

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

Sacrament of Penance

Saturday 3:00-3:45 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration

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

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

Baptisms

Contact parish office to register for baptism class

Marriages

Contact parish office at least six months prior to wedding

Parish Contact Info

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

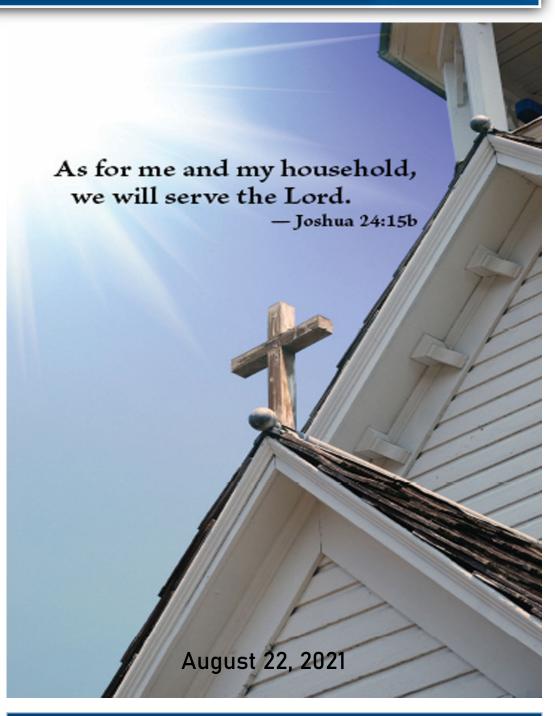
Website

http://stmartinoftours.com

Society of St. Vincent DePaul 314-296-3733

Parish Office Hours

Monday — Thursday 8:30 a.m.—3:00 p.m.



St. Martin of Tours Parish extends a Warm Welcome to all who have come to worship with us. We are honored by your presence. If you would like to join the parish, please contact the parish office.

God Bless You!



Pastor's Pen

Dear St. Martin of Tours Family and Friends,

The Tim Haber, Jr. Memorial Scholarship is still available for any 8th grader who is a child, grandchild, etc. of a St. Martin of Tours parishioner. Requirements and reward information are listed in the foyer of the church. I have extended the application deadline until *Friday*, *September 3*.

Thanks to so many who are doing so much to keep our parishioners engaged in social clubs, activities, prayers, keeping the flowers fresh and lovely, and so much else. Not to mention how generous you have been in our weekly offertory.

But as I have stated before, prayer is more important than anything else in the world. Especially with the pandemic still chugging along, national and international uncertainties of every kind, the continued rise of atheism and anti-Christian sentiment; the list could go on I suppose. So much is out of our hands that the only hands we can turn to are God's hands and the hands of his beloved Mother, the saints, and the angels.

You may have noticed, therefore, a proliferation of images of Mary in our church. We already had in our church three images: Mother of Perpetual Help, The Immaculate Heart, and Our Lady of the Apocalypse (in the sanctuary with the 12 stars). A few years ago, an anonymous donor commissioned an image of Our Lady, Undoer of Knots. And right now, to complete the 8-day celebration between the Assumption (Aug 15 and the Queenship of Mary (Aug. 22), a smaller free-standing statue of Our Lady has been placed om a pedestal near where the baptismal font usually is. So that's five images!



A thought occurred to me last Sunday: The freestanding statue of Our Lady looks very "American," as though she stepped out of an Art Deco mural from the 1920s. Perhaps we can set up a place in the church for Our Lady of America? It so happens there is a devotion to "Our Lady of America, Immaculate Virgin," which has its origin in the revelations of Sr. Mildred Mary Ephrem (1916-2000). It had received great ecclesiastical support until May 7, 2020 when a commission of American bishops declared along with five other bishops that the apparitions were not of supernatural origin. Such declarations of regarding authenticity, while not infallible (see for example the history of the Divine Mercy), are nevertheless to be observed and respected. Only private devotion to "Our Lady of America" is allowed, nothing public.

Even so, let us recall that America already has a wonderful and special manifestation of Our Lady: The Immaculate Conception! This is why last December 8, our parish was consecrated to her protection, and a special plush heart was made to be

placed over her breast to signify her love for us and our trust in her! So, for those of us who wish to pray in a special way for our nation, prayers, flowers, candles, and votives may be offered before her image to the right of the entrance of the church.

As for our lovely American-looking image of Mary, we place her elsewhere on our campus, waiting in the wings. After all, tomorrow is another day.

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

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Patty Stevens patriciasmt@yahoo.com

Acolyte and Sacristan Mr. George Mueller

Music Coordinator Sr. Kathleen Donovan kdonovan@ssndcp.org

Maintenance

Mr. Rick Jobin Mrs. Bridget Gabel

SUNDAY CONTRIBUTIONS

General \$ 3131 Loose \$ 478 On-Line \$ 2220 August 9-15

\$5829

\$ 8852

Subtotal

Total:

Special Collections \$3023

Requiem aeternam dona ea, Domine, et lux perpetua luceat ea.

We mourn the loss of our parish family member

Bernice Hernandez

who passed away Saturday August 14th.

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





Group 4 Chairman Kenny Harangozo

Captain: Frank Speck Caller: Alex Henderson

Cashiers: Stephanie Parker, Debbie Baumann & Nancy Zoia

Machines: Roberta Bachle

Pull Tab Sellers: Greg Buck, Bob Villani, Apollo Westrich, Tylor Effinger, Jim Baumann, Dave Kassebaum, Greg Hrbacek & Mike Zoia

White Progressive: \$7000 Purple \$500

MONEY COUNTERS

LECTORS

Monday August 23	Monday August 30	Tuesday September 7	Saturday, August 28 Stephanie Parker	4:00 p.m.
Larry Skaggs Frank Ziegler Apollo Westrich	Ken Harangozo Greg Buck Ken McWhorter	Jim Heisner Bob Villani Tim Haber	Sunday, August 29 Kathy Harangozo	7:30 a.m.
John Schmitt	Tom Tettamble	George Otto	Sunday, August 29 Lisa Hale	10:00 a.m.

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

8:00 a.m.	Monday Charlotte Brown (for good health)	8:00 a.m.	Saturday Joe Marty+
8:00 a.m.	Tuesday Allen Rauscher+	+ + + 22	nd Sunday in Ordinary Time + + +
8:00 a.m.	Wednesday Suzanne Bresnan+	4:00 p.m.	Saturday People of the Parish
8:00 a.m.	Thursday	7:30 a.m.	Sunday Elbert & Mathlida Witte+
8:00 a.m.	Martha Buck + Friday Al O'Leary+	10:00 a.m.	Sunday Madelyn Witte +

DAILY MASS READINGS

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY 26	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
23	24	25		27	28	29
1 Thes 1:1-5, 8-10 Ps 149:1-6 & 9 Mt 23:13-22	Ps 145:10-13, 17-18	1 Thes 2:9-13 Ps 139:7-12 Mt 23:27-32	1Thes 3:7-13 Ps 90:3-5.	Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 10-12	Ps 98:1, 7-9	Ps 15:2-5

PLEASE KEEP THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS

HOSPICE	Jack York		
SERIOUS ILLNESS	Bill Stemmeler	Frank & Tony V.	Rose S.
	Mark B.	Mary Montgomery	Scott K
	Chris Acksel	Joe Palermo	Jeanne (Fedke) D
IN REHAB	William Machino, Jr.	Lynne & Dino Bova	Linda Cowick
CHRONIC ILLNESS	Helen Iadevito	Sue Jernigan	Ruth Ann Sullivan
	Joyce Taylor	Carol Venverloh	Linda Hoefl
	Linda Ritter	Charlotte Brown	Vince Candela

SEPTEMBER IS CHILDHOOD CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

Every year **Conrad & Ella Haubrich** participate in *Pedal The Cause* in memory of **Brett**. This is a local event that raises funds for cancer research at Siteman Cancer Center and Siteman Kids at St Louis Children's Hospital.



They will be selling pretzels after the Sunday Masses on *September 12*th. Please help them remember Brett and support this wonderful cause.

OLD GLORY

Do you have an old & tattered flag you don't know what to do with? There will be a box in the back of the church starting this weekend where you may drop off those flags that have done their duty and they will be disposed of properly. The box will remain in the church until the weekend after labor Day.





The Women's Auxiliary of St. Vincent de Paul Is Hosting a Card Party

Join us for an afternoon of fun—Play any game you like with old friends or make new friends!

You will have the opportunity to participate in a

Pot of Gold!

Thursday, October 28, 2021
Doors Open at 11:00/Play begins at 11:30
Elks Club, 6330 Heege Road
Lunch and drinks will be served.
Some will even receive an attendance prize!
Cost: \$17.00
All proceeds will be donated to St. Vincent de Paul.

To reserve your spot, please call, text or e-mail

Carolyn Landwehr Yvonne Dematti

vonne Dematti Shirley Brinker 14-752-9097 314-631-8507

314-707-4772 314-752-9097

clandwehr13@gmail.com

Larry & Kenny would like to thank all the volunteers that worked Bingo last Sunday. Their day was long and difficult due to unforeseen issues. We thank you for your time and dedication to St Martin of Tours.



ANNOUNCING THE FIRST SMT ALL ALUMNI BBQ

Sunday, October 3rd 9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. Black Hawk Shelter Gregg Rd. Jefferson Barracks

BBQ meat provided by an alumnus and will include pork steaks, chicken, brats & hamburgers

Please supply a side dish and or dessert Plates, napkins, cutlery, condiments, tablecloths will be provided.

Bring your own drink and chair Spouses and dates welcome and there is a hathroom on site!

Mass is at 10:00 a.m. at SMT Please plan on attending Mass and see the changes that have been made to the inside of church. It has had several renovations since the 1960s.

Please pass the word to alumni you may know.

RSVP by 9/20 to: Gerry (Minden) Duffin Gduffin1950@gmail.com Beth (Garner) Sullivan kbbjos@charter.net



ST. MARTIN OF TOURS 2021 MEMORIAL ANNUAL 4-PERSON GOLF CLASSIC

Benefits are for St. Martin of Tours Father's Club and St. Vincent DePaul Society

Saturday October 2nd, 2021

Mystic Oaks Golf Course 643 Ridge Road Waterloo, ILL Ph# 618-939-4646

COST: \$80 PER PERSON

- REGISTRATION AND LUNCH BEGINS AT 12:00
- SHOTGUN START AT 1:00
- LUNCH & DINNER PROVIDED
- BEVERAGES PROVIDED ON-COURSE

INCLUDES: 18 HOLES OF GOLF WITH CART. BEER AND SODA ON THE COURSE, LUNCH, DINNER AND ATTENDANCE PRIZES. TWO LONGEST DRIVE HOLES, TWO CLOSEST TO THE PIN HOLES, TROPHIES FOR THE WINNING TEAMS.

THREE FLIGHTS (PLEASE CIRCLE ONE)

OPEN

ST. MARTIN

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ST. MARTIN FLIGHT, ALL GOLFERS MUST EITHER BELONG TO OR LIVE IN THE PARISH BOUNDARY OR HAVE GONE TO SCHOOL AT ST. MARTIN OF TOURS ISENIOR FLIGHT, ALL GOLFERS MUST BE 61 YEARS OF AGE BEFORE THE TOURNAMENT

APTAIN NAME	#3 NAME	
HONE	PHONE	
2 NAME	#4 NAME	
HONE	PHONE	

SEND APPLICATIONS AND CHECKS TO: GREG HRBACEK 2068 TELFORD ST. LOUIS, MO. 63125 (314) 267-0448

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: ST. MARTIN OF TOURS FATHER'S CLUB

MERCY HOSPITAL ANNUAL BLOOD DRIVE

Sincere thanks to all who took part in our annual Blood drive. We had 41 presenters, 21 were able to donate and 17 who could not due to various reasons. Mercy was very pleased with our results and have scheduled us for next year.

August 8, 2022

The winners of our two QT gas cards were *Maria Fendler and Alex Henderson*.

Thanks again and mark your calendars!

God Bless, Barb Muich



MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR THE MEN'S CLUB BBQ FRIDAY & SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11 & 12 MORE INFORMATION TO FOLLOW SOON!

Kids needing service hours are welcome to come out and help.

Call:

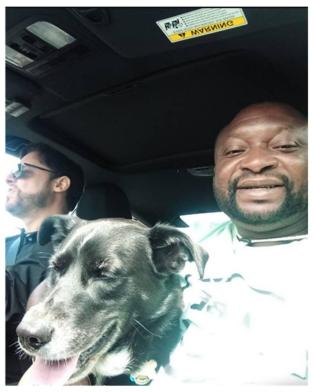
Larry 314 435-1626 or Kenny 314 409-3114



August 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
I Adoration and Rosary 6:30 p.m 7:30 p.m.	2	3 Quilters 9:00 a.m. St. John Paul II Open House 7 p.m.	4 Adoration begins after morning Mass St. Vincent DePaul 7:00 p.m.	5 Adoration continues	6 First Friday Adoration until Benediction 3:00 p.m	7 First Saturday Consecration to Our Lady's Immaculate Heart
8 Adoration and Rosary 6:30 p.m 7:30 p.m.	9 Blood Drive 2-6 p.m. Runge Hall	10 Quilters 9:00 a.m.	11 50 + Club 10:00 a.m.	12 Ladies' Club 7:00 p.m.	13	14 The Assumption of the Bl. Virgin Mary-Vigil Mass at 4 p.m.
15 The Assumption of the Bl. Virgin Mary Adoration and Rosary 6:30 p.m7:30 p.m.	16	17 Quilters 9:00 a.m.	18	19	20	21 Stockholders Club Drawing at 4 p.m. Mass
22 Fellowship Sunday after 7:30 & 10:00 a.m. mass Adoration and Rosary 6:30 p.m7:30 p.m.	23	24 Quilters 9:00 a.m.	25	26 Parish Council Mig. 6:30 p.m.	27	28
29 Adoration and Rosary 6:30 p.m 7:30 p.m.	30	31 Quilters 9:00 a.m.	September 1 Adoration begins after morning Mass St. Vincent DePaul 7:00 p.m.	2 Adoration Continues	3 First Friday Adoration until Benediction 3:00 p.m.	4 First Saturday Consecration to Our Lady's Immaculate Heart

DASH'S DEN







Dear Humans,
Not only have I made a new friend,
I've become an international sensation.
People's Republic of the Congo, here I come!
WOOF!