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Jun 8, 2025

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MISSION STATEMENT

Saint Louis Parish is a welcoming Catholic Community united in our efforts to live the Gospel message and offer ourselves as the heart and hands of Jesus Christ to all we encounter. We strive to bring people together in devotion to the presence of the risen Lord, through sacraments, liturgy, and worship. We are committed to living the teaching of our Lord in all our affairs, while honoring His living presence in the Most Holy Eucharist. We endeavor to remain a strong, supportive, and interactive community within, but seek to support our surrounding community by sharing our faith, actions, and stewardship to help make a positive difference in the world around us.

PARISH LIFE

MARRIAGES

The policy for the Diocese of Worcester requires a period of preparation for the Sacrament of Marriage, which includes sessions with the parish priest and participation at either the pre-Cana conference or the Engaged Encounter weekend. Contact the pastor for arrangements. We want your wedding to be beautiful, memorable and meaningful. Don't hesitate to talk to us about what we can do to make it so. May God bless you in your marriage.

BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated on Saturdays before 3:00pm or Sundays after 2:00pm. Please call the Rectory office to make arrangements for your child's baptism.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK

Sacramental and pastoral services are offered to the sick, hospitalized, homebound, and all who are in need by the pastoral staff of the parish. To arrange a visit, please call the rectory. Regular visits are made to the hospitals and to the nursing homes in our town of Webster, with the celebration of weekly Mass. Please call the rectory (508-943-0240) to inform us of someone in need of a visit.

NEW MEMBERS

New parishioners are always welcome! Please introduce yourself to Father Javier or Deacon Tom at the end of Mass.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND O.C.I.A.

Saint Louis offers a full program of religious education up to and including adults. O.C.I.A. (Order of Christian Initiation of Adults) is a process for welcoming new members into the Catholic Church. If interested, please call the religious education office (508-943-0817) for more information.

PARISH STAFF

Rev. Javier Julio, **Pastor**
Deacon Tom Creamer**, Deacon**
Mr. Brian Betty, **Sexton**
Mrs. Heidi Hughes, **Administrative Assistant**
officeadmin@stlouischurchwebster.org
Mrs. Jennafer Perez**, Financial Administrator**
Mr. Tim Messenger, **Youth Ministry Coordinator**
youthministry@stlouischurchwebster.org
Ms. Connie Galli – **Music Director**

RECTORY OFFICE INFORMATION

Hours: Monday-Friday 9 AM - 2 PM
Phone - 508-943-0240, Fax - 508-943-0801

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION COORDINATOR

Mrs. Teri Cacciapouti, Phone/Fax 508-943-0817
E-mail: stlouisreledwebster@gmail.com

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Raymond Fontaine, Chairman

ALL SAINTS ACADEMY

Mrs. Joan Matys, Head of School
www.allsaintswebster.org ~ office@allsaintswebster.org
School: 48 Negus Street ~ Phone - 508-943-0257
Grades: Preschool through Grade 8

MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday - 5 PM
Sunday - 7 AM, 10:30 AM,
12:30 PM - Spanish Mass

Weekday Masses
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday 7 AM
Holidays 8 AM

Holy Days - 7 AM, 12 PM, 5:30 PM, 7 PM-Spanish

Miraculous Medal Novena
Tuesdays at 6:00 PM (in Spring and Fall as scheduled)

Spanish Prayer Group - Wednesdays at 7 PM

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY JUNE 7
3:30 PM ~ **Confessions**
5:00 PM ~ **Brian Bellerose & Van Constantine** by A BHS Classmate

SUNDAY JUNE 8
7:00 AM ~ **Kathy Gatzke** by Bob & Family
10:30AM ~**Anthony James Congdon**
~ **Patty Motyka** by St. Vincent de Paul Society
12:30PM ~ **Spanish**

MONDAY JUNE 9 NO MASS

TUESDAY JUNE 10
7:00 AM ~ **Mary Aldrich** by Joanne Minarik
9:00 AM ~**All Saints Academy** – Year end Mass
6:00 PM ~ **Rosary and Novena #5**

WEDNESDAY JUNE 11
7:00 AM ~ **Chester Mathewson by Family**

THURSDAY JUNE 12
7:00 AM ~ **Robert & Joan Meagher**

FRIDAY JUNE 13
7:00 AM ~ **Mr. & Mrs. Ronald Kokernak, Sr. (Anniv. Mass)** by Ron & Joan Kokernak

SATURDAY JUNE 14
3:30 PM ~ **Confessions**
5:00 PM ~ **Janice DiDonato** by her husband Richard
~ **Makowski Family (Living & Deceased)** by John

SUNDAY JUNE 15
7:00 AM ~ **Margaret, Louie, Tom Polletta** by the Family
10:30AM ~ **Suzanne Vasale** by Family
~**Edward Collins, Sr**. by his daughter Betty
12:30PM ~ **Spanish**

Partners in Charity Appeal 2025

As of May 22nd , we have collected $47,525.00 (135 Gifts). We are still short $12,675.00 of the **St. Louis Parish target of $60,200.00.** If you have already made a gift to the 2025 Appeal, we thank you! Your Partners in Charity Pledge or Gift can be **mailed directly to the Diocese of Worcester** or placed here in our collection basket at any time.

~ Parish Support ~

Last week, our parish community contributed **$8,151.00** in ordinary support (includes Online eGiving =**$1,917.00**

***Thank You* for your generous support!**

ST. LOUIS RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Parents, remember, if your child is attending or wishes to attend Religious Education here at St. Louis, please call the Office at **508-943-0817** to register. Classes are held from Sept. – April for grades PreK – 8th grade. Thank you.
Summer program information and reminders have been sent home. This is for students in grades 7 – 9 **who did not attend during this past school year.**
Class dates: **Monday, June 23rd – Friday, June 27th** from 5:00PM – 8:30PM in the Church Hall.

Minute to win it Kid's Game Night – Saturday, June 14th 6-7:30 PM. We will have snacks, drinks and play some fun fast paced games.
Kid's Water Fun Party – Saturday, July 12th from 6-7:30PM – water balloon toss, sponge race, homemade boat race and more (weather permitting). If it's raining we will have something different inside.

Kids Bible Camp (ages 5 and above)
Monday, July 28 – Friday, August 1 from 9AM-12PM with lunch right after (pickup by 12:30). Some of the topics that we will be covering are Prayer, the Mass, Saints, and Sacraments. They will learn through games, stories and making crafts on these subjects. Cost is $10.00 per child. If you would like to sign your children up for Kid's Bible Camp, please call (508-943-0817) or email the Religious Ed office at religioused@stlouischurchwebster.org.

Totus Tuus – A Worcester Diocese Kid's Camp – Monday, August 11th – Friday, August 15th . We are working together with Sacred Heart Parish and St. Roch Parish. The cost is $25.00 per child. For kids in grades 1-6, the time is 9-3 (Monday – Friday). Kids in 7th -12th grade is 6:30 -8:45 PM (Sunday August 10th – Thursday, August 14th). More details to follow. You can find more information on the Diocese of Worcester website.

Knights of Columbus Council 228 French Toast Breakfast
Sunday, June 22, 2025
7:30 to 10:30 am
St. Louis Church Hall
Children under 5 free. Tickets at the door are $10.00.
Proceeds will support the Visitation House in Worcester. If you are unable to attend, please consider a direct donation:
https://visitationhouse.org/donation-options

This Week June 8 – June 14, 2025

Sanctuary Lamp I will be lit
Special Intention for **Richard & Janice (Anniv.)**

Sanctuary Lamp II will be lit
In memory of **Marcia Kallgren** by Bob & Joan Wentworth

Sanctuary Lamp III will be lit
In memory of ***Janice Duffy***
by Dick & Jayne

The Divine Mercy Lamp will be lit
In memory of ***Suzanne Vasale***
by the Family

Repose of the Soul: Brian Bellerose, Van Constantine, Kathy Gatzke, Anthony James Congdon, Patty Motyka, Mary Aldrich, Chester Mathewson, Robert & Joan Meagher, Mr. & Mrs. Ronald Kokernak, Sr., Janice DiDonato, Makowski Family, Margaret, Louie, Tom Polletta, Suzanne Vasale, Edward Collins, Sr..

Continued Prayers: We pray for all those who suffer with sickness physically, emotionally, or spiritually - especially for Peter Motyka, Linda Sproles, Gary Sproles, Shawn Hartnett, David, Kevin Dupont, Christine Emery, Judy Dupont, Jacqueline Power, Betty Dumochel, Katie, Dolly LeBlanc, Larry Dupont, Ann Fitman, Kelly Kokernak, Danielle, Cindy Smith, Arthur Matte, Shelly Matte, Emily Lussier, Bob & Joan Wentworth, John Lewandowski, Anna, Lusia, Monika, Uncle John, Slawek, Hunter, Barron, Brian Canty, Tyro Navarro, Barbara Leduc, Arthur Gomes, Francis Lowney, Albert Atchue, Joshua, Sharon Paradis, Cheryl Veilleux, Mary Jane O'Brien, Kevin, Annette Crisia, Johnny Walalis, Barbara Greene, Kenny, Michelle, Richard DiDonato, Mary Lee DiPinto, Bill Rogan, Treffley Hebert, Bill C, Chet & Pat Allison, Nicholas, Dan Slavinskas, John Gonyea, Donna Huntington, Bill D, Jacqui St. Cyr, Marilyn Woodard, Sac Sacramone, Shirley, Kenny Bibeau, Mark Bibeau, Wanda, Carl & Nancy Zumpfe, Anna Imprescia, Kayla, Johnathan, Annette, Jane, Mike Cregg, Ashley, John, Judith Antonucci, Cebee, Margaret Coty, Bill, Tom, Terry, Josiah, Josh Gingras, Barbara Menard, Rico Lazio Soto, Ron Sampson, Doug Laursen, Irv Moran, Anne Tisdell, Renee, Kathleen McGillicuddy, Larkin Humphrey, Alex Currie, Brian & Tiffany Heil, Jeff & Mary LaVergne, Cheryl Brown, Ashley H, Michael B. Cregg, Lauren, Tim Gatzke, Cathy C, Charlie C., Shawn C, Joanne Boulay, Cathy Ceccarelli, Patricia Desto, Mike Moylan, Cheryl Marier, Ron, Annie & Scott Grant, Claire Forget, Michael Hutchinson, Dick Blanchard, Father Allaga, Joan Costa, Jeffrey Millar, Richard Skrocki, Peggye Arcouette, Maryann Spiewakowski, Barbara P., Dirk Hansen, Peter Giles, Susan Maass, Michelle, Nicholas F, Kyle, Linda Rybacki, Arthur Daskowski, Rita King, Mary Anne Dabrowski, Linda Orasz, Kim F, Ruth H, Kyle Marier, Ken Daviau, Tom Verdone. May Christ's healing bring them comfort.

Thanksgiving for: We thank God for all the graces and blessings you have bestowed upon our parishioners, spiritual and temporal: Our faith and religious heritage, our food and shelter, our health, the love we have for one another, and our family and friends.

Prayer Request Line: Call the Pastoral Center at 508-943-0240.

ST. LOUIS 50/50 CLUB WINNER

CONGRATULATIONS!

The *St. Louis 50/50 Club 2025* winner this week is
Connie Jezierski

Week #6 Ticket #111

CONNECT ONLINE

Website & Online Giving:

www.StLouisChurchWebster.org

Webster / Dudley Food Share

The Webster / Dudley Food Share needs volunteers who can carry 15 – 20 lbs. Please call **508-943-9171** if you can help, or come on in on **Tuesdays** or **Thursdays** from **8:00AM – 11:00AM**.

Serve the Lord by helping the poor and homeless.

Outreach Ministry

We are looking to start some outreach in the parish for our homebound parishioners. Many of our parishioners who are homebound have no visitors. They are still very much interested in keeping up to date on what is going on within the parish and in seeing a familiar, friendly face. We are looking for someone to coordinate this ministry which should not take up much time. If you are interested in visiting the homebound from time to time, or interested in being the coordinator, please call Kris Fontaine at 774-289-7958, or email rkfontaine@charter.net. Thank you

Bingo Night

Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish Hall 11 Day St Webster, MA
June 14, 2025 5:00 to 8:00 PM
Come help support the Youth Ministry's trip to Steubenville.
Bingo cards suggested donation of $5.00 each.
Food & refreshments available for purchase. Prizes will be awarded.

All Saints Academy – Spanish Teacher

ASA is seeking an experienced individual for the 25/26 school year to teach Spanish to students in K-8. This is a part-time position beginning in September. All interested candidates should send resume and three letters of reference with contact information to Mrs. Joan Matys (Head of School) headofschool@allsaintswebster.org GRACIAS!

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Food and Emergency Assistance! **508-213-5536**

Homebound Parishioners

If you are homebound and would like to receive communion, please call the office at 508-943-0240.

Necesitamos Voluntarios

Queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo:

El corazón de nuestra parroquia late no solo en nuestras liturgias y ministerios, sino también en el trabajo sencillo y fiel que se realiza cada semana entre bastidores. En la Iglesia de San Luis, buscamos voluntarios para ayudar en la oficina parroquial los miércoles de 9:00 a. m. a 1:00 p. m. y los viernes de 11:00 a. m. a 2:00 p. m.

Si tiene conocimientos básicos de informática, como usar el correo electrónico, escribir a máquina u organizar archivos digitales, nos sentiríamos muy bendecidos con su ayuda. Tan solo unas horas de su tiempo pueden marcar una diferencia significativa en la vida de nuestra parroquia.

Esta es una hermosa manera de servir a la Iglesia con un amor tranquilo y constante, aportando orden, apoyo y un espíritu acogedor al corazón de nuestra comunidad.

Si se siente llamado a ser voluntario, comuníquese con la oficina parroquial o hable con el Padre Javier después de la misa. Nos encantaría saber de usted.

"Sírvanse unos a otros con humildad y amor". - Gálatas 5:13

Con gratitud, P. Javier

Volunteer Needed

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

The heart of our parish beats not only in our liturgies and ministries, but also in the simple, faithful work done each week behind the scenes. At Saint Louis Church, we are currently looking for volunteers to assist in the parish office on Wednesdays from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM and Fridays from 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM.

If you have basic computer skills—such as using email, typing, or organizing digital files—we would be truly blessed by your help. Just a few hours of your time can make a meaningful difference in the life of our parish.

This is a beautiful way to serve the Church in quiet, steady love—bringing order, support, and a welcoming spirit to the heart of our community.

If you feel called to volunteer, please contact the parish office or speak to Fr. Javier after Mass. We would love to hear from you.

"Serve one another humbly in love." - Galatians 5:13

With gratitude, Fr. Javier

THE BREATH OF GOD WITHIN US

Pentecost is the divine moment when heaven touched earth—not with thunder or sword, but with fire and breath. The Holy Spirit descended not as a distant force, but as a personal presence, filling hearts, stirring courage, and awakening love. The same Spirit who hovered over the waters at creation now moves within us, re-creating our hearts.

The Spirit does not come to make us comfortable but to make us bold. At Pentecost, the fearful became fearless, and silence gave way to proclamation. What once held them back—fear, doubt, shame—was burned away in the flame of divine love.

Today, that same Spirit longs to dwell in us. To whisper truth when we are confused. To breathe peace when we are anxious. To ignite passion for justice, mercy, and holiness. The Holy Spirit is not a gift given once in history, but the living presence of God offered every day.

Let us not stand still at Pentecost. Let us move with the wind of God, burn with His fire, and speak with His voice—not just in tongues, but in lives lived boldly, lovingly, and faithfully.

Come, Holy Spirit. Make us new.

Fr. Javier

EL ALIENTO DE DIOS EN NOSOTROS

Pentecostés es el momento divino en que el cielo tocó la tierra, no con truenos ni espadas, sino con fuego y aliento. El Espíritu Santo descendió no como una fuerza distante, sino como una presencia personal, llenando corazones, infundiendo valentía y despertando el amor. El mismo Espíritu que se cernía sobre las aguas en la creación ahora vive en nosotros, recreando nuestros corazones.

El Espíritu no viene para hacernos sentir cómodos, sino para hacernos valientes. En Pentecostés, los temerosos se volvieron valientes, y el silencio dio paso a la proclamación. Lo que una vez los detuvo —el miedo, la duda, la vergüenza— se consumió en la llama del amor divino.

Hoy, ese mismo Espíritu anhela morar en nosotros. Para susurrar la verdad cuando estamos confundidos. Para infundir paz cuando estamos ansiosos. Para encender la pasión por la justicia, la misericordia y la santidad. El Espíritu Santo no es un don dado una sola vez en la historia, sino la presencia viva de Dios que se ofrece cada día.

No nos quedemos inmóviles en Pentecostés. Movámonos con el viento de Dios, ardamos en su fuego y hablemos con su voz, no solo en lenguas, sino con vidas vividas con valentía, amor y fidelidad.

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