

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 -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 STUDY

Marriages

Contact parish office at least six months prior to wedding

Parish Contact Info

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

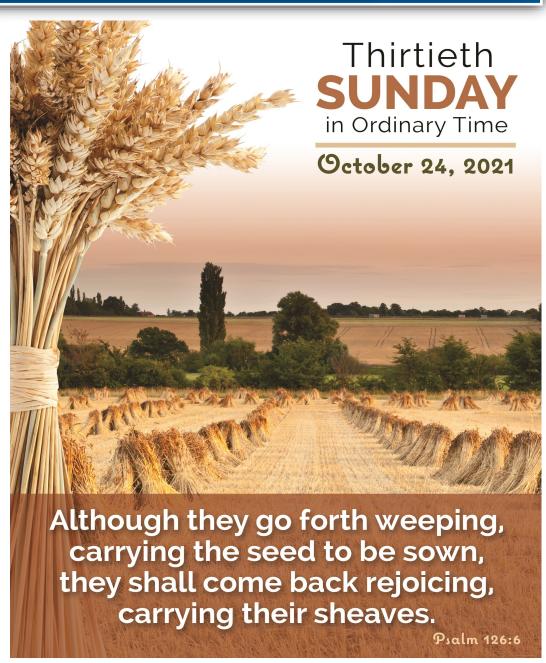
Website

http://stmartinoftours.com

Society of St. Vincent DePaul 314-296-3733

Parish Office Hours

Monday — Thursday 8:30 a.m.—3 p.m.



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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 & Friends

I am asked the following question with some regularity:



"Father, how do I prepare for the sacrament of Confession?" That's a very good question indeed. It depends. There are, traditionally, considered to be three levels of perfection:

Level 1: Would never commit a mortal sin

Level 2: Would never commit a venial sin

Level 3: Would never succumb to any imperfection

(Imperfection: A licit good, enjoyed by the individual, although not necessary for living.)

If you are still struggling with mortal sin, then the best thing to do is to use the Ten Commandments as a means to examine your conscience. It's not uncommon for those struggling with mortal sin to have difficulty with sexual sins (and since these concern the 6th and 9th commandments, the traditional course on the subject of sexual sin was called, in Latin, "De sexto et nono"). However, there are others that are also common. Knowingly and willingly to miss a Sunday Mass or a Holy Day of Obligation is a sin against the 2nd commandment; serious gossip or serious lying are against the 5th commandment (the killing of someone's reputation) and also the 8th commandment (bearing false witness). Yes, all of these are mortal sins.

However, Catholics who attend Mass, who pray, and who receive the sacraments, are not supposed to be struggling with mortal sin! We ought to understand that any serious sin of one person hurts Jesus horribly, and how could you do that to someone you love so much? So venial sin ought to be the usual content of Confession. To examine one's conscience on this level of sin, the Ten Commandments are less helpful. More helpful are to consider the so-called "Seven Capital Sins" and their contrary virtues:

Pride versus Humility
Envy versus Kindness
Gluttony versus Abstinence
Lust versus Chastity
Anger versus Patience
Greed versus Liberality
Sloth versus Diligence

If you no longer are afflicted by succumbing to mortal sin or even venial sin, then you may still confess your imperfections, even though they are not sins.

God bless you all!

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PLEASE KEEP THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS

HOSPICE

Bill Stemmeler Frank & Tony V. Scott K
SERIOUS ILLNESS Mark B Mary Montgomery Learne (

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William Machino, Jr. Lynne & Dino Bova Linda Cowick

IN REHAB Sue Jernigan

CHRONIC ILLNESS

Helen Iadevito

Vince Candela

Ruth Ann Sullivan

Carol Venverloh

Linda Hoefl

Linda Ritter Charlotte Brown

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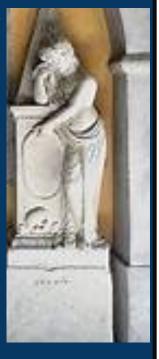
Mr. Rick Jobin Mrs. Bridget Gabel

St. Martin of Tours Parish mourns the loss of

Lucille V. Venverloh

Who passed away October 14, 2021, She was the mother of parish family member Karen Wilund

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 rest in peace.



SUNDAY CONTRIBUTIONS

General \$ 3015

Loose \$ 513

On-Line \$ 1465 Oct 11-17

OCL 11-17

Subtotal \$ 4993

Total: \$ 5071

Special Collections \$ 78



Saint Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle; be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray:

and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God,

thrust into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world

wno prowl about the word seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.



Group 4 Chairman Kenny Harangozo

Captain: Frank Speck, Kristine Keifer & Kevin Hale
Caller: Alex Henderson & Dan Godfrey
Cashiers: Stephanie Parker & Eileen Haubrich
Machines: Roberta Bachle
Pull Tab Sellers: Bob Villani, Tylor Effinger, Apollo Westrich,
Bill Grahl, Greg Hrbacek & Greg Buck
White Progressive: \$2750 Purple \$500
Thank you to all the workers and players for your support!

MONEY COUNTERS

LECTORS

Monday	Tuesday	Monday	Saturday, Oct 30	4 p.m.
October 25	November 2	November 9		Mike Ackermann
Ken Harangozo	Jim Heisner	Debbie Baumann	Sunday, Oct 31	7:30 a.m.
Greg Buck	Bob Villani	Jim Baumann		Debbie Baumann
Ken McWhorter	Tim Haber	Mike Zoia	Sunday, Oct 31	10 a.m.
Tom Tettamble	George Otto	Dave Kassebaum		Philip Wolk
M	ASS INT	ENTIONS	FOR THE	WEEK

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8 a.m.	Monday Nancy Myer +	8 a.m.	Saturday Elbert & Mathilda Witte+
8 a.m.	Tuesday Theresa Eckerle +	+ + + 31st	t Sunday in Ordinary Time + + +
8 a.m.	Wednesday Madelyn Witte+	4 p.m.	Saturday Carolyn Buck +
8 a.m.	Thursday Will & Kelly Brown Wedding Anniversary	7:30 a.m.	Sunday Judy Lenggenhager
8 a.m.	Friday Ray & Marie Austermann +	10 a.m.	Sunday Marian Schaeffer+

DAILY MASS READINGS

MONDAY 25	TUESDAY 26	WEDNEDAY 27	THURSDAY 28 Simon & Jude	FRIDAY 29	SATURDAY 30	SUNDAY 31 Halloween
Rom 8:12-17 Ps 68:2-7, 20-21 Lk 13:10-17	Rom 8:18-25 Ps 126:1-6 Lk 13:18-21		Eph 2:19-22 Ps 19:2-5 Lk 6:12-16		Rom 11:1-2, 11-12, 25-29 Ps 94: 12-15, 17-18 Lk 14:1,7-11	Ps 18:2-4, 47,51 Heb 7:23-28

MARK YOUR CALEDARS!

THE MEN'S CLUB CHRISTIMAS PARY IS ON DECEMBER 17, 2021 MORE INFORMATION TO FOLLOW NEXT WEEK

STOCKHOLDERS CLUB DINNER!

The Stockholder's Club Dinner is approaching quickly! Be sure your calendars are marked for

Friday, November 12
Andre's Banquet Center on Telegraph Rd.
Doors open for check-in at 6:00 pm,
followed by a cocktail hour,
dinner and dancing.

We are thrilled to announce that our stockholder payout for the evening will be larger than the published \$500!

All stockholders should have received an email this week regarding the details of the dinner. If you did not include your email address on your ticket, we have mailed a letter. The email/letter will list the number of dinner tickets you have purchased.

If you did not receive any communication, please contact:

Nancy Zoia at zoia.nancy@gmail.com or 314-952-3172.

Our last monthly drawing will be Halloween, October 31 4:00 p.m. Mass.

We are wishing the last monthly winner a **Spooktacular Halloween!**

SMT WOMEN'S CLUB IS HAVING A CHRISTMAS PARTY

AT GENESIS BANQUET CENTER THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9 7:00 P.M.- 11:00 P.M. DINNER & CASH BAR

TICKETS ARE \$25 AND MUST BE PURCHASED BY NOVEMBER 21.



FOR TICKETS:

STOP BY THE OFFICE OR CALL BETTY KOCH 314 775-7534

SAINT VINCENT de PAUL NEEDS YOUR HELP!

It's that time of the year and the shelves at SVdP need to be filled up! We are in need of vegetables of all kinds, potatoes, canned and boxed, stuffing mix, soups, Chef Boyardee, canned meats, cranberries and whatever you feel in your heart you want to give.



We could not survive without the generosity from the people of SMT!

Each year you help us fill baskets with delicious treats to help those in need. Please get those donations to us, the sooner the better, so we can begin planning for the holidays.

Thank You!



HALLOWEEN BINGO - A REMINDER! On Sunday, October 31, 2021

Doors open 9:00 a.m.
Bingo starts 11:30 a.m.





October 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
September 29	September 29	September 29	September 29	September 30	1	2
3 Adoration & Rosary 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.	4	5 Quilters 9 a.m.	6 SVDP 7 p.m. BIBLE STUDY 7 p.m.	7	8	9
10 Adoration & Rosary 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.	11	12 Quilters 9 a.m.	13 50+ Club 10 a.m. BIBLE STUDY 7 p.m.	14 Ladies' Club 7p.m.	15	16
17 Adoration & Rosary 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.	18	19 Quilters 9 a.m.	20 BIBLE STUDY 7 p.m.	21	22	23
24 Fellowship Sunday after 7:30 & 10 a.m. Masses Adoration & Rosary 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.	25	26 Quilters 9 a.m.	27 BIBLE STUDY 7 p.m.	28 Parish Council Mtg. 6 p.m.	29	30

DASH'S DEN



Dear Humans!

Don't forget to join us for our weekly *Psalm Study*Wednesdays at 7 p.m.

You can come to the rectory,

participate through the website with Zoom,

or watch on livestream.

We talk about Scripture and all sorts of fun things.

Check it out, it's a lot of fun!

Meanwhile, someone photo-shopped me and Daddy just in time for Halloween. I sure do wish those giant tacos and bone was real.

