

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

WEEKEND OF AUGUST 31 & SEPTEMBER 1, 2024
TWENTY-SECOND 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*

CONFESSIONS

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

BAPTISMS, WEDDINGS, & FUNERAL

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



Saturday, Aug. 31 *22nd Ordinary Sunday*

4:00PM @ St. Martin Judy Olson

5:00PM @ St. Mark For All Parishioners

Sunday, Sept. 1 *22nd Ordinary Sunday*

7:00 @ St. Mark Family of Shirley Orr

9:00 @ St. Mark Amanda Kopff+

10:00 @ St. Martin 2024 Jubilarians of the
School Sisters of Notre Dame

11:00 @ St. Mark Judy Hof+

Monday, Sept. 2 *Labor Day*

9:00 @ St. Mark Sean Selvaggio+

Tuesday, Sept. 3 *St. Gregory the Great*

6:30 @ St. Martin Puricelli & Bauer Families

8:00 @ St. Mark A. & M. Heideman

Wednesday, Sept. 4

6:30 @ St. Martin James Keehner

8:00 @ St. Mark Rosa Hernandez

Thursday, Sept. 5

6:30 @ St. Martin George+ & Ann+ Bauer

8:00 @ St. Mark Mary Austerman

Friday, Sept. 6

6:30 @ St. Martin Loryn Evans

8:00 @ St. Mark Ted+ & Marie+ Nowak

Saturday, Sept. 7

8:00 @ St. Mark Ray & Mary Austermann

LOOKING FOR A NOON MASS?

Noon Mass is celebrated Monday - Friday at St. Francis of Assisi Church which is located at 4556 Telegraph Road | 63129.



TODAY'S READINGS TWENTY-SECOND ORDINARY SUNDAY

Deuteronomy 4:1-8

Moses said to the people:

“Now, Israel, hear the statutes and decrees which I am teaching you to observe, that you may live . . .”

James 1:17-27

“Be doers of the word and not hearers only.”

Mark 7:1-23

Jesus quoted the Prophet Isaiah saying,

“This people honors me with their lips but their hearts are far from me. . .”

READINGS FOR SEPTEMBER 2 - 8

Monday: **1 Corinthians 2:1-5**
Luke 4:16-30

Tuesday: **1 Corinthians 2:10b-16**
Luke 4:31-37

Wednesday: **1 Corinthians 3:1-9**
Luke 4:38-44

Thursday: **1 Corinthians 3:18-23**
Luke 5:1-11

Friday: **1 Corinthians 4:1-5**
Luke 5:33-39

Saturday: **1 Corinthians 4:6b-15**
Luke 6:1-5

Sunday: **Isaiah 35:4-7a**
James 2:1-5
Mark 7:31-37

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:

smartinoftours.com or stmarkstl.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

Last week I called to your attention to our fine maintenance staff, Jeff, Bridget, and Avelino who care for the physical plants at each of our parish sites.

Now I want to acknowledge the three generous women who serve as the immediate contacts with the Pastoral Offices whenever someone calls or makes an office visit.



Jessi Livengood, Sr. Ruth Emke, SSND, and Christina Sanders are the Pastoral Assistants who communicate and execute the details of our day to day administrative services.

They keep the two priests in line (*for the most part*) and facilitate our ministry to the two parish communities in so many ways.

I trust that you will recognize their diligent service and express your thanks to them the next time you see them.

Also this week you may notice the new sign at the Pastoral Offices which is intended to help visitors to find their way to the offices of both St. Mark & St. Martin of Tours Parishes.



May God continue to bless and assist us in our efforts to serve Him in Faith, Hope and Love!

Father Bob

This Week

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Tuesday, Sept. 3

Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions

Following Both Morning Masses

Prayer Shawl Ministry

9:00 AM Pastoral Office

Quilting 9:00 AM St. Mark Rm 113

Quilting 10:00 AM St. Martin Runge Hall

Wednesday, Sept. 4

Bible Study 9:00 AM St. Mark Rm 101

Quilting 9:00 AM St. Mark Rm 113

Catholic Senior Club 11:00 AM Doors Open

Noon Meeting Begins St. Martin Runge Hall

Cards 12:30 PM St. Mark Rm 114

Christ's Journeymen 7:00 PM St. Mark Rm 112

Knights of Columbus 7:00 PM St. Mark Rm 114

St. Vincent DePaul 7:00 PM St. Martin Runge Hall

Thursday, Sept. 5

Eucharistic Adoration After 8:00 AM Mass
Until 6:45 PM Benediction

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

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

Friday, Sept. 6

Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Following Both Morning Masses

Two Hearts of Jesus & Mary Devotions

7:00 PM until Midnight Mass St. Mark Church

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA)

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

Saturday, Sept. 7

BBQ 10 AM - 6 PM St. Martin Runge Hall

Sunday, Sept. 8

BBQ 11 AM - 3 PM St. Martin Runge Hall

Bandwagon Hall Bingo (Volunteer Team 2)

Doors Open 2:30 PM & Games Begin 5:30 PM

BAPTISMAL CONGRATULATIONS!

On August 18th

Isabel Aldon

daughter of Michael & Genevieve Bales
became a member of the Body of Christ.

May God continue to bless
His new daughter Isabel & her family
leading them ever closer to Himself!

YOUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED

For the Recently Departed,

**Debbie Goulden, John “Jack” Klevorn,
Adele Major & Mamie Valenti**

*May They & All the Faithful Departed
through the Mercy of God rest in peace.*

And for all the Sick, especially:

David Jenneman & Lois Schneider

*May they experience God’s healing power,
and return to the faith community soon.*

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

EACH THURSDAY

8:30 AM – 6:45 PM

BENEDICTION 6:45-7:00 PM

*Jesus invites You
to spend time with Him*

Come when you can.

An hour is suggested but not required.

He is waiting for you



Adoration time has no
script or order to follow;
it’s a time to BE with
our Lord.

If interested in signing 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.

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.



The Year of Mission

The Eucharistic Revival Committee is
seeking men and women of all ages to help
lead our parishes into the “Year of Mission.”

Committee Members meet once a month to
pray for the revival and plan parish activities
to help spark a deeper encounter with our
Lord in His Eucharistic Presence.

Is the Holy Spirit moving you to join us?

For more information, please contact:
Jill @ 314.302.7740 or
jillmsoderquist@gmail.com



CATHOLIC TEACHING ON LABOR

One of the most important principles of Catholic social teaching is the dignity of work and the rights of workers.

Four encyclicals address this foundational social teaching, with the most recent being Saint Pope John Paul's *Centesimus Annus* (1991) addressing both the theology and dignity of human labor.

In Genesis, God calls his human creatures to become the faithful stewards of his entire creation; and thus to share in God's creative love as His partners in bringing His wondrous work to its completion and fulfillment.

From this perspective, work is understood in terms of sharing in God's ongoing activity to build, and transform the world always for the good.

As co-creators - human beings must be self-disciplined to develop and find their true fulfillment in union with God.

By our labor, we shape the world and our environment and also shape ourselves.

Labor Day offers an excellent opportunity to reflect on how we view what we do each day in the light of Catholic social teaching.



AT ST. MARTIN

NEXT SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH

10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

&

NEXT SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH

11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

Carry-Outs Only

\$12 - Pork Steak Dinner with 2 sides
\$8 without sides

\$12 - 1/2 Chicken Dinner with 2 sides
\$8 without sides

\$32 - Full Slab Rib Dinner with 3 Lg sides
\$25 without sides

\$16 - 1/2 Slab Rib Dinners with 2 sides
\$12 without sides

\$8 - Bratwurst Dinners with 2 sides
\$4 without sides

Sides: Mustard Potato Salad,
Mayo Potato Salad, Baked Beans,
& Sweet/Sour Cole Slaw

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BBQ Volunteers Are Needed

Please contact:

Apollo - 314.486.4399

or Kevin - 314.541.8840

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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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SUNDAY by SUNDAY

WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY RETURNS
THIS WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4TH
9:00 - 10:30 AM
ST. MARK'S ROOM 101

You are invited to join this weekly scripture study presented at an annual cost of \$20 per participant.

Learn more about the Holy Scriptures and how they apply to our daily lives.

This is intended to help you come to Sunday Mass better prepared to hear the Sunday Scriptures.

For more information and to register,
contact Rose Masidonski at 314.631.8260.



CATHOLIC SENIOR CLUB

This Wednesday, September 4th
Meeting begins @ Noon | Doors open @ 11 AM
Runge Hall @ St. Martin

Gather with us to learn how to avoid and prevent all types of fraud and scams during the presentation given by: Officer Vineyard, from South County Police Department, and Connie Pesek, from Midwest Bank.

Each presenter will share valuable information and answer your questions on banking, internet and mail fraud; identity theft; etc.

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

Dessert & beverages are provided.
Feel free to bring your own lunch.

Questions? Call: Debbie - 314.894.1940 or
Toni - 314.583.4199

SAINTS PETER & PAUL MEALS PROGRAM



TEAM 1 WILL COOK, BAKE &/OR
SERVE ON SEPTEMBER 15TH

Cooks: Next weekend please pick up your Mostaccioli containers found in St. Mark Cafeteria.

If you have any questions, please call Pat at 314.631.1118.

OLD FLAG COLLECTION SEPTEMBER 14TH - 29TH

Is your "old glory" ...
tattered & torn, faded & forlorn?

Please drop your American flag in the collection boxes to be found in the 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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BINGO

EACH SUNDAY
@ 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



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ARE YOU IN NEED OF EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE ?

Our two SVdP chapters can help if you know anyone in needs of emergency assistance with utilities or food.

Need help?

For **St. Martin's**
314.296.3733

For **St. Mark's**
314.289.6101 x 2272

A Vincentian will return your confidential call within one to two days.

SVDP THRIFT STORE NEEDS USED GOODS DONATIONS

SVdP Thrift Store at 2500 Lemay Ferry Road is in need of used goods that are either given away to people in need or sold at an affordable price.

- Kitchen household items & small appliances
- Major appliances (must be less than 10 years old, clean and electric)
- Hospital equipment - crutches, walkers, wheelchairs, etc.
- Home goods - artwork, decorative items, linens, rugs, mirrors,
- Furniture (no mattresses)

Drop off donations at the SVdP Thrift Store on Monday-Saturday from 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM, pickups are only available for furniture (call 314.881.6006).

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At Weekend Masses or our Websites

- www.stmartinofours.com
- www.stmarkstl.com
- By email: go to ParishesOnline.com then enter parish name in the search.
- By USPS mail for those unable to attend Mass on a regular basis, please contact Christina Sanders at 314.743.8602.

EUCCHARIST DIVINE BLESSINGS

GLIMPSE OF GLORY

EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS 2.0

SEPTEMBER 20 (6:30-10PM)
SEPTEMBER 21 (9AM-5PM)

Testimonies of grace from the National Eucharistic Congress

Eat
Drink
Receive

To register go to:
www.archstl.org/glimpse-of-glory-conference

Catholic Renewal Center - Fall Conference
At Cardinal Rigali Center, 20 Archbishop May Drive, 63119
Fleur de Lis Room

SEPARATED, DIVORCED, WIDOWED, REMARRIED CATHOLICS (SDWRC) are invited to join *South County SDWRC* for their fun activities and to make new friends.

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