

**Mass Intentions**

**Saturday, October 20**

6:00 p.m.  
Shook Family (L)

**Sunday, October 21**

8:00 a.m.  
St. Louis Parish

10:30 a.m.  
Edward Veccia (D)  
Richard Sullivan (D)

**Tuesday, October 23**

6:00 p.m.  
Kent Johnson (L)

**Wednesday, October 24**

8:30 a.m.  
Stephen Hanf (L)  
(Communion Service Only)

**Thursday, October 25**

6:00 p.m.  
Doris and John Mueller (D)

**Friday, October 26**

8:30 a.m.  
Max E. Thomas (D)  
(Communion Service Only)

**Saturday, October 27**

6:00 p.m.  
Mary Manns (D)

**Sunday, October 28**

8:00 a.m.  
Dennis Silverman (D)  
10:30 a.m.  
St. Louis Parish



THE PASTOR'S PEN

Dear Parish Family,

Hope this bulletin finds each of you well, and returning to some sense of normal. We have much to be grateful for after the visit of Hurricane Michael. I hope you join me in thanking God for His protection and providence. We turn our thoughts and prayers for those still in areas most effected. As needs are made known, and opportunities are manifest, we will do our part to step up and help. Let it be known, "Never fear; St. Louis is here!"

Next week I will be attending our annual Clergy Convocation in Destin; a time of prayer, discernment, learning and priestly fraternity. While Mass will not be offered here at St. Louis, I will be offering Mass each day for the intentions listed.

Take time to read the announcements from the Fall Festival Committee; thank you for all who have helped. Please plan to attend the **Parish Pot Luck and Picnic, Sunday October 28, after the 10:30 a.m. Mass.**

Peace to you and yours,  
*Fr. Stevens*

**ATTENTION**

After consultation with the Parish Council, and hearing the desires of many in the parish for an earlier Mass time, the **Saturday Vigil Mass will move from 6:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Saturday November 3<sup>rd</sup>. Confessions will then be on Saturday from 3:30-4:30 p.m.**

TIME / TALENT / TREASURE

October 27/28

**Extraordinary Ministers  
Of Holy Communion**

6:00 p.m. M. Jones, B. Mueller  
8:00 a.m. T. Sobon, J. Piotrowski  
10:30 a.m. M. Jimenez, V. Wall

**Lectors**

6:00 p.m. J. Croft, R. Larson  
8:00 a.m. T. Harbour, V. Laurienzo  
10:30 a.m. G. Brown, A. Madera

**Sacristans**

6:00 p.m. M. Reeves.  
8:00 a.m. T. Sobon  
10:30 a.m. V. Wall

**Altar Servers**

6:00 p.m. (Open), (Open)  
8:00 a.m. J. Lara, (Open)  
10:30 a.m. I. Brown, To. Binitie

**Liturgical Assistants**

6:00 p.m. J. Mueller  
8:00 a.m. S. Ball  
10:30 a.m. P. Johnston

For Sunday, October 7

Offertory this week:	\$6,576.00
Target:	\$4,999.07
Collected vs Target for month	\$1,576.93
Collected vs Target since July	\$13,224.93
Projected Offertory for year:	\$300,679.49
Annual Budget:	\$250,000.00

Building Fund this week:	\$672.00
Collected this month:	\$672.00
Target for the month:	\$2,713.00
Collected since July 1:	\$9,405.00
Collected vs Target since July 1:	\$1,747.00

Improvements Collections:	\$14.00
Total collected to date:	\$1,459.00

**CONGRATULATIONS**

\*Volunteer of the Month for October is **Terry Cross**. We appreciate all you do for St. Louis.

Altar Flowers  
in loving memory of  
Richard Sullivan  
Edward Veccia  
By  
Chrys Sullivan



**CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT**

This ministry is helping us improve the look and upkeep of our parish! Our goal for the year is \$11,000. To date we have collected \$1,775.50. Monthly Movie Nights support this campaign. Car wash gift card sales support our efforts! Aluminum can sales also add to this account!

**SISTERHOOD PROJECT**

The Sisterhood of St. Louis has begun working on its annual community service project and we need your help. We are asking all parishioners to join us in collecting full-size items to put in gift bags for residents of Casa Caldaron. The bags will be made up and delivered in January to coincide with the Gifts of the Magi. Casa Caldaron usually has about 100 residents there at all times. We are looking for donations (full-size items) of: toothpaste, bar soap, shampoo/conditioner (combo), deodorant, and socks. Both men and women's items are needed. You may place your items in the back of the Church in the box next to the Shelter bin. Items will be collected thru mid-December. The Sisterhood thanks you in advance for your kindness and generosity.

**FALL FESTIVAL  
UPDATES AND CHANGES**

As you know, our Fall Festival had to be cancelled due to Hurricane Michael. While we were saddened to cancel the event, we were also thankful that our Church and most Parishioners had minimal damage to their property and no one was injured. We thank God for keeping us wrapped in his arms during this time. The Festival committee met

with Father Stevens and it was determined that the original concept of the Festival would be changed for this year due to upcoming events already scheduled at the Parish Hall and the holidays right around the corner. So, what does that mean? It means that we will now have a **POTLUCK PARISH LUNCHEON** on October 28<sup>th</sup> after the 10:30 Mass. We will have sign-up sheets posted at the back of the church and also on the bulletin board in the hall until October 25. The Parish will furnish the meats and we are asking each Parishioner to sign up to bring a side/covered dish. We have plenty of sodas/water to use that day thanks to our generous Parishioners. We will hold the **50/50 drawing** that day as well as the **drawing for the Sisterhood blanket**. Tickets for both will be on sale that day! **You will also be able to shop from the White Elephant shelves and the book table, purchase popcorn from the Cub Scouts, and buy tickets from the Knights for their cash raffle.** A good time will be had so make plans to join us!

**Our silent auction will be moved to the weekend of December 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> to kick off the Advent Season.** We ask that all baskets be brought to the Parish Hall by November 30 at noon. We will have the baskets on display to bid on an hour before and after the Saturday Vigil Mass on December 1 and then again on Sunday, December 2 from 7:30 a.m. until noon. The Silent Auction will be closed at noon so come join us for coffee and donuts and see who takes home the beautiful baskets (and to get your final bid in!). Thank you for being so understanding and flexible as our plans change this year. Next year

will be a bigger and better event for sure as we gear up to celebrate the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of our parish!

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES  
FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS**

Please consider donating non-perishable food items for the Catholic Charities Food Pantry. With depletion of supplies during the summer months, they are in need. You can also make a financial contribution by placing it in an envelope marked: "Catholic Charities/Food Pantry". Please place donations in the collection box located in the parish hall.

**HOMELESS SHELTER**

Many thanks to all who consistently give generously, and put food and supplies, in the "gray bin" for our community's homeless members. This monthly ministry guarantees a healthy meal to over 250 adults on the 1st Saturday of each month at the Kearney Center. Keep up the good works, St Louis!

*Mary Balkcom and Brenda Mueller*

**BUILDING MAINTENANCE**

The Florida Catholic Conference seeks a part-time maintenance assistant to perform light-duty interior and exterior building maintenance. Applicant needs proficiency in using power tools and gas-operated equipment. Responsibilities include: exterior grounds cleanup, light bulb inspection/replacement, light duty cleaning, visual inspection of property and other maintenance-related duties. Preferred hours: Monday thru Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. 15 hours per week. For an application contact: Sonya Williams [swilliams@flaccb.org](mailto:swilliams@flaccb.org) or call: 850-222-3803