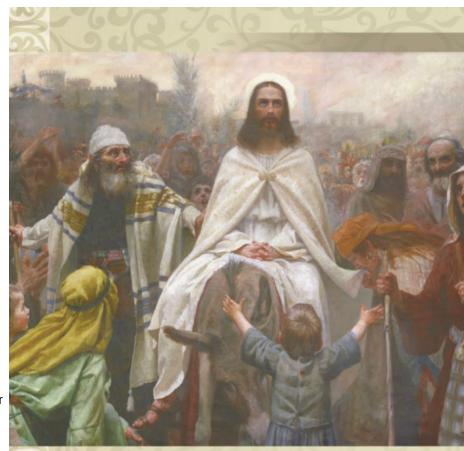
# **ST. GERTRUDE CHURCH**

## PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD APRIL 10, 2022



## PALM SUNDAY

As he rode along, the people were spreading their cloaks on the road; the whole multitude of his disciples began to praise God aloud with joy for all the mighty deeds they had seen. - Lk 19:36, 37b

## FORMING FUTURE SAINTS, AS WE WELCOME DISCIPLES HOME.

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Mass Times Saturday: 4:30 pm Sunday: 7:30am & 10:30am Mon. - Fri: 8:00am

Confession Times Saturday: 3:45-4:15 pm, Sunday: 6:45-7:15am Tuesday: 7:30-7:45 am

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## **Weekly Mass Intentions**

Saturday, April 9, 2022 Frank & Barbara Miesner 4:30pm Sunday, April 10, 2022 7:30 am John & Verona Elbert 10:30 am Merrill Schelich Monday, April 11, 2022 8:00 am Andy Metro Tuesday, April 12, 2022 8:00 am Ralph & Catherine Marquart Wednesday, April 13, 2022 8:00 am Virgil Gildehaus 6:30 pm Dorothy Mae Voss Thursday, April 14, 2022 7:00 pm Shirley Moheskey Friday, April 15, 2022 3:00 pm **Presiders Intention** Saturday, April 16, 2022 8:00 pm **Rita Brinker** Sunday, April 17, 2022 7:00 am Alice Elbert 9:00 am **Presiders Intention** 11:00 am Shirley Mohesky \*\*Please note, intentions may be moved due to changes in the Mass Schedule\*\*

#### Parish Picnic Donations

St. Gertrude's is looking for donations for the raffle ticket prizes for the Parish Picnic in June. We will be accepting donations from now until Easter Sunday. Please drop off your donations

at the parish office. Any questions contact the parish office or Mark Monroig.

DONATIONS

**Please Pray for:** Charlotte Heimann, Bernie Hillerman, Jeff Hinnah, Lynn Riegel, Don Frankenberg, Raejean Lause, Shirley Neier, Devon McNew, MaryBeth Peters and the homebound and those in nursing homes.

Prayer request will run for 4 weeks. If you would like your prayer request to run longer please contact the parish office and we will be happy to run your request for another 4 weeks. Thank you!

**Please Pray for those Serving our Country :** Jason Brennell, Patrick Feldmann, William Grannemann, Stephen Hern, Austin Mark, Aaron Maune, Andrew Schull, Kiah Fuller

#### **Adoration**

We hold Eucharistic Adoration every Monday after the 8am Mass until 12 noon. (Adoration is **not** held on holidays that the parish office is closed.)

#### **The Rosary**

The rosary is prayed every Tuesday in church at 6pm.

#### **First Friday Anointing of the Sick**

On the first Friday of each month we will have Anointing of the Sick at the 8am Mass at St. Gertrude.

#### <u>Use of Space Info</u>

Parish Center:

Parishioner 750.00 + 300.00 deposit Non– Parishioner 1,050.00 + 300.00 deposit Old hall: Must be a parishioner 125.00 + 100.00 deposit

#### **Endowment**

This is the link to our St. Gertrude Catholic Church Endowment Fund. https://rcfstl.org/funds/ Page down until you see the endowment fund for St. Gertrude Parish.

#### St. Vincent DePaul Collection

The SVDP collection is held every third Sunday.

### **Bulletin Deadline**

Articles intended for publication in the parish bulletin need to be submitted to Kristina Unerstall, emailed or in writing, before Monday, 10:00 am at stann.unerstall@yhti.net.

#### The Sacraments of Marriage & Baptism

Anyone who is interested in receiving the Sacrament of Marriage must schedule with Michelle Gildehaus at least 6 months in advance of their proposed wedding date.

Baptisms are scheduled at St. Gertrude's parish following the completion of our Baptismal Preparation Program. Please call Michelle Gildehaus to schedule a baptism.

#### Prayer Chain Requests

Needing those extra prayers? Prayer ministers offer requested prayers for the needs and intentions of the parish community. To request prayers, please contact Pat Miller (636) 390-8438 or Irene Hillerman 239-3842 between 10:00 am- 9:00 pm. The prayer ministers will pray daily for each request for four weeks.

## **Cemetery Clean-up**

March 1-15 and September 1-15.

#### **Library**

We have a small Library in the Summer Kitchen with books and videos. Feel free to check them out. Also, you can donate any faith building materials that you have and want to share with others.



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From the Pastor's Pen

With this Sunday's blessing of the palm and the reading of the Passion, we being <u>Holy Week</u>. Monday through Wednesday, we will have the regular schedule of morning Masses at 6:30am (St. Ann) and 8am (St. Gertrude). On Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday, there are no morning Masses.

- On <u>Holy Thursday</u>, there will be a 6:30pm Mass at St. Ann and a 7pm Mass at St. Gertrude. There will be a time of Adoration after Mass at each site.
- On <u>Good Friday</u>, there will be Good Friday Service at 3pm at St. Gertrude. Also, at 3pm, there will be Stations of the Cross at St. Ann. St. Ann will have their Good Friday Service at 6:30pm. Due to Covid, you won't kiss the cross in veneration, but rather simply bow, touch or genuflect to the cross.
- On <u>Holy Saturday</u>, both parishes will celebrate the *Easter Vigil* at 8pm. Emily Brasher and Steve Leslie will be received into the Church at the 8pm St. Gertrude Easter Vigil.
- On <u>Easter Sunday</u>, we will have Masses at 7am (St. Gertrude), 9am (at BOTH St. Gertrude and St. Ann and 11am (St. Gertrude).

On another note: I want to thank all who worked and attended last Saturday's Casino Night (St. Gertrude) and last Sunday's Meat Shoot (St. Ann). Both were incredibly successful, thanks to the hard work of many!!

I also want to thank everyone who filled out the "All Things New" Survey; I look forward to seeing your thoughts and suggestions. I now would like to ask all School Families (Day School and PSR) to take the survey below about Catholic Education in our Archdiocese.



## Are you invested in Catholic Education in St. Louis?

Take the All Things New Education Survey to provide your input.

The survey is focused on Catholic education for both Catholic Schools and Parish-based Religious Education (PSR) programs and open to anyone, including:

- Current/Former/Prospective Parents
- ·Alumni
- Faculty, Staff, Administrators
- Donors, Volunteers, and Community Members



Scan to learn more about the All Things New Education Survey allthingsnew.archstl.org/education-survey

Fr. Carl

#### **Baby Bottle Campaign**

Please pick up a baby bottle from the back of church and take it home during lent. Fill it up with your spare change over the Lenten season. The proceeds from this campaign will be donated to the Pregnancy Assistance Center. The campaign is sponsored by the St. Gertrude/St. Ann Knight's of Columbus. Please return the bottles to the back of church Easter weekend. More information will be stuffed inside the bottles.

#### "Praying With Padre Pio"

Next prayer service is on 4/3 following the 7:30am Mass



At this prayer service, we come together to pray for personal, communal, and universal healing. Join us every 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month following 7:30am Mass." Everyone is welcome to come and pray with us at any time.

-God will not allow you to be lost if you persist in your determination not to lose Him.- Padre Pio



#### <u>Amazon</u>

Do you use Amazon to shop? If you do, go to the following link to help support St. Gertrude. Amazon Smile donates a portion of your purchase to our great parish. <u>http://smile.amazon.com/ch/43-0685343</u>

We want to welcome the recently baptized.

Harvey wilder Mackivitch son of Stephen & Tami Mackivitch



Congratulations and Welcome to the Church!

#### Places to Go ... Breakfasts, Dinners, Parish Festivals & More

4-10-22 - St. Vincent de Paul Parish in Dutzow's Drive up Chicken Dinner. 11:30am-6:00pm \$14 per plate.

4-10-22 - St. Joseph Church of Neier Shooting Match. 12pm to ?

4-24-22 - Holy Rosary Church in Warrenton, MO is sponsoring their Annual Spring Dinner and Craft Show. We will be serving Fried Chicken and Kettle Beef from 11:00 am to 5:00 pm. Adults \$14.00, children ages 6-12 \$6.00, children ages 6 and under free in dining room only. We also offer a drive-thru carry-out for \$14.00. For more information <u>holyrosarywm.com</u>.

## **Calendar of Events**

April 10 Sun	
April 11 Mon	Finance Council Meeting 6:30pm - SK Men's Club Meeting 7pm - HH
April 12 Tues	Parish Rosary 6pm - Church
April 13 Wed	
April 14 Thurs	Quilting - 8:30am - HH
April 15 Fri	
April 16 Sat	Rental - OH

#### April 10, 2022 Palm Sunday

*"...I tell you, Peter, before the cock crows this day, you will deny three times that you know me. " (LUKE 22:34)*How many times have you heard someone make a disparaging comment about God or our Catholic faith?
How did you react? Do you remain quiet not to cause a disturbance? Or, because you don't want people to think negatively about you? Or, because you don't think you know enough about the Catholic faith? Pray for the courage to speak up and enter into a respectful dialogue when the opportunity arises. Joyfully share your faith with others.

#### Retrouvaille-St. Louis weekend AUGUST 19 - 21 , 2022

Healing Your Marriage-- Retrouvaille (French for "Rediscovery") is a 3-phase program designed to give you the tools to restore your marriage and rebuild a loving relationship.
 For more information or to register, call 314.453.0110 or visit website: www.HelpOurMarriage.org Fully Confidential and affordable. Space is limited with Covid-19 precautions . Register early.



#### **Collection Report**

With the early bulletin deadline because of the Easter Holiday, the Collection Report will be in next weekends bulletin.





St. Gertrude's is looking for Picnic donation sponsors of any kind toward lollipop the balloon lady that is \$700 for 11am-6pm and Riverside Reptile from 12-4pm for \$300.
Any amount big or small to offset this great fun for the parish picnic. Contact Moira Moore if you are interested at 636-584-9055. Thank you.

#### Altar Flower Price Change

Due to rising cost, Altar Flowers are now \$60 for a weekend.

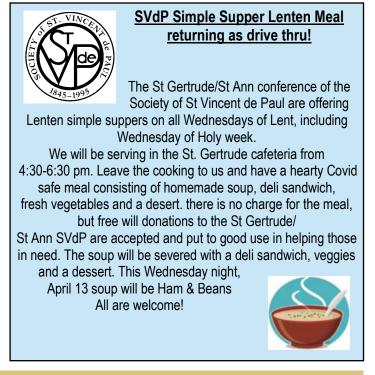


East Central Area Missouri Right For Life ( Pro-Life) <u>News:</u>

-Planned Parenthood prayer vigil has been scheduled for Apr. 7<sup>th</sup>, to leave from the 14<sup>th</sup> street parking lot by 8:45 am. and return at approx. 1:15 p.m.







#### Jesus Mary and Joseph (JMJ) Catholic Resource Store—Your Hometown Store

JMJ Sacred Family Catholic Resource Store located at 121 W. Main St., Washington offers a variety of books and gifts for those special occasions such as Baptism, First Holy Communion, Marriage, and others. Easter and

first Holy Communion will be here soon. If you are looking for a gift to give that special person, check with JMJ. They have a variety of gifts to commemorate and celebrate these spiritual occasions, including bibles for all ages (including bibles especially for children receiving First Communion), rosaries, religious statues and jewelry, medals, and much more.

The store hours are Wednesday through Friday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Sat.

10 a.m. to 2 p.m. JMJ is a non-profit, all volunteer organization dedicated to promoting the Catholic faith and enriching the spiritual lives of customers. Save gas and time and give JMJ a try. Come in or call 636-239-2471 for more information.

JMJ is currently offering a 10% discount on First Holy Communion items.



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#### Holy Week Schedule

Descent to Darkness (stations of the cross & veneration) Wednesday, April 13, 7pm at St. Gertrude. Holy Thursday Mass - April 14, 7pm at St. Gertrude & 6:30pm at St. Ann. Good Friday Services - April 15th, 3pm at St. Gertrude & 6:30pm at St. Ann. Good Friday Stations of the Cross at 3pm - St. Ann. Easter Vigil Mass - April 16th, 8pm at St. Gertrude and St. Ann.

Easter Sunday Masses - April 17th, 7am, 9am, 11am at St. Gertrude's and 9am at St. Ann.



#### Save The Date

Mark your calendars for the annual St. Gertrude golf tournament Saturday, June 11, at Wolf Hollow Golf Club. Due to scheduling conflicts, we have been forced to move the tournament from the usual May date to June. The tournament,



which benefits St. Gertrude School, will start at the usual time: 1 p.m. Lunch and supper will be served. Join us for a great day of golf and fellowship while helping your parish and school!

#### **Bulletin via E-Mail**

We have the ability to have the parish bulletin sent to your email each week. This is a service our bulletin company LPI offers and we want to make it available to our parishioners. If you would like to receive an email every week containing the church bulletin,

please send an email to Kristina Unerstall at stann.unerstall@yhti.net and we will put you on the list.



"My Immaculate Heart will be your refuge and the way that will lead you to God."

> Rosary Rally Wednesday April 13th

1:00 pm St. Francis Borgia Church Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet Litany of Loretto

You are invited to join us as we ask the Blessed Mother's intercessions for our personal needs and peace in the world, especially those suffering in Ukraine.

All are welcome to pray with us!

#### NOTICE TO STUDENTS & PARENTS:

Application forms to apply for a monetary grant from the Knights of Columbus Council #1121 to attend SFBRHS

for the 2022/2023 school year are available from the Principal's Offices at SFBRHS, SFBGS, OLLGS & STGGS.



#### Full Time Math/Science Teacher

Middle School Math and Science Teacher - St. Gertrude is seeking a qualified, energetic, faith-filled individual to teach 7th grade homeroom and middle school Science and Math. Candidates must be able to collaborate with the other faculty/ staff members, have excellent classroom management skills,

and have effective communication skills. Interested applicants should send a cover letter, resume and references to Debbie Wells at <u>wellsd@sgs-krakow.com</u> and

complete the Archdiocesan application at http://www.archstl.org/education.

## FORMED

Don't forget about all the awesome resources on **Formed**.

# Here are the <u>sign up instructions</u> to sign up for **FORMED**.

- 1. Visit FORMED.org
- 2. Click Sign Up
- 3. Select "Sign Up As A Parishioner"
- 4. Find St Gertrude by parish name, address, or zip
- 5. Enter your email and you're in!



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