SAINT BRIDGET OF KILDARE

CATHOLIC CHURCH

JANUARY 30, 2022



Mass Times:

Monday through Friday 8:00am Saturday 5:00pm Sunday 8:00 & 10:00am First Saturday Latin Mass 8:00am

St. Bridget of Kildare

111 West Union Street
Parish and School Office 636-271-3993
Parish Office Hours Monday—Friday 8am - 4pm
Website: www.sbkparish.org

Adoration: Tuesday 9:00am—7:00pm

Confession: Tuesday 6:00pm-6:50pm,

Saturday 4:15pm—4:50pm, Sunday 7:30am & 9:30am

<u>Baptisms:</u> Parishioners are asked to please call the

Parish Office.

<u>Marriages:</u> Parishioners are asked to make

arrangements with the priest at least six months in

advance.

Bulletin Deadline: Tuesday 12:00pm

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Schedule			Mass Intentions
Monday	1/31	8:00am	Teresa Simmons
Tuesday	2/1	8:00am	Harlan & Barbara Bruns
Wednesday	2/2	8:00am	Teresa Simmons
Thursday	2/3	8:00am	Mike & Katie Feketic
Friday	2/4	8:00am	The Mandis Family
Saturday	2/5	5:00pm	Anastasia Brennan
Sunday	2/6	8:00am	Stephanie Goden Reedy
Sunday	2/6	10:00am	Pro Populo

Liturgical Ministers St. Bridget Church

SATURDAY, February 5, 2022 5pm

LECTOR: Mary Elaine Suden

SUNDAY, February 6, 2022 8am

LECTOR: Lori Hinkenbein

SUNDAY, February 6, 2022 10am

LECTOR: Amy Hennessy

<u>St. Bridget Stewardship</u> <u>1/16/2022</u>

Collection Envelopes 58
Our Weekly need is \$7500.00 received \$2679.47
Online Donations \$912.50 First Offering \$15.00
St. Louis Review \$70.00

<u>Parish Staff</u>

Pastor

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IN YOUR PRAYERS FOR ST. BRIDGET Please remember the sick: Sally Hanneken, The Schmidt Family, Danny Gettemeier, Norma Litzau, Vicki Brinker, Faye Balsman, Veronica Kelly, Greg Gossage, Kristian McDonald, Daryl Denu, Keith Bruns, Tom Cross, Lawrence Lindemann, Marleen Hartzell, Tom and Lois Martin, Steve Rost, Shelly Fischer Haney, Rosemary Woods, Barbara Johnson, Sharon Trentmannn, Toni Strothkamp, Liam & Lauren Viotrain, David Mueller, Bev Schneider, David Reincke, Laura Masson, Jerry Stewart, Cecilia Mueller, Marge Phelan, Emilia Wieczorek, Amber Luetkemeyer, Joshua Carson, Meg Gallagher, Christine Floyd, Martha Sheerin-Speck, Rose Schuessler, Becky Coyner, LeRoy Hirth, Robin Henry, Dave Whitt, Geraldine Carrico, Tim Brauer, Debbie Price, Bill Drimped, Christine Eilman, David May, Bev Duncan, Kathy Doak, Pat Gomez, Alice Thawley, Joe Quennoz, Stephen W. Flannery Jr., Dan Witte, Brandon Huels, Belle Tenny, Ron Phillips, Jack Drummond, Candy Cloak, Amy Short, Pat Herbst, Monica Dabbs, Mary Bradford, Sarah Gould, Preston Thompson, Barbara Johnson, and the home bound and nursing home patients. Also those who serve our country: Steven Sutterer, Corey Dorsey, Sgt. Jeremy Ross, Jennings Casey, Chief Petty Officer Mike Murphy, Aaron Cooley, Alex Churchill, Jonathan Savala, Brandon Ell, Wade Iliff Jr., & Andrew Bornholdt

Celebrate Catholic Schools Week with St. Bridget of Kildare School

Open House: Sunday, February 6, 2022 from 11-12

Join us for Mass at 10 and then come see what we are all about!

Current, prospective students, alumni and parishioners are welcome to attend.

Please contact the school office with any questions or for a personal visit.
636-257-4533 X100

St. Bridget's Widows Luncheon

Join us February 6, 2022, for lunch at Brown Jerrys. We will meet at 12:30 p.m. Please call or text Loretta Kipper at 314-304-1750 to RSVP or with guestions.



4th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

We have officially launched *All Things New*, the strategic pastoral planning process for the Archdiocese of St. Louis. *All Things New* will evaluate the effectiveness of the Church in St. Louis in proclaiming the Gospel and will identify opportunities for improvement and renewal within all parishes, schools, curia offices and agencies.

Why are we undertaking this effort? Well, why does the Church exist? The Church exists to make disciples, not to run hospitals, schools, or homeless shelters. These are all good fruits that flow from discipleship, but if we aren't making disciples, the institutions become hollow.

We all know that the Church of today is not the same that it was 50, 100 or 150+years ago, yet we are still functioning in many ways out of the same mode of evangelization. We have inherited a great treasure of Catholic institutions from previous generations, but as the Catholic population and society have shifted over the past several decades, those institutions are no longer as effective or sustainable as they once were. We are closer now to 2050 than to 1950. We need to ask ourselves what our parishes, ministries and institutions need to look like in order to effectively share the faith in a way that is suitable and sustainable for our children and for generations to come.

What does All Things New entail? We will be utilizing three guiding principles for All Things New: unceasing prayer, a unified vision for evangelization, and intentional stewardship.

*Unceasing Prayer. Prayer resources for individuals and parishes, as well as local and diocesan events will help us to renew our own personal call to holiness and evangelization and will ask the Holy Spirit's guidance as we discern what is best for our local Church moving forward.

*Unified Vision for Evangelization. Evangelization is the mission Jesus gives to us. To share the Good News is the responsibility of all of us. Yet, only 0.6% of Catholics say that they feel equipped to share their story and invite others into relationship with Jesus and the Church. We need to renew and rediscover this call in our lives.

*Intentional Stewardship. The Church is made of living stones, not just brick and mortar. We cannot allow our attachment to infrastructure impede our primary mission of building up disciples and saving souls. Empty churches don't save anyone.

How will we achieve all of this? Your prayers and input are needed. Opportunities for prayer, to provide feedback, and to attend listening sessions will be occurring all across the Archdiocese. We invite you to stay informed and sign up for regular updates on the *All Things New* website at www.allThingsNew.archstl.org Sign up today! Steadfast in Faith, Forward in Hope.

God Bless, Rev. Chris Martin Vicar for Strategic Planning



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