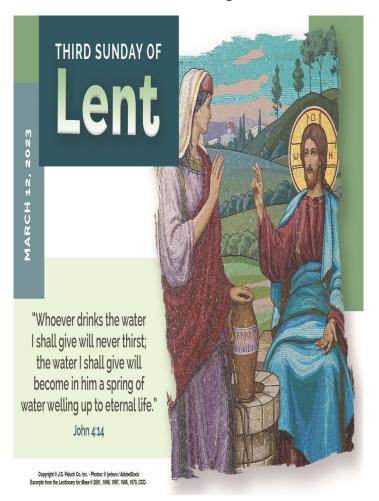


OUR MISSION

Nourished by the Word and Eucharist, we imitate Christ, the Prince of Peace, through unconditional love and service to others.



WELCOME!

A warm welcome to all our guests and visitors who have joined us at today's liturgy. We hope that you feel at home here.

Please let us know if we can be of any assistance
while you are among us.

HOLY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00 pm (Sunday Liturgy) Sunday: 8:00 am, 9:45 am & 11:30 am

Monday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday: 8:00 am Tuesday, Wednesday: 6:30 am & 8:00 am

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CONTACT US

Rectory: 636-391-1307 | M-Th 8:00 am - 3:30 pm

Fri. 8:00 am - 12:00 pm

School: 636-394-6840 | 8:00 am - 3:30 pm

NOTES FROM THE PASTOR - March 12, 2023

Dear family,



The Caribbean Ocean- St. Thomas, USVI - taken 1-29-20
"Wading in a velvet sea..."- PHISH
"Give me a drink."- Jesus

Water. It's the most important resource on earth. Most of the earth, about 70% of its surface is covered with it. Here are just a couple of fun facts I found at http://www.seametrics.com. 97% of the water on earth is salt water, found in oceans, and thus undrinkable for humans. If you have ever been in the ocean and swallowed some salt water, you know this firsthand to be true. Also, there is the same amount of *water* on *earth* now as there was when the *earth* was formed. That's crazy. Even crazier is the fact that of the remaining 3% of water that is fresh water, 68.7% of that is trapped in glaciers.

Why all this talk about water? This weekend we encounter the Woman at the Well, who is asked by Jesus, to give him a drink. We all need to quench our thirst with the Living Water, Jesus. He's the only one who can. The message? Simple: Stay thirsty, my friends. Well, stay thirsty for **Jesus**, my friends. There. That's better.

This weekend, the third Sunday of Lent, is the first of three scrutinies for our Elect, who are preparing to enter the Church at Easter. During the First Scrutiny the Elect have hands laid upon them and are prayed over and pray that they may reject everything in their lives that is contrary to Christ. Let us keep Daniell Bennett, our Elect, as well as candidates Jason Craft and David Newell in our prayers as they enter their final period of preparation!



Congratulations to Pete Khazen and Debbi Davis, who were honored last week at the CYC Awards Banquet for their work with our parish youth. Our parish is grateful for all you do!!

I am pleased to report that our CPOP Parish Auction last month raised a little over \$60,000! A fun night was had by all in attendance, as was definitely CPOP at its best. Thanks to Auction chairpersons Julia Lembeck, Eric Hannah, Holly Lauter, and their terrific team for a job well done!

This Friday, March 17, is the glorious Feast of St. Patrick, Apostle of Ireland. As Feasts of the Church are meant to be a day of celebration and rejoicing, Archbishop Rozanski has **dispensed the faithful of the Archdiocese of St. Louis from abstaining from meat** should they choose to celebrate the Feast. Meaning, we are able to eat meat this Friday if desired. *A Phádraig, guigh orainn! (St. Patrick, Pray for us!)*

Upcoming Parish Events:

Join us for our Lenten Super Tuesdays – 7 p.m. in church. This week- Dominic Richards, Director of Music, presents From Light to Everlasting Light - The Music of the Scrutiny Gospels. Confessions starting at 6 p.m.

Every Friday of Lent, except Good Friday- Stations of the Cross at 7 p.m. in church

Every Friday of Lent, except Good Friday- CPOP FISH FRY- serving from 4:45-7:30 p.m.

Have a good week! Erin Go Bragh!

Rev. Omistop J. Dulap

Fr. Chris Dunlap

LENT 2023

SUPER TUESDAYS

From Light to Everlasting Light A Musical Proclamation of the Scrutiny Gospels

Tuesday, March 14, 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

The 3rd, 4th, and 5th Sundays of Lent feature three pivotal passages from the Gospel of John, called the Scrutiny Gospels. Join us to hear the Gospel proclaimed in a new musical setting by Dominic Richards, and reflect on these important passages.

The Joys of Reconciliation

Tuesday, March 21, 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Fr. Chris will be speaking on the joys of the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Come for this Lenten reflection to learn about this great Sacrament in advance to our Parish Reconciliation night!

Parish Reconciliation Night

Tuesday, March 28, 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Take time this Lent for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Come gather in prayer, and then there will be an opportunity for individual, private Reconciliation.

GROUPS & EVENTS

"The Paschal Mystery" Guided B<u>ook Discussion</u>

Thursdays, 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

Join with fellow parishioners to read and discuss "The Paschal Mystery, Reflections for Lent and Easter" . This book features weekly chapters on each week of Lent, which will deepen your prayer life during this holy season of Lent.

To reserve a book, either signup through the Flocknote, or email Dominic Richards at drichardsechristprinceofpeace.com

CPOP Fish Fry

Fridays, 4:45 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Enjoy a delicious Lenten meal and wonderful CPOP camaraderie. Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus. Every Friday during Lent.

Stations of the Cross

Fridays, 7:00 p.m.

Weekly Stations of the Cross. This devotional practice is a good Lenten practice to delve deeper into Christ's Passion, and reflect on the sacrifice of our Savior.

Holy Thursday Seven Churches Pilgrimage

Thursday April 6, after the Mass of the Lord's Supper

Join us on our Seven Churches Pilgrimage following the Mass of Our Lord's Supper. Breakfast will be provided following the Pilgrimage.

Travel with us as we visit six churches, and pray at each church's Altar of Repose.

Look for ways to signup in the coming weeks.



It's Fish Fry season! Thanks to all our volunteers and supporters who helped make the first weeks a success. Hopefully you've already feasted on some of our famous cod, smoked salmon, baked tilapia or grilled shrimp. The excitement will continue each Friday night during lent (except Good Friday) from 4:45 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. We are looking for a few more volunteers to join in the fun. Simply go to week4.cpopkofc.org, week5.cpopkofc.org or scan the QR codes below.









Easter Egg Dash

Come join the fun on Saturday April 1st, 10:00 am to 11:30 am at CPOP Athletic Field. We also have opportunity to volunteer that day. Please contact Carrie Hanichak at carrie.hanichak@gmail.com or Carrie Probst at macprobst18@gmail.com. RSVP by March 24th!



CPOP SCHOOL HAPPENINGS



Congratulations to Charlie in 2nd on receiving the MFS Bronze Medal this week!



The ELC 3 and ELC 4 participated in Read Across America Week in honor of Dr. Seuss' Birthday with daily themes including Wacky Wednesday.





The 7th grade learned about circuits in STEM and then created circuit trivia games and presented them to their 2nd grade buddies.

Permanent Diaconate Information Night

Do you feel called to do something special for you Church? If so, a vocation to the Permanent Diaconate might be something that you are being called to. The Office of the Permanent Diaconate is asking that interested men attend one of the Information Nights to begin exploring a vocation for Permanent Diaconate. Upcoming Information Nights will be held on Monday, March 13, 2022 and Monday, March 20, 2023 at Cardinal Rigali Center. Meetings will begin at 6:30 PM. Wives of men considering this vocation are strongly encouraged to attend. For more information or to reserve a spot at the meeting, please contact the Office of the Permanent Diaconate at 314.792.7433.



The Book Club will meet on Monday, March 27 at 7:00 p.m. in the Rectory Basement to discuss "An Introduction to the Devout Life" by St. Francis De Sales. In April, we will be reading "The View From a Monastery" by Brother Benet Tvedten.

Please join in any or all of the group gatherings! Contact Diane Bialis at bialis@charter.net for more information.

Men's Bible Study

Men of CPOP— We have formed a Men's bible study group. We will meet every 2 weeks on Thursday evening from 7 p.m.-8:30 p.m. in the rectory basement. Our next meeting will be on Thursday, March 16th. Join us as we strive to grow in our faith as men for others.

Contact Deacon Greg Bialis, 314-956-4305 or Paul "Dutch" Oberle, 314-973-8487 for more details.



40 DAYS FOR LIFE

Please join us at the 40 Days for Life prayer vigil this Lent. Our Adopt-A-Day is Thursday, March 23. We have been asked by St. Joseph's Parish to join them at the Fairview Heights Planned Parenthood. Sign up on the board in church or use the QR code that will take you to the STL location. We will be better together! Questions, call Val Krygiel at 636-391-6289 or





March 13-19				
Mon. 03/13	8:00 a.m.	Frank & Regina Filipp		
Tues. 03/14	6:30 a.m.	Will Smit		
	8:00 a.m.	All Who Are Sick		
Wed. 03/15	6:30 a.m.	Jeanne Harrigan		
	8:00 a.m.	Int. Rosemark/Hamilton		
		Families*		
Thurs. 03/16	8:00 a.m.	Int. Jim Bruno*		
Fri. 03/17	8:00 a.m.	Matilde Jaurigue		
Sat. 03/18	8:00 a.m.	Bill Hamilton		
	5:00 p.m.	Bill Huelsmann		
Sun. 03/19	8:00 a.m.	Parish Family		
	9:45 a.m.	John Christopher Hill		
	11:30 a.m.	Charlotte Sartori		

Please remember in your prayers the Benefactors of our Endowment Fund, those on our Parish Prayer Line, and those who are sick, especially our parishioners:

Buzz Dunaway	Kevin Bittner
Doris Borgschulte	Jane Ryan
Dennis Malfer	Rosie Stansberry
Robert McGee	Peg Dunlap
Mark Erce	Ron Jacober

If you would like to add or remove someone, please call the Parish Office at 636-391-1307.

^{*}Intention of living person(s)



Eucharistic Ministers			
Sat. 03/18	5:00 p.m.	R. Schnurr, Deacon Pat, K. Suellentrop	
Sun. 03/19	8:00 a.m.	K. O'Brien, K. Palumbo Deacon Pat	
Sun. 03/19	9:45 a.m.	D. Barron, E. Genovese, R. Govern	
Sun. 03/19	11:30 a.m.	K. Silsby, T. Lessel, J. Hamilton	

Ecctors		
Sat. 03/18	5:00 p.m.	B. Rymarquis
Sun. 03/19	8:00 a.m.	T. Heet
Sun. 03/19	9:45 a.m.	P. Genovese
Sun. 03/19	11:30 a.m.	M. Bittner
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Sat. 03/18		hers T. Henning, T. Steiger, C. Schenk, D. Schenk
Sat. 03/18 Sun. 03/19	5:00 p.m.	T. Henning, T. Steiger,

9:45 a.m. R. Mier, T. Mueller,

11:30 a.m. M. Smelser, T. Metzner,

M. Ancell, W. Govern

K. Metzner, J. Kiburz

Lectors

Altar Servers				
Sat. 03/18	5:00 p.m.	A. Patterson, M. Clever, P. Mckelvey		
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Sun. 03/19	8:00 a.m.			
Sun. 03/19	9:45 a.m.	G. Khazen, M. Suellentrop,		
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ACTUAL **GOAL** +/-

SUNDAY OFFERING \$ 18,773

Online \$ 12,226

Total 3/05/2023 \$ 30,999 \$ 22,940 \$ 8,059

Year to Date \$ 805,021 \$ 848,780 \$ (43,759) Maintenance \$ 968 YTD \$ 22,612

CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

In January parishioners were mailed an invitation to print your own contribution statement. If you didn't print at that time your invitation has expired.

Please send a request to Jeanene at jcrain@christprinceofpeace.com and we will be happy to resend the invitation along with instructions. If you don't have the ability to print your statement, you may contact Jeanene at 636-391-1307.

EASTER FLOWERS

Your March envelope packet contains an envelope for Easter Flowers. This is an opportunity to remember your loved ones with a donation for our Easter Flowers. In order to be included in the Easter bulletin, please return the envelope to the rectory by noon Friday, March 31, 2023, with the name of your loved ones **CLEARLY PRINTED** on the envelope.





Sunday, March 12 **Sharing Sunday**

8:00 a.m. Mass

9:45 a.m. Mass Children's Liturgy

11:30 a.m. Mass

Monday, March 13

Spring Break-No School All Week

7:00 p.m. St Vincent DePaul Mtg RB

Tuesday, March 14

8:30 a.m. Adoration CH

6:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross & Benediction

6:00 p.m. StL Soccer HOF Mtg

7:00 p.m. Super Tuesday

Wednesday, March 15

9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study CB

12:00 p.m. CPR Class CB

6:30 p.m. Adult Choir CH

7:00 p.m. CIY Small Group

Thursday, March 16

9:00 a.m. Book Discussion Pascal Mystery

4:30 p.m. 2nd gr Girl Scout Mtg. CB

6:00 p.m. Fish Fry prep

7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study RB

Friday, March 17 St. Patrick's Day

4:45 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Fish Fry

7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

Saturday, March 18

4:00 p.m. Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. Mass - Wedding Anniversary Blessing

Sunday, March 19

Wedding Anniversary Blessing at all masses

8:00 a.m. Mass

9:45 a.m. Mass Children's Liturgy

11:30 a.m. Mass

12:30 p.m. Baptism

Church Basement

Church

CH CMR Church Meditation Rm RB Rectory Basement RC

Rectory Conference Rm Cafeteria CAFÉ SCH School

School Library School Music Rm SMR Rm #110 School Youth Rm



SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated on the First and Third Sunday of the month immediately after the 11:30 a.m. mass. Parents must be registered, practicing Catholics and attend a baptismal preparation class. Please call the rectory to schedule, 636-391-1307.



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday from 4:00 - 4:45 pm and anytime upon request.



•SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE•

Arrangements for the Sacrament of Marriage are to be made by the prospective bride and groom with the priest at least nine months before the wedding.



•DEVOTIONS•

Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions are conducted every Tuesday after 6:30 and 8:00 am Masses.

The Rosary is recited the first Saturday of the month for the Respect for Life Campaign before the 5:00 pm Mass and every Monday after the 8:00 am Mass in honor of Our Lady of Fatima.



ADORATION OF THE **BLESSED SACRAMENT•**

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for Adoration from 8:30 am - 6:30 pm every Tuesday. All are encouraged to spend an hour with our Lord.

The Parish Prayer Line

The Parish Prayer Line consists of a group of fellow parishioners who will pray for your intentions. If you have a need of prayer or would like to join our prayer line, please email.

Connie Sorkin at csorkin@yahoo.com or Kasey Metzner at metzners@sbcglobal.net

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SUBMISSIONS

BULLETIN DEADLINE - PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL ANNOUNCEMENTS MUST BE RECEIVED BY 9 A.M. ON MONDAYS. WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION! **PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENT DEADLINE -**

> **THURSDAY AT NOON** JCRAIN@CHRISTPRINCEOFPEACE.COM

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