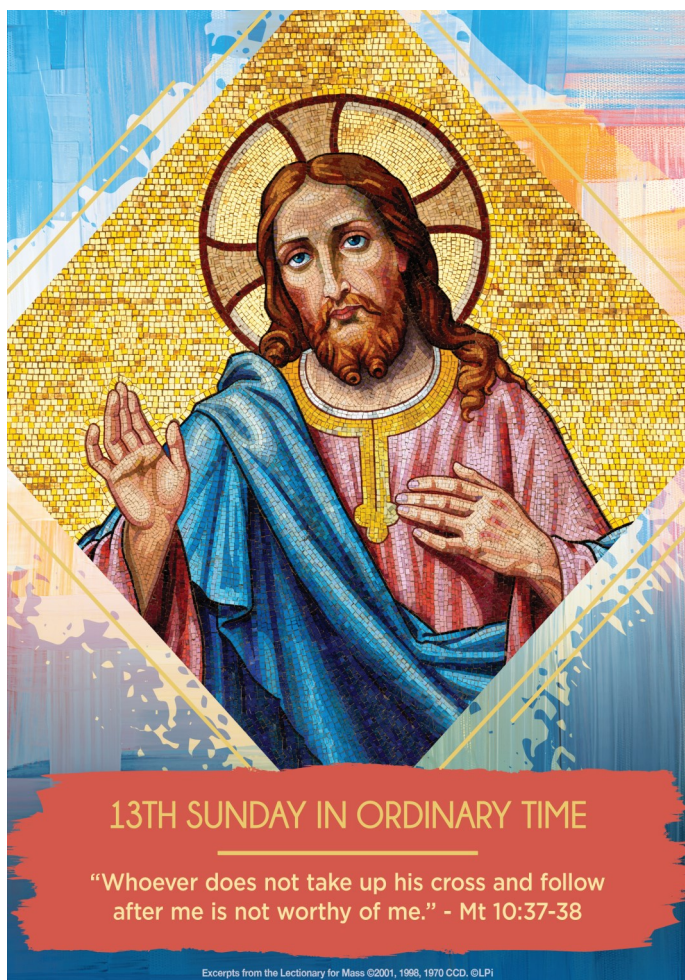




OUR MISSION

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

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

Dear family,



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***“Whoever finds his life will lose it,
and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it...”- Jesus (Matthew 10:39)***

***“You better lose yourself in the music, the moment, You own it, you better never let it
go...” – Marshall Mathers***

Our readings remind us this weekend to keep our priorities straight... Keep God first. Love God above everything, and everything else will work out. It will be uncomfortable and there will be crosses (and losses) involved, but we will be happy, and most importantly, saved. Let's find our lives in Christ. What are you prepared to do for your salvation? What is more important than that?

The all-important first step to take is Baptism. Those of us doing the Ascension Press Catechism in a Year Podcast with Fr. Mike Schmitz recently finished the section on the Sacrament of Baptism in the Catechism of the Catholic Church. Wow- really good nuggets of truth in there, especially that Baptism is necessary for salvation, to get to heaven. That's what our Catholic Church teaches. We as Catholics should take this truth of our faith very seriously. As your pastor, I do too. I want you, yes you, to get to heaven. If you, one of your children, or someone that you love needs Baptism, please talk to me about receiving this gateway sacrament.

This coming week, we celebrate our country's 247th birthday, our Independence Day, on Tuesday, July 4. We will have only one Mass that day at 9:00 a.m. All weekend long, if you are like me, BBQ's and fireworks will be the order of the day, as we wave that flag, wave it wide and high, wearing our red, white, and blue. We live in the greatest country in the world, these United States, having the ability to worship as we choose. It's important to recall that freedom and independence doesn't mean doing what we want to do, but doing what we ought to do!

The Annual Catholic Appeal keeps "truckin'" on toward our ACA challenge goal, which is in reach. If you have already given this year, thank you so very much. If not, please join me in making a pledge this year and get us to our challenge goal, no matter the amount. No matter which method you choose, through the miracle of modern technology, CPOP will get the credit for your gift. So doesn't matter how you give, just give! Have you signed your pledge card yet?

Upcoming Events:

The Annual Catholic Appeal continues.

Parish Office will be closed Monday July 3 and Tuesday, July 4 in observance of Independence Day.

This Tuesday, July 4- Independence Day- Mass will be at 9 a.m. No Adoration on the holiday.

Have a good week!

LET'S GO CITY SC!

LET'S GO CARDS!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, AMERICA!

In Christ,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rev. Christopher J. Dunlap". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Fr. Chris Dunlap

"Wave that flag, wave it wide and high..."-Grateful Dead

NEEDED: Ministers for Homebound

Have you ever wanted to be part of a ministry where you can have a one-on-one relationship with a homebound parishioner in need, and at the same time bring the Blessed Sacrament to them? Due to health related issues, they are not able to attend Mass. As a result, this ministry brings the Blessed Sacrament to them on a weekly basis. It is a ministry that those you are serving look forward to meeting with you and is personally fulfilling at the same time.

Please contact Deacon Pat, 314-223-4488 or pbelding6@gmail.com for further information.



Looking for ways to get involved at CPOP?

Consider joining one of our many liturgical ministries! Come and participate in the holy sacrifice of the Mass in a special way.

There are opportunities to proclaim God's Word as a Lector, distribute the Blessed Sacrament to the faithful as an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion, aid and welcome the congregation as an Usher, assist the Celebrant as an Altar Server, setup for Mass as a Sacristan, and lead the congregation in song as a Cantor.

We are always looking for more people to participate in these liturgical ministries.

Children entering the fourth grade are eligible to be trained as servers.

Contact Dominic Richards at drichards@christprinceofpeace.com or speak to him after Mass!



Want to serve at Mass? Consider becoming an Altar Server! Signup for one of our server training days on Thursday, July 13, 9am -10:30 am or Thursday, August 10, 9 am - 10:30 am. You'll be able to serve the following weekend!

Children entering the Fourth Grade can be trained as servers.

Scan the QR code below to signup, or talk to Dominic Richards.



ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL UPDATE

- As of 6/23/23 CPOP has raised a total of \$260,359 surpassing our goal of \$197,753 and nearing our last year's pledge total of \$263,833
- 46 new donors have given to the ACA

Thank you to all of our donors to the 2023 ACA, and consider donating to the ACA!

OUR TWO GOALS:

1. Exceed last year's pledge total of \$263,833
2. Add 70 new donors

SCAN TO GIVE





On Saturday, June 24th, the CPOP Knights of Columbus hosted a Free BBQ lunch for the St. Augustine community in the Hamilton Heights area serviced by Fr. Bob Gettinger's Outreach. Pulled Pork and Hot Dogs along with accompanying refreshments were served to over 200 people. This marks the 5th year the Knights have hosted a BBQ. Contact Grand Knight Marty Hood, 314-703-1968 or martinjohnhood@gmail.com if you are interested in becoming a member!



The rectory office will be closed on Monday, July 3rd and Tuesday, July 4th. Have a safe and blessed holiday!



CPOP MINI VBS

Children from our parish participated in a mini-VBS on Fridays in June. The theme was Digging For Treasure! Each week they learned about the different parable stories that Jesus told. On Friday, June 23rd they learned about the Parables of the Mustard Seed and of Yeast. As they went digging for the parables' hidden meaning, they learned how both the mustard seed and yeast, while small, become much greater things. As a part of that they talked about small things they could do to help others. They decided to draw messages in sidewalk chalk for others to see. Like the children, what small things can we do to make great things happen?





Addressing GUN VIOLENCE

Promoting a culture of life

A one-day summit exploring the Catholic perspective on the crisis of gun violence in communities throughout the Archdiocese.

Welcome by
Archbishop
Mitchell T. Rozanski

SATURDAY, JULY 29
9:00 am - 3:00 pm

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

More information & to register:
archstl.org/addressing-gun-violence or scan QR code



The CPOP Social Justice Ministry invites you to attend this summit to consider how our faith can guide our response to the epidemic of gun violence.



JOIN THE ROSARY TEAM

On the first Saturday of the month the Rosary is recited for the Sanctity of all Life before the 5:00 p.m. Mass. Would you be willing to lead your parish family in saying the Rosary? Complete instructions and timing are provided. Please contact Mary Ann Cutelli, 636-227-8453 or amscute672@gmail.com.



SHARING SUNDAY

July 8-9

For July we can use peanut butter, mac & cheese, cereal, canned/pouch chicken or tuna.

Thank you!

BIKING FOR BABIES

St. Joseph Parish July 15th 4-8 p.m.

Our CPOP Community has been invited by St. Joseph's Parish to join them as they cheer on cyclists as they ride the final leg of their 4,300 mile journey to educate and raise money for Pregnancy Resource Centers in St. Louis and other cities throughout Missouri. -Live Music and fun for the whole family -Free dinner -Basket Raffle ALL to celebrate the SANCTITY OF LIFE!

HELP!!!! They need some helping hands to help make this event a success! We need 6 CPOP volunteers to help that evening !!!! Please AND Thank you in advance. Please contact Susan or Marsha by Friday, June 30 to volunteer. Susan Nowak (susananowak@sbcglobal.net) Marsha Henning (mrshenning@hotmail.com)



We are now halfway through the liturgical year. The major seasons of Christmas and Easter have come and gone, and this weekend we are celebrating the 13th Sunday in Ordinary Time, formerly known as the 5th Sunday after Pentecost. Each of these next Sundays feature a specific theme or emphasis of Christ, and when we near the end of the liturgical year in November, the themes will shift towards the *Parousia* (Second Coming).

Typically, the music selected for Mass fits the season. Ordinary Time, especially in these summer months, is a time to use general topic hymns because unlike Christmas and Easter, Ordinary Time does not have “automatic” hymns like *Veni, Veni Emmanuel* for Advent, *Adeste Fideles* for Christmas, or *Regina Caeli* for Easter.

This weekend, as the closing hymn, you will sing the truly great **CATHOLIC** hymn of “Holy God, We Praise Thy Name” (#197) set to the German tune of GROSSER GOTT. This hymn, translated from German, is a paraphrase of the Latin hymn and prayer called the *Te Deum*. The *Te Deum* is a hymn of praise, detailing praise to the Holy Trinity, through all the ranks of God’s creation on earth and in heaven.

Tradition dictates that the *Te Deum* was ascribed to St. Ambrose of Milan, where one of the first musical settings of it was in Ambrosian chant. Hymnologists now suggest the authorship of the *Te Deum* to Nice-tas of Remesiana but it is not confirmed.

The full *Te Deum* is recited at the conclusion of the Office of the Readings for the Liturgy of the Hours on Sundays outside Lent, daily during the Octaves of Christmas and Easter, and on Solemnities and Feast Days.

I encourage you to take time this week to pray the *Te Deum*, either in its full form or as the paraphrased version in “Holy God, We Praise Thy Name”.

Do you have a hymn you’d like sung during Ordinary Time? Is there an aspect of Church music or the sacred Liturgy that you would like to know more about? Email me at drichards@christprinceofpeace.com!

I hope you and your families have a blessed week.

Dominic Richards
Director of Music and Liturgy



Mass Intentions

July 3-9

Mon. 7/03 8:00 a.m. Kenneth Harbaugh

Tues. 7/04 9:00 a.m. Mary King

Wed. 7/05 6:30 a.m. Fernandez Family*
8:00 a.m. Shirley Hunt

Thurs. 7/06 8:00 a.m. Cathleen Heitmann

Fri. 7/07 8:00 a.m. Frank & Anita Noyes

Sat. 7/08 8:00 a.m. Rose Torretta
5:00 p.m. Ronald Guy

Sun. 7/09 8:00 a.m. John Robert Miller
9:45 a.m. Cynthia Clisham
11:30 a.m. Parish Family

*Intention of living person(s)



Prayer Requests

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:

Kevin Bittner	Doris Borgschulte
Jane Ryan	Robert McGee
Rayne Vega Bender	Joe Teipel

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

Eucharistic Ministers July 8-9

Sat. 7/08 5:00 p.m. Deacon Bialis, C. McNichols, T. Mueller

Sun. 7/09 8:00 a.m. E. Marshall, K. O'Brien, K. Palumbo

Sun. 7/09 9:45 a.m. D. Barron, M. Cummins, V. Viehmann

Sun. 7/09 11:30 a.m. M. Lane, M. Griffin, B. Johns

Lectors

Sat. 7/08 5:00 p.m. R. Crump

Sun. 7/09 8:00 a.m. T. Heet

Sun. 7/09 9:45 a.m. M. Shea

Sun. 7/09 11:30 a.m. M. Neely

Ushers

Sat. 7/08 5:00 p.m. R. Huelsmann, T. Steiger, J. Diderrich

Sun. 7/09 8:00 a.m. D. Demeter, J. Bettag, T. Lenger

Sun. 7/09 9:45 a.m. W. Govern, P. Genovese, M. Ancell, V. Koury

Sun. 7/09 11:30 a.m. M. Smelser, T. Metzner, K. Metzner, J. Kiburz

Altar Server

Sat. 7/08 5:00 p.m. N. Wolak, A. Patterson, P. McKelvey

Sun. 7/09 8:00 a.m. M. Schoenekase

Sun. 7/09 9:45 a.m. G. Khazen, C. Khazen, M. Selkirk

Sun. 7/09 11:30 a.m. E. Metzner



	ACTUAL	GOAL	+/-
SUNDAY OFFERING \$	12,385		
ONLINE \$	6,948		
TOTAL 6/25/23 \$	19,333	22,940	(3,607)
YEAR TO DATE \$1,130,899	\$ 1,169,940		(39,041)
MAINTENANCE \$ 958		YTD \$31,449	

Gracious and loving God, you call us to be stewards of your Abundance, the caretakers of all you have entrusted to us. Help us always to use your gifts wisely and teach us to share them generously. Send the Holy Spirit to work through us, bringing your message to those we serve. Amen.



We welcomed into our parish family through the waters of baptism
Vivian Katherine Kruse.



There is a promise of marriage between
Matthew Regel
and
Stacey Sartorius.



Sunday, July 2

Blessing of Expectant Families

8:00 a.m. Mass
9:45 a.m. Mass
11:30 a.m. Mass
12:30 p.m. Baptism

Monday, July 3

OFFICE CLOSED

Tuesday, July 4 HOLIDAY

OFFICE CLOSED

9:00 a.m. Mass

No Adoration

No Benediction

Wednesday, July 5

6:15 p.m. Troop 630 Council Mtg CAFÉ

7:00 p.m. Troop 630 Mtg CAFE

Thursday, July 6

Friday, July 7

8:30 a.m. First Friday Adoration

9:00 a.m. Family Faith Friday CB

Saturday, July 8

4:00 p.m. Reconciliation

5:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, July 9 Sharing Sunday

8:00 a.m. Mass

9:45 a.m. Mass

11:30 a.m. Mass



•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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