

**PASTORAL BULLETIN FOR THE PARISHES OF  
SAINT MARTIN OF TOURS & SAINT MARK  
FIFTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME  
WEEKEND OF FEBRUARY 8 & 9, 2025**

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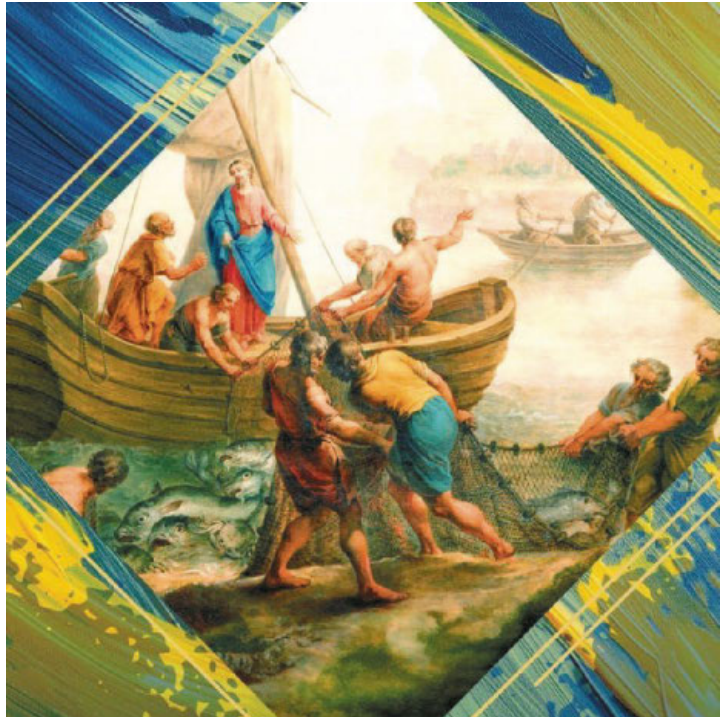
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**BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Submit articles to csanders@stmarkstl.com  
at least 10 days prior to desired publication date.  
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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*

**BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS, & FUNERALS**

May be scheduled at St. Mark, St. Martin,  
St. Andrew, St. Bernadette, or St. Matthias  
Churches by calling the Pastoral Office.

**CONFESSIONS**

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



**Saturday, February 8**

4:00PM @ St. Martin Dolores Lampe+  
 5:00PM @ St. Mark Tom Parkins

**Sunday, February 9** *5th Ordinary Sunday*

7:00 @ St. Mark Respect for Sanctity of Marriage  
 9:00 @ St. Mark Dolores Lampe+  
 10:00 @ St. Martin People of the Parishes  
 11:00 @ St. Mark Greg Zielinski

**Monday, February 10** *St. Scholastica*

6:30 @ St. Martin Tracy Purk  
 8:00 @ St. Mark Leroy V. Kasting

**Tuesday, February 11** *Our Lady of Lourdes*

6:30 @ St. Martin *No Scheduled Intention*  
 8:00 @ St. Mark Dolores Lampe+

**Wednesday, February 12**

6:30 @ St. Martin *No Scheduled Intention*  
 8:00 @ St. Mark Jay & Rosemary Pauk

**Thursday, February 13**

6:30 @ St. Martin Kenny & Christina Sanders  
 8:00 @ St. Mark Fr. Patrick Hambrough

**Friday, February 14** *Sts. Cyril & Methodius*

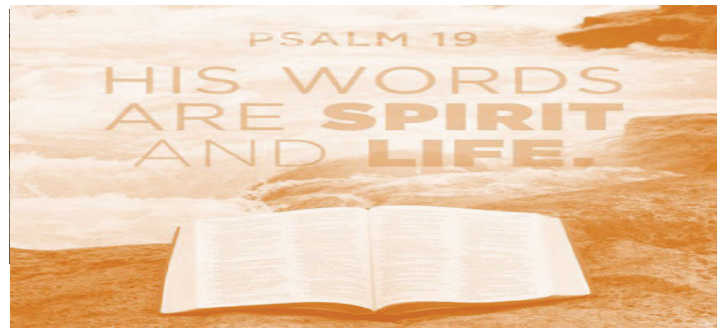
6:30 @ St. Martin STL FF 7 LODD+  
 8:00 @ St. Mark Jim+, Daniel+ & Wil+ Kroener

**Saturday, February 15**

8:00 @ St. Mark Dolores Lampe+  
 4:00PM @ St. Martin People of the Parishes  
 5:00PM @ St. Mark Dee Brauer+

**Sunday, February 16** *6th Ordinary Sunday*

7:00 @ St. Mark *No Scheduled Intention*  
 9:00 @ St. Mark Brian Murray+  
 10:00 @ St. Martin Michael Barry+  
 11:00 @ St. Mark Larry Waugh+



**TODAY'S READINGS**  
**5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**Isaiah 6:1-8**

“Here I am, Lord! Send Me!”

**1 Corinthians 15:1-11**

“So we preached and so you believe.”

**Luke 5:1-11**

Jesus said to Simon,

“Do not be afraid; from now on  
 you will be catching men.”

Then they brought the boats to the shore,  
 left everything and followed Jesus.



**READINGS FOR FEBRUARY 10<sup>TH</sup> - 16<sup>TH</sup>**

Monday: **Genesis 1:1-19**  
**Mark 6:53-56**

Tuesday: **Genesis 1:20—2:4a**  
**Mark 7:1-13**

Wednesday: **Genesis 2:4b-17**  
**Mark 7:14-23**

Thursday: **Genesis 2:18-25**  
**Mark 7:24-30**

Friday: **Genesis 3:1-8**  
**Mark 7:31-37**

Saturday: **Genesis 3:9-24**  
**Mark 8:1-10**

Sunday: **Jeremiah 17:5-8**  
**1 Corinthians 15:12-20**  
**Luke 6:17-26**

## PASTOR'S PERSPECTIVE

While I was away on vacation in January an initial meeting was held to brainstorm the revival of a Fall Festival at the St. Mark site.

Spearheaded by the enthusiastic and generous efforts of Mrs. Julie Dwyer, I hope folks will come forward to coordinate the various components for the proposed date, Saturday, September 20th.

The day is intended to be a social event which could gather the members of both parishes and all the neighborhoods in our area.

Possible suggestions for the Festival Activities thus far include:

- For Children —  
inflatables, a cake walk & duck pond.
- For the Hungry, young and not so much —  
hamburgers, hot dogs, chips & beverages.
- For Adults —  
Booths with plants, crafts, basket raffles & of course, beer.
- For the Adventurous —  
games of chance & bingo.
- For All Ages —  
Live music into the evening.
- It has even been suggested that we might  
celebrate the 5:00 PM Vigil Mass outdoors.

These are just a few ideas for the Fall Festival — but by no means an exhaustive list — so other suggestions for the day are requested and encouraged.

To make suggestions, please contact Julie at 314.544.5236.

I am most grateful to all who gathered for the initial brainstorming session!

*Fr. Bob Burkemper*

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**ERRATA**

**Last weekend's bulletin mistakenly listed all census cards submitted by parishioners: those who chose St. Mark or St. Martin as well as those choosing other options. Corrected numbers will follow next week.**

# This Week

GLPI

## Monday, February 10

- *Seniors Exercise Class*  
9:00AM St. Mark Rm 112
- *PSR* 6:30PM St. Mark School

## Tuesday, February 11

- *Devotion to the Mother of Perpetual Help*  
After 6:30AM & 8:00AM Mass
- *Prayer Shawl Ministry*  
9:00AM Pastoral Office
- *Quilting* 9:00AM St. Mark Rm 113
- *Quilting* 10:00AM St. Martin Runge Hall
- *Announcements for Feb. 23<sup>rd</sup> Bulletin*  
due by Noon to [csanders@stmarkstl.com](mailto:csanders@stmarkstl.com)

## Wednesday, February 12

- *Bible Study* 9:00AM St. Mark Rm 101
- *Quilting* 9:00AM St. Mark Rm 113
- *Cards* 12:30PM St. Mark Rm 114

## Thursday, February 13

- *Eucharistic Adoration*  
After 8:00AM Mass until 6:45PM Benediction
- *Senior Exercise Class*  
9:00AM St. Mark Rm 112
- *Quilting* 10:00AM St. Martin Runge Hall
- *Choir Practice*  
6:30PM St. Mark Rm 101
- *Legion of Mary* 7:15PM St. Mark Rm 115
- *BUNCO - Ladies' Night Out*  
6:30PM St. Martin Runge Hall

## Friday, February 14

- *Alcoholics Anonymous (AA)*  
7:30PM  
St. Andrew School (Hoffmeister Entrance)



## Sunday, February 16

- *Bandwagon Hall Bingo* (Volunteer Team 3)  
2:30PM Doors Open, 5:30PM Games Begin

In observance of **Presidents' Day**  
**Monday, February 17<sup>th</sup>**

**The Pastoral Office will be closed and there will be no PSR that evening.**



**EUCCHARISTIC  
ADORATION  
THURSDAYS  
8:30 AM – 6:45 PM  
BENEDICTION  
6:45-7:00 PM**

*Jesus invites You  
to spend time with  
Him.  
He is waiting.*

To sign up for a committed time  
(monthly, bi-monthly, weekly), call or text:

Melissa - 314.971.5617  
Margie - 314.799.8162  
or Kay - 314.650.9548.

**PLEASE PRAY ...**

**For All the Sick, especially:  
Gerry Duffin**

*May he experience God's Healing Power,  
& be returned to the Community of Faith!*

**For All Married Couples on this  
World Marriage Day:**

*May they always turn to God in their times of  
adversity, remembering that He is the source  
of the love that holds them together.*



**PRAYER LIST**

If you or a loved one are suffering from  
serious illness or if you have a friend or  
family member who has recently passed away,  
contact the Parish Office so your  
intention may be included in the  
next Sunday Bulletin.

The names of the sick will be printed  
for four consecutive Sundays.

**PREPARE YOUR HEART**

**Lenten Study**



**Please join us the first five Sundays of Lent!**

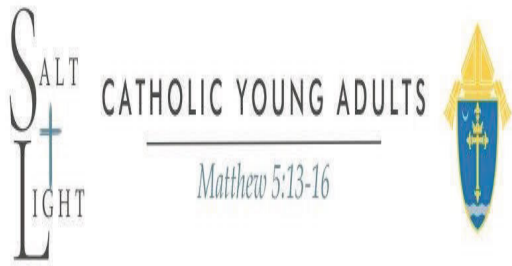
**St. Mark Cafeteria @ 6:30-8:30 PM March 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup> and April 6<sup>th</sup>**

Participate in small-group discussion designed around powerful  
presentations from the Eucharistic Congress.

Registration requested, but not required, Contact Jill 314-302-7740

Light snacks provided; bring your own beverage \* Attendance to all 5 sessions is not mandatory

***We hope this time will prepare your heart to follow the Holy Spirit in new ways!***



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## OUR SOCIAL CALENDAR OVER THE NEXT SEVERAL MONTHS

### BUNCO - LADIES NIGHT OUT

**This Thursday, February 13**

*& Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the Month*

**Beginning at 6:30 PM**

in St. Martin Runge Hall

Cost: \$10 to play.

For more info, call: Betty - 314.775.7534.

### LADIES GUILD'S SALAD SUPPER

**Wednesday, February 19 at 6:30 PM**

in St. Mark's Cafeteria.

Bring your favorite salad. Dessert provided.

New members are always welcome.

For more info, call Jan - 314.892.6933.

### DONUT SUNDAY

**February 23 after 10:00 AM Mass**

*& Every 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Month*

in St. Martin Runge Hall

All are welcome.

### POTLUCK & GAME NIGHT

**Saturday, March 1 after 5:00 PM Mass**

in St. Mark's Cafeteria

All St. Mark & St. Martin families & friends  
are invited to this Mardi Gras gathering.

Bring your favorite food and games to play.

### BINGO

**SUNDAYS**

**@ BANDWAGON HALL**

Lemay Ferry @ Reavis Barracks

**2:30 PM doors open | 5:30 PM games begin**

For more info &/or to volunteer call:

Ken - 314.409.3114 or Kevin - 314.541.8840.



# FISH FRIES

## SAVE THE DATES!

Every Friday during Lent

March 7, 14, 21 & 28

and April 4 & 11

4 - 7pm (Eat in or carry out)

\$14 & \$8 meal options

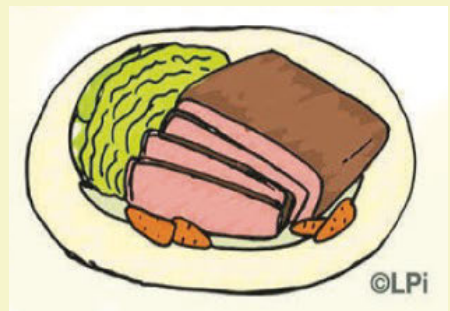
at ST. MARK PARISH CENTER  
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**VOLUNTEERS  
ALWAYS WELCOME!**

**SIGN UP AFTER ALL MASSES!**

## CORNER BEEF & CABBAGE DINNER & RAFFLE

Sunday, March 16<sup>th</sup> - 11AM to 5PM  
in St. Martin's Runge Hall  
610 West Ripa Ave. @ Telegraph Rd.



Dinner (All You Can Eat): corned beef (or ham), cabbage,  
Irish potatoes, & carrots.

Hot dogs, ham sandwiches, & corned beef sandwiches are available.

Desserts are included with a dinner.

### Tickets For Sale

Adults: \$16 in advance & \$19 at the door. | Children (13 & under): \$9.

- Weekends Masses from now until - March 16<sup>th</sup> at St. Mark and St. Martin churches
- Fridays, March 7<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> from 9AM - 1PM in Runge Hall
- Tuesdays, March 4<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> from 6PM - 8PM at Dubowl Lanes

For more info &/or to volunteer call: Kevin - 314.541.8840 or Apollo - 314.486.4399.

## 2024-2025 SECOND QUARTER FINANCIAL SUMMARY

### Terms

<b>Ordinary Income</b>	Weekly Collections, Investment Income, & Property Rental
<b>Ordinary Expense</b>	— Personnel Costs ( <i>Employee Salaries &amp; Benefits</i> ) — Supplies ( <i>Purchases needed for Parish Business</i> ) — Fees & Services ( <i>Costs for Outside Services</i> ) — Occupancy ( <i>Utilities, IT Services, Security, &amp; Maintenance</i> ) — Assessments ( <i>Insurance &amp; Archdiocesan Support Services</i> )
<b>Extraordinary Income</b>	Bequests, Grants & Fundraising ( <i>Bingo, etc.</i> )
<b>Extraordinary Expense</b>	Capital Expenditures ( <i>Immediate Plant Repairs/Improvements</i> )

### Second Quarter Report

	<b>St. Mark</b>	<b>St. Martin</b>
Ordinary Income	\$ 306,591	\$ 108,178
<b>Ordinary Expense</b>	<b><u>\$ (272,435)</u></b>	<b><u>\$ (138,606)</u></b>
<b>Ordinary Surplus/(Deficit)</b>	<b>\$ 34,156</b>	<b>\$ (30,428)</b>
Extraordinary Income	\$ (4,416)	\$ 103,854
<b>Extraordinary Expense</b>	<b><u>\$ (162,672)</u></b>	<b><u>\$ (37,881)</u></b>
<b>Extraordinary Surplus/(Deficit)</b>	<b><u>\$ (167,088)</u></b>	<b>\$ 65,973</b>
<b>Resulting Quarterly Surplus/Deficit</b>	<b><u>\$ (132,932)</u></b>	<b>\$ 35,545</b>

### Second Quarter Commentary

**St. Mark** — *Extraordinary Income saw a loss in investment earnings for the quarter. The Extraordinary Expense entailed parking lot resurfacing & an initial payment on new HVAC at St. Mark school, & repairs to St. Matthias' boiler.*

**St. Martin** — *Extraordinary Income came from the proceeds from Bingo.*

*The Extraordinary Expense came from resurfacing the parking lot.*

### Year to Date Report

	<b>St. Mark</b>	<b>St. Martin</b>
Ordinary Income	\$ 557,636	\$ 184,585
<b>Ordinary Expense</b>	<b><u>\$ (530,458)</u></b>	<b><u>\$ (329,799)</u></b>
<b>Ordinary Surplus/(Deficit)</b>	<b>\$ 27,178</b>	<b>\$ (145,214)</b>
Extraordinary Income	\$ 17,702	\$ 248,336
<b>Extraordinary Expense</b>	<b><u>\$ (289,649)</u></b>	<b><u>\$ (43,816)</u></b>
<b>Extraordinary Surplus/(Deficit)</b>	<b><u>\$ (271,947)</u></b>	<b>\$ 204,520</b>
<b>Resulting Year to Date Surplus/Deficit</b>	<b><u>\$ (244,769)</u></b>	<b>\$ 59,306</b>

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