



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

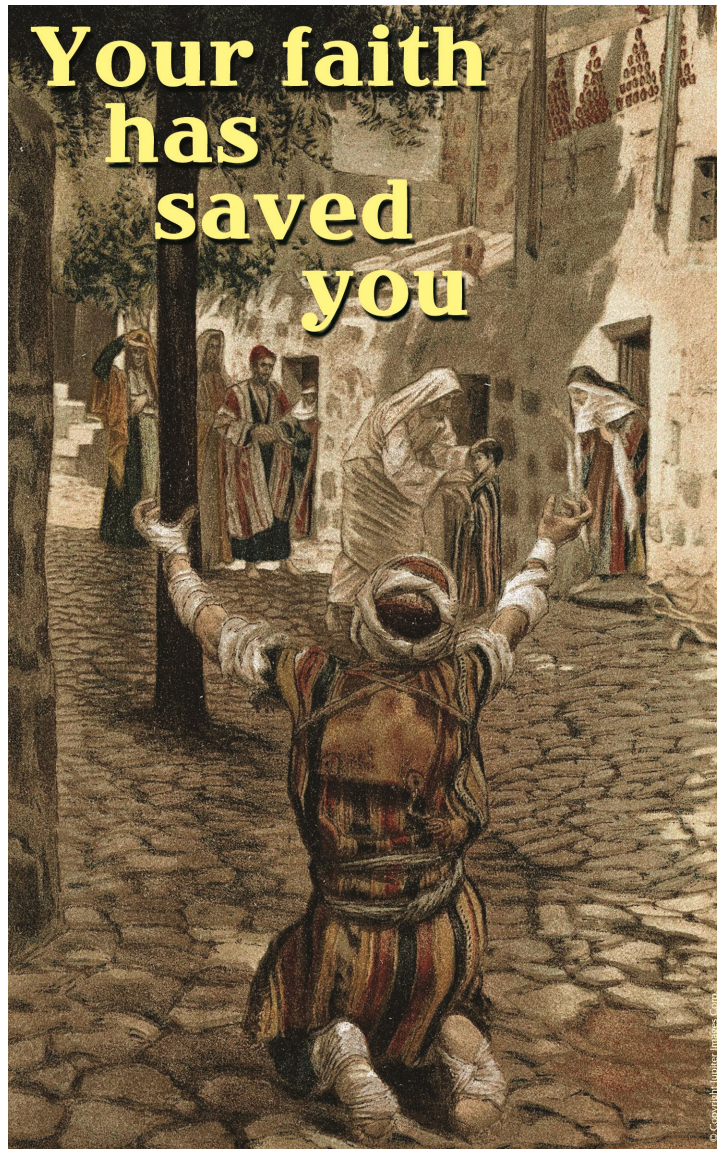
Website
<http://stmartinoftours.com>

**Society of
St. Vincent DePaul**
314-296-3733

Parish Office Hours
Monday - Thursday
8:30 a.m. - 3 p.m.

October 9, 2022

*TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY
ORDINARY TIME*



**Your faith
has
saved
you**

*All the ends of the earth have seen the
salvation by our God.
Sing joyfully to the Lord, all you lands:
break into song; sing praise!
Psalm 98: 3-4*

Pastor

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Acolyte & Sacristan
Mr. George Mueller

Maintenance
Mrs. Bridget Gabel

SUNDAY CONTRIBUTIONS

General	\$ 3957
Loose	\$ 692
On-Line	\$ 1375

September 26—October 2

Subtotal	\$ 6024
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Special Collections	\$ 515
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Total:	\$ 6539
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*Thank
you*

PLEASE KEEP THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS

HOSPICE

SERIOUS ILLNESS

*Chris Acksel
Arthur Austermann
Mary Montgomery*

*Frank & Tony V.
Frank U.
Mark B.*

*Scott K.
Sharon K
Rose S.*

IN REHAB

Ken McWhorter, Jr.

CHRONIC ILLNESS

*Helen Iadevito
Ruth Ann Sullivan
Carol Venverloh*

Charlene Fichtenmeyer



Oompah-pah is what we'll say,
as the 50+ Club celebrates Oktoberfest the German way!
Wednesday, October 12th, at Runge Festhalle;
meeting starts at 11:30 a.m. so please don't stall.
Club will be providing brats and pretzels for lunch,
along with beer, the rootbeer type, if you get a hunch.
Roll out the barrel, let's celebrate Fall with a bang,
so, mark your calendar and come join the gang!
Wir sehen uns dort (See you there!)
Questions? Call Paulette @ 314-892-9009

LECTORS NEEDED

We are in need of lectors for the 4:00 p.m.
Mass on Saturdays and the 7:30 and 10:00 a.m.
Masses on Sundays. Your volunteer service
would be needed once a month.

All that is required is that you are able to speak
with good enunciation and with clarity. Contact
Lisa Hale at 636-248-6437 or
2hales@charter.net if you are interested.
Thank you for considering and thank you to all
our current lectors!



SMT Sweatshirt Sale

SMT sweatshirts will be on sale in the foyer
after Masses on Oct. 8, 9, 15, 16, 22 & 23.
Cost is \$10 each while supplies last. Cash or
checks made out to SMT 50+. Proceeds to
benefit the St. Vincent DePaul Food Pantry.



ANNOUNCING THE SECOND ST. MARTIN OF TOURS ALL ALUMNI REUNION

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2022
11:30 am – 6 pm
St. Martin of Tours
SMT Runge Hall
(formerly the Lower Level)

Meat trays for sandwiches will be provided by Ruma's Deli.
Please supply a side dish and/or dessert. Bring your own drinks.
Plates, napkins, cutlery, condiments, etc. will be provided.
Spouses/Dates welcome!

Mass is at 10:00 am 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 11/4/2022 to:
Gerry (Minden) Duffin at Gduffin1950@gmail.com or 314-845-290
Or Janice Mantia at n2bailo@yahoo.com



SODA & BEER DONATIONS NEEDED!



SMT 50+ Club Trivia Night benefiting St. Vincent de Paul
Society is looking for beer and soda donations (cans only), as well
as empty basket donations. We're also looking for non-perishable
donations such as wine, gift cards, new gifts or holiday items. Do-
nations may be left in the Trivia Donation box in the church foyer
or by contacting Debbie Baumann at 314-894-1940 or
dbaum3538@gmail.com.

SAVE THE DATE... Trivia Night sponsored by the 50+ Club will
be Saturday evening, November 5th, in Runge Hall. Tickets are on
sale in the foyer after Masses on Oct. 8, 9, 15, 16, 22, & 23.

OCTOBER
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WEEK 2

Group 2 Chairman Kenny Harangozo

Captains:

Caller: Alex Henderson

Cashiers: De Ann Pappageorge & Nancy Zoia

Pull Tab Stand: Greg Hrbacek, Lynn Bova & Dan Godfrey

Pull Tab Sellers: Ann & Joe Hensiek, Bill Grahl, Linda Finklang
Maureen Hof & Kelly Goodman

Call Back: Rob Witzell

White Progressive \$2750 Purple \$500

Thank you to all the Bingo players and our SMT workers!

M O N E Y C O U N T E R S

Monday October 10	Monday October 17	Monday October 24	Monday October 31
Debbie Baumann	Frank Ziegler	Ken Harangozo	Jim Heisner
Jim Baumann	Apollo Westrich	Greg Buck	Bob Villani
Mike Zoia	John Schmidt	Tom Tettamble	Tim Haber
Dave Kassebaum			George Otto

L E C T O R S

Saturday, October 15 @ 4 p.m.
Mike Ackermann

Sunday, October 16 @ 7:30 am
Lyndall Gregson

Sunday, October 16 @ 10 a.m.
Greg Hrbacek

M A S S S C H E D U L E & I N T E N T I O N S F O R T H E W E E K

8 a.m.	Monday Helen Klasek +	8 a.m.	Saturday Larry Skaggs +
8 a.m.	Tuesday Vince Candela +		+ <i>Respect Life Sunday</i> +
8 a.m.	Wednesday Janet Knobbe +	4 p.m.	Saturday Richard & Nathalie Marty +
8 a.m.	Thursday Henry & Alma Henderson +	7:30 a.m.	Sunday People of the Parish
8 a.m.	Friday Kathy Sunkel-Seay +	10 a.m.	Sunday—Deceased Members of the Torlina Family +

D A I L Y M A S S R E A D I N G S

MONDAY 10	TUESDAY 11 <i>St. John XXIII</i>	WEDNESDAY 12	THURSDAY 13	FRIDAY 14 <i>St. Pope Callistus I</i>	SATURDAY 15 <i>St. Teresa of Avila</i>	SUNDAY 16 <i>29th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>
<i>Gal 4: 22-31;</i> <i>5:1</i> <i>Ps 113: 1-7</i> <i>Lk 11: 29-32</i>	<i>Gal 5: 1-6</i> <i>Ps 119: 41-48</i> <i>Lk 11: 37-41</i>	<i>Gal 5: 18-25</i> <i>Ps 1: 1-6</i> <i>Lk 11: 42-46</i>	<i>Eph 1: 1-10</i> <i>Ps 98: 1-6</i> <i>Lk 11: 47-54</i>	<i>Eph 1: 11-14</i> <i>Ps 33: 1-5,</i> <i>12-13</i> <i>Lk 12: 1-7</i>	<i>Eph 1: 15-23</i> <i>Ps 8: 2-7</i> <i>Lk 12: 8-12</i>	<i>Ex 17: 8-13</i> <i>Ps 12: 1-8</i> <i>2 Tm 3: 14-4: 2</i> <i>Lk 18: 1-8</i>



ALL THINGS NEW

STEADFAST IN FAITH • FORWARD IN HOPE

Thank you to the tens of thousands of people from across the Archdiocese of St. Louis who have participated in the All Things New surveys and provided data and feedback over the last few months, including priests, deacons, religious, Archdiocesan and parish employees, parishioners and community members. The information has been enlightening, educational and fruitful as we continue to ask ourselves what our parishes, ministries and institutions need to look like in order to effectively share our Catholic faith in a way that is suitable and sustainable for our children and generations to come.

The next step in this multi-year process is to hear more robustly from parishioners about their specific parish. The Archdiocese of St. Louis will host over 350 listening sessions throughout our 178 parishes between October 8 - November 19, 2022. Parishioners are invited to register for their parish's listening session beginning today at <https://allthingsnew.archstl.org/Ways-to-Engage/Listening-Sessions>.

Parishioners must register in order to attend a Listening Session. Registration will close once the designated room's seating capacity is reached. There will not be additional opportunities for Listening Sessions other than the ones scheduled for each parish.

Each listening session will be facilitated by volunteer parishioners from a different parish. These trained facilitators will share pre-recorded messages from Archbishop Rozanski and Fr. Chris Martin, Vicar for Strategic Planning, with an overview of All Things New, a planning area overview and multiple DRAFT model options to consider for the respective planning area. A brief time will be allowed for small group discussion and facilitated large group feedback. If your parish has more than one Listening Session, the information presented at both is the same.

The goals of the listening sessions are to engage as many parishioners as possible in understanding the current state of our parishes and diocese and to solicit feedback from as many parishioners as possible about the DRAFT models options for their planning area.



Dear SMT Parishioners,

I encourage you to sign up to attend one of our two St. Martin of Tours All Things New Listening Sessions.

The two sessions available are **Tuesday November 8** and **Thursday November 10**.

Both sessions begin at **6 p.m.** and are to be held in **Runge Hall**.

To attend you **must** sign up on this website:

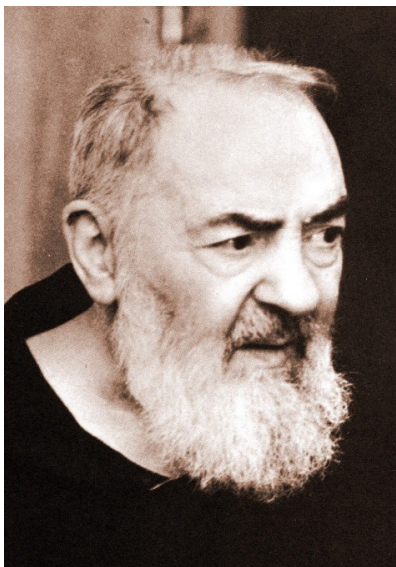
<https://allthingsnew.archstl.org/Ways-to-Engage/Listening-Sessions>

The link will be clearly marked and available on the parish website.

Let us pray:

St. Martin of Tours, the first of the saints of France and the protector of our parish, we humbly ask by your intercession, to bless our parish with long life and prosperity for many years to come. Through Christ Our Lord.

Thomas Waldman



**"THE
ROSARY
IS THE
WEAPON
FOR
THESE
TIMES."**

-SAINT PADRE PIO



Our Lady of Fatima

Praying the Rosary for America...

**As human efforts fail to solve America's
key problems, we turn to God, through
His Holy Mother, asking His urgent help.**



TFP

The American TFP – America Needs Fatima - WWW.TFP.ORG

America Needs Fatima Rosary Rally

Saturday, October 15, 2022

12:00 Noon

Monastery of Saint Clare (In front of sign)

(On Telegraph Road near Goddard Daycare)

We are living at the crossroads of history. Christianity, in general, is suffering the negative consequences of the secularization process as Christian morals are considered no longer relevant in modern society. The devastating effect of this ongoing process is quite noticeable in the increased rates of criminality, divorces, pornography, drug and alcohol additions, illicit sex, and abortions consented and paid for by our tax dollars. So today, more than ever, we need to keep the Fatima message close to our hearts and show sincere appreciation for America Needs Fatima's efforts in fostering and promoting Christian values in the family and society in general.

Every year America Needs Fatima organizes thousands of Public Square Rosary Rallies all across our great nation to pray for America and the conversion of sinners as Our Lady of Fatima requested. All ages welcome.

While we are praying outdoors, the Sisters will be praying inside.

**There is no problem
that cannot be resolved by
praying the Rosary, no matter how
difficult it is - be it temporal or above all
spiritual - in the spiritual life of each of
us or the lives of our families**

**I repeat, there is no problem, as difficult
as it may be, that we cannot resolve at
this time by praying the Holy Rosary.
With the Holy Rosary we will save
ourselves, sanctify ourselves, console
Our Lord and obtain the salvation of souls.**

St. Lucia dos Santos, Fatima visionary

Pastor's Pen

Dear St. Martin of Tours Family and Friends,

Sometimes it's worthy to listen to the words of an early Christian, one who knew the apostles personally, and to hear what he had to say about right conduct and right belief. The following is the beginning of a letter of St. Polycarp to the Church at the Greek city of Philippi.

St. Paul, as you are aware, already had written to the Philippians, probably while he was imprisoned in Rome, so in the 60s A.D. The early bishops who lived after the time of the apostles continued the practice of writing letters.



Who was Polycarp? He lived 69-155, and as a young boy he sat at the feet of the only apostle still living, namely St. John. He later became the bishop of Smyrna basically inheriting the authority which St. John had until his death. (Recall that St. John lived in Ephesus and he founded all the churches in Asia Minor, as is attested to in the book of Revelation.)

The themes of the beginning of this letter are twofold. First, FAITH— “Love the Lord your God with all your heart”: be serious about living for Christ alone to be prepared for martyrdom, because nothing in this world compares to the great glory of sharing eternal life with Christ. Second, MORALS— “Love your neighbor as yourself”: he tells us to avoid gossip and false witness, and to forgive our enemies, since we will have to give an accounting of our words, and also the “amount you measure out to others will be the amount measured unto you.”

From the beginning of a letter to the Philippians by Saint Polycarp, bishop and martyr

“From Polycarp and his fellow presbyters to the pilgrim church of God at Philippi: May you have mercy and peace in abundance from Almighty God and Jesus Christ our Savior. I rejoice with you greatly in the Lord Jesus Christ because you have assumed the pattern of true love and have rightly helped on their way those who were in chains. Such chains are becoming to the faithful; they are the rich crown of the chosen ones of our Lord and God. I am glad, too, that your deep-rooted faith, proclaimed of old, still abides and continues to bear fruit in the life-giving power of our Lord Jesus Christ.

“He, for our sins, did not refuse to go down to death, and God raised him up after destroying the pains of hell. With a glorious joy that no words can express you believe in Christ without seeing him. This is the joy in which many wish to share knowing that it is by grace that you are saved and not by works, for so God has willed through Jesus Christ.

“So prepare yourselves for the struggle, serve the Lord in fear and truth. Put aside empty talk and popular errors; your faith must be in him who raised our Lord Jesus Christ from the dead and gave him a share in his own glory and a seat at his right hand. To him everything was made subject in heaven and on earth; all things obey him, who will come as judge of the living and the dead. All who refuse to believe must answer to God for the blood of his Son. He who raised him from the dead will raise us too if we do his will and keep his commandments, loving what he loved, refraining from all wrongdoing, fraud, avarice, malice and slander.

We must abstain from false witness, not returning evil for evil, nor curse for curse, nor blow for blow, nor denunciation for denunciation. Always remember the words of the Lord, who taught: Do not judge and you will not be judged; forgive and you will be forgiven; be merciful and you will find mercy; the amount you measure out to others will be the amount measured out to you. Blessed are the poor and those who suffer persecution, for theirs is the kingdom of God.”

EVENTS

Mark Your Calendar

October 2022

September 25 BBQ TODAY <i>Priesthood Sunday</i> Adoration & Rosary 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.	September 26	September 27 Quilters 9:00 a.m. “THE CHOSEN” Session #1 7 p.m. Runge Hall	September 28 <i>BIBLE STUDY</i> 7 p.m.	September 29 <i>Quilters</i> 9:00 a.m.	September 30	1 <i>FIRST SATURDAY</i> Consecration to Our Lady's Immaculate Heart
2  BLESSING OF PETS 12 NOON Adoration & Rosary 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.	3	4 Quilters 9:00 a.m. “THE CHOSEN” Session #2 7 p.m. Runge Hall	5 Adoration begins after 8:00 a.m. Mass SvdP Mtg 7:00 p.m. <i>BIBLE STUDY</i> 7 p.m.	6 Adoration continues <i>Quilters</i> 9:00 a.m.	7 FIRST FRIDAY Consecration to Our Lord's Sacred Heart Rosary 7:30 a.m. Adoration until Benediction 3 p.m.	8 Golf Tournament
9 Adoration & Rosary 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.	10  Columbus Day	11 Quilters 9:00 a.m. “THE CHOSEN” Session #3 7 p.m. Runge Hall	12  Socially Motivating Together 50+ Club 11:30 a.m. <i>BIBLE STUDY</i> 7 p.m.	13  Ladies Night Women's Club 7 p.m.	14	15
16 Adoration & Rosary 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.	17	18 Quilters 9:00 a.m. “THE CHOSEN” Session #4 7 p.m. Runge Hall	19 <i>BIBLE STUDY</i> 7 p.m.	20 Quilters 9:00 a.m. <i>Women's Auxiliary</i> of SVDP Card Party	21	22 Stockholders drawing 4:00 p.m. Mass
23 DONUT SUNDAY Adoration & Rosary 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.	24	25 Quilters 9 a.m.	26	27 Quilters 9:00 a.m.	28	29
30 Adoration & Rosary 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.	31  VIGIL OF ALL SAINTS	“THE CHOSEN” Session #5 7 p.m. Runge Hall	<i>BIBLE STUDY</i> 7 p.m.	Parish Council 6 p.m. Rectory		