auxiliary Bishop Mark Rivituso
- Deacon Samuel Lee
Director, Campaign Life Missouri
- Nick Johnson
Market Director, Vitae Foundation
- Honorable Jeffrey Medler
Associate Circuit Judge,
21st Judicial District
- Fr. Carlos Esparza, SJ
Assistant Professor, SLU School of Business

**WEDNESDAY
18 SEPTEMBER 2024
6:30 PM**

Cardinal Rigali Center
20 Archbishop May Dr., St. Louis, MO 63119

For more information, contact Marie at
mariekenyon@archstl.org or Mary at
maryvami@archstl.org

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.**



PSR News

PSR begins on **Sunday, September 8**. If you have not registered please contact Caroline at caroline@annunziata.org.

ONLINE GIVING NOW 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.



The Annunziata Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society

Jane Garvin
President

Rick Hagedorn
Vice President

Cindy Cunningham
Treasurer

Sarah Remsen
Secretary

Annunziata's St. Vincent dePaul conference is extremely grateful to our parishioners! You have generously responded to our quest for food and personal care products each month which are distributed to rotating food pantries. We also appreciate your financial donations which enable us to provide sheets and towels and personal items for men living in a shelter as well as food. All of your donations go toward helping those in need.



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Next food collection--weekend of September 7/8

Next meeting is Wednesday, September 4 at 5 pm in Faris Hall. All are welcome!

JANE GARVIN | 314-604-4741
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There is a special collection
for The Catholic University of
America this weekend



**The Board of the
Missionary Sisters of St. Peter Claver**
invites you to attend the

Annual Dinner Auction

"All Children of One Father"

Benefiting 2024 Mission Projects

SAT | SEPT 28 | 6:00 PM

Hilton St. Louis Frontenac

1335 S. Lindbergh Blvd. | St. Louis, MO 63131

REGISTER TODAY!

<http://SSPC24.givesmart.com>

By Saturday September 14



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Readings for the week of September 1, 2024

Sunday: Dt 4:1-2, 6-8/Ps 15:2-3, 3-4, 4-5 1a/Jas 2:1-5/Jas 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27/ Mk 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23

Monday: 1 Cor 2:1-5/Ps 119:97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102/Lk 4:16-30

Tuesday: 1 Cor 2:10b-16/Ps 145:8-9, 10-11, 12-13ab, 13cd-14/Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday: 1 Cor 3:1-9/Ps 33:12-13, 14-15, 20-21 Lk 4:38-44

Thursday: 1 Cor 3:18-23/Ps 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk 5:1-11

Friday: 1 Cor 4:1-5/Ps 37:3-4, 5-6, 27-28, 39-40/Lk 5:33-39

Saturday: 1 Cor 4:6b-15/Ps 145:17-18, 19-20, 21/Lk 6:1-5

Next Sunday: Is 35:4-7a/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10 (1B)/Jas 2:1-5/Mk 7:31-37

From Death to New Life

Clarese Amelia Booth	September 1, 2000
Randall Etzkorn	September 1, 2011
Donald James Mehan	September 1, 2012
Charles S. Lamy	September 2, 1987
Jane Curran Matthews Bryan	September 3, 2003
Roy Richard Rehme, Sr.	September 3, 1985
Robert Francis Schlafly	September 3, 1999
Charles H. Stephens, III	September 3, 1983
Ellen "Ernie" Cooley	September 4, 2017
Martin J. Hennessey	September 5, 2018
Robert Fielding Schulz	September 5, 2013
Joan O'Connell Maricle	September 7, 2015

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

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, August 31

7:00 a.m. John Ehrler

5:00 p.m. People of the Parish

Sunday, September 1

9:00 a.m. Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Coleman

11:00 a.m. People of the Parish

Monday, September 2

7:00 a.m. Service Men, & Living & Deceased

Tuesday, September 3—Feast of St. Gregory the Great

7:00 a.m. Charlie Stephens

Wednesday, September 4

7:00 a.m. George Johnson

Thursday, September 5

7:00 a.m. Ann Basler

Friday, September 6

7:00 a.m. Gloria Anne Good

Saturday, September 7

7:00 a.m. The Holton Family

5:00 p.m. People of the Parish

Sunday, September 8

9:00 a.m. People of the Parish

11:00 a.m. Frederick Johnson, Sr.

Lector Schedule

Saturday, September 7

5:00 pm—Larry Tychsen

Sunday, September 8

9:00 am—Bill McDowell

11:00 am—Caroline Hall

Server Schedule

Saturday, September 7

5:00 pm—Lydia Mueller

Sunday, September 8

9:00 am—Blake, McKenzie & Charlie Ahearn

11:00 am—Catherine Hall & Michael McIntosh