MASSES ON THE LORD’S DAY
5:00 pm Sat (vigil)
8:00 am, 10:00 am,
12:00 noon, 5:00 pm
LiveStreaming of Sunday Mass and daily Mass offered at 8:00 am

WEEKDAY MASSES
7:00 am (Mon-Fri)
8:00 am (Mon-Sat)
12:05 pm (Mon-Fri)

OPEN WEEKDAYS
6:30 am – 5:00 pm

LITURGY OF THE HOURS
Evening Prayer
4:30 pm (Sat)
OPEN SATURDAY/SUNDAY
7:00 am – 6:30 pm

CONFESSIONS
7:30–8:00 am (Monday through Friday)
3:30–4:50 pm (Sat)
9:00–9:50 am (Sun)
11:00–11:50 am (Sun)

PERPETUAL HELP DEVOTIONS
Following 8:00 am & 12:05 pm Mass (Tues)
EUCARISTIC ADORATION
3:30 pm–4:30 pm (Sat)
8:30 am–11:45 am (Every First Friday)
ARCHBISHOP MITCHELL T. ROZANSKI AND THE PEOPLE OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF ST. LOUIS WELCOME YOU AND HOPE THAT YOUR TIME IN OUR MOTHER CHURCH MAY BE AN OPPORTUNITY TO SHARE OUR FAITH AND JOY IN JESUS CHRIST.

Please enjoy the beauty of this building dedicated to the glory of God and built for the inspiration of all who enter. Public tours of the Cathedral led by volunteer guides are available by appointment, as is access to the Cathedral Gift Shop.

All visitors who are not of the Catholic faith are welcome to join us in prayer, but not to receive Holy Communion. Reception of Holy Communion is a sign of unity of faith and full membership in the Catholic community. Together let us pray for the eventual unity of all believers.

If you desire to become a member of the Catholic Church or to become a member of the Cathedral Basilica Parish, please complete a registration card, available at the entrances the church.

All contributions to the Cathedral Basilica parish, ministries, and maintenance are sincerely appreciated.

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MASS INTENTIONS

Sun., January 2 – The Epiphany of the Lord
8:00 a.m. - John Greenhalgh
10:00 a.m. - For the Parish Family
12:00 p.m. - Janice & Joe Gummersbach
5:00 p.m. - Nick Theiss

Mon., January 3 - Holy Name of Jesus
7:00 a.m. - Marie Grotpeeter
8:00 a.m. - Dave Keller
12:05 p.m. - Charlie Florenza

Tues., January 4 - St. Elizabeth Ann Seton
7:00 a.m. - Sr. Mary Rachel Nerbun
8:00 a.m. - John Tinsley
12:05 p.m. - Erik Kuster

Wed., January 5 - St. John Neumann
7:00 a.m. - Jubal Schultz
8:00 a.m. - Mimi & Ollie Clerc
12:05 p.m. - Marilyn Weisbrod

Thur., January 6 – St. Andre’ Bessette
7:00 a.m. - Teresa and Francis Farrow & Family
8:00 a.m. - Richard Campbell
12:05 p.m. - Joseph H. Mueller

Fri., January 7 - St. Raymond
7:00 a.m. - Lola Pottebaum
8:00 a.m. - Special Intention
12:05 p.m. - Janice Noack

Sat., January 8 - Christmas Weekday
8:00 a.m. - Patricia J. Tucker
5:00 p.m. - Linda Swisher

Sun., January 9 – Baptism of the Lord
8:00 a.m. - John Greenhalgh
10:00 a.m. - For the Parish Family
12:00 p.m. - Doug Welty
5:00 p.m. - Nick Theiss

CATHEDRAL TOURS

Tours of our beautiful church are once again being offered at various times by appointment during the week (pending other events). To book a tour, please visit our website to submit a “tour inquiry” form (https://cathedralstl.org/tour-info) or contact Susie

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**FROM OUR RECTOR**

Dear Parishioners,

The light that shone in the night at Christmas illuminating the city of Bethlehem, where Mary, Joseph and the shepherds remained in silent adoration, shines bright today and is manifested to all. The Epiphany is a mystery of light, symbolically suggested by the star that guided the Magi on their journey.

In the mystery of Christmas, Christ's light shines on the earth, spreading, as it were, in concentric circles. First of all, it shines on the Holy Family of Nazareth. The Virgin Mary and Joseph are illuminated by the divine presence of the Infant Jesus. The light of the Redeemer is then manifested to the shepherds of Bethlehem, who informed by an Angel, hasten immediately to Bethlehem and find there the "sign" that had been foretold to them: the Child, wrapped in swaddling clothes, lying in a manger (cf. Lk 2: 12).

Finally, Christ's brightness shines out, reaching the Magi. The Magi worshipped a simple Child in the arms of his Mother Mary because in him they recognized the source of the twofold light that had guided them: the light of the star and the light of the Scriptures. In Him they recognized the King of the Jews, the glory of Israel, but also the King of all the peoples.

During this Christmas Season, I could clearly see that the Cathedral Basilica parish community is a vibrant community. This is seen in so many ways, from our parishioners' response to our Advent Giving Tree to how so many will reach out to each other after Mass. Thank you for all you do to make the Cathedral a great parish.

Part of what makes us great are many dedicated volunteers who assist in various ways. One of these volunteers, Victor Stewart, is with us every weekend welcoming visitors, assisting with the collection and ushering. Shortly after Christmas day, Victor was diagnosed with a brain tumor and he will no longer be able to continue to help in that capacity. This is a great loss for the Cathedral, but for the man who has assisted countless visitors, let us now assist him with our prayers.

Monsignor Breier

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Missouri State
University Chorale
Cameron F. LaBarr, Conductor
Friday, January 14, 2022 8:00 PM

The Missouri State University Chorale is the flagship choral ensemble at Missouri State University. This select ensemble is comprised of both music majors and non-music majors. The MSU Chorale has performed regularly at conferences of the American Choral Directors Association, Missouri Music Educators Association, the National Association for Music Education, and has toured through the United States, Europe, and South Africa.

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Respect Life Memorial Mass

January 22 marks the 48th anniversary of the court decision that legalized abortion on demand throughout the entire nine months of pregnancy. On **Saturday, January 15 at 10:00 a.m.**, all are invited to the celebration of the Annual Roe V. Wade Memorial Mass and Prayer Vigil to pray for the protection of all unborn children who are in danger of abortion; for wisdom, strength, and fortitude for their mothers and fathers; for the conversion of all those who participate in the abortion industry; and for parents, family members, and friend who have suffered as a result of an abortion experience, that they may find hope and healing.

Mass will be followed by a Rosary procession to the Planned Parenthood facility on Forest Park Ave. For more info, please contact the Archdiocesan Respect Life Apostolate at 314-792-7555.

A Thought on The Sanctity Of Life

“Through the Incarnation and birth of Christ, God reveals to us the dignity of all human life. Human life, as a gift of God, is sacred and inviolable. The Son of God has united himself with every human being and desires for us to share eternal life with him… Each of us is made in the image and likeness of God, and we reflect his glory in the world.”

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
“The Gospel of Life: A Brief Summary”

Mass for Social Justice

The Annual Archdiocesan Mass for Social Justice will be celebrated on **Sunday, January 16, at 2:30 p.m.**, with Archbishop Rozanski as celebrant and homilist. For further information, please contact the St. Charles Lwanga Center at 314-367-7929.

Catholic Radio

Do you have a plan to keep you on the right path in this ever-changing world? Listening to Catholic programming on Covenant Network will help keep you focused on faith in your life. Tune in to AM 1460 or 92.7 FM, listen on our Covenant Network app on your mobile device or at OurCatholicRadio.org.

Eucharistic Exposition

The Blessed Sacrament, the very presence of Christ’s body and blood in the Eucharist, is reserved in the tabernacle of the Blessed Sacrament Chapel to the east of the main sanctuary. At all hours the Cathedral is open, people may be found praying there before the Lord “face to face.” **Each Saturday afternoon, beginning at 3:30 p.m., the Eucharist is displayed for prayer and adoration in public exposition in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel for a holy hour.** Following this holy hour, the Evening Prayer of the Church with Benediction is celebrated.

**Additionally, the Blessed Sacrament is displayed for public adoration and prayer on the First Friday of the month.** First Friday Adoration begins at approximately 8:30 a.m., following the completion of the 8:00 a.m. Mass, and concludes with Benediction at 11:45 a.m. Our next First Friday Adoration will be held **Friday, January 7th.**
**Pray for the Sick**

It is our responsibility in the Lord to remember the sick, who are especially close to the Redeemer in their suffering.

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**Twas the Season for Giving**

The Cathedral Basilica Annual Advent Giving Tree, which this year benefitted Fr. Dempsey Charities, residents of Bernard West Pine Nursing Home, and residents of St. Elizabeth Hall, was once again very successful! As donations continue to trickle in by way of the Sunday offering collection, the Parish Ministry of Care thank all parishioners and visitors who generously supported this very special parish program. May the Lord of life bless you all in a very special way in the coming year!

**Daily Readings for the Week...**

The readings are included each week so that the parishioners who are unable to join us for daily Mass will be able to consider and pray them in union with the whole Church.

**Readings for the Week**

**January 2, 2022 through January 9, 2022**

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**For the Poor**

On the first Sunday of every month, the Cathedral Parish collects foodstuffs and canned goods (non-perishable items only, please!) for delivery to food pantries in the area. **Our next parish food drive will be held today, January 2nd.**

**St. Patrick Casserole Program**

Casseroles and other offerings collected by volunteers of the St. Patrick Casserole Program provides one week of dinners for the Women’s Shelter, and one night of dinners for the Men’s Alumni Club.

**Cathedral casseroles will host our next “touchless” drop-off in the parish parking lot on Thursday, January 13, from 1:00 – 2:00 p.m.** Please contact Skip or Nicki Batchelor at 916-834-4843 for additional information.

**Eyeglass Drive**

"The Respectacle Project,” an eyeglass recycling program, facilitates the redistribution of quality used eyeglasses to those in need both locally and abroad. Donations are typically accepted on the first Sunday of every month. **Our next eyeglass drive will be held today, January 2nd.**
Women of the Cathedral
Mass, Breakfast & Fellowship January 8, 2022

It was a joyful gathering with many women from the Parish at our first meeting early December. We will continue the first Saturday morning time (except when there are conflicts) and the format. All women in the Cathedral are invited to gather again on January 8, 2022 for 8AM Saturday Mass at the Cathedral Basilica followed immediately in Boland Hall with a light breakfast, fellowship and time to share. Please RSVP to Barbara Murray 314-974-6900 so we can get a count for breakfast.

Anima Christi Young Adults
Anyone between the ages of 18 and 39 is invited to join in prayer and fellowship with the young adult community of the Cathedral Basilica on Thursday, January 6th. Our gathering begins with a Holy Hour in the church at 5:30 pm (enter through the west door by the playground), followed by Holy Mass at 6:30pm. After Mass we will gather for dinner in Boland Hall. Please join us, in full or in part, to deepen your relationship with Christ and with one another. For additional information, please e-mail us at AnimaChristiStL@gmail.com.

Weekly Thoughts on Giving
“...They prostrated themselves and did him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh.” (MATTHEW 2:11)

What gifts do you give to the Lord? Pope St. Gregory said that these three gifts represent what we should give God every day. Gold – we should reflect Christ’s wisdom in all our relationships. Frankincense – represents our daily prayer and adoration to God. Myrrh – is a symbol of our daily sacrifices that we unite with Jesus for the sake of others.

Stewardship Alive!

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**Parish Information**

**Registration in Parish**
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**Online Giving** is a secure and convenient web-based service to make your weekly or monthly contributions to Cathedral Parish from your computer, or laptop, or tablet. Simply access the Cathedral website (www.cathedralstl.org) and go to Parish Online Giving under the “GIVE” tab. Then follow the easy instructions to set up your secure account and authorize your contributions to be automatically withdrawn from your bank account on the date you specify.

**Baptism of Infants**
Parents requesting Baptism should be registered members of the parish. To schedule baptisms or register for baptismal preparation classes for parents or godparents, contact the rectory at 314-373-8202.

**Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults**
For persons interested in becoming Catholic, contact the rectory at 314-373-8202.

**Anointing of the Sick**
Parishioners facing surgery or struggling with serious illness may request this sacrament by calling the rectory at 314-373-8202.

**Vocations to Christian Marriage**
Couples planning to marry at the Cathedral Basilica may contact Mary Ann Fox at 314-373-8208.

**Vocations to Holy Orders and Consecrated Life**
Those who feel called to this life are invited to call the Archdiocesan Office of Vocations at 314 -792-6460.

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