



SAINT PETER CATHOLIC CHURCH

THROUGH OUR VIBRANT FAITH COMMUNITY,
SAINT PETER PARISH FORMS DISCIPLES OF CHRIST.



St. Peter Parishioners embrace the spirit of Lent by gathering in faith and prayer at our Evenings of Reflections for women, men and couples.

APRIL 2, 2023 | PALM SUNDAY

WELCOME

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MASS TIMES

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:00 pm (Satisfies Sunday obligation)
Sunday: 8:00 am, 10:00 am*, 5:00 pm
*Livestream on stpeterlive.com

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Friday: 6:45 am, 8:15 am*
Saturday: 8:15 am*
*Livestream on stpeterlive.com

HOLY DAY MASS SCHEDULE

Check the bulletin or stpeterkirkwood.org.

DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET

Monday nights at 9:00pm in the church and takes less than 30 minutes. Bring your rosary and enter through the Northeast door by the parking lot.

MOTHER OF PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTION

Join us to pray this devotion every Tuesday at 7:15am (after 6:45am Mass) and at 7:30am (before 8:15am Mass), and 8:45am (after 8:15am Mass).

PARISH INFORMATION

PARISH REGISTRATION

For information about registering as a new parish member call 314.966.8600 or visit stpeterkirkwood.org.

BULLETIN

Submit bulletin articles to communications@stpeterkirkwood.org by Monday at 3:00 pm.

PARISH WEBSITE

Visit www.stpeterkirkwood.org for Mass times, ministries information, Calendar of events, online giving and more.

FLOCKNOTE

Sign up to receive email notifications from the parish by visiting stpkirkwood.flocknote.com/everyone.

FACEBOOK

St. Peter Church - @STPKirkwood
St. Peter School - @stpschoolkirkwood

SACRAMENTS

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms are celebrated on Sundays at 11:30 am. Expectant parents are encouraged to make arrangements for the program a few months prior to the birth of their child.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

In accordance with Archdiocesan policy, couples should contact a member of the parish clergy at least six months prior to their proposed wedding date to schedule your wedding date and for details regarding the preparation program.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

St. Angela Merici Chapel is located in Ursuline Hall and is open 24 hours a day. Enter through the Garden Courtyard (0822).

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Reconciliation is held on Saturdays from 3:45 pm-4:45 pm

SACRAMENT OF THE SICK

Anointing of the Sick is held on the third Sunday of each month after 8:00 am Mass for those in a terminal condition, about to undergo surgery, receiving treatment for a life-threatening illness, and persons weakened by old age. Anointing of the Sick can be scheduled in an emergency or at an arranged time in a parishioner's home or care facility.

HOLY ORDERS AND CONSECRATED (RELIGIOUS) LIFE

Contact the Archdiocesan Office of Vocations at 314.792.6460 for information.

For information about baptisms, weddings, anointing of the sick, reconciliation and Holy Orders, call 314.966.8600.

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Saint Louis, MO 63122
314.966.8600
stpeterkirkwood.org

Saint Peter Catholic School
215 North Clay Avenue
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stpeterschool.com

Saint Peter Parish School of Religion
215 North Clay Avenue
Saint Louis, MO 63122
314.821.0460, ext 4212
stpeterkirkwood.org/psr

They're not typical looking. They appear a little strange to some people. Others may say, "They're a little too modern for my taste." I'm talking about the Stations of the Cross at St. Peter Church. When he was building our church, Monsignor Westhoff kept with the artistic expression of the time. He chose local sculptor Rudy Torini to execute a unique set of figures for this Catholic form of devotion. A 1978 booklet commemorating the church's 25th anniversary says this: "The original Way of the Cross was placed on an eighteen inch band [on the west side of the church] with continuously changing colored background. These sculptures, very primitive and esoteric in style, caused such controversy that they were removed a few short years after the opening of the church building." When renovations were made to the church in the early 2000's, Fr. Brennell had the Stations reconfigured on the east wall as we see them today.



Fr. Matt O'Toole



Whatever way they are depicted artistically, the purpose of the Stations is to help the faithful make in spirit a pilgrimage to the chief scenes of Christ's suffering and death. It has been one of the most popular of Catholic devotions, and its evolution has an interesting history.

The origin of this devotion is traced to the Holy Land. In Jerusalem the Via Dolorosa (or "the Way of Sorrow") was reverently marked out from earliest times and has been the goal of pilgrims since the days of Emperor Constantine. St. Jerome speaks of the crowds from all countries who used to visit the holy places in his day. There was no set form for the devotion in the first centuries. A desire to reproduce the holy places in other lands for those who could not travel to the Holy

Land, seems to have manifested itself at an early date. At the monastery of San Stefano in Bologna, Italy a group of connected chapels were constructed as early as the 5th century, intended to represent the more important shrines of Jerusalem. These may be regarded as the germ from which the Stations afterwards developed.

In 1342 guardianship of the sacred sites in the Holy Land was entrusted to the Franciscans. When the Church began attaching indulgences for pilgrims who visited the places associated with Christ's Passion, we find a more defined program developing that looks similar to the Stations as we know them. The earliest use of the word Stations, as applied to the stopping points on the way of the Cross, comes from the English pilgrim William Wey, who in the mid 1400's describes how the devout walked Jesus' sorrowful journey. Interestingly, it seems that up to that time it had been the general practice to start at Mount Calvary, the place of the crucifixion, and proceed backward in the storyline to Pilate's house where Jesus was condemned to death. By the early part of the 16th century this was reversed, and the more reasonable way of traversing the route was regarded as more correct.

With regard to the number of Stations, it is not easy to determine how they came to be fixed at fourteen. The devotion varied considerably at different times and places. Wey's account gives fourteen, but only five of these correspond to the Stations we know today. When one pilgrim visited Jerusalem in 1515 seeking to obtain the correct details for his set of Stations of the Cross, two friars told him there ought to be 31! The variations continued. And they are not all inspired by Scripture. For instance, the gospels do not tell us the number of times Jesus fell under the cross, and there is no mention of a woman named Veronica who wipes Jesus' face. Suffice it to say, the Stations of the Cross familiar to us are likely derived from the pious traditions that developed over time.

In 1742 Pope Benedict XIV exhorted all priests to enrich their churches by erecting this devotional item. Today, one can hardly go into a Catholic church and not find the Way of the Cross adorning the walls. The meditations on Jesus' suffering and death is also expressed outside of buildings and even with acted-out prayerful reflection. You may consider joining us at St. Peter this Good Friday at noon when we walk a living Stations of the Cross beginning on our parking lot.

PRAY

4 | This Week's Prayer Intentions

LET US PRAY FOR

THE NEWLY BAPTIZED

Kaden John Gunter, *Son of Jason and Andrea Gunter*

THE SICK

Molly Cantonwine, Anna Chott, Sheran Cronin, Ceres Dbritto, Vic Frome, Louis G., Lisa Heaps, June Hochberg, Kristi Hueseman, Gail Jacus, Heather Jacus, Trey Kirtian, Natalya Klump, Conner Knell, Mary Kay Kopp, Pam and Ken Kopp, Kevin Lavin, Annette Leatherman, Trish Martin, Margaret McDonald, Jerry Meier, Betty Appelbaum-Meier, Eileen Morrison, Dianne Pecha, Pat Pollman, Charlie Smith, Chris Smith, Nick Sudekum, Jane Sulze, Marguerite Wuebker

THOSE WHO HAVE DIED

Marilyn (Lyn) Berglar

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

This Lenten season has many of us considering the "little ways" that we can bring Jesus into our busy lives. Quiet time away in the peace of the Adoration Chapel is a gift that we both give and receive.

Go to stpeterkirkwood.weadorehim.com, scan the STP QR Code below, or contact Susan Martin at 314.221.3104 or Jane Shea at 314.761.3425 for more information.

The Eucharistic Adoration chapel entrance is in the Prayer Garden located on the east side of the church next to Ursuline Hall. It can be accessed from the sidewalk between the Church and Ursuline Hall. (0822)



STEWARDSHIP OF TIME AND TALENT

We have over 50 ministries and organizations at St. Peter Parish. There are groups centered in prayer and learning, in nurturing community, and in serving our neighbors. Find a group that you can share your gifts and talents by visiting stpeterkirkwood.org.



Scan the STP QR code or go to stpeterkirkwood.org/links for quick access to bulletin links.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, April 1

8:15 am John Muller +
5:00 pm Louise Moffat +

Sunday, April 2

8:00 am Angela Scalco +
10:00 am People of St. Peter
5:00 pm John Moran +

Monday, April 3

6:45 am Susan Nowack (Special Intention)
8:15 am Phoebe Carlson (Special Intention)

Tuesday, April 4

6:45 am Rev. Msgr. Jerome J. Billing +
8:15 am Mary McGory +

Wednesday, April 5

6:45 am Mary Ellen Skilling +
8:15 am John Moran +

Thursday, April 6

7:00 pm People of St. Peter

Friday, April 7

No Intentions

Saturday, April 8

8:00 pm People of St. Peter

Sunday, April 9

8:00 am Pat and Lute Wassmann ++
10:00 am Paul Traub+
12:00 pm John Lavin (Special Intention)

SCHOOL MASSES

Wednesday, April 5 8:15 am Holy Week School Mass

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Total for March 25-26	\$ 28,875.00
Month-To Date Total	\$ 144,748.00
Year-To-Date Total	\$ 1,288,672.00

Collections versus Budget

Weekly Total	<\$ 7,387.00>
Month-To-Date Total	<\$ 300.00> (-.2%)
Year-To-Date Total	<\$ 24,712.00> (-1.8%)

vs. YTD 21-22 Collections	Adjusted - 3.6%
vs. YTD 20-21 Collections	Adjusted + 2.0%
vs. YTD 19-20 Collections	Adjusted - 1.8%

Donate online: saintpeterkirkwood.weshareonline.org

Mail or drop off envelopes:

Saint Peter Church
243 West Argonne Dr.
Kirkwood, MO 63122

HOLY WEEK *at Saint Peter*

2 APRIL	Palm Sunday Mass: 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 5:00 pm
3 APRIL	Parish Penance Service 7:00 pm in Church
4 APRIL	Reconciliation 7:15 am - 8:00 am
5 APRIL	Adult Bible Study 9:30 am
6 APRIL	Holy Thursday Morning Prayer 8:15 am Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:00 pm
7 APRIL	Good Friday Morning Prayer 8:15 am Outdoor Stations 12:00 pm Passion and Death of Our Lord 7:00 pm
8 APRIL	Holy Saturday Morning Prayer 8:15 am Easter Vigil 8:00 pm
9 APRIL	Easter Sunday Mass: 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 12:00 Noon

PARISH PENANCE SERVICE

Monday, April 3
7:00 pm in Church

Prepare your heart before Holy Week with communal prayer and individual Reconciliation.

OUTDOOR STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Good Friday, April 7
12:00 Noon

Hosted by the ACTS Community

The Stations of the Cross will be presented outdoors (weather permitting) on the St. Peter Church grounds on Friday, April 7, 2023 beginning at 12 noon.

The prayer will follow the traditional sequence of the stations of the cross and will include reflection readings at each station. Participants will walk from station to station as a group, and the scheduled portion of the prayer will conclude in the Msgr. Jack Costello Prayer Garden.

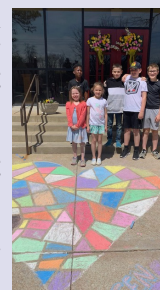
We are in need of volunteers for readings and group leaders. If you are interested and available to help, go to signupgenius.com/go/70A0845ABAB2DA75-outdoor.

If you would like to attend the Outdoor Stations of the Cross, please sign up for a time slot using the sign up genius link at stpeterkirkwood.org/links or scan the STP QR code on page 4 for bulletin links.

EASTER CHALK DRAWINGS

Holy Saturday, April 8
1:00 pm on the Plaza in front of Church
Sponsored by the Liturgy Committee and The Little Flowers of St Peter

The Annual Easter Chalk Drawing will be held on Holy Saturday Afternoon, April 8 at 1:00 pm, weather permitting. All are welcome to participate in decorating the plaza in front of the Church. This event is a great opportunity to showcase artistic skills and spread joy during the Easter season.



COMMUNITY

6 | All Are Welcome



ST. PETERFEST 2023 Friday, June 2, and Saturday, June 3

St. Peterfest Raffle

St Peterfest is still a couple of months away but it is not too early to start buying raffle tickets! Tickets are \$25 each or \$100 for 5 tickets: stpeter2023.ouraffle.org. Winners will be drawn the night of Sat, June 3, and announced after 9:30 pm at the festival.

1st place: \$10,000

2nd place: \$5000

(Or one year of St. Peter School tuition for one child)

New this year, we're excited to announce an early drawing on May 25, where two lucky winners will be selected for the following prizes:

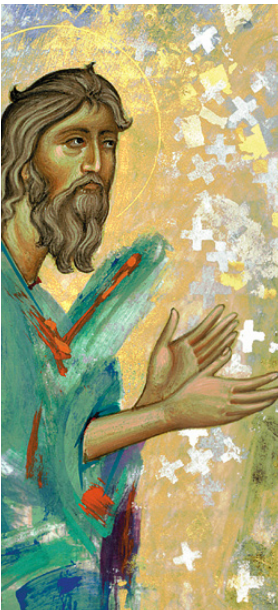
A reserved St. Peterfest Tent Cabana for Friday

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St. Peterfest T-Shirt Orders

St. Peterfest T-shirt orders are now open online at jagsbowtique.com/collections/2023-st-peterfest. All orders placed will be distributed through the St Peterfest Committee at a date and location to be determined. **The deadline to order t-shirts is Wednesday, April 5 at 5:00 PM.**

THE SAINT JOHN'S BIBLE IS COMING TO ST. PETER!



In 1998, Saint John's Abbey and University commissioned renowned calligrapher Donald Jackson to produce a hand-written, hand-illuminated Bible. We invite you to explore this work of art that unites an ancient Benedictine tradition with the technology and vision of today, illuminating the Word of God for a new millennium.

The Saint John's Bible will be on display in the Deutschmann Room in Ursuline Hall on Wednesday, April 12, 9:30am to 11:00am. Join us to witness this magnificent work of art and work of theology to learn more about how it was made and where it will visit next.

There's no cost to attend - bring a friend!

Learn more about the Saint John's Bible here: saintjohnsbible.org/



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Continue the Easter season celebration with our annual Young Families Egg Hunt on the Second Sunday of Easter Season!

St. Peter Young Families Annual Easter Egg Hunt Sunday, April 16 at 11:00 a.m

We will gather outside in the front of church and Rectory. Bring your toddler(s) or preschooler(s) along with a bag or basket for each child to the area marked near the rectory.

An RSVP is appreciated so we can be sure we have enough eggs! Scan the STP QR code on this page for registration link or go to: stp.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/1439446. Rain location will be in the gym. We will notify everyone via email if there is a location change.



Easter Flowers

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All of our Loved Ones

PSR ENROLLMENT 2023-24

Our Parish School of Religion is available for students in grades K-8 who are attending public or non-Catholic private schools. (Kindergarten is optional and space is limited.)

Enrollment for 2023-24 begins on Tuesday, April 18, at 8:30pm

We offer two sessions on Tuesday evenings:

Session One – 4:30-5:45pm

Session Two – 6:30-7:45pm

(Session choice may be limited based on enrollment.)

There is a \$50 on-time tuition discount offered from April 18 through May 9.

Register here: <https://stpkiprwood.psrenroll.com>
(Non-parish families, please contact Mrs. Susan Lueker prior to enrollment).

For information contact Susan Lueker: 314.821.0460 ext. 4212 or slueker@stpeterkirkwood.org.





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K OF C SCHOLARSHIP FOR GRADUATING 8TH GRADERS

The Knights of Columbus Kirkwood Council 2117 is pleased to announce the 2023 Scholarship Program offering \$1,000 awards to a total of ten graduating 8th Grade parishioners from our served parishes (St Peter, St Gerard Majella, St Elizabeth) who will be attending Catholic High School in the fall.

This scholarship is an essay-based program designed to identify, recognize and reward students who demonstrate a personal commitment to their education, their families and their Catholic faith.

Full details and application packages are available at the Knights of Columbus Council 2117 website (www.kofc2117.org). If you have an eligible student, please visit the website now... applications are due no later than April 17, 2023.

For questions or more information contact Scholarship Chairman Dan Koskovich at kofc2117scholarship@gmail.com.



WHITE HOUSE RETREATS

Are you looking for a break from the chaos and confusion of everyday life? White House Jesuit Retreat offers this break. The silent retreats are based on Ignatian spirituality. All meals and private rooms are provided. There is no set fee to attend. White House operates on a free will offering basis at the end of the retreat.

There are two retreats for St. Peter women. The spring retreat is Monday, May 1 through Thursday, May 4. The fall retreat is Thursday, November 9 through Sunday, November 12.

The St Peter men's retreat is Thursday, July 6 through Sunday July 9. Space is held for St. Peter parishioners until 45 days before each retreat.

For more information contact Linda Talley at 314.570.5800 or mokiel@charter.net for the women's retreat or Bill Biele at 314.821.5071 or xchiefbiele@aol.com for the men's retreat. Register by calling the White House office at 314.416.6400 or go to whretreat.org.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CORNER

Today is Palm Sunday and the beginning of the holiest of Christian weeks. Let us pray for the grace to take up our own cross and to follow Jesus through death to new life.

Please support the Society of St. Vincent de Paul so that together we can help the poor carry their cross.



Please consider our Kirkwood Neighbors in Need as you reflect on almsgiving during this Holy Week. Donations can be made at the St Peter website Online Giving button.

The number to call for information about our St Peter conference or to direct brothers and sisters in need of help with utility, rent, or food assistance is 314.289.6101 ext. 2220.



ST. PATRICK CENTER

Did You Know?

St. Patrick Center is a ministry of Catholic Charities that focuses on transforming lives by helping those in need to secure sustainable housing, employment, and healthcare for people who are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless.

For 35 years, St. Patrick Center has quietly operated a program for a group of clients needing the most care: women struggling with homelessness, mental illness, and substance abuse. The Women's Night Program (WNP), consisting of a day treatment and overnight care, has guided hundreds of women to reach their goals and live in permanent, supportive housing.

If you or your group are interested in preparing dinner for the Women's Night Program, please contact your Parish Ambassadors, Natalie Orlando at orlando1318@sbcglobal.net or Jen Moritz at jenmoritz@gmail.com.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION

Palm Sunday, April 2, 2023

"As they were marching out, they came upon a man of Cyrene, Simon by name; this man they pressed into service to carry his cross." MATTHEW 27:32

The Lord calls us to love God and to love our neighbor. Every day we are presented with opportunities to love our neighbor and help him "carry his cross." These opportunities aren't usually big events, they are usually ordinary occurrences like helping someone carry their groceries or holding the door open for them. The key is putting the other person's needs before our own and not expecting anything in return.

HOW CAN I HELP MY NEIGHBOR?

STS. TERESA AND BRIDGET FOOD PANTRY

Food donation drop off location: Candy and John Behl, 319 East Adams, Kirkwood (block and a half east of the YMCA). Please donate cans no larger than 30 ounces.

Contact: Kristen and Tim Figge, 314.402.6739.

PERSON TO PERSON

We Are Here To Help. Parishioner volunteers are ready to assist you with special needs you may have due to illness or other emergencies.

Types of help offered: Transportation, meals, yard work, light housekeeping, laundry, grocery shopping, rides to church, rides to the doctor. Please call and we will try to make the necessary arrangements to assist.

Contact: Deacon John Komotos, 314.984.0054. All requests remain confidential. Please leave a message and your call will be answered.

ST. PATRICK CENTER FOR THE HOMELESS

Donations requested: Breakfast bars, granola-type bars, chips, cookies, water, and individual drinks accepted daily. The Health Department requires that all food items come pre-packaged.

Drop off location: 450 Burns Ave, Kirkwood. (Green tub on side of house on driveway).

Contact: Jennifer Moritz, 314.909.6756

STS. PETER AND PAUL MEALS PROGRAM

How can you help? Volunteers help when they can. Families welcome. Meals are served on the 3rd of each month at the Sts. Peter and Paul dining hall in Soulard.

Contact: Mary Raizman, 314.458.6895
mraizman@lauramccarthy.com

ROOM AT THE INN

How can you help? Donate online at roomstl.org/DONATE.html. or items from the Room at the Inn wish list can be dropped off at 240 W Argonne Drive (House is across street from the rectory). Collection box on porch. Paper towels, paper plates, paper cups, rolls of bath tissue, cleaning solvents. Clorox laundry bleach, liquid dish detergent, trash bags (13, 44 & 55 gallon), umbrellas, foil and plastic wrap, thumb drives, Vaseline, storage baggies (qt, g, 2g), men's white and colored t-shirts (M-3x), men's sweatpants and pajama bottoms (M, L, XL, XXL), women's colored t-shirts, sweatpants, pajama bottoms (M, L, XL, XXL), storage containers (regular and microwave)

KIRK CARE DONATIONS

Donations for Kirk Care of nonperishable food are accepted in the Rectory Office vestibule. Donations go directly to families in the Kirkwood R-V11 School district attendance area. If you have any questions, please contact Jennifer McCoy 314.960.9873.

COME & SEE WEEKEND RETREAT *with the Daughters of St. Paul*

Curious about religious life? Join the Daughters of St. Paul in St. Louis from May 26-28 for a weekend of vocational discernment. This retreat includes daily Mass and Eucharistic Adoration, a silent retreat day, conferences by the Sisters, an experience of the Pauline apostolate, community time and recreation, and more. Open to single Catholic women ages 18-30. For more information or to request a retreat application, visit connect.pauline.org/vocation-events.

MERCY CENTER

Care for the Caregiver is a workshop supporting those who care for a loved one with dementia, Saturday April 15, 8:30 AM-3:30 PM at Mercy Center. \$30, lunch included. Learn details and register by April 3 at mercycenterstl.org

Immersed in the Mystery of God, an overnight guided retreat, led by Danielle Witt, SSND, April 21-22 at Mercy Conference and Retreat Center, St. Louis. \$100 commuter; \$165 overnight. For information and registration by April 10 go to mercycenterstl.org.

RUN FOR LIFE AND LEARNING *Save the Date!*

The Run for Life and Learning is June 3! Benefiting Birthright Counseling, St. Louis

Join us at Creve Coeur Lake on June 3 for a chip-timed 6K Run/Walk, 1 Mile Fun Walk/Run, and ¼ Mile Kids Run with FRED BIRD. Register or donate at runsignup.com/run4lifeandlearning. Proceeds enable women who are financially stressed by an unplanned pregnancy to continue their education and secure better lives for themselves and their families.

For sponsorship opportunities or more info, email run4lifeandlearning@gmail.com.

GLORIFYING CHRIST: The Life of Cardinal Frances George, OMI *Author Presentation and Book Signing*

**National Shrine of Our Lady
of the Snows – Visitors Center**
Friday, April 14, 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Join author Michael R. Heinlein, Most Reverend Bishop Michael McGovern and other invited guests as they speak about the late Cardinal Frances George, OMI. There is no charge for the event. For more information, call 618.394.6281.

BE A GRIFFIN FOR A DAY *St. John Vianney High School*

Easter Monday, April 10, 8:00 am - 12:30pm

5th and 6th Graders spend the morning on campus experiencing life as a St. John Vianney Griffin:

- Teacher-led activities
- Current student guides
- FREE event
- Lunch and t-shirt included

Questions: Jesse Hebrank: jhebrank@vianney.com
Register here: bit.ly/3zcGuY1

2023 ACTS MISSIONS *Agapefest Casino Night*

Join us Saturday, May 6, at the St. Matthew's McDonald Family Center for our 2023 ACTS Missions Agapefest Casino Night!

Doors open at 6 p.m. for check in and social hour. Event begins at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$75 each or 2 for \$125 which includes \$1,000 gaming chip, 3 hours of casino games, all you can eat buffet dinner, open bar, dancing, 50/50, silent auction and live auction.

Sponsorship opportunities available. This is your chance to connect with your brothers and sisters in Christ. Visit app.donorview.com/19vAj for more information.



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