PASTORAL BULLETIN FOR THE PARISHES OF SAINT MARTIN OF TOURS & SAINT MARK

PENTECOST SUNDAY
WEEKEND OF JUNE 7 & 8, 2025

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BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Submit articles to bulletin@stmarkstl.com at least 11 days prior to the desired publication date. Submission dates are subject to change.



SACRAMENTAL SCHEDULE

HOLY MASS

Monday-Friday 6:30 AM at St. Martin 8:00 AM at St. Mark (livestream)

Saturday Morning 8:00 AM at St. Mark (livestream)

Saturday Evening Vigils 4:00 pm at St. Martin 5:00 pm at St. Mark

Sunday Morning
7:00, 9:00 (livestream) & 11:00 AM

at St. Mark
10:00 AM at St. Martin

BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS, & FUNERALS

May be scheduled at St. Mark, St. Martin, St. Andrew, St. Bernadette, or St. Matthias Churches by calling the Pastoral Office.

CONFESSIONS

One half hour prior to each Vigil or Sunday Mass beginning at the quarter hour.



Saturday, June 7

4:00PM @ St. Martin Linda Lawson+

5:00PM @ St. Mark People of the Parishes

Sunday, June 8 **PENTECOST**

7:00 @ St. Mark William Block+
9:00 @ St. Mark Gloria Mehochko+
10:00 @ St. Martin Jerry Maloney+
11:00 @ St. Mark George & Celeste

Ottoline+

Monday, June 9 Mary Mother of the Church

6:30 @ St. Martin Tim & Judy Thome 8:00 @ St. Mark George & Rita Betker+

Tuesday, June 10

6:30 @ St. Martin David Eckhard 8:00 @ St. Mark Mirell Galloway+

Wednesday, June 11 St. Barnabas

6:30 @ St. Martin Joan Brinkmeyer+

8:00 @ St. Mark Eugene & Sybik Morelli+

Thursday, June 12

6:30 @ St. Martin Tim & Judy Thome 8:00 @ St. Mark Karen Nekula Unwin+

Friday, June 13 St. Anthony of Padua

6:30 @ St. Martin Steve Eckhard 8:00 @ St. Mark Schranz Family

Saturday, June 14

8:00 @ St. Mark John Stephan+ 4:00PM @ St. Martin Sharon Kerber 5:00PM @ St. Mark Morris Rideout+

Sunday, June 15 THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

7:00 @ St. Mark Dcn. Robert Penberthy+ 9:00 @ St. Mark Keith Imsand+

10:00 @ St. Martin People of the Parishes 11:00 @ St. Mark Jeannette Maloney+



TODAY'S READINGS SOLEMNITY OF PENTECOST

Acts of the Apostles 2:1-11

They were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues.

1 Corinthians 12:3-13

No one can say "Jesus is Lord" except by the Holy Spirit.

John 20:19-23

Jesus said, "As the Father sent me, so I send you.

READINGS FOR JUNE 9TH - 15TH

Monday: Genesis 3:9-20

John 19:25-34

Tuesday: 2 Corinthians 1:18-22

Matthew 5:13-16

Wednesday: Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3

Matthew 5:17-19

Thursday: 2 Corinthians 3:15—4:1-6

Matthew 5:20-26

Friday: 2 Corinthians 4:7-15

Matthew 5:27-32

Saturday: 2 Corinthians 5:14-21

Matthew 5:33-37

Sunday: **Proverbs 8:22-31**

Romans 5:1-5 John 16:12-15

ADD SACRED SCRIPTURE TO YOUR SUMMER READING LIST

Daily Scripture Study can be an important practice for ongoing spiritual growth.

These on-line resources may be helpful: www.usccb.org/readings, www.usccb.org/readings, www.usccb.org/readings, www.usccb.org/readings, www.usccb.org/readings, www.usccb.org/readings, www.usccb.org/readings, www.usccb.org, and www.usccb.org, and www.usccb.org, and www.usccb.org.

PASTOR'S PERSPECTIVE

The *Annual Catholic Appeal (ACA)* has now been underway for seven weeks, so it seems time for our parish progress reports.

First, let me clearly state that donations to *ACA* will continue to come to the Pastoral Office throughout the Summer — this essential Appeal is by no means nearing its conclusion.

Every gift to the *ACA* contributes to the overall outreach of the Catholic Church in Eastern Missouri by supporting numerous charitable, educational and other essential ministries.

This past year, both of our parishes benefited from grants from the *ACA* for multiple repairs to our parish plants.

As always all gifts to the *ACA* made through the generosity of our parishioners are much appreciated, especially by those who receive services from our Archdiocesan programs.

Though I am most grateful to each family for their gifts, I am also particularly encouraged by the number of *New Donors* and that St. Martin Parish has met their *Published Goal*.

Our ACA Progress As of May 31st:

	St. Mark	St. Martin
Published Goals	\$ 87,480	\$ 14,040
Contributions to Date	\$ 44,584	\$ 14,106
Percentage of Goal	51%	100%
Registered Households	s 693	358
Pledges Returned to D	<i>ate</i> 200	89
New Donors	38	36
Increased Contribution	<i>ns</i> 68	18
Maintained Contributi	ions 55	24
Decreased Contribution	ons 29	4
Signed Refusals	10	7

By participation in this year's Annual Catholic Appeal we can be "Messengers of Hope".

Fr. Bob Burkemper



Monday, June 9

• Exercise Class 9:00AM St. Mark Rm 112

Tuesday, June 10

- Devotion to the Mother of Perpetual Help

 After 6:30AM & 8:00AM Mass
- Prayer Shawl Ministry

9:00AM Pastoral Office

- *Quilting* 9:00AM St. Mark Rm 113
- Quilting 10:00AM St. Martin Runge Hall
- Scripture Study 1:00PM & again at 7:00PM Pastoral Office
- Men's (Cards) Club

6:30_{PM} St. Mark Rm 114

Wednesday, June 11

- *Quilting* 9:00AM St. Mark Rm 113
- *Cards* 12:30_{PM} St. Mark Rm 114
- Calendar Planning Meeting

7:00_{PM} Pastoral Office

Thursday, June 12

• Eucharistic Adoration

After 8:00AM Mass until 6:45PM Benediction

- Exercise Class 9:00AM St. Mark Rm 112
- Quilting 10:00AM St. Martin Runge Hall
- **BUNCO** 6:30pm St. Martin Runge Hall
- Choir Practice 6:30pm St. Mark Rm 101
- Legion of Mary 7:15PM St. Mark Rm 115

Friday, June 13

• Alcoholics Anonymous (AA)

7:30PM St. Andrew School (Hoffmeister Entrance)

Sunday, June 15

• Bandwagon Hall Bingo (Volunteer Team 2) 2:30PM Doors Open, 5:30PM Games Begin



PLEASE PRAY FOR ...

All the Faithful Departed, especially:

Barry Emberton Leslie Weinstroer

May they know eternal rest in the light of Christ's Resurrection.

All the Sick, especially:

Joe Abele Rosetta Saputo

May they experience Divine Healing Power according to God's Holy Will.

Victims of Extreme Weather

May our neighbors
here and throughout the world
receive practical and prayerful support
through efforts being made for their recovery
after the terrible losses of life and property
caused by weather related incidents.

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY

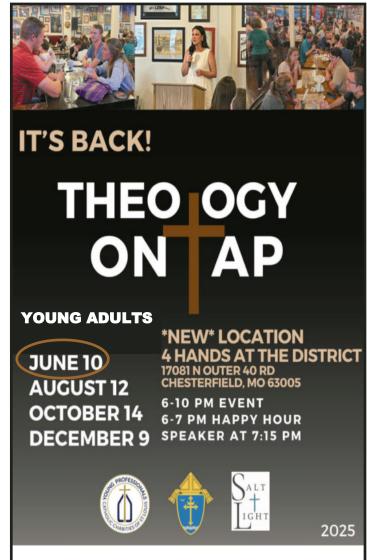
The ladies of this ministry make crocheted and knitted prayer shawls to offer those who receive them support and comfort.

If you wish to receive a blessed prayer shawl for yourself or another, please call Marion at 314.487.2207.

SEEKING THE NAMES OF THOSE NOW SERVING IN THE MILITARY

Later this summer, we wish to acknowledge in the Pastoral Bulletin and seek prayers of gratitude for those currently serving in the Military; so we ask for the name, branch, and rank of our parishioners and their loved ones.

By next Sunday, June 15th, please share this information with Sandy - tbast@sbcglobal.net.



If you are a young adult in your 20's or 30's, you belong!

No matter where you find yourself in your journey of faith, come to grow in friendship with people earnestly seeking to live the Gospel as faithful disciples of Jesus Christ.

I, along with my brother priests, would love to accompany you on your journey to greater holiness and peace.

Stay close to Jesus today!

Fr. Charlie Archer

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A STUDY IN GOD'S WORD PROCLAIMED

This study in the Sunday Scriptures, led by our pastor Fr. Bob Burkemper, <u>meets each week on Tuesdays</u> at 1:00 PM & again at 7:00 PM for about one hour in the Pastoral Office Meeting Room

This Week's Texts: Proverbs 8:22-31, Romans 5:1-5, and John 16:12-15



PLANNING MEETING THIS WEDNESDAY @ 7PM PASTORAL OFFICE

A single representative from each of our groups, ministries and clubs is asked to attend this meeting to coordinate plans for the 7/1/25 - 6/30/26 calendar for the use of both St. Mark and St. Martin Parish facilities or other events off campus.



This Thursday, June 12th

& Every 2nd Thursday of Each Month

Beginning at 6:30 PM In St. Martin Runge Hall

Cost: \$10 to play, which includes light snacks and beverages.

You are most welcome to bring family members & friends, & heavier snack food.

For more information, please call: Betty Koch - 314.775.7534.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS FOR TUITION GRANT WILL BE AVAILABLE UNTIL NEXT SUNDAY, JUNE 15TH

Applications for the **2025-26 Scholarship Grant Program** sponsored by St. Martin's Bingo are being accepted now for students attending any Catholic School or Parish School of Religion (PSR) Program.

This program offers tuition grants of \$1,600 for any student attending Catholic Preschool (age 4 or 5), Grade School, or High School and \$200 per student attending any PSR program.

Any Parents or grandparents, who are registered parishioners of St. Martin of Tours or St. Mark, who actively practice the Catholic Faith are eligible to apply.

Applicants will be required to volunteer for a certain number of shifts at St. Martin or St. Mark fundraisers depending on the size of the grant.

Scholarship payments are made directly to the Catholic Schools in which the students are enrolled.

For further details or to apply contact: Frank Speck at 314.378.6408 or

<u>fspeck1954@gmail.com</u> or <u>www.stmarkstl.com/education-faith-formation.</u>



SUNDAYS @ BANDWAGON HALL Lemay Ferry @ Reavis Barracks

2:30 PM doors open | 5:30 PM games begin For more information and/or to volunteer, please call: Ken - 314.409.3114 or Kevin - 314.541.8840.



FOOD PANTRIES ARE IN NEED

Please deposit your donations for the Affton Christian Food Pantry or St. Martin of Tours Food Pantry into the containers located in each Church.

- ☐ Canned Meats, Stew, Chili, Pasta, & Soup
- ☐ Dry Pasta, Rice, & Mashed Potatoes
- ☐ Canned Beans & Dry Beans
- ☐ Canned Vegetables (NO corn or green beans)
- ☐ Canned Fruit
- ☐ Cereal & Oatmeal
- ☐ Meal Supplements (ex: Hamburger Helper, Knorr sides)

Thank you for your generous support!

FOURTH OF JULY POTLUCK DINNER & GAME NIGHT Saturday, June 28th after 5:00 PM Mass Cafeteria @ St. Mark

All are welcome & encouraged to celebrate Independence Day a bit early with fellow parishioners & friends.

For information contact: Glenn - 314.803.6475.



THE WINNER OF ST. MARK'S QUILT RAFFLE IS ...



BARB SKURAT

This beautiful quilt was handmade by the Quilters who meet on Tuesdays & Wednesdays beginning at 9:00 AM in St. Mark Room 113.

For more information, contact Sara Henrick - 314.566.0167.

SUMMER HIATUS

These groups take a break during the Summer months:

- CATHOLIC SENIORS CLUB will hold their next meeting on Wednesday, August 6th in St. Martin's Runge Hall. *Questions? Contact Debbie 314.894.1940.*
- **LADIES GUILD** will next meet on Wednesday, September 17th at 7:00 PM in St. Mark's Cafeteria.

 Details? Contact Jan 314.892.6933.
- SUNDAY BY SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY meets again on Wednesday, August 27th at 9:00 AM in St. Mark's Room 101.

 More Information? Contact Rose 314.631.8260.





POPE LEO'S COAT OF ARMS

The Holy Father's coat of arms reflects his Augustinian roots, and the values he will seek to promote during his pontificate, particularly Unity and Communion within the Church.

The shield is divided diagonally into two sections.

The upper half features a blue background with a white fleur-de-lis symbolizing the Virgin Mary.

The lower half of the shield has a light background and displays an image that recalls the Order of Saint Augustine: a closed book with a heart pierced by an arrow.

This refers to the conversion experience of Saint Augustine himself, who described his personal encounter with God's Word using the phrase: "You have pierced my heart with your Word."

Pope Leo XIV has also chosen a motto that reflects this Augustinian tradition: "In Illo Uno Unum", which means "In the One, we are one" — a phrase taken from Saint Augustine's Exposition on Psalm 127, where he explains that "although we Christians are many, in the one Christ we are one."

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These next several months, take the opportunity to learn about the Saints celebrated by the Catholic Church during the summer season by logging onto **Formed**'s video content.

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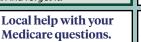
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