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COME SERVE WITH US & COME PRAY WITH US

PLEASE GIVE THIS YOUR ON-GOING ATTENTION

The Covid-19 coronavirus pandemic continues to affect many parish life activities and our worship together. Our **Parish Directory** reflects our hope for schedules to return to something more normal in the fall of 2020.

Continue to consult the **Parish Bulletin** for more specific real-time information as well as listen for the most recent information being announced by **St. Louis County** and the **State of Missouri**.

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From the teachings of St. Giovanni Montini, Pope Paul VI, 1967

CELEBRATING MASS & SACRAMENTS

Liturgy of the Eucharist (Weekend & Weekday Masses)

Saturday **4:00 pm** (CST) / **5:00 pm** (DST)

Sunday 9:30 am

Monday 7:30 am

Trinity Catholic High School When in Session

Tuesday - Friday 8:00 am

Holy Days of Obligation 9:00 am & 7:00 pm

Civil Holidays See Bulletin Mass Intentions for Time

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 2:30-3:30 pm

3:30-4:30 pm (Daylight Savings Time)

Day & Evening Times during Advent & Lent Weekdays Anytime by Appointment with Fr. Mike at Home / Church

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

1st Saturday of Every Month—After Evening Mass 3rd Sunday of Every Month—After 9:30 am Mass Anytime by Appointment with Fr. Mike at Home / Church

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday 8:30 am -12:00 midnight

Perpetual Help Devotions

8:30 am—After Tuesday Morning Weekday Mass

Parish Rosary

8:30 am—After Weekday Mass

3:30 pm CST / 4:30 pm CDT—Monthly on 3rd Saturdays

7:30 am & 10:00 am—Monthly on 3rd Sundays

THE ONGOING PRIORITIES OF OUR PARISH COMMUNITY

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mission notes

we are a mission parish with a mission

from: father mike / november 22nd, 2020
our hearts are filled with gratitude and hope

partnerships in ministry

Room at the Inn

Room at the Inn is a charity **assisting homeless women and children** in the St. Louis County area. Room at the Inn **networks with area churches** to provide a safe place for clients to have dinner, spend the night and have breakfast in the morning. Holy Name of Jesus is one of these network churches.

Since the Covid-19 pandemic began last March, clients have been staying at the RATI center in Normandy and not going to the area churches. This sheltering in place has put a strain on their resources.

To help relieve some of the strain we will be **collecting** much needed supplies for Room at the Inn from now until December 19.

Over the next few weeks, please leave your donations in the box marked "Room At The Inn" located in the back vestibule of the church. If you would prefer to make a monetary gift or a gift card donation, please place it in an envelope marked "Room at the Inn" and put it in the collection basket in church or drop it off at the Parish Office.

Thank you for your generous support.

Donations through December 19th

RATI wish list

Bath Tissue and/or Paper Towel Paper Plates and/or Plastic Cutlery

Paper Cups
Foil and/or Plastic Wrap
Storage Bags (quart & gallon size)
Food Storage Containers
Trash Bags (13 & 44 gallon or larger)

Laundry Detergent and/or Fabric Softener Liquid Dish Soap Bar Soap Hand and Body Lotion Shampoo & Conditioner

Bath Towels (new) and/or Wash Cloths (new) Socks, All Sizes and Genders Mesh Laundry Bags

Women's sweat pants, pajama bottoms and colored T-shirts (Med, Lg, XL, XXL, XXXL)
Men's sweat pants, pajama bottoms and white and colored

T-shirts (Med, Lg, XL, XXL, XXXL)

Gift cards for grocery stores, Walmart, gas stations Bus Passes



Grant that all the faithful of the Church, looking into the signs of the times by the light of faith, may constantly devote themselves to the service of the Gospel.

Keep us attentive to the needs of all that sharing their grief and pain, their joy and hope, we may faithfully bring them the good news of salvation and go forward with them along the way of your Kingdom.

Jesus, the Way to the Father Roman Missal, Eucharistic Prayer for Various Needs III

partnerships as a parish priority

Partnerships envision using our parish resources, in particular, our parish facilities and our financial assets, to attract the people, the programs, and the funds of other organizations to join us in the mission of the Catholic Church in northeast St. Louis County. Partnerships also strive to encourage any Catholic of our Archdiocese to consider becoming an **Associate Member** of our parish, especially those who may have a strong interest, a special expertise, or personal experience that would help our parish to ensure the vitality of the communities we are here to serve. At times partnerships with organizations or individuals may also be important source of revenues in support of our parish budget.

If you would like to know more about the nature and importance of the partnerships supporting the life and welfare of our parish, please check out pages 8 & 9 of your new **Parish Directory**. These were sent to all parish households in late September and early October.

ADVENT- A SEASON OF REAL HOPE

LIVING IN THE ABSENCE OF ANGELS



Mary — Mother of Evangelization

In the life of Mary,
Gabriel comes and goes.
God invites her to carry forward
the work of salvation
by trusting the promise —
"Nothing will be impossible
for God".

Even with unanswered questions, concerns, and fears, Mary responds "Yes!" and models for us a life of faith-filled determination.

Mary obtain for us renewed zeal in bringing to everyone the Good News of the life that is victorious over death.

Mary intercede for us so that we can acquire the holy audacity needed to discover new ways to bring the gift of salvation to every man and woman.

Pope Francis, World Mission Sunday June 4th, 2017—Urging the Virgin Mother to help us say our own "Yes", conscious of the urgent need to make the Good News of Jesus resound in our time. **EVERY ONE OF US HAS WISHED AND PROBABLY EVEN PRAYED FOR AN ANGEL TO COME TO OUR RESCUE.** There's something inside of us all that wants God to fix things, quickly and magically. We want fewer unfolding mysteries in our lives and more problem solving grace.

We can sometimes forget that faith is a two-way street. Angels reveal that we can trust God's presence and care for us in our troubles and difficulties. But, angels also remind us—especially in their absence, when we think they're not around—that God has faith in us. We are gifted in ourselves and with each other. We human beings have all that we need, not simply to survive but to thrive. Our very existence, much less the quality of our lives, so often hinges on putting every once of our minds, hearts, bodies, and souls into what needs to be done.

Christian hope is a powerful social resource at the service of integral human development.

It encourages reason and gives it the strength to direct the will.

It is a force that builds community; it brings people together without imposing barriers or limits.

Charity in Truth, 2009, Pastoral Letter of Pope Benedict XVI

This year—possibly more than ever—we need Advent to be a season of real hope. Our hope is real because we choose to stand together during challenging times. Fear cannot dominate the life of a person who knows they are not alone. Our hope is real because we encourage each other—young and old—not to surrender too easily our hopes and dreams. They too are from God and clearly point the way beyond every seemingly unsolvable problem.

DURING THE SEASON OF ADVENT we invite parishioners to **gather together in church or in spirit at home on these days and times to pray**—remembering and anticipating God's faith in us to be Good News in a world much in need of hope—here and now and forever.

Wednesday December 2nd 7:00pm

Father Mike will be in church for confessions on

Thursday, **December 3**4:00—5:00pm
Thursday, **December 10**2:00—3:00pm
Monday, **December 14**7:00-8:00pm **Saturdays** 2:30-3:30pm

Tuesday December 8th 9:00am & 7:00pm

There is no obligation to attend Mass on this day.

Wednesday December 16th 7:00pm

Knowing How Much We Need God

A Service of Reconciliation & Healing

With scripture, song, and prayer we will remember and celebrate that our journey of faith is a communal adventure. Together we will confess our weariness and weakness, and confirm our resolve to stay with each other—and all who may want to be in our company.

Because of the current Covid-19 pandemic individual confessions will not be a part of this evenings service

See the schedule at the left if you desire to receive this sacrament during Advent.

Remembering We Were Born for Greatness

Masses for the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception We celebrate Mary's cooperation with grace. She models for us the continuing wonder of just how much God wants to save the world—and our part in this!

Waiting for God's Next Move

A Wonder Filled Evening of Prayer, Scripture & Music With quiet expectation we prepare ourselves for the celebration of Christmas—a joy no difficulty can take from those who keep believing God is with us.

Rest in Peace &

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Eunice Zorumski, Ted Stocker and all who have died this week. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.

PLEASE PRAY for:

Donna Lane, Bob Seidel Jr, John Spaedy, Matt Cody, Bernette Goymerac, Mildred Miller, Mary Masterson, Gerri Gardocki, Tim Downs, Cooper Treacy, John Baboer, Maureen Williams, Gerri Yester, Mary Williams, Al Haines, Jerry Nogalski, Mary Lou Sammelman, Tom Koerper, Nancy Berwin, Patty Corbin, Chris Deaton, Glen Marstall, Anne Marlowe, Dorothy Anderson, Marcella Hodge, Ken Kleinberg, Betty Kondracki, Shirley Loy, Mary Singler, Joan Geerling, Carol Jones, Steve Jones, Parker Jackson, Jennifer Lumetta, Mike Swoboda,

In The Hospital...

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Monday November 23

No Mass

Tuesday November 24

8:00am Homer Zigler

Wednesday November 25 8:00am Joseph & Anna

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Thursday November 26 9:00am Eugene J. Barylski

Friday November 27

8:00am Maria

Saturday 4:00pm November 28 Regina Mass

Sunday November 29

Alma & Eugene Uhlenbrock



Stewardship of Treasure Your Gifts of Support for Our Parish Mission

November 15, 2020	\$6,938.37
Online Giving (included)	\$1,268.00
Budgeted weekly offertory -	\$8,028.00
This week's <loss></loss>	\$1,089.63
Budgeted weekly expenses -	\$12,843.00
This week's shortfall -	<\$5,904.63>



LECTORS

November 28

4:00pm Joan Aslin

November 29

9:30am Pat Behle

PRAYER CHAIN

If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, please call either Marjorie Dubray @741-9926 or Betty Kondracki @ 868-0176

Prayer of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that you are
Present in the most Blessed
Sacrament. I love You above all
Things and I desire to receive You
Into my soul. Since I cannot now
Receive You sacramentally, come at
Least spiritually into my heart. I
Embrace You as if You have already
Come, and unite myself wholly to
You. Never permit me to be
Separated from You.
Amen

A message from your St. Vincent de Paul Society

Thanks to everyone who continues to donate through your monthly blue envelopes, as well as memorials and donations. It's because of your kindness and generosity that we're able to help so many neighbors in need. Also, if you're looking for a meaningful Christmas gift for someone on your list this year, you can make a donation in their honor. It's a beautiful way to show how much you appreciate them by honoring them with a gift that helps your neighbors in need. Donation envelopes can be found in the front of the St. Vincent de Paul collection bins which are located at all the church exits. And if you would like to have your gift acknowledgement sent to the recipient closer to the holidays, just note the date you want them to receive it on the donation card, or it can be sent to you for you to share at your gift exchange. Thanks, too for all the donations of clothing and shoes that have been deposited in the Thrift Store container on the parking lot, especially over the past few months. We receive a check from the Thrift Store every time the container is full! God bless you all for your continuing generosity!!

ATTENTION

The collection on Thanksgiving will be for the benefit of our St. Vincent De Paul Society. This year due to COVID we ask that you bring your donations and place them in baskets by the communion rail, before or after Mass. Thank you for your support!

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — I will rescue my scattered sheep (Ezekiel 34:11-12, 15-17).

Psalm — The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want (Psalm 23).

Second Reading — As in Adam all die, so too in Christ all shall be brought to life (1 Corinthians 15:20 -26, 28).

Gospel — Whatever you did to the least ones, you did to me (Matthew 25:31-46).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rv 14:1-3, 4b-5; Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6;

Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday: Rv 14:14-19; Ps 96:10-13; Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday: Rv 15:1-4; Ps 98:1-3ab, 7-9; Lk 21:12

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Thursday: Rv 18:1-2, 21-23; 19:1-3, 9a; Ps

100:1b-5; Lk 21:20-28

Thanksgiving Day (suggested):

Sir 50:22-24; Ps 145:2-11; 1 Cor 1:3-

9; Lk 17:11-19

Friday: Rv 20:1-4, 11 — 21:2; Ps 84:3-6a, 8a;

Lk 21:29-33

Saturday: Rv 22:1-7; Ps 95:1-7ab; Lk 21:34-36

Sunday: Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7;

Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19; 1 Cor 1:3-9;



Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe November 22, 2020

"I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink."
— *Matthew 25:35*



Sanctuary Light in Memory of ...

Near every Tabernacle burns a Sanctuary Light which symbolizes the real presence of Jesus in the Tabernacle.

Once again we are going to continue the practice of dedicating the Sanctuary Light Candle in memory of a member of our Parish family who has died over the past year. During our All Souls Day Mass, a candle was lit for those who died over the past year. Candles that were lit at the Nov. 2nd will be the candle used each week as our Sanctuary Light as a reminder of their ever presence with us as part of the Communion of Saints. Seasonally/Monthly we will publish the names of who the weekly Sanctuary Light will be in memory of.

The Sanctuary Lights in used during the Advent and Christmas Season

will be in memory of

Week of November 29 Frank Albers

Week of December 7 Jerry Alsop

Week of December 14 Regina Anderson

Week of December 23 Tom Binder
Week of December 28 Georgia Carter

Week of January 4 Lawrence Clements



Marygrove Christmas Champions

The holidays are here and the kids at Marygrove will soon be given the wonderful Christmas they've always deserved- one that includes sledding and decorating cookies, gathering around the table for dinner and opening presents on Christmas morning. Bring joy to a child at a time when they need it the most. Be a Marygrove Christmas Champion and help give over 200 children a holiday experience they will always remember.

- Purchase gifts on a child's wish list and drop off, unwrapped, at Marygrove by December 11th
- Make a financial contribution: \$150 provides gifts and holiday fun for one child; \$2,500 provides gifts and festivities for all 15 kids in a cottage!
- Host a group collection or toy drive

To participate or learn more, visit https://marygrovechildren.org/get-involved/donate-now/christmas-donations/. or contact Eva at 314.830.6249, eschuller@mgstl.org.



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