

# Welcome to St. Martin of Tours Catholic Church 610 West Ripa Avenue St. Louis, MO 63125



#### **Mass Schedule**

Monday - Saturday 8 a.m. Saturday 4 p.m. Sunday 7:30 & 10 a.m.

#### Masses on Holy Days National Holidays

Consult Bulletin

#### Confessions (Sacrament of Penance) Saturday 3 - 3:45 p.m.

#### **Eucharistic Adoration**

From 8:30 a.m. Wednesday through 3 p.m. First Friday

&

Every Sunday Evening Adoration and Rosary 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

#### **Baptisms**

Contact parish office to register for baptism

#### Marriages

Contact parish office at least six months prior to wedding

#### **Parish Contact Info**

Phone: 314-544-5664 Fax: 314-631-3118

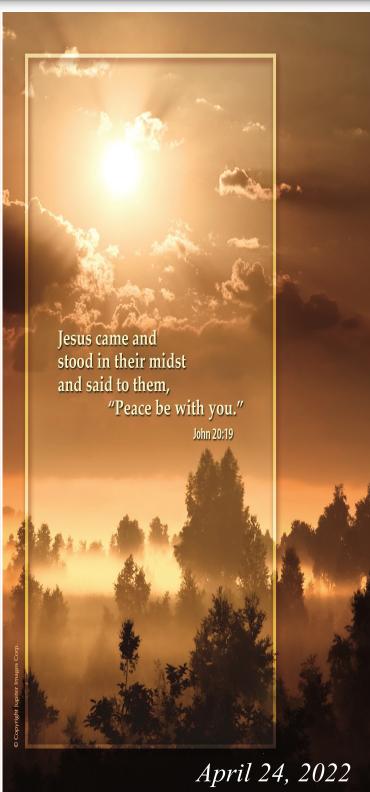
#### Website

http://stmartinoftours.com

Society of St. Vincent DePaul 314-296-3733

#### **Parish Office Hours**

Monday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 3 p.m.



#### **Pastor**

Rev. Noah A. Waldman 314-544-5664 frwaldmansmt@yahoo.com

#### **Deacons**

Rev. Mr. Kurt Loeffler kurtloeffler@archstl.org

Rev. Mr. Edward Fronick edfronick@charter.net

#### Administrative Assistant

Patty Stevens patriciasmt@yahoo.com

### **Acolyte and Sacristan** Mr. George Mueller

Maintenance Mr. Rick Jobin Mrs. Bridget Gabel

### SUNDAY CONTRIBUTIONS

General \$ 5053

Loose \$ 895

On-Line \$ 2120

April 4-10

Subtotal \$ 8068

Special Collections \$890

**Total:** \$ 8958





#### Group 4 Chairman Kenny Harangozo

Captains: Frank Speck & Kristine Keifer Caller: Alex Henderson

Cashiers: Debbie Baumann & Marie Fendler/Stephanie Parker

Pull Tab Sellers: Bob Villani, Apollo Westrich, Greg Buck, Jim Baumann & Tyler Effinger

Pull Tab Stand: Kristine Kiefer, Greg Hrbacek & Frank Speck

White Progressive: \$2500 Purple: \$500

Thank you to the Bingo players and our SMT Volunteers!

#### MONEY COUNTERS

#### **LECTORS**

<b>Monday</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Monday</b>	Saturday, April 30 @ 4 p.m.
April 25	May 2	May 9	Stephanie Parker
Debbie Baumann	Larry Skaggs	Ken Harangozo	Sunday, May 1 @ 7:30 a.m.
Jim Baumann	Frank Ziegler	Greg Buck	Rich Wenk
Mike Zoia	Apollo Westrich	Ken McWhorter	Sunday, May 1 @ 10 a.m.
Dave Kassebaum	John Schmitt	Tom Tettamble	Marge Fedke

#### MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

8 a.m.	Monday Holy Souls in Purgatory	8 a.m.	Saturday Leroy Judd +
8 a.m.	Tuesday Madelyn Witte +	+	+ 3rd Sunday of Easter + +
8 a.m.	Wednesday Rosina Vergano +	4 p.m.	Saturday Sharon Hill +
8 a.m.	Thursday Lee Judd +	7:30 a.m.	Sunday People of the Parish
8 a.m.	Friday Rich Dittman +	10 a.m.	Sunday Francis and Margie Minden +

#### DAILY MASS READINGS

MONDAY 25 St Mark Evangelist	TUESDAY 26	WEDNEDAY 27	THURSDAY 28 St Peter Chanel	FRIDAY 29 St Catherine of Siena	SATURDAY 30 St Pius V	SUNDAY 1 3rd Sunday of Easter
Ps 89:2-3, 6-	Ps 93:1-2, 5	Acts 5:17-26 Ps 34:2-9 Jn 3:16-21	Acts 5:27-33 Ps 34:2&9, 17-20 Jn 3:31-36	Acts 5:34-42 Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14 Jn 6:1-15	Acts 6:1-7 Ps 33:1-2, 4- 5, 18-19 Jn 6:16-21	Acts 5:27-32, 40-41 Ps 30:2-6,11-13 Rev 5:11-14 Jn 21:1-19

#### PLEASE KEEP THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS

**HOSPICE** Larry Skaggs

Bill Stemmeler **SERIOUS** Mark B.

Mary Montgomery Sharon K. Chris Acksel Jeanne Fedke (D)

Arthur Austermann

Lisa Haddox

William Machino. Jr. IN REHAB Lynne & Dino Bova

**ILLNESS** 

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Helen Iadevito CHRONIC Joyce Taylor

Linda Hoefl Carol Venverloh

Frank & Tony V.

Ruth Ann Sullivan

Kenny McWhorter Sr. Charlotte Brown

# IT'S THE 2022 ACA KICKOFF!

Scott K.

Frank U.

THANK YOU for your past support of the Annual Catholic Appeal. This year's goal is just a bit higher from last year.

Goal for St. Martin of Tours \$36,110

The Archdiocese and the people it serves rely upon our kindness. So be as generous as you are able!

May God Reward You,











#### 50+ CLUB THANKS ALL FOR THEIR GENEROUS **DONATIONS**

The 50+ Club is sending a big THANK YOU to those that helped us with a very successful April Showers Charity Donation Drive. We collected over 365 toiletry items for "Forces for Food" formerly the Jefferson Barracks Military/Veteran Food Pantry, allowing us to give back on April 13<sup>th</sup> to our active military and veterans – our men and women in uniform and those that have previously served.

The 50+ Club THANKS YOU for helping us provide in our community!

# A BIG THANK YOU to all who worked and supported our SPRING BARBEQUE.

It was a huge success with a profit of \$4,000.

Our next BBQ will be in the Fall.



# ALL THINGS NEW SURVEY FOR CATHOLIC EDUCATION

Please take part in Part 2 of the All Things New Survey, which will give you the opportunity to give your input on the way Catholic education is handled in the Archdiocese of St. Louis. The survey is *not* specific to St. Martin of Tours but applies to your past experiences, whether personally your own, or what you experienced with your children, and also they will be collecting your input for ideas about how to handle Catholic education in the future. This survey will be available on-line only by going to our parish website and clicking the All Things New Catholic Education Survey tab. Thanks for your help!

### Thought for the week

Ephesians 4:23-24

Acquire a fresh, spiritual way of thinking. You must put on that new man created in God's image, whose justice and holiness are born of truth.

# Getting to know the Risen Christ A Women's Evening of Recollection

Monday, May 2nd St. Margaret Mary Alacoque Church 7:30 -9:00 p.m.

This is an opportunity for women to come together and pray about walking closely with Christ. Growing in our awareness that He is alive and desires to accompany us in our daily lives.

A priest of the Opus Dei prelature will give a meditation to help us consider this topic. There will also be the opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Fr. Samuel Inameti will be available during that time. Recollection will begin at 7:30 p.m.

For women of all ages, from college age to those of us further along in adulthood! Feel free to invite your friends. RSVP is not necessary, but if you have any questions, contact Theresa Archer at tessarcher@sbcglobal.net or 314-954-4155.

For more information on Opus Dei please visit the website at https://opusdei.org/en-us/



We mourn the loss of our parish family member

### Carole Brown

who died peacefully Wednesday April 13, 2022

Eternal rest grant unto her,
O Lord,
and let perpetual light shine upon her.
May her soul and the souls of all the
faithful departed through the mercy of
God rest in peace.





# Pastor's Pen

#### Dear St. Martin of Tours Family and Friends, Happy Easter! And Happy Divine Mercy Sunday!



Here is a rather remarkable statue of Jesus, a Lithuanian devotion of "Jesus the Worrier."

Could Jesus worry? St. Paul tells us, "Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God" (Philippians 4:6). St. Peter tells us, "Cast all your anxiety on Him because he cares for you" (1 Peter 5:7).

And Our Lord tells us, "Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid" (John 14:27).

So did Jesus actually worry? Certainly he felt fear. Certainly he felt anxiety. Even so, we also know that Jesus is with us in our worrying and, since he loves us so much, he carries our worries with him to transform them into peace.

Let us cast our worries, therefore, upon our friends in Heaven. Our Lord Jesus and His Mother (and Joseph, too), will remain present in every event, every assault on peace, every moment of suffering that comes to their children on Earth. All of Heaven is united to Earth in every attack against it.

Our Jesus has a beautiful plan for humanity, a beautiful plan for his children's existence on Earth. There are so many wonderful things to see and experience, to enjoy and love.

So maintain focus on what is being created every day for you, instead of what you fear might be destroyed or taken away. If you do, you will become full of hope, and your contact with Heaven will remain peacefully uninterrupted. Your time with Jesus, Mary, the Three Divine Person, and all the saints in prayer will bring delight in everything around you, and being with your Heavenly Family will help prevent that anxious curiosity and dread of those things which, whether real or imagined, are nowhere near you.

# DASH'S DEN

#### I WANT ALL THE BONES!

Dear Humans,

I heard a word that's new to me: "SHARE!" Daddy said that word to me a few times lately, once when I was playing with Shannon the West Highland Terrier, and another time when I was playing with Rusty the Goldendoodle. I don't know what the word "share" means. But what I do know is that I want ALL THE BONES! Yes, give me all the bones! Mine! Mine mine mine! WOOF!

So here's what happened: Shannon and I were both given a bone. I liked my one bone, so I wanted Shannon's bone. 2 > 1! So I took Shannon's bone. Little Shannon cried and wanted the bone that was once hers but was now mine. I growled at Shannon and I got my way. MINE!

A week later, Rusty and I were both different given a kind of bone. I liked really bone! So I wanted Rusty's bone, too. That's why I took it him. from Rustv cried and wanted the bone that was once his but was



now mine. I growled at Rusty and I got my way. **MINE!** 

I don't see what the problem is. If I can have *ALL the bones*, why can't I have them *ALL?* I'm a tough guy, so I get what I want! 2 > 1!

Besides. Ι can almost get anything I want from my Dad. Though I know that if Daddy is eating and I try to get his food, he will bop me on the nose and say, "No!" I'm certain, but I think that means Daddy is a tougher dog than me. So he gets to eat his food first. That makes me wonder...

Why would my Dad actually *give me* food? Well, first of all, if Dad didn't give me any food, I would starve! Since he enjoys my company and wants me around, and since all the food is out of my reach, he really has no choice but to feed me. But the second reason I think is more important. You see, after Dad feeds me, and I am full and the food was so yummy, I am so happy! So I make certain to *thank him!* My canine heart bursts with gratitude! Sometimes I jump on him, sometimes I kiss his face, other times I give him my paw. *Maybe that's the reason why he feeds me, because I tell him, "Thank you!"?* I'm not certain, I don't speak human. But this I do know: If Shannon or Rusty were ever to *ask me nicely* to get their bones back and to say *thank you*, I would eagerly acquiesce to their well-bred overtures. But crying and groveling? Such behavior I cannot abide in a dogfriend. It's a dog-eat-dog world out there — so, doggos, show some self-respect! **WOOF!** 





# April 2022



March 27 Fellowship Sunday after 7:30 & 10 a.m. Masses	March 28	March 29 Quilters 9 a.m.	March 30  Adoration begins after 6 p.m. Mass  NO BIBLE STUDY PASTOR WILL BE VISITING FAMILY	March 31  Adoration continues after morning Mass  5th BIBLE STUDY  "How to be Happy"  Matthew 5-7 at 7 p.m. in the church	I FIRST FRIDAY Devotions before Mass 7:30 a.m.  Adoration until Benediction 3 p.m . STATIONS OF THE CROSS 3:00 p.m.	2 FIRST SATURDAY Consecration to Our Lady's Immaculate Heart
3	4 "All Things New" survey ends at mid- night tonight	5 Quilters 9 a.m.	6 SVdP Mtg. 7 p.m. BIBLE STUDY 7 p.m.	7 Quilters 9 a.m. 6th BIBLE STUDY "How to be Happy" Matthew 5-7 at 7 p.m.	8 STATIONS OF THE CROSS 3:00 p.m.	9
10	11	12 Quilters 9 a.m. CONFESSION OPPORTUNITY 5 P.M.—8 P.M.	13 50+ Club Mtg. 11:30 a.m. BIBLE STUDY 7 p.m.	14 Holy Thursday Morning Prayer 8:00 a.m. MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER 7:00 P.M. Women's Club Mtg. & Bunco 7:00 p.m	15 Good Friday Morning Prayer 8:00 a.m. COMMEMORATION OF THE LORD'S PASSION 3 p.m. STATIONS OF THE CROSS 7:00 p.m.	16 Holy Saturday Morning Prayer 8:00 a.m. EASTER VIGIL 8:00 p.m.
17 Easter Sunday Masses 7:30 a.m. and 10 a.m.	18	19 Quilters 9 a.m.	20 BIBLE STUDY 7 p.m.	21 Quilters 9 a.m.	22	23 ACA Kick Off STOCKHOLDERS DRAWING AFTER 4 P.M. MASS
24 Divine Mercy Sunday Fellowship Sunday after 7:30 & 10 a.m. Masses Adoration & Rosary 6:30 p.m7:30 p.m.	25	26 Quilters 9 a.m.	27 BIBLE STUDY 7 p.m.	28 Quilters 9 a.m. Parish Council Mtg. 6 p.m.	29	30