ST. GERTRUDE CHURCH

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Mass Times

Saturday: 4:30 pm Sunday: 7:30am & 10:30am Mon. - Wed. 8:00am Tuesdays before the 8:00am Mass -Perpetual Help Devotions

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

Parish Office Hours Monday—Thursday 8am—4pm Closed Fridays in the summer

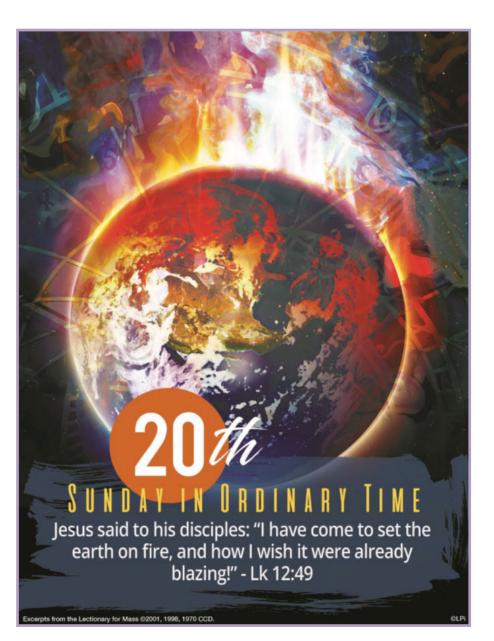
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20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME AUGUST 14, 2022



FORMING FUTURE SAINTS, AS WE WELCOME DISCIPLES

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Weekly Mass Intentions

Saturday, August 13, 2022 4:30 pm Gerald & Dorothy Trentmann Sunday, August 14, 2022 7:30 am People of the Parish 10:30am Carolyn Brandt Monday, August 15, 2022 8:00 am Julius Riley Sr. Tuesday, August 16, 2022 8:00 am Frank & Barbara Miesner Wednesday, August 17, 2022 8:00 am Eric Glastetter Thursday, August 18, 2022 8:00 am NO MASS Friday, August 19, 2022 8:00 am NO MASS Saturday, August 20, 2022 4:30 pm Ray Virgen Sunday, August 21, 2022 7:30 am People of the Parish 10:30 am Norma Kohne

Please note, intentions may be moved due to changes in the Mass Schedule

ALTAR FLOWERS

There are no Altar Flower donations for the weekend of



August 27th/28th, September 3rd/4th, 10th/11th, 17th/18th weekends please call the parish office if you are interested in any of those weekends. Thank you.

Please Pray for: Charlotte Heimann, Bernie Hillerman, Lynn Riegel, Raejean Lause, Shirley Neier, Mary Beth Peters, Devon McNew, Jeff Hinnah, Ed Marquart 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, Luke Kleekamp, Joey Peterson

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.

<u>Cemetery Clean-up</u>

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.



Schroeder Insurance 636-583-2296 or 636-239-1130



From the Pastor's Pen

The game is on - St. Gertrude School resumes on Tuesday, August 16th!!! As you can see in the listing below we again have an excellent faculty; I know we will have another blessed year. Please keep our students, parents, faculty and staff in your prayers as we begin this new school year. *All School Masses* will resume at the 8am Mass, Wednesday, August 24th. All are

welcome to join these fun, lively Masses!

Fr. Carl

St. Gertrude Faculty and Staff 2022-2023

Pam Scheible - Principal Tina VanBooven - Secretary Molly Prince - Nurse Stephanie Lane - Cafeteria Preschool Director - Monica Jarvis Preschool Teachers - Monica Jarvis Theresa Wolfe Tanya Lebish Cierstyn Jacquin Kindergarten - Jill Rees Maddy Coomes - Aide First Grade - Debbie Mowry Missy Nobel - Aide Second Grade - Jill Bleckmann Third Grade - Amanda Skornia Fourth Grade - Stacie Newbanks Fifth Grade - Joe Marquart (Religion, Science and Social Studies) Christine Skornia (Math and Language Arts) 6th Grade - Homeroom Donna Sieve (6-8 Religion) 7th Grade - Homeroom Kathy Lause (6-8 Math and Science) 8th Grade - Homeroom Kim Spiroff (6-8 Language Arts) Resource - Ken Rankin (5-8) Maggie Potts (K-4) Music - Steve Leslie Art/PE - Cathay Peterson Computer/STEM - Amanda Forget

St. Gertrude BBQ Stand

The St. Gertrude BBQ Stand will be open every Sunday through Sunday, August 28th. There will be no drive-thru, so just park and walk-up to window to place and pick-up your order. Serving BBQ pork steaks, BBQ chicken in a red (BBQ) or



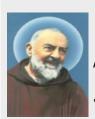
white (Pineapple vinegar) sauce, Fried chicken, Baked beans, Slaw, potato salad, french fries.

Are You Celebrating 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, or over 50 Years of Marriage during 2022?

> Join Archbishop Rozanski Wedding Jubilee Mass Sunday, October 9, 2022 Cathedral Basilica of Saint Louis 2:30 p.m.



For details or to register by <u>Sept. 9, 2022</u>, visit *archstl.org/ jubilee* or call 314.792.7171.



"Praying With Padre Pio"

<u>Next prayer service is on 9/4 following</u> <u>the 7:30am Mass</u> At this prayer service, we come together to pray for personal, communal, and universal healing. Join us every 1st Sunday of the month following 7:30am Mass."

Everyone is welcome to come and pray with us at any time.

Every Holy Mass, heard with devotion, produces in our souls marvelous effects, abundant spiritual and material graces which we, ourselves, do not know. - Padre Pio

Fall Cemetery Cleanup St. Gertrude Church Cemetery and St .Francis Borgia Church Cemetery

Fall clean-up at both parish cemeteries will be September 1-15. All flowers and items need to be removed by September 1st. New items can be placed on



nber 1st. New items can be placed or after September 15. Thank you.

150 CLUB

Our 150 Club winner from the July 2022 Drawing.

Bob Diener

Congratulations!

Thank you to all the members of the 150 club for your support of SGS!

<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. http://smile.amazon.com/ch/43-0685343



Parish Office Closed

The parish office will be closed Monday, August 15th in observance of The Assumption.

We want to welcome the recently baptized.

Demi Louise Robison daughter of Travis & Diane Robison



Congratulations and Welcome to the Church!

Calendar of Events

August 14 Sun		
August 15 Mon	Volleyball practice - 5pm - PC	
August 16 Tues	gust 16 Tues Parish Rosary - 6pm—Church	
August 17 Wed	Volleyball practice - 5pm - PC	
August 18 Thurs	gust 18 Thurs Quilting - 8:30am - HH	
August 19 Fri		
August 20 Sat	Rental - OH	

August 14, 2022 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"Do you think I have come to give you peace on Earth? No, I tell you, but rather division." LUKE 12:51 Many of us like to play it safe, not cause waves with our family and friends, especially when it comes to politics and religion. We don't want to cause any turmoil. However, many times this is at the expense of the truth. The truth being Jesus Christ. Too many people are misguided because they rely on their own limited human ability to reason and are not allowing faith in God to guide them. Form your conscience; take a stance for life, marriage and religious liberty.



Fatima Rosary

On the 13th day of the month thru October, we will be praying the rosary at the Pavilion by the old hall at 7pm. All are welcome to come and pray together for peace.

Collection Report for August 6 & 7				
	WEEKLY			
Adult Envelopes	\$8,878			
Loose Offering	\$33			
Electronic Giving (Budget)	\$3,577			
Total Weekly Contributions	\$12,488			

Special Collection Report August 6 & 7				
	WEEKLY			
Votive	\$45			
Assumption	\$35			
Insurance Assessment	\$10			
SVDP	\$275			
School Donation	\$357			
Mission Co-Op	\$393			
Parish Improvement	\$20			



August 20 & 21	Lector	Eucharistic Ministers	Servers	Ushers
4:30pm Mass	Matt Ruegg	Robin Birke, John Hillerman, Kathy Obermark	Knight's of Columbus	Tim & Brenda Hellmann
7:30am Mass	Sandi Jett	Matt Nowak, Pam Nowak, Chris Lause	Volunteers	Mike Brinker, Ken Feldmann, Harold Gildehaus & Dave Gildehaus
10:30am Mass	Donna Pruitt	Christy Puff, Andy Knight & Volunteer	Volunteers	Gene Roetheli & Volunteers
Home Minister		Matt/Pam Nowak & Gary Jacquin		





Extend an invitation....

Do you have a friend or family member who is interested in learning more about our Catholic

faith? Someone who has not been baptized or someone who has been baptized in another Christian faith who may have indicated to you they are searching for a sense of community? What about someone who was baptized Catholic who has not completed their full initiation into the Church by receiving the Holy Eucharist or Confirmation? Someone you know may just be waiting for an invitation. RCIA is an ancient tradition in the Church in which a person is introduced and exposed to the richness of our prayer, history, worship, beliefs and morality. The process allows a person to grow and discern their path to full communion with the Catholic Church without obligation. The next RCIA journey will begin the week of August 29. If you know someone who may be interested in learning more about our Catholic faith, please extend an invitation and encourage them to contact the parish office.

ALL THINGS NEW YOUNG ADULT SURVEY

Based on the results of the Discipleship Maker Index (DMI) that was offered in the spring of this year, seeing an increase in young adult involvement is the top priority of the archdiocese. In response, the All Things New Team, the Office of Young Adult Ministry and the Young Adult Ministry Subcommittee have created a survey to gather feedback from young adults.

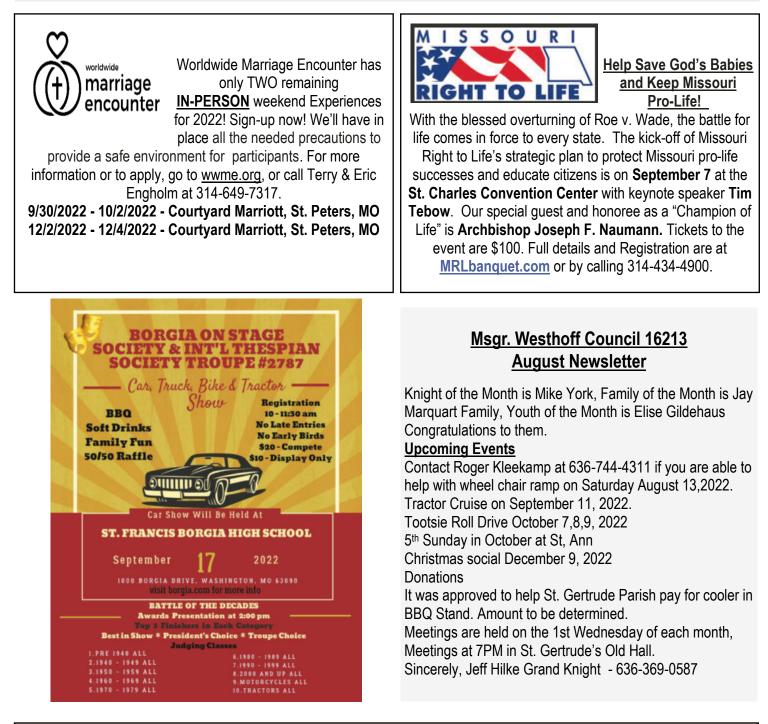
All young adults whether single, discerning, married, priest or religious, with or without children, ages 18-39 are encouraged to fill out the survey. Here they may anonymously share their beliefs and interests, their needs, their experience in parishes, and their hopes for the future if the church in St. Louis. Responses are due by September 12th with a report being published in October.

To learn more visit the All Things New Website: <u>https://allthingsnew.archstl.org/Ways-to-Engage/Young-Adult</u> <u>-Survey</u>

Marriage Preparation Class: ENHANCED

Engaged couples can experience a unique Marriage Preparation Class: ENHANCED event which includes the opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation on Saturday and Sunday Mass with recognition and special blessing. The next **Marriage Preparation Class ENHANCED** program will be held at **Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary in O'Fallon, MO on August 27 & 28**. The Marriage Preparation Class: ENHANCED brings couples closer to Christ through the sacraments. For more information or to register, visit marriageprepstl.org





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

August 20 - St. Clare Catholic Annual Picnic. 11am to 6pm serving chicken dinners. Drive thru available from 11am to 2pm. Lots to do for The whole family.

August 28 - St. Anthony Parish Festival. 11am to 5pm Fried chicken dinners served. Dine in to 4pm, Drive Thru to 5pm.

Sept. 10 - St. Ann's Dinner Auction. Doors open at 5:30pm. Ribeye steak and chicken dinner. \$50 a person. Call the parish office for for tickets or go online to www.stannchurchcloverbottom.org.



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