



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

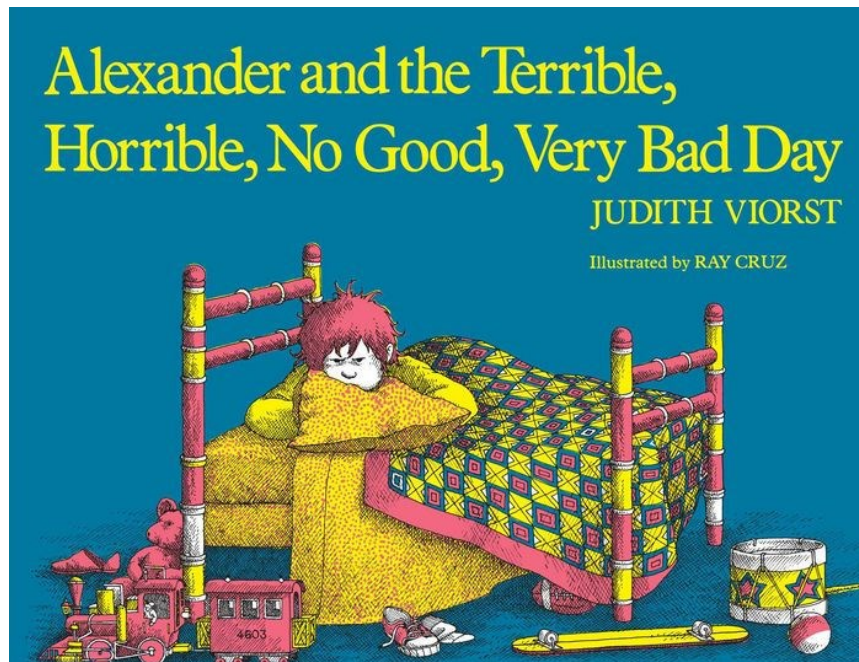
Rectory: 636-391-1307 | M-Th 8:00 am - 3:30 pm

Fri. 8:00 am - 12:00 pm

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



Dear family,



Accessed at: <https://www.amazon.com/Alexander-Terrible-Horrible-Good-Very/dp/0689300727>

"I went to sleep with gum in my mouth and now there's gum in my hair and when I got out of bed this morning I tripped on the skateboard and by mistake I dropped my sweater in the sink while the water was running and I could tell it was going to be a terrible, horrible, no good, very bad day."- Alexander

My favorite children's book is *Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day*, by Judith Viorst. It always has been. I enjoy reading it with some of our younger students each school year. The 1970's era illustrations alone make it worth the read. We can all relate to Alexander and his plight, as we've all had bad days, days when we are not at our best. Maybe we've even had those terrible, horrible, no good, very bad days, when nothing goes right. Well, welcome to life, I guess. Sooner or later, it happens to all of us.

This weekend, we meet Alexander's forefather in terrible, horrible, no good, very bad days from the Old Testament, Job. Not to be confused with Gob Bluth, though pronounced the same (*Job*, like *robe*, as opposed to *job*, like *snob*), Job is having a terrible, horrible, no good, very bad day (or days, as it were.) He's letting us all know about it, whether we want to hear about it or not. He sure answers the question, "how are you?" literally, doesn't he?

Venting to loved ones is good for us, in fact, it is healthy for us, as we can let off steam and process our situation. What is unhealthy is when it leads to complaining and getting down on ourselves. Again, how many of us can relate? But here's the thing. The central theme of the Book of Job is about why bad things happen to good people- that eternal question. Job

was a righteous man, so why did these bad things- and believe me- they were terrible, horrible, no good, very bad things- happen to him ? Well, Spoiler alert- there's no answer. What's important is that for Job, and for all of us, God was right there all along for him.

In our own brokenness, defeat, sadness, and darkness, we, unlike Job, have Jesus, who has had terrible, horrible, no good, very bad days himself. He knows what it is like. He knows about suffering. And he wants to help us out of our ours, sharing in our suffering and offering us healing and hope, through the sacraments and the Church. How do I know? This weekend's Gospel. Take a look. Who **couldn't** use some healing and hope? I know I could.

Finally, I received notice this week that Deacon Greg Bialis has been reassigned by the Archbishop to assist the pastor of St. Mary Magdalene Parish in Brentwood, effective Monday, February 12, 2024. I am truly grateful for his service to our parish over the past three and a half years since his diaconate ordination. Please come and wish him well in his new assignment next Sunday, February 11 at the 9:45 a.m. Mass and join us for a reception afterward.

Upcoming Events:

This Saturday, February 3- CPOP Trivia Night returns!

Next Sunday, February 11- 9:45 a.m. Mass – Rite of Sending for Our Catechumens and Candidates

Next Sunday, February 11- 9:45 a.m. Mass- Parish Farewell for Deacon Greg Bialis with donuts and coffee reception following

Have a good week!

LET'S GO BLUES!

In Christ,

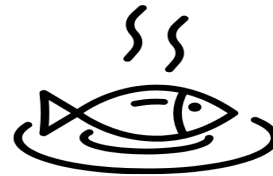
A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rev. Christopher J. Dunlap". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Fr. Chris Dunlap



We're just two weeks away from Opening Night of the 2024 CPOP Lenten Fish Fry. The team is making the last of the arrangements for what proves to be our parish's greatest fish fry season yet. And don't let that rumor about long lines keep you away. Besides, what better way to get to know some new *CPOPers* than enjoying an adult beverage while you ponder your order of fried cod, smoked salmon, grilled shrimp and some delicious homemade gooey butter cake for dessert! Avoid the line and pop-in around 7:00 p.m. and stay for some camaraderie as we pick up the chairs and wipe the tables. Come early, or come late, but be sure to come! Or better yet, scan the Week 1 signup QR code and be a volunteer for an hour and a half! Questions? Contact Kurtis Suellentrop at suellykurt@hotmail.com or 314-267-1179. Volunteering inquiries? Contact Ryan McCarthy at rpatrickmccarthy@gmail.com or 314-808-7702.

CPOP 2024 ONLINE FISH FRY AUCTION



Bid on Fish Fry Fast-Passes and Front Row seats at Easter Mass!

Who's ready for some delicious fish??

Lent and the CPOP Annual Fish Fry will be here soon! This year, we are so excited to have a short mini-auction allowing our parishioners to bid on **fast-passes** to jump the line at the fish fry! This auction will also include bidding on front row at Easter Mass.

How and when to participate?

The auction website, Qgiv, and Givi app, will go live on **February 5th**. Bidding will end on **February 15th**, prior to our first Fish Fry night on February 16th.

Steps to bid on the auction:

1. Scan the QR Code or go to:
<https://secure.qgiv.com/event/cpop2024springonlineauction/register/>
2. Follow the steps to register! Registration is zero dollars, because this is an online event. Be sure to include your information. You **MUST CHOOSE** your notification preferences -- email and/or text.
3. Look for an email or text once you have registered.
4. Click on Set-up bidding
5. Join the event using your email.
6. Add a payment method and you'll be ready to bid when the auction goes live!



Questions?

If you have questions please reach out to:

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Julia Lembeck -- jdlembeck@hotmail.com

Thank you to Neil Thole and the Knights of Columbus for their hard work preparing for the FISH FRY!

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK HAPPENINGS!



On Monday we celebrated together as one COMMUNITY with an All School Mass. A special visitor from our own STL community even joined us!



HOMEROOM WARS

Each classroom got to pick the theme for their class dress out. The class with the most participants won a prize!





**Extraordinary Ministers of
Holy Communion
Retraining Seminar
February 10 & February 11**

Location: Church Basement

Seminar Times:

4:00pm - 4:30pm

9:00am - 9:30am

10:40am - 11:10 am



Thank you!
AND FAREWELL

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ASH WEDNESDAY MASS SCHEDULE

February 14, 2024

6:30 a.m., 8:00 a.m., 12:10 p.m., and

7:00 p.m.



The Book Club will meet on Monday, 2/26/24 at 7:00 p.m. in the rectory basement to discuss the book "The Life of Christ", by Rev. Fulton J. Sheen. Please join in any or all group gatherings! Contact Diane Bialis at bialis@charter.net for more information.

ONLINE GIVING CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

Please look over your contribution statements carefully. We have found a small number of statements missing donations due to a few glitches during the transition of online giving companies. Be assured all donations have been received and all are traceable. It is just the recording of donations. We would appreciate an email stating any discrepancy, even if you do not need your statement reprinted. We want to make sure all historical data is accurate. Please email the details to Jeanene at jcrain@christprinceofpeace.com. Thank you in advance for your understanding and cooperation.

RETROUVAILLE—STL WEEKEND March 15-17, 2024

Register now—800.470.2230 (24 hour confidential hotline) or visit helpourmarriage.org

Questions: Tom & Kerry Marsh 314.753.2022/314.409.4199

RESERVE YOUR SCHOLARSHIP!



"The only limits for tomorrow are the doubts we have today."



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TTEF SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

All families currently receiving tuition assistance from the parish **MUST** apply for these scholarships. We cannot accept any tuition assistance request at the parish level without your TTEF application.

Deadline to apply is **February 28, 2024**. Be assured that all applications are confidential. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Nancy at 636-391-1307 or nzoia@christprinceofpeace.com.

May ALL preborn children be
 protected
 in LAW and born in LOVE

We **NEED** you! CPOP Respect Life Apostolate will be meeting 1x a month to coordinate pro-life activities throughout the year. Please come be a part whether it be a little or a lot.

WHEN: Wed., Feb. 7 following 8 a.m. Mass.

WHERE: CPOP Meditation Room

*If you can't make daytime meetings.....we can make arrangements.

Marsha Henning (tmrshenning@hotmail.com)

Susan Nowak (susananowak@sbcglobal.net)





Hey Young Adult: are you ready for an adventure with Christ, where you'll transform virtuously and be equipped to share the Gospel of Life and the message of hope from pregnancy resource centers across the nation?

 **wants YOU for the**

NATIONAL RIDE FORMATION PROGRAM

APPLICATIONS ARE OPEN UNTIL MARCH 1, 2024; PROGRAM BEGINS 3/13

Questions? Contact Aubrie!
aubrie.faust@bikingforbabies.com






Mass Intentions

FEBRUARY 5-11

Mon. 2/5	8:00 a.m.	John Paul DeLuca
Tues. 2/6	6:30 a.m.	Virginia Klenke
	8:00 a.m.	Kathryn Thole
Wed. 2/7	6:30 a.m.	Betty Hogan
	8:00 a.m.	Elizabeth Ann McCarthy
Thur. 2/8	8:00 a.m.	Mary Ann Shaughnessy
Fri. 2/9	8:00 a.m.	George Ziebold
Sat. 2/10	8:00 a.m.	Pat & Jenni Belding*
	5:00 p.m.	Mara Karadza Skojo
Sun. 2/11	8:00 a.m.	Lisa Lazalier
	9:45 a.m.	Rosemary & Casey Korbecki
	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	Rayne Vega Bender
Joe Teipel	Sean Higgins
Peg Dunlap	Flora Hogue
Ray Thomas	

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

February 10-11, 2024

Saturday, Feb. 10, 5:00 p.m.

Lector: M. Shea
 Eucharistic Ministers: M. Lane, C. McNichols, J. Schlichting
 Servers: G. Schlichting, N. Wolak
 Ushers: T. Henning, D. Schenk, T. Steiger, S. Wolak

Sunday, Feb. 11, 8:00 a.m.

Lector: T. Heet
 Eucharistic Ministers: C. Gilbert, E. Marshall, K. Palumbo
 Servers: L. Hosking
 Ushers: J. Bettag, D. Demeter, T. Lenger

Sunday, Feb. 11, 9:45 a.m.

Lector: P. Genovese
 Eucharistic Ministers: M. Cummins, M. Shuleski, V. Viehmann
 Servers: J. Genovese, R. Govern, S. Lauter
 Ushers: D. Fuglsang, W. Govern, V. Koury, T. Mueller

Sunday, Feb 11, 11:30 a.m.

Lector: M. Bittner
 Eucharistic Ministers: M. Budd, R. Govern, B. Johns
 Servers: J. Budd, E. Metzner, P. McKelvey
 Ushers: J. Roades, K. Metzner, T. Metzner, M. Smelser



	<u>ACTUAL</u>	<u>GOAL</u>	<u>+/-</u>
SUNDAY OFFERING	6,918		
ONLINE	\$ 4,478		
TOTAL 1/14/2024	\$11,396	\$ 22,050	\$(10,654)
YEAR TO DATE	\$ 709,059	\$ 683,550	\$ 25,509
MAINTENANCE	\$ 143	YTD \$ 18,472	

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.



PALM COLLECTION

We are collecting palms from last year in the back of Church through February 11, 2024. Please bring your blessed palms and place them in the collection baskets in the vestibule.



Sunday, February 4

8:00 a.m. Mass
9:45 a.m. Mass with Children's Liturgy
11:30 a.m. Mass
12:30 p.m. Baptism

Monday, February 5

8:00 a.m. Mass
5:00 p.m. Evening School
7:00 p.m. School Board Mtg.

Tuesday, February 6

6:30 a.m. Mass
8:00 a.m. Mass with 3rd through 5th grade
8:30 a.m. Adoration
6:30 p.m. Benediction
7:00 p.m. KofC Planning Mtg.

Wednesday, February 7

6:30 a.m. Mass
8:00 a.m. Mass with 6th through 8th grade
8:30 a.m. Respect Life Apostolate Mtg. CMR
6:30 p.m. Adult Choir

Thursday, February 8

8:00 a.m. Mass

Friday, February 9

8:00 a.m. Mass with K through 2nd grade

Saturday, February 10

8:00 a.m. Mass
4:00 p.m. Reconciliation
4:00 p.m. EMCH Retraining Seminar
5:00 p.m. Mass

Sunday, February 11 Sharing Sunday

8:00 a.m. Mass
9:45 a.m. Mass with Children's Liturgy
10:45 a.m. EHMC Retraining Seminar
11:30 a.m. Mass
12:30 p.m. Set up Church for Lent



•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
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SUBMISSIONS

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ANNOUNCEMENTS MUST BE RECEIVED BY 9 A.M. ON
MONDAYS. WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION!**

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