

PASTORAL BULLETIN FOR THE PARISHES OF SAINT MARTIN OF TOURS & SAINT MARK

WEEKEND OF AUGUST 10-11, 2024
NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

Submit articles to csanders@stmarkstl.com
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SACRAMENTAL SCHEDULE

HOLY MASS

Monday-Friday

6:30 AM at St. Martin
8:00 AM at St. Mark (livestream)

Saturday Morning 8:00 AM
at St. Mark (livestream)

Saturday Evening Vigils

4:00 PM at St. Martin
5:00 PM at St. Mark

Sunday Morning

7:00, 9:00 (livestream) & 11:00 AM
at St. Mark
10:00 AM at St. Martin

Holy Day of Obligation

6:30 AM & 6:30 PM at St. Martin Church
8:00 AM (livestream) & 6:30 PM
at St. Mark Church

CONFESSIONS

One half hour prior to each Vigil or
Sunday Mass beginning at the quarter hour.



Saturday, Aug. 10 *19th Ordinary Sunday*

4:00PM @ St. Martin For All Parishioners

5:00PM @ St. Mark Jane Lanser

Sunday, Aug. 11 *19th Ordinary Sunday*

7:00 @ St. Mark Leon Bourgeois+

9:00 @ St. Mark Amanda Kopff+

10:00 @ St. Martin Richard Benedick+

11:00 @ St. Mark Christine Zeitler+

Monday, Aug. 12

6:30 @ St. Martin Harold Walker+

8:00 @ St. Mark Maryann Becvar+

Tuesday, Aug. 13

6:30 @ St. Martin Sean Selvaggio+

8:00 @ St. Mark Gerald Guillot, Sr.+

Wednesday, Aug. 14 *St. Maximillian Kolbe*

6:30 @ St. Martin Wil Kroener+

8:00 @ St. Mark John Hernandez+

Thursday, Aug. 15 *Our Lady's Assumption*

6:30 @ St. Martin Steven Hrdlicka+

8:00 @ St. Mark Raymond Austermann, Jr.

6:30PM @ St. Martin For All Parishioners

6:30PM @ St. Mark Carl Kothe+

Friday, Aug. 16

6:30 @ St. Martin Roxanne Astroth+

8:00 @ St. Mark Susan Boever+

Saturday, Aug. 17

8:00 @ St. Mark Mary Deters+

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TO SCHEDULE A MASS INTENTION

To book a published personal intention, please visit the Pastoral Office or place your contact information, your intention and the stipend in the mail or collection basket.

The usual stipend offering per Mass is set by diocesan statute at \$10.



TODAY'S READINGS NINETEENTH ORDINARY SUNDAY

1 Kings 19:4-8

“Strengthened by that food provided him, Elijah walked to the mountain of God.”

Ephesians 4:30—5:2

“Walk in love, just like Christ.”

John 6:41-51

Jesus said,

“I am the living bread
that came down from heaven.”

READINGS FOR AUGUST 12 - 17

Monday: **Ezekiel 1:2-5, 24-28c**
Matthew 17:22-27

Tuesday: **Ezekiel 2:8—3:4**
Matthew 18:1-14

Wednesday: **Ezekiel 9:1-7; 10:18-22**
Matthew 18:15-20

Thursday: **Revelation 11:19a; 12:1-10ab**
1 Corinthians 15:20-27
Luke 1:39-56

Friday: **Ezekiel 16:1-15, 59-63**
Matthew 19:3-12

Saturday: **Ezekiel 18:1-13b, 30-32**
Matthew 19:13-15

Sunday: **Proverbs 9:1-6**
Ephesians 5:15-20
John 6:51-58

LIVESTREAMING

You can now view the live stream or view a recording of the daily 8:00 AM Mass and 9:00 AM Sunday Mass on the internet by visiting:

stmarkstl.com or stmartinoftours.com

Once on the website click “Live Stream.”

If you have questions, please contact Christina Sanders at csanders@stmarkstl.com or 314.743.8602.

THE PASTOR'S PERSPECTIVE

This Thursday August 15th, the great Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary into Heaven, we will reflect and rejoice in the singular grace of God that took Her from natural earthly life to share in the supernatural glory of her Son's victory over sin and death in Heaven.

This festival teaches that we were created to follow Jesus, not only here and now in the limits of our humanity, but also to experience eternally the fullness of His Divine Life with Mary and all the faithfully departed.

Such a message of wonder, hope and complete gratitude to the Almighty is timely as we begin a new period of Catholic Faith Formation.

We see the young embark on an exciting new academic year, but all of us, young and old, should keep our ultimate hope always in mind.

Each day is an opportunity to learn how to move ever nearer to Our Saving God, so as to live in His love and to offer it as an invitation to each person we encounter.

Christ Jesus intends us to see and understand His Blessed Mother, taken body and soul into Heaven at the end of her earthly life, as the true and grace filled pattern for our lives also.

Today let us pray that all who find themselves in the midst of learning this lesson, from young students to senior searchers, like me, may be led by our Heavenly Mother to find our true identity as disciples of Christ fostered this year.

Mary, Mother of God's People, help each of us always to continue to grow in the image and likeness of Jesus, our Brother and your Divine Son, while here on earth, so we may come to know the fullness of life with You both in the light of our Heavenly Home.

Father Bob Burkemper



Monday, Aug. 12

Seniors Exercise Class

9:00 AM St. Mark Rm 112

Tuesday, Aug. 13

Devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help

After 8:00 AM Mass

Announcements for Aug. 25th bulletin due

8:00 AM csanders@stmarkstl.com

Prayer Shawl Ministry

9:00 AM Pastoral Office

Quilting 9:00 AM St. Mark Rm 113

Quilting 10:00 AM St. Martin Runge Hall

Men's (Card) Club

7:00 PM St. Mark Rm 114

Wednesday, Aug. 14

Quilting 9:00 AM St. Mark Rm 113

Cards 12:30 PM St. Mark Rm 114

Thursday, Aug. 15

Parish Office Closed in observance of Our Lady's Assumption

Eucharistic Adoration After 8:00 AM Mass
Until prior to 6:30 PM Mass

Benediction Cancelled due to 6:30 PM Mass

Seniors Exercise Class

9:00 AM St. Mark Rm 112

Quilting 10:00 AM St. Martin Runge Hall

Choir Practice

6:30 PM St. Mark Rm 101

BUNCO 6:30 PM St. Martin Runge Hall

Legion of Mary 7:15 PM St. Mark Rm 115

Friday, Aug. 16

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA)

7:30 PM St. Andrew School
(Hoffmeister Entrance)

Saturday, Aug. 17

Texas Hold'em

6:00 PM Doors Open

5:30 PM Games Begin

Sunday, Aug. 18

Bandwagon Hall Bingo (Volunteer Team 3)

2:30 PM Doors Open

5:30 PM Games Begin

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**THE SOLEMNITY OF
OUR LADY'S ASSUMPTION
THIS THURSDAY, AUGUST 15TH
IS A HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION**

Holy Mass will be celebrated:

at **St. Martin** - 6:30 AM & 6:30 PM
& at **St. Mark** - 8:00 AM & 6:30 PM

Pastoral Office will be closed this Thursday.

Eucharistic Adoration will follow the 8:00 AM Mass at St. Mark's with simple reposition, not Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament prior to the 6:30 PM Mass.

PRAYER REQUESTS

For all the Sick, especially:

**Betty Czarnecki, Pete Konradi,
Kenny Sanders, Louis Schneider,
& Rita Wibbenmeyer**

*May They experience God's healing power,
and return to our faith community soon.*

PRAYER HOTLINE

This ministry prays for the "special needs" and emergency needs of parishioners or their loved ones.

To be included in this prayer or to pray for others, contact Jean Malone at 314.544.3572.

P.S.R. REGISTRATION

Families with children not attending
Catholic Parochial Schools
Kindergarten through 8th Grade
are invited to enroll in
our Shared Parish School of Religion
for the religious instructional year of 2024-25.

Classes meet at St. Mark School
On Monday evenings from 6:30-7:45pm
From September 9 through May 12.

To register your child please complete
an online application at
<https://forms.gle/L8ZCFK2CL1CYPqiKA>,
or by scanning the QR code below.



Should you have questions or need assistance
with the registration process
Please Contact Joyce Williams
PSR@stmarkstl.com
or leave a message at the PSR Office
at 314-743.8604.



Benefits of Parish Online Giving to You:

- ⇒ It eliminates the need for checks.
- ⇒ It offers the option to remain anonymous.
- ⇒ It allows you to give even when you are unable to attend Holy Mass.
- ⇒ You can earn benefits such as airline mileage or cash bonuses.
- ⇒ It can be used in conjunction with offering envelopes.

Benefits of Online Giving to Your Parish:

- ⇒ There are no check processing fees.
- ⇒ It increases regular giving with your recurring contributions.
- ⇒ It offers a more accurate means of forecasting revenue for budgeting.
- ⇒ It can reach a wider demographic of givers.
- ⇒ It accommodates special parish collections and missions.
- ⇒ It allows our pastoral staff to focus on other parish ministries and activities.

How can I sign up for Online Giving? *It's simple!*

For **St. Martin Church** go to:

- ⇒ osvhub.com/stmartinoftours/giving/funds or use your smartphone camera to scan the QR code.
- ⇒ Effective Friday, August 15th online giving through "We Share" will no longer be available.

For **St. Mark Church** go to:

- ⇒ osvhub.com/stmarkstl/giving/funds or use your smartphone camera to scan the QR code.



TEXAS HOLD'EM SATURDAY, AUGUST 17TH

St. Mark Parish Center

Doors open @ 6:00 PM

Games begin @ 7:00 PM

\$50 for 1 seat, food & drink provided.

For more info &/or to register,
call Joe - 314.814.9046

ARE YOU KIDDING ME !?!

My grandkids asked me what games I used to play on the iPad as a kid.

I told them I used to speak into the fan to sound like a robot.

BINGO

EACH SUNDAY

@ **BANDWAGON HALL**
Lemay Ferry @ Reavis Barracks

2:30 PM doors open

5:30 PM games begin

For more information or to *volunteer*, call:

Ken at 314.409.3114 or

Kevin at 314.541.8840



**LADIES GUILD
ICE CREAM SOCIAL**

**Next Wednesday, August 21st | 7:00 PM
Cafeteria at St. Mark**

After a summer break our monthly meetings will be resuming with this social.

All ladies of both parishes are welcome.

We are always looking for new members and fresh ideas.

Annual dues of \$7.00 will be collected at this meeting.

For questions, contact Jan at 314.892.6933.

**All They May Need
Is An Invitation From You !**

Spouses, relatives, friends, and neighbors are all possible instruments used by Christ to draw someone to His Church.

They may be waiting for your invitation to consider the next step on the way to the fulfillment of their life in Christ!

There are multiple pathways for searchers of all ages to engage with the Lord Jesus: in a private heart to heart, when you share the depth of your love for Christ and His Church,—by asking them to join you in the celebration of Holy Mass—or by some other chance encounter touched by God's Grace

If you would like to discuss this with one of the priests, deacons, or pastoral staff, please call the Pastoral Office (314.743.8600) to discuss how you might become the invitation of Christ to another to approach the Sacramental Life in the Catholic Church.

POTLUCK DINNER

&

GAME NIGHT

**Saturday, August 31st after 5:00 PM Mass
Cafeteria @ St. Mark**

All are welcome to celebrate Labor Day weekend with fellow parishioners, family, and friends.

Bring a food item (meat, green/pasta/fruit salad, chips & dip, dessert) to share and games to play.

This is an alcohol-free night.

Want to know more?

Contact Glenn @ 314.803.6475

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**Wednesday, September 4th
Noon | Doors open at 11 AM
Runge Hall at St. Martin
Dessert & beverages are provided.
Feel free to bring your own lunch.**

New members always welcome, and all attendees are encouraged to wear something patriotic.

Questions?

Call: Debbie - 314.894.1940 or
Toni - 314.583.4199

BBQ



AT ST. MARTIN

ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH

10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

&

ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH

11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Carry-Outs Only

Payment by Cash or Check, only

BBQ Volunteers Are Needed

Please contact:

Apollo - 314.486.4399

or Kevin - 314.541.8840

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SEPTEMBER 14TH - 29TH

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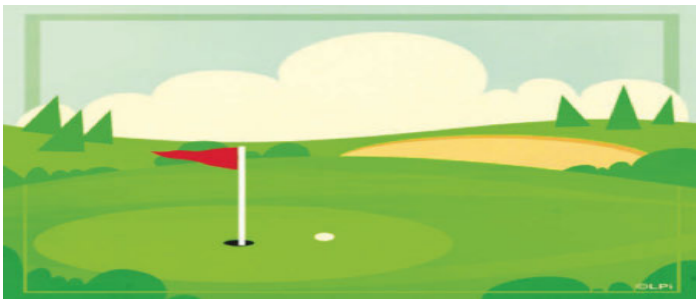
Please drop your American flag in the collection boxes to be found in vestibule room @ St. Martin and cafeteria @ St. Mark.

If you are a member of the *Catholic Senior Club* you may drop your old flag off at the September 5th meeting.

Flags will be burned during a ceremony held by the Elks #2635 (on Heege).

Questions? Call: Debbie - 314.894.1940

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ST. MARTIN OF TOURS
MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT

Quail Creek Golf Course

SEPTEMBER 28TH

Four-person teams - \$380/team

Lunch & Dinner provided

Shotgun Start @ 1:00 PM

For information and applications, contact:

Kevin - 314.541.8840

or Mike - 314.952.3475

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OUR LOCAL WITNESSES

Did you see the recent article in *Catholic St. Louis*, the Archdiocesan magazine, titled "*On Mission To Lead People to Encounter Jesus in the Eucharist?*"

We can be justifiably proud of Alissa, Jill and Grant Soderquist of St. Mark's Parish (*pictured here*), who attended the recent Eucharistic Congress.

Jill was quoted in the article as saying:

"I feel that we'll be giving ourselves over to the Holy Spirit to take the lead and show us how God wants us to bring souls to Jesus, much like the first apostles.

What that looks like only time will tell.

But I really believe He's going to do something amazing."

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