

ST. WENCESLAUS PARISH

3014 Oregon Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63118

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The Most Holy Trinity
May 30, 2021

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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

Rev. Benoit Ramanandraibe, M.S.F.,
(In Residence)

Mr. Paul Jolly, Business Manager

Mr. Micah Caldwell, 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 Church

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

Deacon George Watson (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

MSF WEB SITE ADDRESS:

www.msf-america.org

SEND BULLETIN INFORMATION TO:

stwencebulletin@sbcglobal.net

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Go...and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. - Matthew 28:19

THIS WEEK'S MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, May 29th

7:45 AM + Bill Zib
4:00 PM People of the Parish

Sunday, May 30th

10:00 AM + Tom Moran

Monday, May 31st

7:45 AM Carmelita Pelch

Tuesday, June 1st

7:45 AM + Marcella Keim

Wednesday, June 2nd

7:45 AM + Rosemary Rivituso

Thursday, June 3rd

7:45 AM + Ed & + Rhoda McGrail

Friday, June 4th

7:45 AM Holy Family Circle & Friends
Prayer Association

Saturday, June 5th

7:45 AM + Mary Jane Kubik
4:00 PM + Ray & + Shirley Rancilio

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Chris Bardo, Harry Bardo, Kathy Becker, Fr. Jim Beegan, Bob Blankmann, Margie Sosa Delgado, Harry & Judy Fabick, Don Fielder, Rosa Flores, Donna Frank, Pat Griffard, Dennis & Lisa Holland, Margaret Kalbac, Patrick Kennedy, Sr. Marie Loeffler, Bonnie Martin, Maria Mendoza, Angel Mendoza, Cathy Miller, Mary Moran, Carmelita Pelch, Jim & Nancy Pender, Janet Pinski, Debbie Rappe, Frank Reichert, Marvin Rothweil, Tek Schaefer, Joseph Styer, Evelyn Williams, Ron & Marsha Williams, Shirley Wooten, Tom Wooten

RESPECT FOR LIFE

Join our Respect Life Group as they pray the rosary in church before weekend Mass on Saturdays at 3:20 pm and on Sundays at 9:20 am. If you are interested in joining this group, contact Tom Wooten at 252-9649.

CABRINI ENROLLMENT

St. Frances Cabrini Academy enrollment is currently underway for the 2021-22 school year. Families can contact us at 314-776-0883 for additional information.

WELCOME TO ST. WENCESLAUS PARISH

We welcome all of our guests and parishioners here celebrating the Eucharist with us on Most Holy Trinity Sunday.

Stewardship Prayer of the Faithful

That we remember it was the generosity of past generations who built our Church. It is now our time to continue to be generous for future generations.

THE MYSTERY OF THE BLESSED TRINITY

Today we celebrate the solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity. The Church sets aside this Sunday to focus our attention on the mystery of the Blessed Trinity, God who is one, but three persons - Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

The first reading from Deuteronomy emphasizes both God's awesome greatness and amazing nearness. It might seem beyond belief, but the God of all creation speaks to us, protects us, and guides us. The second reading from Saint Paul's Letter to the Romans describes how we are to relate to the three persons who are one God. We are led by the Spirit to meet God the Father as adopted children. Our adoption is such that we are even heirs with our brother, Christ, the second person of the Trinity, in whose sufferings we must also share. In Matthew's Gospel, Jesus speaks with his authority as God and sends us to teach and baptize in the name of the Trinity.

HOLY FAMILY PRAYERS

Have you seen the *Family Life Rosary* webpage from the Missionaries of the Holy Family? Please go to www.msf-america.org and find it under the category, *Holy Family Prayers*. There are family life meditations for all 20 Mysteries of the Rosary: Joyful, Luminous, Sorrowful, and Glorious. Pray with Our Blessed Mother to Jesus! These Rosary meditations and many other prayers are published in our *Holy Family Prayer Book*, which can also be purchased through the website. There are additional resources for your spiritual life, too. God bless your family!

SPECIAL COLLECTION

Next weekend is the annual **Glennon Sunday Appeal**. Cardinal Glennon Children's Hospital is the only free-standing Catholic pediatric hospital in the country, every year touching the lives of more than 200,000 infants and children from the St. Louis area, across the country, and around the world. This year is the **65th anniversary** of Cardinal Glennon, which opened its doors in June 1956. Please support Glennon Sunday. Envelopes are included in your monthly packet.

MAY 30th, 2021

GIFTS TO GOD & OUR PARISH

Last Week's Collections	\$ 2,158.97
Weekly Collection Goal	\$ 2,700.00
Average Collection Fiscal Year	\$ 2,165.16

(Fiscal Year is July 2020 thru June 2021)

Parish Appeal 2021	\$ 298.00
Maintenance	\$ 33.00
Food for the Poor SVDP	\$ 168.00

Stewardship Reflection

“The Spirit itself bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ...”
- Romans 8:16-17

If we are heirs to the kingdom of God, shouldn't we work to build up His kingdom? Shouldn't we be good stewards of our inheritance, using our time in prayer, our talent in charitable works and our treasure to care for the Church that God has left to us? Our Church is a treasured heirloom from God. Do we treat it that way?

2021 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Our Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA) has recorded pledges to date of \$5,900.00. Thank you to those who have already donated. There is still plenty of time to participate. Please prayerfully consider making a pledge soon. Let's work together to make our Challenge Goal of \$11,122.00 a reality. Your continued prayers for the success of the ACA are greatly appreciated.

“If you would like to see all the good that your donation does to help others, the office has two DVD copies of the 2021 Annual Catholic Appeal video. They are inspirational and you are welcome to check out and borrow a copy to watch at home.”

SAINTS & SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday: The Most Holy Trinity;
Julian Calendar Pentecost
- Monday: Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary;
Memorial Day;
Ninth Week in Ordinary Time
- Tuesday: St. Justin
- Wednesday: Ss. Marcellinus and Peter
- Thursday: St. Charles Lwanga and Companions
- Friday: First Friday
- Saturday: St. Boniface; First Saturday

MINISTER'S SCHEDULE

***** SATURDAY, 06/05/21, at 4:00 PM *****

Commentator & Lector:	Weldon Tieken
Cantor:	Mary Bardo
Musician:	Barb Kellner

***** SUNDAY, 06/06/21, at 10:00 AM *****

Commentator & Lector:	Dennis Holland
Cantor:	Lisa Holland
Musician:	John Harper

PUBLIC MASSES UPDATE

Anyone who is ill, symptomatic (cough, sore throat, headache, fever, among others), or has been exposed to someone else with the coronavirus within 14 days cannot enter the church, according to local health directives.

The Archdiocese of St. Louis has announced the following changes to the mandates in place to prevent the spread of the COVID-19 virus: The mask mandate now only applies to all parish faithful who have not received a vaccination against the COVID-19 virus. All other restrictions and measures at parishes will be determined by the parish pastor and what he deems is needed to provide for the safest possible environment.

We will continue to observe social distancing - staying at least six feet from people not in your household.

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.

FATHER'S DAY MASSES

To remember your loved ones, living or deceased, we have Father's Day Spiritual Bouquet envelopes and cards available in the vestibule of the church. Please fill these out for our Father's Day Masses and return no later than June 17th. Honor all Fathers!

ANNIVERSARY

Congratulations to the **Very Rev. Philip Sosa, M.S.F.**, Parish Administrator and Provincial Superior of the Missionaries of the Holy Family, North American Province, who will celebrate his **53rd Anniversary** of Ordination to the Priesthood this coming Tuesday, **June 1st**.

Thank you, Father Phil, for your many years of ministry and service and for being here with us at St. Wenceslaus. Your dedication and loyalty is greatly appreciated. May God's peace and blessings be yours on this special day and always.