

**Then he opened
their minds
to understand
the Scriptures.**

St. Louis Catholic Church
Sunday, April 15, 2018

CONFERENCE ON
Pope Paul VI's
HUMANAE VITAE

DAMON OWENS, DIRECTOR OF JOY TOB AND THEOLOGY OF THE BODY EXPERT
FR BEN BRADSHAW, STL . DEREK & KHIRA ROTTY



ST. LOUIS CATHOLIC CHURCH, CLUNAN CENTER
MONDAY, APRIL 16 AND MONDAY, APRIL 23 6:30PM – 8:30PM
LIGHT REFRESHMENTS SERVED AT 6:00PM

Parish & School Staff

Rev. Jolly Sebastian, M.C.B.S., Pastor
Rev. William F. Burke, Associate Pastor
Rev. Ruben Rivera, Associate Pastor
Rev. Michael Okata, Associate Pastor
Deacon Jeff Drzycimski
Deacon Mike D'Addabbo
Deacon Ralph W. Donati,
Deacon Emeritus
Sr. Ancilia Indrati, C.B., DRE
Ronald Pierotti, Business Manager
Jan O'Donnell, Admin. Asst. to Fr. Jolly
Anna Shelton, Accounts Receivable
& Tuition Administrator
Albert A. Burk, Jr., Choir Director
Ray Mullins, Choir Director
Libba Nance, Wedding Coordinator
Jana Soefker, Nursery Director
Paul Walker, Director Youth Ministry
Hannah Hill, Assoc. Dir. Youth Ministry
Pat Ellis, Receptionist
Andrew Clark, Receptionist
Jim Clark, Evening Receptionist
Teddi L. Niedzwiedz, School Principal
Vickie Shaw, School Assistant Principal
Kim Pesce, School Director of Admissions
Michael W. Bennett, Athletic Director

Parish Information

Sacrament of Baptism—Baptisms are celebrated on Saturdays and Sundays. Parents are asked to attend an instructional class prior to the baptism. Please call the parish office to schedule a baptism.

Adults interested in the Catholic Faith—to learn more about the Catholic Faith, please contact Deacon Jeff Drzycimski at deaconjeff@thecatholiccafe.com or 260-2888 for information about our R.C.I.A. (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) program.

Sacrament of Marriage—Please contact one of the priests for an appointment at least 6 months in advance of the proposed wedding date. Diocesan policy requires that certain guidelines be met.

Funerals—please call the parish office to make funeral arrangements; our staff will be happy to assist you.

Ministry to the Sick—When a family member is ill, home-bound, or hospitalized, please call the parish office to request prayers and to arrange a pastoral visit. The priests and our lay Ministers to the Sick make regular visits to the sick and homebound.

Nursery—a nursery is provided in the Clunan Center each weekend at 9:00 am and 10:30 am Masses on Sundays.

Parish Mission Statement

We the people of St. Louis Parish, in full communion with the Roman Catholic Church, nurtured by the Eucharist, strive to be the body of Christ to all God's people. We are committed to a culture of life through worship, prayer, life-long evangelization and development of youth, and we desire to live out the Gospel mandate to love God and our neighbors as ourselves.

Events This Week

- Sunday** **Parish Religious Education Class** at 9 am in School
- Coffee & Donuts** in Meeting Room following morning Masses
- Blood Pressure Screenings** from 8:30 am-12 pm in St. Vincent de Paul Office
- Knitting Ministry** from 1-3 pm in Meeting Room
- Senior High Youth Group Meeting** from 7-9 pm off campus
- Charismatic Group** in Meeting Room at 7:30 pm
- Monday** **Humanae Vitae Conference** at 6:30 pm in Clunan Center
- Tuesday** **WOW--Women of the Word** in Meeting Room
- St. Leo's Lunch** at 11:30 in Clunan Center
- Scouts** in Scout Room at 6 pm
- Thursday** **Fishers of Men** in Clunan Center following 6:15 am Mass
- Saturday** **First Communion Practice for Parish Religious Education Students** at 10 am in Church
- American Heritage Girls Raingutter Regatta** at 10 am on Grounds

OFFERTORY REPORT

Holy Thursday Parish Charity—\$2,290
 Good Friday Holy Land—\$2,308
 Easter Sunday—\$45,026
 Seminarian Fund—\$10,295

Mass Intentions

Sun	7:30	+Perry Norman
	9:00	+Helen Larkin
	10:30	+Bill Brown
	12:00	+June Green
	6:00	Parish
Mon	6:15	+Jean Donati
	8:15	+Billy & Teeny Podesta & +Kathleen Bryant
	12:00	Special Intention
Tue	6:15	Special Intention for Thanksgiving to St. Anthony
	8:15	+Michael Quinn
	12:00	+Rev. Edward C. Elliot & Special Intention for Barney & Ann McNally
Wed	6:15	+Johnny Jude & Scarlett
	8:15	Special Intention in honor of Padre Pio & St. Martin Porres
	12:00	+Charles Seavey McDonald & +Arthur Schoembs & Special Intention for Al Hendel
Thur	6:15	+Rev. Msgr. Theron Walker
	8:15	+Rev. John Donnelly & +Rev. Richard Gantert
	12:00	+Kelly Schaffler
Fri	6:15	Special Intention for Mary Ann Cull
	8:15	+Michelle Cook
	12:00	+George Pratt
Sat	6:15	Mass of Thanksgiving
	8:15	Special Intention for Johnny Jude & Scarlett
	4:30	+Ines Sanchez & Special Intention

Prayers are requested for the sick: Jim Broughton +Michael Houston+Beverly Nash+Don Crone+Libba Byrd+Mega Mulroy+Carmen Smith+Tony Lanigan+Christian James & Elizabeth Ann Gorman+Margaret Kolasinski+Clay Tidwell, Sr.+Harry Solden

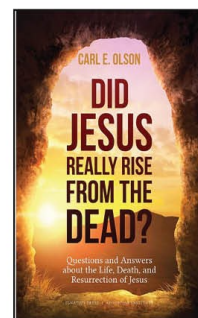
Prayers are requested for the repose of the soul of Elizabeth "Tan" Wallace

FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK

Did Jesus Really Rise From The Dead?

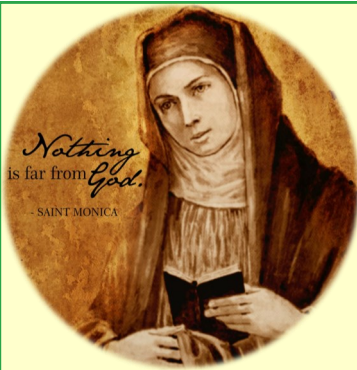
The Truth of the Resurrection

Using a popular question-and-answer format, Carl Olson examines the historical evidence concerning Jesus's controversial fate. Whether you are a believer, a skeptic, or something in between, prepare to be challenged by the logical arguments in this provocative and insightful book.



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Read on formed.org



PRAYERS FOR FALLEN AWAY CATHOLICS

St. Louis Church has placed a box on the floor under the altar where you may place prayer intentions for fallen away Catholics, particularly those who

are from St. Louis Parish. Please write your intentions on a slip of paper and put in the slot at the top of the box. Prayer requests will be *strictly confidential*.

FEED MY FLOCK SECOND COLLECTION

There will be a Second Collection this weekend **Saturday, April 14th** and **Sunday, April 15th** for Feed My Flock. Feed My Flock will be held in October and is our parish-wide day of outreach. Last year we prepared 150,000 meals for the needy!



CONGRATULATIONS EAGLE SCOUT

Troop 341 sponsored by St. Louis Church, recently presented the Rank of Eagle Scout to Fred **Gerard Tavoletti, Jr.** His parents are Virginia and Fred Tavoletti.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL OPEN HOUSE

SVDP will have an open house on **Sunday, April 15th** at our Ozanam Food Kitchen at 1306 Monroe from 1-4 pm. We serve approximately 150-200 people lunch everyday 365 days a year. This is where "Room at the Inn" from St Louis has been this year. Please stop by to see this amazing place! All are welcome!!

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MENTOR FAMILY

SVDP is looking to assist a family going through a difficult time as a year long endeavor. There will be an application process and an interview involved. If you know of someone who could benefit from this mentoring, please call Sue Ellen Haaga at 755-8213.

Mass Schedule:

Saturday Vigil: 4:30 pm

Sunday: 7:30 am, 9:00 am, 10:30 am,
12:00 pm & 6:00 pm

Monday-Friday: 6:15 am, 8:15 am & 12:00 pm

Saturday: 6:15 am, 8:15 am

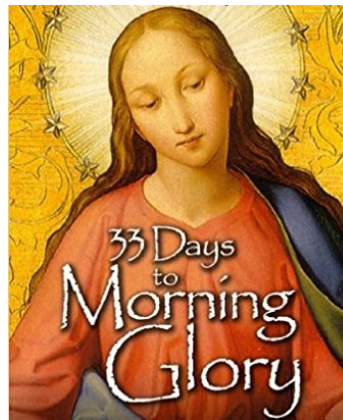
Sacrament of Penance:

Saturday: 3:30-4:30 pm

Sunday: 30 minutes prior to Mass

1st Friday: after 6:15 am & 12:00 pm Masses

1st Saturday: after 6:15 am & 8:15 am Masses



33 DAYS TO MORNING GLORY

Do you think you are capable of being a saint? The quick and true answer is **YES**. Come and find out how. Please join us for a study of Fr. Michael Gaitley's book *Thirty Three Days to Morning Glory*. Each weekly session will

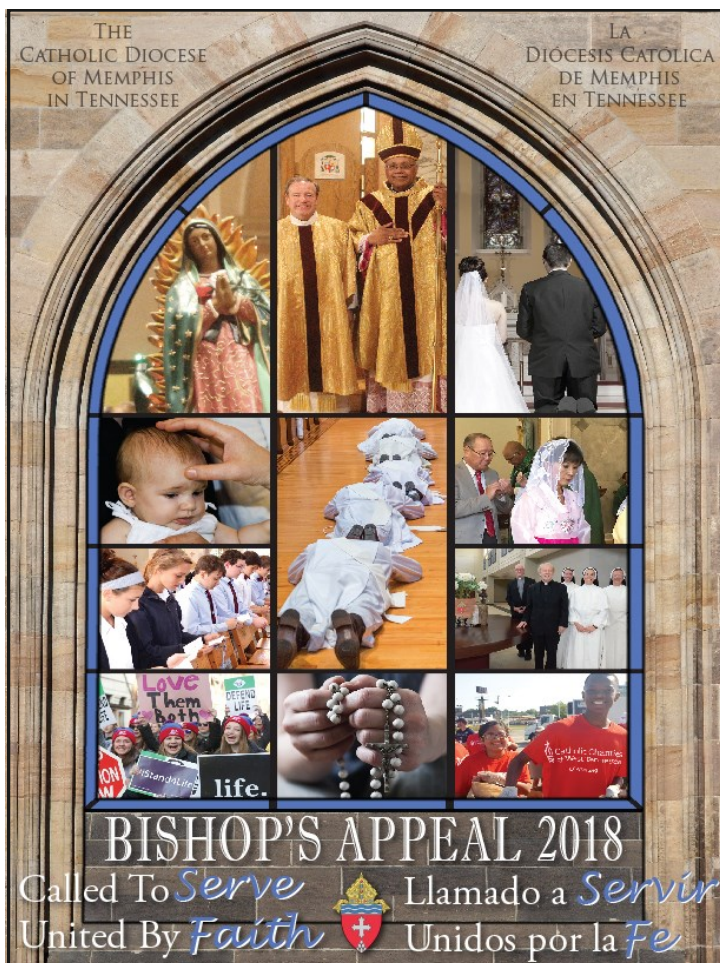
be held on **Wednesdays, April 25th to May 30th**. You may enroll in either the morning or evening session which will be held at 10 am and 7 pm in the Clunan Center. The culmination of the study will result in your own personal Consecration to Mary. To enroll, please contact Joan Thomas at thomas.joan6@gmail.com or 481-1274.



ST. LOUIS
— CATHOLIC SCHOOL —

ST. LOUIS CATHOLIC SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

St. Louis Catholic School is ranked in the top 25 private schools in Memphis, based on student enrollment for the 2017-18 school year. Although most classes are full, there is limited space in Kindergarten, third grade, and junior high. Contact Kim Pesce at 255-1900 or kpesce@comcast.net in the school office if you are interested in any of those grades. Whether you are new to our parish, new to the area, or simply considering a Catholic education, Mrs. Pesce would love to show you all that SLS has to offer.



BISHOP'S APPEAL

Thanks to all our parishioners who have made their gift to the 2018 Bishop's Appeal. If you have not yet made a gift or pledge, please fill out a commitment card located in the Narthex or visit www.cdom.org to donate online. Please participate in the support of our diocesan church.

WHAT A GREAT DATE NIGHT!



How would you and your loved one enjoy spending a Saturday night with Jesus? The Adoration Chapel is seeking Adorers for the 8-9 pm Saturday

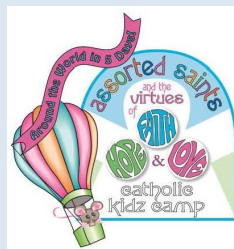
hour. You could not have a better date night. If you wish, feel free to ask friends to join you and share this date with others. Contact Joan Thomas at Thomas.joan6@gmail.com or 901-481-1274 to sign up.

FR. JOLLY PILGRIMAGE

Fr. Jolly will lead a pilgrimage to Austria and Germany from April 16th-26th. He will be accompanied by 40 pilgrims. If you have prayer intentions you would like for them to take with them and offer on your behalf, please drop them off in the church office.

ST. LOUIS PARENT'S DAY OUT SUBSTITUTES NEEDED

Substitutes are needed for our Parent's Day Out Program. Parent's Day Out meets Monday through Wednesday in the Clunan Center Nursery. Background Check is required, References are requested and Virtus Training is required. Nurturing individuals, contact Jana Soefker at 255-1963 or Jana.Soefker@stlouis.cdom.org.



Save the Date

Vacation Bible School

June 4th-8th

9 am- 12:30 pm

St. Louis Catholic School

To attend: <https://tinyurl.com/VBSAttend18>

To volunteer: <https://tinyurl.com/VBSVolun18>

Some notes from Deacon Mike:

I would like to remind all parishioners to please let the parish office know when a loved one goes into the hospital. HIPPA laws do not allow hospitals to inform us if a patient is admitted. A priest will come to visit you as will a Deacon or minister. That can only happen if we are notified and aware. Please inform the office of homebound loved ones also.

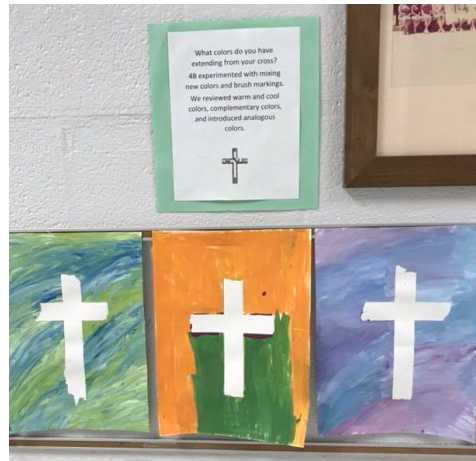
The Dating Project Film

The way people find love has radically changed in an age of swiping left or right. **The Dating Project** follows five single people, as they search for meaningful relationships. Presented by Pure Flix and Paulist Productions, this is the perfect event for every single person! Watch the Dating Project at Malco Collierville Town Cinema on **Tuesday, April 17th** at 7 pm. For tickets and more information, check out thedatingprojectmovie.com.

Welcome to the Catholic Church!

29 people joined the Church at the Easter Vigil. A reception was held in our Parish Dining Hall after the Mass to celebrate the occasion. St. Louis Catholic School Fourth grader's beautiful artwork was a reminder of what Christ did for us and we celebrate His resurrection. Thanks to all who prayed, sent snacks, served, and volunteered. This is truly what makes our church and school community so amazing!! Congratulations to the newest members of our faith. Happy Easter!!





Altar Guild Celebrates Spring

Ladies of the St. Louis Altar Guild met in the home of Claire Steinriede to celebrate Spring. New co-presidents, Michaela Dockery and Kerry Slattery, were installed by outgoing co-presidents Anna Shelton and Claire Steinriede. Fr. Ruben Villalon-Rivera led the ladies in prayer during the meeting. Sue Ellen Haaga, President of our St. Vincent de Paul Society Chapter, spoke to the ladies about the good work our chapter does to help the less fortunate in our parish and city. The ladies enjoyed a delicious potluck dinner and are looking forward to their new year and next meeting!



FORMED KIDS' KORNER

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Extraordinary: Stories About Solanus Casey

His Ministry Was Not from A Pulpit or a Confessional, But From a Tiny Office

The film presents eleven different stories, each featuring a child telling a fascinating and true story about the spirituality and ministry of the humble priest, Blessed Solanus Casey. Color along with the children using the coloring sheets provided!

More Kids' Content



Also in Spanish!



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St. Louis Catholic School Auction

Wow!! What a night!! Home & School President Benolyn Craig and her auction team transformed the gymnasiums back to the 80's at this year's auction. Paul Walker and Michael Van Epps had all attending in stitches while raising thousands of dollars during the live auction (they even had a costume change!!) Room parents provided FABULOUS class items for the silent auction. Almost Famous kept all on the dance floor until the end of the night.

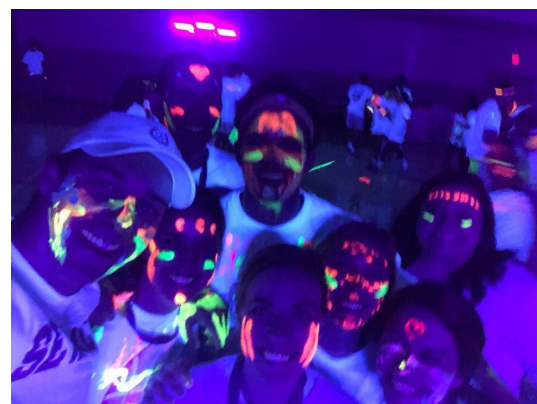
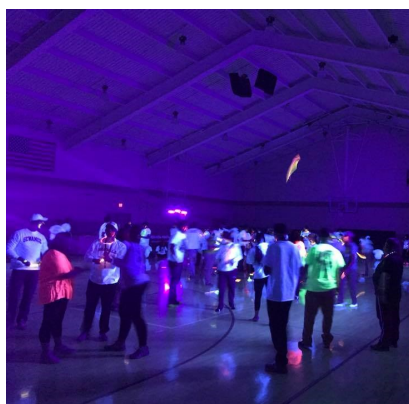




St. Louis Youth Ministry

You are the light of the world “Glow Night”

St. Louis Youth Ministry recently held a “glow night”. Youth were asked to wear white shirts and the theme was based on Matthew 5:14-16: *You are the light of the world. A city set on a mountain cannot be hidden. Nor do they light a lamp and then put it under a bushel basket; it is set on a lampstand, where it gives light to all in the house. Just so, your light must shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Heavenly Father.*



JESUS IS CALLING YOU TO COME AND TALK WITH HIM

All of the hours listed below have an adorer...but the adorer is alone and needs a person to share the adoration hour. Please commit to adoring Jesus in the Bread of Life Chapel for one hour per week with a current adorer and let Joan Thomas (thomas.joan6@gmail.com or 481-1274) which day and hour you wish to spend with Jesus.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1-2 am	1-2 am	2-3 am	12-1 pm	12-1 am	1-2 am	12-1 am
2-3 am	4-5 am	3-4 am	1-2 am	1-2 am	2-3 am	1-2 am
3-4 am	6-7 am	4-5 am	2-3 am	2-3 am	3-4 am	2-3 am
4-5 am	7-8 am	7-8 am	3-4 am	3-4 am	4-5 am	5-6 am
7-8 am	1-2 pm	1-2 pm	6-7 am	4-5 am	6-7 am	10-11 am
9-10 am	2-3 pm	2-3 pm	9-10 am	7-8 am	8-9 am	11-12 pm
10-11 am	4-5 pm	3-4 pm	12-1 pm	9-10 am	9-10 am	12-1 pm
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