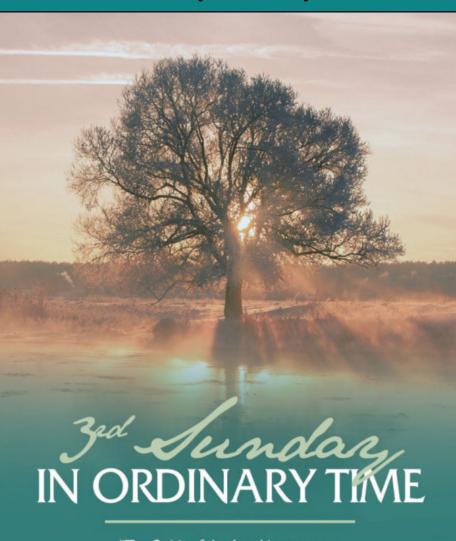


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> January 23, 2022 3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time



"The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring glad tidings to the poor." - Lk 4:18a

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

A Warm Welcome

We are glad that you are here to worship with us today. We are grateful to our parishioners who come faithfully and we welcome our neighbors and guest that visit us. If you are interested in becoming a member of St. Ann please call the parish office.



Mass Schedule

Monday thru Friday: 6:30am

Saturday: 7:00pm Sunday: 9:00am

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday Evenings: 6:15pm-6:45pm or by appointment

Adoration/Holy Hour

Every first Thursday of the month from 6pm to 7pm.

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This Tuesday, January 25th, is the Feast of the Conversion of St. Paul—providentially, it has been chosen for the kick-off-day of our Archdiocesan Strategic Planning process. On Tuesday there will be press releases in the newspaper and on TV, the St. Louis Review will detail the process, and next weekend a letter from Archbishop Rozanski will read at all Masses. Much like St. Paul, we as an Archdiocese are being called to conversion. Also on Tuesday, the Archdiocesan website will go live: allthingsnew.archstl.org This website will have all the information to-date on the process and the progress

of the strategic planning. Now you know as much as I do—we are all directed to the website for steps going forward.

Speaking of "steps going forward", on behalf of the both parishes, I want to thank Matt Bourne (St. Gertrude) and Rodney Kleinheider (St. Ann) who plowed the parking lots and for all who helped shovel walkways & salt steps. Thanks to your hard work Saturday morning, all were able to attend weekend Masses in safety.

In spite of the cold, St. Gertrude's Sausage Dinner was a great success! We estimate that over 1100 dinners were sold—thanks to all who made cakes, who worked the kitchen, and especially those who worked the drive-thru in the bitter cold. St. Ann's will have their drive-thru Chicken Dinner on Friday, February 25th (4-7pm). Lent will start the week following, so this is will be the LAST Friday to eat meat . . . so why not make it a chicken dinner at St. Ann's.

Your 2021 Contribution Statements are printed and I have signed each and every one of them. I cannot thank you enough for your incredible generosity; truly, your faithful giving is edifying! May God bless you as you bless your parish!!

This is the last weekend to RSVP for next Sunday's 11:30am Appreciation Brunch at St. Gertrude's Parish Center. This is a 'parish thank you' for all who volunteer, who sit on Committees and who work in parish Organizations at both parishes. At the brunch, Dave Baranowski (Director of the Office of Stewardship) will be our guest speakers. There is no cost to this event; it is simply a chance to thank you for all you do at both our parishes. Please sign the list in the back of church; we need to get a count to the caterer very early Monday morning.

Last, but not least, a *Thank You* to our Knights of Columbus from Donna Bard:

I want to say "thank you" to the Knights of Columbus members for providing such great spiritual books to our parish. First of all it is exciting to see the next book available each year and I can say that each of the Matthew Kelly books have been some of the best books that I have ever read. Not only do I personally enjoy reading the books, but I am also able to use the book's message as words of inspiration to others who may be going through a difficult time in their life. In addition, each year after I read the book, I am able to identify a person (outside of our parish) who also may benefit from the book's message. Therefore, I share the book with others and every time that I've shared one of these books, that person has called me to let me know how much the book inspired them. I'm writing this message of thanks for your generosity and to let you know that your good will is going beyond our parish. Again, thank you!

Fr. Carl



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Big Prize Raffle

The Big Prize Raffle will begin in the beginning of January. Please contact Gary Rettke or catch him in the back of church to get your ticket. You will be in for a chance to win \$2000 and 5 chances at \$100.

Desserts Needed

The activities committee is looking for desserts for their Chicken Dinner that they are holding on Feb. 25th. If you are interested in donating dessert or two please sign up on the sheet in the back of church. All donations are asked to be dropped off in the church basement by Thursday, Feb. 24th. Thank you.



To an appreciation brunch on January 30th, at 11:30am. St. Gertrude Parish Center Please RSVP to St. Ann or St. Gertrude Offices before January 22nd.

Dave Baranowski from the Archdiocesan Stewardship office will be our guest speaker.



Liturgical Ministers, Choirs, Committees, Donors, & All Volunteers for your support to our two great parishes!

Liturgical Minister Roles	Saturday, January 29 7:00pm	Sunday, January 30 9:00am	
Servers	None	Volunteers	
Eucharistic	Rosie Mueller	Debbie Sullentrup (C)	
Minister			
Lectors	Eva Ehlers	Jennifer Molitor & Sue Ewing	
Ushers	Neal Beste & Kenny Mueller	Tom Sullentrup & Joey Spaunhorst	
Offertory	Jane Jacquin	Joe & Jessica Spaunhorst	
Counters	Collene Unerstall & Jane Tanner		
Children Lit.	Kristina Unerstall & Shany Unerstall		

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2022 K of C Fish Fry Schedule

March 4 - St. Gertrude Grade School / St. Ann Parish Religious Education March 18 - Our Lady of Lourdes Grade School April 1 - St. Francis Borgia High School / Music Association April 15 - St. Francis Grade School

Save the dates for above K of C Fish Fries and the beneficiaries. Serving time as 4-7pm at the Washington Knight's of Columbus Hall. Drive thru only.





St. Gertrude and St. Ann Padre Pio Prayer Group

Next meeting on 2/6 after the 7:30am Mass

- Through the study of books one seeks God; by meditation one finds him.

Steubenville

Steubenville STL is a high-energy youth conference in which teens are invited to encounter Jesus Christ through dynamic speakers, engaging music, the Sacraments, small group discussion, and fellowship with other teens. We will be attending the July 15-17 Conference in Springfield MO. This is for any graduating 8th grader through graduating Seniors in high school. The cost for St. Gertrude and St. Ann parishioners is \$50 (covers housing, meals, & conference). Please encourage your teen to join in this amazing experience. We guarantee it will inspire them in ways beyond our prayers. Please contact Michelle Gildehaus with any question or to reserve your spot. February 4th is the deadline. 636-239-4216 x271 or stg.mgildehaus@charter.net

Pilgrimage to Poland

Hey, this is Father Tim Foy from St. John the Baptist-Gildehaus Parish, and I want to invite you on a very unique pilgrimage to Poland from Aug. 1-15, 2022! We will retrace many of the steps of Pope St. John Paul II and see the Wawel Castle and Cathedral, the Divine Mercy Shrine, St. Faustina's Convent, the Wieliczka Salt mine, and the heart of the trip is a walking pilgrimage from Krakow to the Black Madonna Shrine of Czestochowa (Note: our tour bus will accompany the pilgrims to provide a break if needed). The next two information meetings will be at Holy Infant of Ballwin on January 30th at 1pm and at Immaculate Conception of Dardenne Prairie on the same day at 3 pm. Please call me with any questions at 636-583-2488.

Women's Retreat Opportunity

Get away from it all for a weekend!

Aren't you over-due for a relaxing weekend of peace, quiet, great food, NO DISHES, and lots of spiritual nourishment? Come join us for a quiet retreat; March 25-27th @ The Kings House, Belleville IL. Take this opportunity during Lent to give the gift of time to God. Rides to and from will be available. Contact Tammy Schultz for info or to register. 636-221-1820

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We are so grateful for your continued support and sacrifice to our parish

Jan. 15 & 16	Envelopes	Online
General Collection	\$1,530	\$2,049
Building Maintenance	\$15	\$45
First Offering	\$25	\$30
Life Line Coalition	\$5	\$10
St. Louis Review	\$35	\$150
Solemnity of Mary Offering	\$5	0
Loose	\$51	0
SVDP	\$163	\$85
Total:	\$1,829	\$2,369

January 23, 2022 3rd Sunday of Ordinary Time

"Go, eat rich foods and drink sweet drinks, and allot portions to those who had nothing prepared..." (NEHEMIAH 8:10)

Ezra's instructions to the people show us that God does not forbid us from enjoying the good things in life. He wants us to be happy! However, God expects us to be grateful for all that He has given us and to generously share our blessings with those who are in need. Now here's the hard part – to share all we have without expecting anything in return.

St. Louis Review

In your January packet of monthly envelopes, you received an envelope to subscribe to the St. Louis Review. St. Anns is requesting that <u>all</u> St. Louis Review envelopes be returned to the parish, regardless of your decision to receive the Review. Please submit the envelope in the collection basket after you noted your choice of subscribing to or denying the subscription.

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\$40/team (Includes koozie and 1 free drink ticket for each player, with a 4 game/2 match guarantee)

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- > Must be 21+ to participate
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- > Food and alcohol available for purchase
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***Registration open to the first 64 teams and closes at midnight on February 26, 2022. No signups accepted the day of the tournament ***:

Contact Nick Jacquin at 314-606-4822 if you have any additional questions!

Happy Birthday

We would like to wish a Happy Birthday to the following Parishioners that will be celebrating their Birthday this week.

Kecia Pruitt, Gary Beste, Dean Brueggemann,

Birthday Blessings

Carolyn Roettger, Barb Voss,
Julie Frick, Tyler Koch, Margaret
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DATE	MEETING/ EVENT	LOCATION			
Friday, February 25th 4-7pm	Drive Thru Chicken Dinner	Parish Center Upper Level			
Saturday, March 19th 6:00pm	Comedy Night Dinner & Dance	Washington Knight's of Columbus			
Sunday, April 3rd 12:00pm	Spring Shooting Match	Parish Center			
Saturday, April 23rd	Trivia Night with a Twist	Parish Center			



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Please make checks payable to *St. Gertrude's* with memo: *Casino Night*.

Place in an envelope and drop off in church collection basket or school.

Can also be mailed to St. Gertrude Church, 6535 Hwy. YY, Washington, MO 63090.

Please send in donation by March 18.

THANK YOU for your continued support.

ECAMRL/Pro- Life News:

- St. Gertrude's Knights of Columbus will host a BBQ for ECAMRL on Sunday, 3/6/22. It will be all carry-out, featuring pork steaks, chicken, and side dishes. Hours will be from 11:00 AM to 6:00 PM. Volunteers are needed. Bill Gegg estimates profit of \$1000.00.
- The pro-life prayer vigil on the anniversary of Roe v. Wade will be on Friday, 1/21/22, from 5:00 PM until 6:00 PM, at the corner of Fifth and Jefferson.
- On Sunday, 1/23/22, a Naming and Commendation Rite will be held at St. Francis Borgia. This is a prayer service developed by the
 Archdiocese of St. Louis for any family whose child has died before birth and is for families of any religious background. It will begin
 at 1:00 PM. To RSVP or for more information, contact Jane Maune. Barb Reis will sent information on this to other churches in the
 area.
- Pro-Life Action Day will be held in Jefferson City on 3/8/22. More information to follow.

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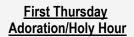
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Dolores Barnes, Art Mueller, Charles Ecklekamp,
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Shelba Bay, Glen Gettemeyer, Edna Kluba,
Macy Sitzes, Doodles Femmer, Albert Unerstall,
Don Schrader, Raejean Lause

MILITARY PRAYERS

Steven Sitzes, Tyler Ewing, Dustin Longsdon, Elizabeth Kraatz, Weston Ullrich, Madelyn Jagodzinski Dante Earle, Corey Logan, Jacob Wilson, Joe Jagodzinski, Dalton Cobb





Our next monthly Holy Hour, Adoration will be held on February 3rd from 6-7pm in St. Ann Church. All are welcome.



MASS INTENTIONS				
Date	Time	Intention		
Saturday, Jan. 22	7pm	People of the Parish		
Sunday, Jan. 23	9am	Orville Mills Jr.		
Monday, Jan. 24	6:30am	Presiders Intention		
Tuesday, Jan. 25	6:30am	Presiders Intention		
Wed. Jan. 26	6:30am	Presiders Intention		
Thurs., Jan. 27	6:30am	Norbert Voss		
Friday, Jan. 28	6:30pm	Presiders Intention		
Saturday, Jan. 29	7pm	People of the Parish		
Sunday, Jan. 30	9am	Bob Lause		









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