

ST. STEPHEN PROTOMARTYR PARISH

Immaculate Heart of Mary + St. John the Baptist + St. Stephen Protomartyr

WEEKLY BULLETIN: APRIL 19, 2026

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Immaculate Heart of Mary (IHM) 4092 Blow, St. Louis, MO 63116
St. John the Baptist (SJB) 4200 Delor, St. Louis, MO 63116

Masses

Saturdays 4pm @ SSP
Sundays 7am @ SJB • 10am @ IHM • 4:30pm @ SSP
Weekdays 6:30am @ SJB
Monday, Wednesday, Saturday 8am @ IHM
Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 8am @ SSP

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COMMUNITY HIGHLIGHT

Receiving The Sacraments: Our Sacred Easter Vigil

Easter was a very exciting time for our community. During our Easter Vigil we welcomed three new members of the church through Baptism. Two additional individuals received the sacrament of confirmation and one individual received Holy Communion! Good luck to all those continuing this exciting faith journey!



PASTOR'S NOTE

I thought you should know...



Many congratulations to the children and teens who are receiving First Holy Communion or Confirmation during this week. Please pray for them! And, we invite you to join us for a special party celebrating our adults who received baptism, entered the Church, received confirmation or received first Holy Communion at Easter through our OCIA program. We'll have that party in the Father Keaney Center right after the 10am Mass today.

Would you like to do a little service to help something wonderful happen? We have our Annual Golf Tournament on Saturday May 2, 2026 this year. Our Golf Tournament is a big a big support to our school: they recently wrote a \$60,800 check to help us fund scholarships through the Monsignor Vince Bommarito Scholarship fund and to pay for some curriculum upgrades in our school. You can help by volunteering at the golf tournament (just email me at aaron.nord@sspstl.org), and also by praying for good weather at Forest Park on May 2!

God bless you!



Easter Flowers

In Memory Of...



- Joseph & Margaret Burshek
- Warren Falller
- Mikew Ewing
- Bob Roelke
- Elsie Allen
- Joe & Rose Ivicsics
- Kathy Ivicsics
- Jim Moody
- Robert Winkler
- Ronald Winkler
- John Winkler
- Jerry Winkler
- Larry Winkler
- Robert Schneider
- Margaret & Michael Dresner
- Frank Temares
- Catherine Temares
- Tony Weber
- Florence Weber
- John Ruzicka
- Frank & Sophie Gibala
- The Schlegel Family
- Cecilia Anna Parker Fulte
- Valley Grace Hoes
- Cecelia Hawkins
- Don Hawkins
- Tom & Viola McGaman
- Ed & Dora Vondera
- Margaretha Rivera
- Julius Rivera
- Fred, Bea & Mike Garcia
- Ricky Baynes
- Jeanette Muessig
- Shirley Muessig
- Raymond Muessig
- Everly Piechoeinski
- Stephen Piechoeinski
- Cecilia Powell
- Alita, Elmer, Bob & Ken Mick
- Dave Sigmund
- Jul & Adele Nolen
- Dean & Elizabeth Ewing
- Ken Angeles, Sr.
- Martin & Mary Smith
- Alphonse & Alice Angeles
- Patricia Livingston
- Deceased Livingston Family
- Brendle Family
- Palazzolo Family
- Laurie Fleis
- Helen & Leo Pancer

HAVE A BULLETIN SUBMISSION?

Email bulletin@sspstl.org or call 314-481-1133, x303. Items must be received by Friday at 8am, 8 days before the intended publication date.



Easter Flowers

In Memory Of Continued...



- Carrie Lee & George Gaydos
- John, Gary & Mark Gaydos
- Shirley Pancer
- Oliver Kloeckner
- Dolores Kloeckner
- The Orf Family
- Rich & Tom Kage
- John Pfau III
- June Goff
- Edward Bradley, Sr.
- Marie Bradley
- Helen & Jerome Buckler
- Dan Wells
- Jane Wells
- Gwen Wells
- Joyce Huelsmann
- Laura Lane
- Allan & Jane Roth
- Walter & Barona Christ
- Gregory M Christ
- Hannah L. Roth
- Carol Goodman
- Julian Christopher Corak
- Joseph, Frances, & Carol Crimi
- Mark Domagalski
- Paul Morrison
- Lillian Debarry
- Richard Debarry, Sr.
- Jessie Morrison
- Wendel Morrison
- Deceased Bocrskiy-Krul-Weber Families
- Howard Neels
- Neels Family
- Litko Family
- Bhendi Gjata
- Fred & Anna Evers
- Elaine O'Sullivan
- Ed & Dolres Bucher
- George & Dorothea Diehn
- Susan Gaughran
- Joe Bucher
- Roldand & Helen Keeten
- Stjepan & Kate Juresic
- Magdalen Mike
- Gail Turina
- Hoelting Family
- Ventucci Family
- Living & Deceased Members of the
Martinez-Cassmeyer-Lopez Family
- Mersinger Family
- Benjamin Family
- Ted & Irene Kuehner
- Jack & Peggy Phillips
- John Phillips
- Mike Silistria
- Jackie Semar
- Gilbert Nugent
- James J. Roepke
- Weber Family
- Fogilphol Family
- Mildred & Carl Gartner
- Edward & Estelle Steck
- Tony & Mela Arguello
- Pete & Ginny Haselhorst
- Fabieb & Flanagan Families
- Margaretha Rivera
- Julius Rivera
- Fred & Stella Clifton
- Paul & Helen Clark
- Marc Anthony Polizzi
- Louise Polizzi
- Daninic Polizzi



ANNUAL
CATHOLIC
APPEAL

ACA PLEDGE DRIVE ALERT

Pledge cards will be available during the weekends of April 25/26 & May 2/3 in the back of church. Please plan accordingly. Checks should be made payable to ACA. Thanks to those who have already made their pledge! Please pray for a successful appeal and for all the lives touched by your support. God Bless...
-Jim Boeger (Business Manager)

YOU'RE INVITED!

The St. Stephen Protomartyr community is invited to the diaconate ordination of our resident seminarian, John Paul Angeli. After a year of serving our parish, John Paul is honored to share this milestone with the community that has supported his journey.

Ordination Mass Details

Date: Sat. May 9, 2026

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Location: Cathedral Basilica of Saint Louis (4431 Lindell Blvd, St. Louis, MO 63108)

"It has been a joy to serve at St. Stephen. I am so excited to share this next step with you all!" — John Paul Angeli



Upcoming Annual Picnic Meeting

Tuesday, April 28th
6:30pm
SSP Parish Hall

If you're interested in being involved with the SSP Picnic be sure not to miss this meeting. The committee will only host ONE meeting this year opposed to the two held in previous years.



ST. STEPHEN PROTOMARTYR CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

The next St. Stephen Protomartyr Centennial Celebration planning meeting will be held on Monday, May 11th at 7pm in the SSP Parish Hall.

Can't attend but still want to contribute?
Contact Stephanie Wobbe at s.wobbe@att.net or 314-660-1548.

INCLUDES:

- 18 Holes + Cart
- Lunch, Dinner & A Good Time
- Contests & Prizes
- Sponsorships Available



SCHOLARSHIP GOLF TOURNAMENT MAY 2ND, 2026



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THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!



MASS MINISTER SCHEDULE 4/25/26-4/26/26

LECTORS

4/25 4pm SSP

Mary Anne Dundon & Erin Goedecker

4/26 7am SJB

Frank Rosario & Rosemarie Schelling

4/26 10am IHM

Howie Hirshfield & Dooty Folz

4/26 4:30pm SSP

Leigh Manalang & Mary Poletti-Lampe

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER

4/25 4pm SSP

Juanita Bishop, Steve Gaydos, & Andy Sciaroni

4/26 7am SJB

Linda Yarnell, Jim Gall, Thom Pancella, & Thomas Neiers

4/26 10am IHM

Elizabeth Cassmeyer, Roxanne Wolfslau, Becky Will, Helen Wells, Colleen Hoyt, Mary Bathon, & Jim Wamser

4/26 4:30pm SSP

Angie Butz, Colleen Nigro, Jenny West, & Katie Cunniff

SERVERS

4/25 4pm SSP

Evan Goedecker & Cora Lorenz

4/26 7am SJB

John Benz

4/26 10am IHM

John Lian & Oscar Chierek

4/26 4:30pm SSP

Auggie Nigro & Sebastian Nigro

MASSES, CELEBRANTS & INTENTIONS

SSP = St. Stephen Protomartyr Church

IHM = Immaculate Heart of Mary Church

SJB = St. John the Baptist Church

(+ indicates our deceased)

Monday, April 20

SJB 6:30am **Fr. Aaron Nord** *Rev. Micheal Sandweg +*

IHM 8:00am **Fr. Tim Foley** *Helen & Steven Ivanko +*

Tuesday, April 21

SJB 6:30am **Fr. Aaron Nord** *Intentions Of The Holy Father*

SSP 8:00am **Fr. Tim Foley** *Beril Gillman*

Wednesday, April 22

SJB 6:30am **Fr. Aaron Nord** *Intentions Of The Holy Father*

IHM 8:00am **Fr. Tim Foley** *Intentions Of The Holy Father*

Thursday, April 23

SJB 6:30am **Fr. Tim Foley** *Intentions Of The Holy Father*

SSP 8:00am **Fr. Aaron Nord** *Sam Crowe +*

IHM 6:00pm *Confessions*

Friday, April 24

SJB 6:30am **Fr. Aaron Nord** *Rev. Gerard Welsch +*

SSP 8:00am **Fr. Tim Foley** *Intentions Of The Holy Father*

Saturday, April 25

IHM 8:00am **Fr. Tim Foley** *Daniel T. Ainsworth*

SSP 3:00pm *Confessions*

SSP 4:00pm **Fr. Aaron Nord** *Our Parish Family*

Sunday, April 26

SJB 7:00am **Fr. Tim Foley** *Glenn LaChance*

SJB 7:45am *Confessions*

IHM 9:30am *Confessions*, 9:35am *Rosary*

IHM 10:00am **Fr. Aaron Nord** *John Phillips +*

SSP 4:30pm **Fr. Aaron Nord** *Bill Winkowski*

WEEKLY EVENTS CALENDAR

For more information, please refer to or subscribe to our calendar at www.sspstl.org/ssp-calendars or call the parish office at 314-481-1133.

MON. 4/20/26	10am Weekly Bible Study Group #1 @ SJB Conference Room 1pm Plann Group @ IHM Rectory Basement
TUES. 4/21/26	9am Exercise And Balance Class @ St. Lucas 10am Quilters @ IHM Rectory Meeting Room 1pm Men's Small Group Meeting @ IHM Rectory 6pm Boy Scout Troop 179 Meeting @ SJB Parish Hall 6pm Our Mother Of Perpetual Help Devotions @ IHM Rectory 6:15pm Lectio Divina @ IHM Rectory 7:30pm Men's Club Meeting @ SJB
WED. 4/22/26	11am Seniors Organization Meeting @ SJB Parish Center 7pm Confirmation @ SSP
THURS. 4/23/26	8am Quilters @ SJB Quilters Room 1pm Game Day @ IHM 6pm Weekly Bible Study Group #2 @ SJB 6pm Eucharistic Adoration @ IHM 7pm Women's Club Meeting @ SSP
FRI. 4/24/26	9am Exercise @ St. Lucas 6pm Benediction and Rosary @ SJB
SAT. 4/25/26	
SUN. 4/26/26	8am Small Group Bible Study @ SJB Cafeteria 8am Faith Adventures @ 5020 Rhodes Avenue 10am Children's Liturgy of the Word at Mass @ IHM 11:30am OCIA Class @ IHM Rectory 1pm Faith Adventures @ SSP 4:30pm Children's Liturgy of the Word at Mass @ SSP

LORD, HEAR OUR PRAYER

... for our sick and recovering and their caregivers — Frank Gion, Adam Fiester, Krysten Bingham, Buddy Horrell, Kathleen Moody, Deacon Jim Murphy, Garry Winter, Rev Ronald Chochol, Bobby Anderson, Gary Stoff, Grace Forti, Mario Ruggeri, Kathy Ruggeri, Mary Benstrup Gherardini, JoAnn Welby, Pat Merz, David Buck, Jamie Bosslet, Dixie Keathly, Barb Skurat, Mary Ann Franklin... and those who are homebound or no longer living in their homes.

NEED EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE?

The St. Vincent de Paul Society is here to help. Call 314-289-6101, x1181, if you or someone you know needs emergency assistance with utilities or food. A Vincentian will return your call within one to two days. All calls are confidential.

SERVE TOGETHER SHOUTOUT!



Serve Together volunteers thank you so much for sharing your joy at the St. Margaret Mary Alacoque's ACTION gathering. You showed great care and compassion. It is wonderful to be able to come together and enjoy one of the treasured gifts of time. Thank you for making a difference in the lives of the young adults with disabilities.

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