



Saint Ferdinand

CATHOLIC CHURCH

ARCHDIOCESE OF ST. LOUIS

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21, 2024 | THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

MASS SCHEDULE

WEEKEND MASSES

St. Ferdinand Church

Saturday 4:30 pm

Sunday 7:00, 9:00, 11:00 am,
5:00 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES

St. Ferdinand Church

Monday - Friday

6:00 am, 8:00 am

Saturday 8:00 am

HOLYDAY/HOLIDAY MASS

Check inside for details

CONFESSIONS

Saturday, 3:00 to 4:00 pm
or by appointment

ADORATION CHAPEL

Daily from 9 am - 6 pm

Sundays 9 am - 5 pm

Tuesdays 9 am - 10 pm

Wednesday, Thursday 9 am - 9 pm

FISH FRY

Fridays 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm

314-839-5312

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL HELP LINE

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Permanent Deacon

Permanent Deacon

Permanent Deacon

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From Father Lijo...

Do not postpone until tomorrow what you can do today," says an old proverb. Unfortunately, we often do the opposite, saying that there will be time enough tomorrow. God's word, though, keeps urging us. The time to do the things of God is now. The time to change is urgent. Repent now, be converted now, God and his kingdom are here with you now.

This is the message of this Sunday's readings: urgency. Jesus begins his public life and mission. He begins to proclaim the Good News, the Gospel. It is summed up very simply in two lines in the gospel for this weekend: the time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God has come near and repent, and believe in the good news.

Jesus draws the attention of the people to the fact that the long-expected time has come and so the kingdom of God is close at hand, the kingship, the reign of God. And Jesus expects an immediate and urgent response to this call of His. There were examples of how we need to respond to this urgent call of the Lord. Four fishermen are called, Simon and Andrew at once left their nets and followed after Jesus. At once, leaving their father Zebedee and his hired men, James and John also went after him.

It was a complete act of trust and total surrender of themselves. To what? Actually, they had no idea where they were going. They had no idea of what the future held. This was the extent of their great trust in this man who came out of the blue into their lives and challenged them to leave behind their security and throw in their lot with him. They would, in fact, go through many unexpected experiences, some of them joyful, some of them full of pain.

The call that Jesus addressed to those two sets of brothers, "Follow me" is addressed to each one of us. In our case that call will not mean leaving our jobs, if we are fortunate enough to have one or much less, leaving our families. Yet, the call of Jesus to follow him will always involve the opening up of some new horizon or other. In calling on us to follow him, Jesus is always opening us up to the horizon of God, to God's perspective on life. This will often mean looking afresh at the way we do things, the routines that we have built

up and seem to keep us going, the rhythms that we have become used to and have learned to live by. The Lord's call to follow him is addressed to us every day of our lives. It will mean something different every day, but it is always a call to keep making a new beginning in some way or another, to keep setting out on a new journey, God's journey, which is the journey towards other people in selfless love, the journey towards a wider horizon of our own spiritual growth.

The call is still going out to each one of us. Am I ready to answer? To follow? What are my nets, those things limiting my freedom to follow? What personal relationships are blocking my way? What anxieties? What self-centered ambitions?

With the Lord among us let us ask him to make us listen now to his good news and to make it come true among us now.

Fr. Lijo Kallarackal



Blessing for Married Couples

On the weekend of February 10th & 11th there will be a blessing at each of the Masses for all married couples. If you are celebrating a milestone Anniversary this year, please submit your name and Anniversary years to the Parish Office before February 5th.

Names: _____

Anniversary: _____

Number of years: _____

TO THE PARENTS OF OUR CHILDREN, MAY WE SUGGEST

Relax! God put the wiggle in children; don't feel you have to suppress it in God's house.

All are welcome! Sit toward the front where it is easier for your little ones to see and hear what's going on at the altar. They tire of seeing the back of others' heads. Feel free to explain quietly the parts of the Mass and the actions of the priest, altar servers, choir, etc. Teach them to sing the hymns and to pray and voice the responses. Children learn liturgical behavior by copying you.

If you have to leave Mass with your child, feel free to do so. The Gathering Space is always available, but please come back.

As Jesus said, "Let the children come to me!"

ADORATION CHAPEL

See the bulletin cover for the hours the Chapel is open for adoration. Listed below are the hours where an assigned adorer is needed.

CHAPEL HOURS NEEDING VOLUNTEERS

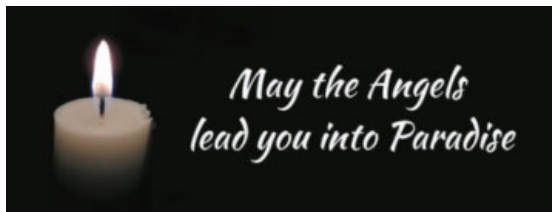
Sunday, 5-6 PM

Tuesday, 11-12 Noon

EXTRA SUBS ARE ALWAYS APPRECIATED

Please prayerfully consider spending an hour with Jesus.

If you would like to sign up to take an hour in the chapel, contact Debbie at 314-258-4112 for weekday hours or Stephanie at 314-330- 3239 for weekend hours.



Please pray for the repose of the soul of:

RON STUBE, a parishioner and sister of
Joyce Rygelski

May God welcome him home and comfort his families and friends in their time of sorrow. May his soul and all the souls of the faithfully departed through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to have a Mass celebrated for a loved one—deceased or living—contact Dana at the Parish Office at 314-837-3165. The stipend is \$10 per Mass.

There are infinite graces that flow from the Sacrifice of the Mass which benefits ones soul. The special ministerial fruits of the Mass are applied to the particular intention of the Mass.

We have MANY open dates and times!

The tradition of offering Masses for others, particularly the dead, originate in the very early Church. We have Mass Cards available in the office you can give to the family of a deceased person or Special Intention Cards for the living for a special occasion or for healing.



Jesus and the Eucharist Study Video Series

We have had a great response to the video series, Jesus and the Eucharist. Many people have asked about offering it on a different day or in the evening.

Deacon Gerry is facilitating the viewing of the videos at both 9:30 a.m. (after Mass & Rosary) and again at 7:00 p.m. in the Duchesne Hall on Tuesdays

It will conclude on February 6.

Readings for the Week of January 21, 2024

Sunday:

Jon 3:1-5, 10/Ps 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9
(4a)/1 Cor 7:29-31/Mk 1:14-20

Monday:

2 Sm 5:1-7, 10/Ps 89:20, 21-22,
25-26/Mk 3:22-30

Tuesday:

2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19/Ps 24:7, 8,
9, 10/Mk 3:31-35

Wednesday:

2 Sm 7:4-17/Ps 89:4-5, 27-28, 29
-30/Mk 4:1-20

Thursday:

Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22/Ps
117:1bc, 2/Mk 16:15-18

Friday:

2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5/Ps 96:1-
2a, 2b-3, 7-8a, 10/Mk 4:26-34

Saturday:

2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17/Ps 51:12-
13, 14-15, 16-17/Mk 4:35-41

Next Sunday:

Dt 18:15-20/Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9
(8)/1 Cor 7:32-35/Mk 1:21-28



JANUARY 14, 2024

Envelopes	\$6,617
Loose	\$566
Online	\$4,683
TOTAL:	\$11,756

Chapel.	\$10
First Offering.....	\$145
Kenrick Glennon Seminary	\$10
Maintenance Fund	\$25
Rectory Project.....	\$200
School Support	\$265
Solemnity of Mary	\$85
St. Louis Review	\$523
St. Vincent de Paul	\$205
World Mission	\$35

The Tuition Assistance envelope is now just called "School Support". The money will be used for Tuition Assistance but also for other financial support associated with educational needs.

Our weekly collections remain essential to the continued operation of our parish. We appreciate everyone who continues to make their contributions to our parish both financially and with your time and talent.

Your envelopes can be put in the collection basket, dropped in the Parish Office door slot, mail it, use bill-pay through your bank or signing up for our Online Giving through our website.

If you are an online giver and no longer wish to receive the monthly envelope packets, contact Dana at the Parish Office at 314-837-3165.

ONLINE GIVING

Online Giving is a convenient way to give to the church

It's easy to sign up at: www.osvhub.com/stferdinandstl

Simply click on "create an account". Then, enter the needed information and submit. It's that simple to give anytime and from anywhere using a computer, Smartphone or table. It can be used for recurring gifts to the church, or send a one-time gift.

The merger is completed with the St. Sabina online giving. You can now access your St. Ferdinand account using the same login information as you did to sign in the St. Sabina online giving.

St. Martin de Porres family will have to sign up through St. Ferdinand as we have a different provider than you currently use.





We continue our Journey of Faith through the RCIA process.

Learn more about the Eucharist: Sacrament of Initiation on Thursday, January 25, at 7 p.m. in the Duchesne Hall

Call the Parish Office at 314-837-3165 for more information about R.C.I.A.

St. Ferdinand Golf Tournament – Saturday June 29th Save the Date!

The 58th Annual St. Ferdinand Golf Tournament will be held on June 29th at the Old Florissant Golf course. The tournament is a 4-man scramble format making it a fun event even for us amateur golfers. Signups for the tournament will start in the spring. Stay tuned.

Yarn Spinners – We’re Back!

To any/all who would like to knit or crochet, come join us on Wednesday, January 10, 2pm in the Duchesne center for an hour of friendship and project making! We will meet in Room 9. If you are already working on a project--bring it along. Bring your own hooks, needles and yarn if you have some. If not, we'll try to find some for you. Questions? Call Mary Hilmes 314-831-6625.



STREAM TEAM

If you were live streaming Masses at St. Sabina or St. Martin de Porres, and would like to continue here at St. Ferdinand, please contact Mike Koenig at 314-610-0946. You are invited to join our “Stream Team”

NO LADIES SODALITY meeting until February.

St. Ferdinand Quilters

The St. Ferdinand Quilters will start quilting again Monday, January 8, 2024 in the Quilters Room at our new location St. Martin de Pores in the Knobbe House.

Day Quilting 9am-2pm

You are welcome to quilt all day or just for a couple of hours. Bring your lunch if staying the entire day (microwave available).

Evening Quilting 7pm-9pm

Take a break from everyday stress and come, relax, and quilt with friends.

A special thank you to Joe Hoffmann and his helpers who prepared the rooms and moved us to our new location. Also, thank you to all the ladies who helped pack up the quilters room for moving.

If Mondays do not work for you let us know we are thinking about quilting on another day too.

Whether you are an experienced quilter or have no experience quilting, all are welcome to help us quilt.

If you have a talent for piecing quilt tops with or without embroidered blocks, we can use your help too. We have many donated embroidered blocks to choose from to piece quilt tops together. Our shelves are full of donated material to piece patchwork quilt tops. If you like to sew and cannot quilt, try piecing quilt tops. We have a library of how to books.

Our pledge:

“It’s Free, Relaxing, No Calories, No Agenda, Learn an Art, Meet other Quilters, and Each Stitch Funds the Church”

For more information contact **Sharon Derhake** cell call/text 314-482-8231 or email sderhake@charter.net

(PRACTICING)
CATHOLIC

A Good Time for Fulfillment

There are some things that always come at the worst time. I’ve never gotten a telemarketing call and thought, “This is a really convenient moment for me to listen to a sales pitch.” I’ve never seen the compulsory software update notice flash on my computer screen when I *didn’t* have a deadline I was struggling to meet. My kids never come down with the flu unless it’s the weekend and the line at Urgent Care is stretching out the door.

And I never, ever feel the calm, persistent shoulder-tap of the Holy Spirit without thinking, “Now? Now is not a good time. Can you try again when I’m...”

But then I stop and think: when I am what? When I am stronger? When I am happier? When I am smarter? When I am a different person?

When God calls us, He calls the person He sees in front of Him. “Come on,” He says, and He doesn’t mean “When you’re finished” or “When it’s convenient” or “Think about it.” He means now. This moment.

This is what Paul is saying when he writes that “the world in its present form is passing away.” He is saying that your plans mean nothing, the kingdom of God is at hand. Abandon your nets, let your catch escape into the sea. You’re not who you thought you were, and you don’t need what you thought you needed.

Your sins do not define you. Your fears are not fate. Your inclinations do not govern you. Your life can be changed. We live in the time of fulfillment, and fulfillment is coming for you — ready or not.

“Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God: ‘This is the time of fulfillment.’” — Mark 1:14

By Colleen Jurkiewicz Dorman
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CHILDREN'S LITURGY VOLUNTEERS

We are trying to get Children's Liturgy up and running again. We are in need of more volunteers. If you are able to help with this ministry during the 9am Sunday Mass, please reach out to Theresa Wright at 314-570-7965 or [Trixielh80@gmail.com](mailto:Trixieh80@gmail.com).

2023 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

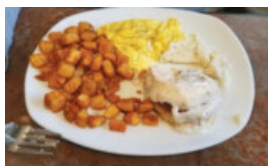
Contributions Statements are ready for St. Martin de Porres, St. Sabina and St. Ferdinand.

If you would like to have a copy of your 2023 Contribution Statement for any of the 3 parishes, please contact Dana at 314-837-3165 Ext. 317 or send an email to dwiele@stferdinandstl.org.

You have the option of picking it up at the Parish Office, having it emailed to you, or sent my regular mail.

Egg and Sausage Breakfast Social

All members of the parish are invited to a breakfast social to be held Sunday, January 28th, from 8 to 11, in the gymnasium sponsored by the Men's Club. Menu items include scrambled eggs, sausage, biscuits & gravy, potatoes, and oatmeal. The breakfast is being provided at *no charge* but goodwill donations will be accepted at the event. All donations collected will go to St. Vincent DePaul.



To attend you must register no later than Sunday, January 21st.

This is a social so it is dine-in only, no carry outs.

Please join us for a complimentary breakfast, meet members of our newly formed parish, and help out SVdP if you are in a position to do so.



You can register in one of two ways:

Use this QR code to register on-line:
or

Register by providing the information requested below in an envelope labeled **Breakfast**. Place the envelope in the church collection basket or in the rectory mail box drop box by **Sunday, January 21st.**

Sunday January 28th Breakfast Registration

Name: _____

Phone No: _____

of Adults: _____

of Kids (under 11): _____

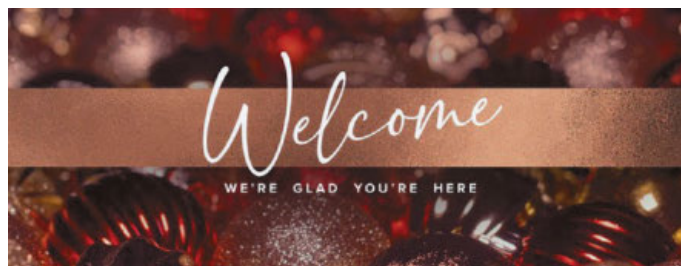
Approx time you expect arrive:

____ 8 – 8:30 ____ 8:30 – 9

____ 9 – 9:30 ____ 9:30 – 10

____ 10 – 10:30 ____ 10:30 – 11

Comments: _____



A warm welcome to all of you who have come to worship with us. If you are visiting, we are honored by your presence. If you would like more information on becoming a member, please call the Parish Office at 314-837-3165 or stop by Monday—Friday between 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m. An online registration form is available at www.stferdinandstl.org/join-our-parish.

Our Parish serves the needs of the community in many ways. We offer prayerful liturgies, various devotions and studies, Eucharistic Adoration, preparation for Sacraments, education for children and adults, social activities and organizations, assistance to those in difficulty and comfort to the sick.

St. Ferdinand Youth Group Presents

Out of this World Trivia!

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10TH 2024
ST. MARTIN DE PORRES GYM
DOORS OPEN AT 5:30PM
GAME STARTS AT 6:30PM

TABLES ARE \$140 FOR A TABLE OF 8
BEST DECORATED TABLE WINS A PRIZE

DONATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED AT THE CONSESSION STAND WHERE THERE WILL BE POPCORN, PRETZELS, BEER, AND SODA.	BASKET DONATIONS GO INTO GREEN BINS IN THE GATHERING SPACE
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RESERVE A TABLE BY CONTACTING
EMILY WILL @ 314.972.3172

WE ARE LOOKING FOR
DONATIONS TO MAKE
OUR RAFFLE BASKETS
AND \$5 RAFFLES!!
LEAVE THEM IN THE
BINS IN THE
GATHERING SPACE

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

JANUARY 27 & 28, 2024

Greeters—Team 1

4:30 PM	Barb Kelbel
7:00 AM	Gail Mandle, Joe Hoffmann
9:00 AM	Carole Mueller, Chris Campbell
11:00 AM	Jim, Judy, Mike & Maggie Schneider
5:00 PM	Jim Powell

Lectors—Team F

4:30 PM	Jim Yount, OPEN
7:00 AM	Kathy Dunn, OPEN
9:00 AM	Pat Wiswall, Julie Remacle
11:00 AM	David Schmich, Mary Wooldridge
5:00 PM	Dana Jacobs

Eucharistic Minister

All Masses Team 1

Servers

4:30 PM	Jayme H., Cassie H.
9:00 AM	Carley K., George R.
11:00 AM	Leo W., Dakota R.

Church Cleaners—Team 1

Monday, January 22

Terri Regnier

Friday, January 26

Julie Zlotopolski, Beth Berendzen, Kristina Palliser,
Amy Reddy, Terri Besmer



We are taking reservations for Altar Flowers for this year. There will be two weeks in February before Lent begins and then we won't have flower until after the Easter Flower are removed the end of April.

The cost is \$45 per plant. The plants will be on the Altar for 2 weeks.

Please call the Parish Office at 314-837-3165 to schedule a date.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

SUNDAY, JANUARY 21

MONDAY, JANUARY 22

9:00 AM	Quilting, Knobbe House Quilter's Room
9:00 AM	Dominoes Club, Knobbe House
6:30 PM	Daisies, Duchesne Basement
7:00 PM	Quilting, Knobbe House Quilter's Room

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23

9:30 AM	Jesus and the Eucharist Video, Duchesne Hall
8 & 4:15	Diaper Pick-Up, Duchesne #10
10:00 AM	Scrapbook, SMdP Knobbe House
9:30 AM	Jesus and the Eucharist Video, Duchesne Hall

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24

2:00 PM	Yarn Spinners, Duchesne #9
6:30 PM	St. Vincent de Paul, Duchesne #9

THURSDAY, JANUARY 25

6:00 PM	RCIC, Duchesne #9
6:15 PM	Rosary, Gathering Space
7:00 PM	RCIA, Gathering Space
7:30 PM	Choir, Church

FRIDAY, JANUARY 26

3:00 PM	FISH FRY, Gym
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SATURDAY, JANUARY 27

9:00 AM	Pinewood Derby, Gym
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SUNDAY, JANUARY 28

6:00 AM	Men's Club Breakfast, Duchesne Hall
12:00 PM	Catholic School Week Open House
3:30 PM	Brownies, Duchesne Basement



MEALS ON WHEELS — TEAM 2 JANUARY 22-26

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
St. Patrick's	Kathy Self	Lisa Wehmeyer	Ray Hemker	OPEN	Theresa Klocker
Santa Maria	Steve Siebels	Stan Horton	---	Charlie Fechter	---
#3	Sue Waymack	Stan Horton	Osborne Shannon	Steve Siebels	Emma Strickland
#4	Nick Buchheit	Beth Mitchell	Robbie Wittington	Debbie Henderson	Eileen Weitkemper
#6/8	Kathie Schmidt	OPEN	Mary Goldkamp	Jean Fox	Richard Van Well

ALL SAINTS ACADEMY - ST. FERDINAND 2023 SCHOOL NEWS



- **Sunday, January 28—Catholic Schools Week Open House**—Noon—2 PM
- **January 28—February 2**—Catholic Schools Week activities
- **February 6**—Confirmation Class from 6-8 PM in the gym at ASA-St. Norbert Campus
- **February 14—Ash Wednesday**—Students will attend Mass

****We are looking for substitute teachers for this school year.** All interested applicants need to be in full compliance with the Prevent & Protect/Safe Environment regulations. Please contact Mrs. Anna Davis below for more information and requirements needed.

(314)921-2201

adavis@stferdinandstl.org
ST. FERDINAND PARISH...
TODAY, TOMORROW, FOREVER

Need Healing? Need Help? Need Hope?

Text "Hi" to +1 (202)949-7249

Hope is available 24/7 for free to help you manage your stress and provide resources when you need them.



CATHOLIC CHARITIES
ARCHDIOCESE OF SAINT LOUIS

Looking beneath the Surface: Does Human Trafficking Happen in Your Backyard?

Kimberly Ritter presents an informative evening on the issue of human trafficking Thursday, February 8, 6:00-8:00 PM at Mercy Conference and Retreat Center, Frontenac. Kimberly spearheads Nix Conference and Meeting Management's corporate social responsibility initiative on human trafficking. Cost: \$25 in person; \$15 live stream. 6:00-6:30 PM appetizers and drinks. 6:30-8:00 PM program. Register by Feb. 2 at

www.mercycenterstl.org

RESERVE YOUR SCHOLARSHIP!



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



SCHOLARSHIPS UP TO \$2,500 PER STUDENT

APPLICATIONS OPEN FOR THE 2024 - 2025 SCHOOL YEAR
JANUARY 22, 2024

BECOME A SCHOLAR! APPLY HERE: WWW.TTEF-STL.ORG



FOR MORE INFORMATION
VISIT TTEF-STL.ORG
CALL (314)-792-7623
OR SCAN THE QR CODE



WHITE ROSE FOR LIFE


To enhance our appreciation for the **Right To Life Movement** on a parish level, we have a special vase of white roses on Mary's altar to act as a vigil on your child's behalf during the nine months of one's pregnancy. When the child is brought to church for baptism, the rose will be presented to the parents. Please fill out the form below. Place it in the collection basket, return it to the rectory, or contact Jack Freebersyser at 314-731-5160



Please submit for me a WHITE ROSE to be placed on Mary's altar.

Name: _____

My due date is: _____



**T.E.A.M.
SPECIAL NEEDS::**

CEREAL
Bar Soap
Pancake Mix & Syrup
Cereal
Soup
Snacks
Diapers size 3-5

FROZEN / FRESH MEAT,

Other suggestions:
Any bagged or boxed foods
***Peanut Butter**
***Pancake Mix and Syrup**
 Bread, Snacks & Crackers
 Canned Meat & Seafood
 Canned Fruit & Vegetables
 Canned or Dry Soup

Pork and Beans
 Sugar
 Coffee
 Toilet Paper & Paper Towels
 Laundry Detergent
 Shampoo, Bar Soap
 Sanitary Napkins
PAPER OR PLASTIC BAGS!

FROZEN / FRESH MEAT, fruit and vegetables are also needed but should be dropped off directly to TEAM.

All other items can be placed in the TEAM collection bin in the Gathering Space or they can be delivered directly to the TEAM office.

T.E.A.M. is located at 256 Saint Catherine at the corner of Saint Ferdinand Street (Graham Road).

Hours are Monday—Friday, 10 am—2 pm and Saturday 10 am to noon.

Drive around back to the 3rd door and someone will assist you unloading your items.

T.E.A.M. could also use donations of money.

Make checks payable to T.E.A.M. and send to the rectory or mail to the address above.

Thank you for all you have donated to TEAM. Your generosity is appreciated very much!

MEALS 33

DONATIONS \$ 100

Volunteers are needed in the warehouse, pantry and offices. Minimal computer skills required.

For more details, please contact Nancy Wolff at 314-831-0879 or 314-412-3637

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27TH, ST. ANGELA MERICI WILL BE CELEBRATING THE FEAST DAY OF OUR PATRON SAINT WITH SOME ITALIAN FOOD PREPARED BY KRAUSE KATERING

Place: St. Angela Merici Lunchroom

Time: following 5:00pm Mass until 7:30pm

Cost: \$18.00 per person or \$35.00 per couple

Kids: 5 & under free, 6 –11 \$9.00, 12 & up \$18.00

Menu: Italian Salad, Toasted Ravioli w/Marinara Sauce, Mostaccioli w/Homemade Meatballs, Bow Tie Pasta Alfredo w/Broccoli & Sun Dried Tomatoes, Rigatoni Carbonara and Amaretto Carrots & Parmesan Cheese Rolls

Dessert: Cannoli, Variety of Gelato, Homemade Italian Cookies

Beverage: Italian Punch, Ice Tea & Water

NOTE: Beer, Wine and Soda will be available for purchase. This is due no later than Thursday 25th

Check one: Dine In _____ Carry out _____


How many dinners? Adults _____ kids 6 & under _____

Kids 12 & under _____

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Order on line at www.saintangelamerici.org



DO YOU ATTEND THE 5 PM SUNDAY MASS AT ST. FERDINAND? ALL MINISTERS ARE NEEDED!

Please consider being a Greeter for this Mass! There was a wonderful response at the Festival of Ministries and we have many new greeters. However, there is still a need for greeters for the 5 pm Sunday Mass. Contact Lori Geerling at lgeerling@gmail.com

Eucharistic Ministers should contact sue Koester at 314-229-2011

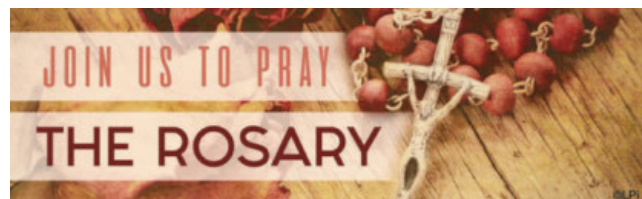
We also need **Altar Servers** at this Mass. If you are in the fifth grade or older (adults, too) you are invited to serve. If interested, please contact Deacon Phil at philhutsler@gmail.com to schedule a training session

Please Wear Your Lanyard

Two weeks ago we asked everyone to fill out a name tag for a lanyard. The purpose of this is to help get to know each other. It has been quite successful. There are people who have seen each other for years and have never known their names and now there are even more unfamiliar faces.

We ask that you wear your name tag every

time you attend Mass or other St. Ferdinand activity. We want to be a place where everybody knows our names!



Join us **every morning** at St. Ferdinand before and after the 8:00 am Mass to pray the Rosary and on **Tuesdays** for Perpetual Help Devotions.

Every **Thursday Night** at 6:15 pm in the Gathering Space you are invited to pray the rosary.



Attendance Prizes

Silent Auction

MUSIC TRIVIA

50/50

SATURDAY,
FEBRUARY 24, 2024

TICKETS ON SALE TODAY AT
4:00 PM BY CALLING GINNY AT
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Parish Facility Maintenance Team – Help Needed

We are in the process of beginning a small group of individuals to plan future maintenance activities for the parish facilities. We are looking for volunteers with experience in building and grounds maintenance. Our main objective will be to decide what needs attention. From that we will plan, schedule, and prioritize the work. Most of the work will be performed by contractors. If you have the skills to help in this mission and are interested in serving your parish, please contact Stan Ebersohl at 314-920-5716.



World Marriage Day

On **Sunday, February 11, 2024, at the 12:00 pm Mass**, Auxiliary Bishop Mark S.

Rivituso will celebrate a Mass for World Marriage Day at the Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis, 4431 Lindell Blvd., St. Louis, MO. A reception will follow in Boland Hall. All married couples are invited to attend and celebrate the gift of marriage. World Marriage Day honors husband and wife as the foundation of the family – the basic unit of society. It emphasizes the faithfulness, sacrifice and joy of daily married life. World Marriage Day started in Baton Rouge, LA in 1981 and was later adopted by Worldwide Marriage Encounter, who now is sponsoring this event on February 11th.

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SUNDAY, JANUARY 21

7:00 am | Maureen Azzam
9:00 am | Carol Kraatz
11:00 am | Ron Rygelski
5:00 pm | For the People

MONDAY, JANUARY 22

6:00 am | Jackie Byrne
8:00 am | Rhonda Lakin

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23

6:00 am | Carrie Byrne
8:00 am | Clara Grieshaber,
Thanksgiving for 103rd
Birthday

St. Patrick's

9:00 am | Sue Homer

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24

6:00 am | Mary Ann Taaffe
8:00 am | Den Elder

THURSDAY, JANUARY 25

6:00 am | Edward Garner
8:00 am | Helen & Edwin Wiswall

FRIDAY, JANUARY 26

6:00 am | Jamie Reyes Jones, Spec. Int.
8:00 am | Sr. Marilyn Burkemper

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27

8:00 am | Bill Heidotten
4:30 pm | Louis Fennwald

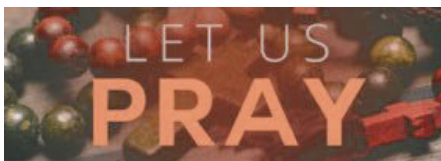
SUNDAY, JANUARY 28

7:00 am | Gale Rick
9:00 am | Peter Thuan
11:00 am | Joyce Callanan
5:00 pm | For the People

Rosary for our Adult Children & other intentions

We have a rosary prayer group established at St Sabina about 3 1/2 years ago. We realized so many of us had adult children who no longer practice our Catholic faith. We decided to establish this rosary with the intention of praying for their return to the church.

We have joined with the St. Martin de Porres Rosary group and meet every week on Thursday at 6:15 in the St. Ferdinand Gathering Space. We would welcome anyone who wishes to join us. For information please call Patty Holbert at 314 910 7674.



Pray for the safety of those in the armed forces as they serve and protect our country and those who are home and still in need of our prayers:

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Joe Booher
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Jonathan Buss
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Sharon Derhake
Kathy Fairbanks
Peggy Farmer
Dale Reller
Lauren Sapp
Baby Teddi Kelly
John Jezik
Kathy Fleming
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