

# ST. WENCESLAUS PARISH

3014 Oregon Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63118

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**Thirteenth Sunday in  
Ordinary Time  
June 28, 2020**

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## PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Members of St. Wenceslaus Parish are Christian People on a journey seeking companions to join us as we move toward our eternal goal. We strive to be a stabilizing and strengthening factor in our community by being a source of service and help to our neighbors. We invite others to join us in bringing their unique gifts, as together, we care, nurture and love one another. United by the love of Jesus Christ, we strive to be more fully connected with God's people everywhere.

### PARISH STAFF

Rev. Philip Sosa, M.S.F., Parish Administrator

Deacon George W. Miller

Rev. Angelot Andriamamitahina, M.S.F.,  
(In Residence)

Mr. Paul Jolly, Business Manager

Mr. Ron Williams, Parish Maintenance

Mr. Bob Bollinger, Parish Maintenance

### MASSES FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Saturday 4:00 PM, Sunday 10:00 AM

Sunday 12:00 PM (Spanish)

### MASSES FOR WEEKDAYS

Monday thru Saturday, 7:45 AM in the Chapel

### MASSES FOR HOLYDAYS

8:00 AM and 6:00 PM (No Vigil Mass)

### CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 3:00 - 3:30 PM. Anytime by appointment.

### BAPTISMS

Parents of children to be baptized must be practicing Catholics and registered in the parish. Please call the parish office for further information.

### WEDDINGS

Practicing Catholics, registered in the parish, must make arrangements six months before the wedding.

### PARISH BUSINESS OFFICE HOURS

Monday 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 Noon

Tuesday - Friday - 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

12 Noon - 1:00 p.m. Closed

865-1020 FAX # 664-8260

PARISH HALL (On Event Nights) 865-1027

### SOUTH CITY DEANERY PARISH SCHOOL OF RELIGION

Nancy Haselhorst (314) 773-3070

### ST. FRANCES CABRINI ACADEMY 776-0883

### COMMUNION CALLS

To have Communion brought to your home contact the Parish Office.

**LADIES OF MARY** 1st Monday of Month 6:30 PM  
in the Parish Center

**MEN'S CLUB** 1st Tuesday of Month 6:30 PM in the Parish Center

### PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

3rd Tuesday of Month 6:30 PM in the Parish Center

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

### PARISH WEB SITE ADDRESS:

[www.stwenceslaus.website](http://www.stwenceslaus.website)

### MSF WEB SITE ADDRESS:

[www.msf-america.org](http://www.msf-america.org)

### SEND BULLETIN INFORMATION TO:

[stwencebulletin@sbcglobal.net](mailto:stwencebulletin@sbcglobal.net)

# THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Think of yourselves as dead to sin and living for God in Christ Jesus. - Romans 6:11

## THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday, June 27th

7:45 AM + Fr. Jim Wasser, M.S.F.

4:00 PM + Harry O'Brien, Jr.

### Sunday, June 28th

10:00 AM + Fr. Joe Roelke, M.S.F.

### Monday, June 29th

7:45 AM + Mary Jane Kubik

### Tuesday, June 30th

7:45 AM + Mary Teschner

### Wednesday, July 1st

7:45 AM + Ed & + Rhoda McGrail

### Thursday, July 2nd

7:45 AM + Gene Smugala

### Friday, July 3rd

7:45 AM Holy Family Circle & Friends  
Prayer Association

### Saturday, July 4th

7:45 AM Nighisti Teclé

4:00 PM + Chester & + Gladys Reichert

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Emmanuel Aziz, Chris Bardo, Harry Bardo, Mary Bardo, Kathy Becker, Fr. Jim Beegan, M.S.F., Bob Blankmann, Tom Bolen, Rich Cullen, Dennis Curtis, Margie Sosa Delgado, Jim Estes, Harry & Judy Fabick, Don Fielder, Jean Finn, Rosa Flores, Lou Gehr, Dennis & Lisa Holland, Jody James, Margaret Kalbac, Patrick Kennedy, Carol Kozemczak, Sr. Marie Loeffler, C.P.P.S., Bonnie Martin, Maria Mendoza, Angel Mendoza, Ray Miles, Cathy Miller, Deacon George Miller, Mary Moran, Ray Orf, Carmelita Pelch, Jim & Nancy Pender, Rosemary Pichler, Janet Pinski, Carol Plassmeyer, Debbie Rappe, Frank Reichert, Marvin Rothweil, Edward Rotter, Jr., Clem Ruemker, Sr., Tek Schaefer, Ruth Schneider, Georgia Stockton, Tom Vossmeier, Evelyn Williams, Marsha Williams, Tom Wooten

## MAY WE PRAY FOR YOU?

The Missionaries of the Holy Family are happy to receive your prayer requests, 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Please contact them through their website at [www.msf-america.org](http://www.msf-america.org). May God bless you and your family.

## WELCOME TO ST. WENCESLAUS PARISH

We welcome all of our guests and parishioners here celebrating the Eucharist with us on the Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

### Stewardship Prayer of the Faithful

That we use our gifts in the way that God intended for us.

## CHRISTIAN HOSPITALITY

Day in and day out, we are required to make judgment calls informed by tough, durable, serviceable Christian love. We do what we can do, and God takes notice. God is in charge of rewards, and a glass of water will do when that is what we have to offer with a glad and open heart.

Paul gives us a clear theology for the missionary work we do whenever anybody is close at hand. He reminds us that our work, our ministry, is carried on in concert with Christ. We have been baptized into his death and life. In any given moment both life and death are there, a kind of play of shadow and light. Sometimes it's difficult to tell where shadow leaves off and light begins. God will take care of that, too.

## CABRINI JOB OPENINGS

Our parish school has an opening for a **Part-time Teacher's Aide**. They are seeking an enthusiastic person with a passion for working with children from diverse backgrounds. Qualifications include Bilingual (English & Spanish - beneficial but not required), experience working with children and some college would also be preferred.

There is also an opening for a **Part-time Music Teacher** for Middle school (grades 5-8). Candidate should have a variety of musical experience. Qualifications include music certified (preferred), and experience working in a school setting.

Direct inquires and resumes to Caroline Koetting, Principal, at [caroline.koetting@cabriniacademy.org](mailto:caroline.koetting@cabriniacademy.org) or 314-776-0883.

## UPCOMING MEETING

The **Fall Festival Committee** is being asked to attend an important meeting on Thursday, July 9th at 6:30 p.m. To observe social distancing, we may be meeting in the school gym. All chairpersons please attend this important meeting.

## WELCOME

We're happy to announce that **Robert Maixner** has been hired as our full-time Custodian / Maintenance Manager. Robert brings five years of maintenance experience from St. Ann Catholic Church in Normandy. Please join us in welcoming Robert to St. Wenceslaus.

JUNE 28th, 2020

**GIFTS TO GOD & OUR PARISH**

<b>Last Week's Collections</b>	\$ 1,589.50
<b>Weekly Collection Goal</b>	\$ 2,700.00
<b>Average Collection Fiscal Year</b>	\$ 2,184.09

(Fiscal Year is July 2019 thru June 2020)

Parish Appeal 2020	\$ 325.00
Maintenance	\$ 15.00
Food for the Poor SVDP	\$ 60.00

**Stewardship Reflection**

**"...whoever does not take up his cross and follow after me is not worthy of me." - Matthew 10:38**

Pope Benedict XVI said "The world offers you comfort. But you were not made for comfort, you were made for greatness". "Comfort" puts me first. "Picking up your cross and following Jesus" puts God and others first. Why settle for comfort when you can achieve greatness! Pick up your cross, ask Jesus for guidance on using your gifts and live the life God intended for you!

**2020 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL**

The parish's Challenge Goal this year is **\$16,430.00**. To date we have recorded pledges of **\$7,000.00**, or 43% of our goal. Thank you to all those who have generously donated. Your gift is greatly appreciated. If you have not yet been able to donate, please prayerfully consider making a gift. Let's work together to make our 2020 Challenge Goal a reality.

Chairpersons Matt & Barb Kellner will again be at the Masses this weekend asking for your support.

**CABRINI NEWS**

Our parish school, is currently enrolling grades kindergarten thru 8th for the 2020-2021 school year. All grades are open until 25 spots are filled. Call 776-0883, or e-mail [secretary@cabriniacademy.org](mailto:secretary@cabriniacademy.org) for more information.

**SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

- Sunday: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
- Monday: Ss. Peter and Paul, Apostles
- Tuesday: The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church
- Wednesday: St. Junipero Serra; Canada Day
- Friday: St. Thomas; First Friday
- Saturday: Independence Day; First Saturday; Blessed Virgin Mary

**MINISTER'S SCHEDULE**

\*\*\*\*\* SATURDAY, 07/04/20, at 4:00 PM \*\*\*\*\*

Commentator & Lector: Maury Prater  
Musician: Barb Kellner

\*\*\*\*\* SUNDAY, 07/05/20, at 10:00 AM \*\*\*\*\*

Commentator & Lector: Dennis Holland  
Musician: John Harper

**SPECIAL COLLECTION**

The **Peter's Pence** collection scheduled for this weekend has been changed. At the direction of the Archdiocese of St. Louis, the collection will be taken up on October 11th.

**PSR NEWS**

The South City Deanery Parish School of Religion (PSR) is in need of catechists and substitutes. Classes meet on Monday evenings during the school year. If you are a practicing Catholic with a desire to share your faith and you are interested in this ministry, contact Dean George Watson at 314-773-3070, or email [stl.scdpsr@gmail.com](mailto:stl.scdpsr@gmail.com).

**PUBLIC MASSES**

With the permission of Archbishop Robert Carlson, our parish began resuming Masses on May 23rd. The **general dispensation** from the Sunday Mass obligation **will remain in place** for all Catholics of the archdiocese until further notice.

Anyone who is ill, symptomatic, or has been exposed to someone else with the coronavirus within 14 days cannot enter the church, according to local health directives.

Everyone attending Mass is obligated to wear a mask or other facial covering. The only exception during Mass is when seated in the pew. As you receive Holy Communion, you will need to pull your mask below your chin.

You are to observe social distancing - staying at least six feet from people not in your household.

There will be no offertory procession, but ushers will continue to take up the collection from the congregation. We will not be dropping our donations in a stationary basket as previously directed.

Maintaining a single-file is necessary for the distribution of Holy Communion for each Communion minister and communicant to maintain social distancing. Only the Most Precious Body will be given and only by hand.

Leave Mass together as a household, wearing your masks or other facial covering and observing six feet of distance from others. (Please exit the church promptly and do not congregate in the vestibule.)