

CATHEDRAL
BASILICA



OF SAINT LOUIS



THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD JANUARY 9, 2022

**MASSSES 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)

**EUCCHARISTIC
ADORATION**
3:30 pm–4:30 pm (Sat)
8:30 am–11:45 am
(Every First Friday)



WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS

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

Specific Mass intentions for each scheduled Mass listed regularly in this bulletin are made by individual request. Requests for Mass intentions may be directed to the rectory by calling 314-373-8202.

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

MASS INTENTIONS

Sun., January 9 – The 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

Mon., January 10 - Weekday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. - Teresa and Francis Farrow & Family
8:00 a.m. - Deceased Members of the Legion
12:05 p.m. - John Greer

Tues., January 11 - Weekday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. - Krzysztof Godlewska
8:00 a.m. - Trista Bilgere
12:05 p.m. - James Happermann

Wed., January 12 - St. Marguerite Bourgeays

7:00 a.m. - Alex Nammour
8:00 a.m. - Trista Bilgere
12:05 p.m. - Harriett Bowman

Thur., January 13 – St. Hilary

7:00 a.m. - Peggy Bronson Stewart
8:00 a.m. - Mary & Joe Rice
12:05 p.m. - Kathy & Tony Ruster

Fri., January 14 - Weekday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. - Sr. Mary Rachel, RSM
8:00 a.m. - Joan Falk
12:05 p.m. - Janice Noack

Sat., January 15 - Weekday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. - God's Precious Infants
5:00 p.m. - Derek Florez

Sun., January 16 – 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. - Friends and Benefactors
10:00 a.m. - For the Parish Family
12:00 p.m. - Linda Strothman
5:00 p.m. - Nick Theiss



FROM OUR RECTOR

Dear Parishioners,

In his encyclical, [Caritas In Veritate](#), Pope Benedict the XVI addressed issues related to life:

“When a society moves towards the denial or suppression of life, it ends up no longer finding the necessary motivation and energy to strive for man's true good. If personal and social sensitivity towards the acceptance of a new life is lost, then other forms of acceptance that are valuable for society also wither away. The acceptance of life strengthens moral fiber and makes people capable of mutual help. By cultivating openness to life, wealthy peoples can better understand the needs of poor ones, they can avoid employing huge economic and intellectual resources to satisfy the selfish desires of their own citizens, and instead, they can promote virtuous action within the perspective of production that is morally sound and marked by solidarity, respecting the fundamental right to life of every people and every individual (no. 28, 4).”

As we draw near to the anniversary of the Supreme Court decision that legalized abortion in the United States, let us renew our prayer and efforts to support the dignity of human life. We are saddened by losing more than 60 million children to procured abortions. You are invited to take part in the Annual Memorial Mass on the 49th Anniversary of the Roe v. Wade Decision on Saturday, January 15, 2022, at 10:00 am at the Cathedral Basilica. Following Mass, there will be a Rosary Procession to Planned Parenthood.

On this Sunday that follows the Solemnity of the Epiphany, we are celebrating the Baptism of the Lord. This was the first act of his public life, recounted in all four Gospels. Having reached the age of about 30, Jesus left Nazareth, went to the River Jordan and, in the midst of a great crowd of people, had himself baptized by John.

Mark the Evangelist writes: "And when he came up out of the water, immediately he saw the heavens opened and the Spirit descending upon him like a dove; and a voice came down from heaven, "You are my beloved Son; in you I am well pleased" (Mk 1: 10-11). These words, "You are my beloved Son" reveal what eternal life is: it is the filial relationship with God, just as Jesus lived it and gave it to us.

Now our celebration of Christmas concludes. The Child, who the Magi came to adore at Bethlehem offering their gifts, and our attention now will be drawn away from this scene to discover Christ among us. The eternal truth of Christmas we take with us: That God so loved the world that he gave us his only begotten Son.

Monsignor Breier

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ARCHBISHOP'S COLUMN

Learning a deeper way of listening and following

Samuel, the apostles and others are examples of hearing the voice of the living God in a new way

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

As we enter the first week of Ordinary Time, the readings have us contemplating new beginnings — a fitting topic as we continue to lean into the New Year!

We hear about the conception, birth and consecration of Samuel — the last judge of Israel and the one who anointed the first two kings of Israel. It's the beginning of the extraordinary life of Samuel and the beginning of a new phase of Israel's history.

We also see the beginning of the public ministry of Jesus in the Gospel of Mark. The healings and exorcisms begin immediately and the people's reaction is telling: "What is this? A new teaching with authority." And: "We have never seen anything like this."

In both cases God is doing something new. Within that theme of newness, however, there is also a call and challenge to us: to listen more deeply to God's voice.

We hear one of the great stories of the Hebrew Scriptures: the call of Samuel. God calls Samuel three times during the night. Each time he runs to the priest Eli, thinking that Eli was calling him. Finally, Eli figures out that God is calling Samuel. One of the most fascinating features of Samuel's call is how the Bible remarks that "At that time Samuel was not familiar with the Lord." Samuel had grown up in the temple at Shiloh! Still, he did not know what the living voice of God sounded like. He was called to learn a new and deeper kind of listening, and that listening became the cornerstone of his prophetic ministry.

We also hear the call of the apostles Simon (Peter), Andrew, James, John and Levi (Matthew) in the Gospel this week. These are men who would have known the Scriptures. But they heard the voice of the living God in a new way. Like Samuel, they learned a deeper way of listening and following.

The importance of listening is highlighted by some important counter-examples in the readings as well. We hear of Hophni and Phinehas, the sons of Eli, who didn't listen to God's law or the warning of their father and brought disaster upon Israel. We hear of the leper who, having been cleansed, didn't listen to Jesus and made it impossible for Jesus to enter a town openly. We hear of the people of Israel, who refused to listen to Samuel's warning about what it would mean for them to have a king, and displaced God as their rightful king.

The consequences of listening and not listening are made abundantly clear this week!

The Olympic Games open in less than a month. One of the things we learn from Olympic athletes is that excellence comes from discipline. Drawing a lesson from that for the life of faith, we might say that excellence in discipleship comes from the discipline of listening to the Lord.

Like Samuel, many of us have grown up in the temple of the Lord. Like Samuel, we are called to learn a deeper kind of listening. It would be a good discipline to work on for the New Year.

**ARCHBISHOP
MITCHELL
ROZANSKI**

**SERVE THE LORD
WITH GLADNESS**



Note: this column appeared in the St. Louis Review for January 3-9th and may be read in the print edition or at <https://bit.ly/35ejOXr>.



ANNUAL MEMORIAL MASS

On the 49th Anniversary of Roe v. Wade



Annual Roe v. Wade Memorial Mass & Prayer Vigil
Saturday, January 15, 2022 - 10 a.m.
Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis & Boland Hall

January 22, 2022 marks 49 years since the Supreme Court decisions Roe v. Wade and Doe v. Bolton legalized abortion in our country. Since then, over 61 million unborn children have lost their lives and countless women, men, and families have been harmed by legalized abortion in the U.S.

Please join the archdiocesan **Respect Life Apostolate** and **Generation Life St. Louis**, and the Catholic and pro-life community in praying for an end to abortion, healing and forgiveness for those involved in abortion, and an increased respect for all human life.

Mass, celebrated by **Archbishop Mitchell Rozanski**, Archdiocese of St. Louis, will be followed by a peaceful and prayerful Rosary Procession to/from Planned Parenthood and fellowship at a reception in Boland Hall. For more information contact the Respect Life Apostolate at 314-792-7555, prolife@archstl.org or online at STLRespectLife.org.



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Missouri State University Chorale

Cameron F. LaBarr, Conductor

Friday, January 14, 2022 8:00 PM



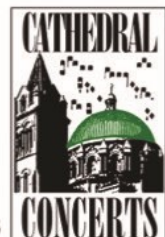
The Missouri State University Chorale is the flagship choral ensemble at Missouri State University. This select ensemble is comprised of both music majors and non-music majors. The MSU Chorale has performed regularly at conferences of the American Choral Directors Association, Missouri Music Educators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

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Re-Gifting for Pro-Life

The Cathedral Pro-Life Ministry will be collecting two types of items the weekend of January 8 - 9 to support expectant moms and babies:

- Those items you may have received during Christmas which can be “re-gifted” to the thrift shop at Our Lady's Inn, which can then generate revenue to support the Inn's mission.
- Baby supplies, such as diapers, new bottles, and toys, all of which will be gifted to Good Shepherd Children & Family Services.

Simply place your item(s) in the drop boxes at the main entrance of the church after any of the Masses the weekend of January 8 - 9. Questions? Please email Bryan Kirchoff at bryankirchoff@att.net.

Mass for Social Justice

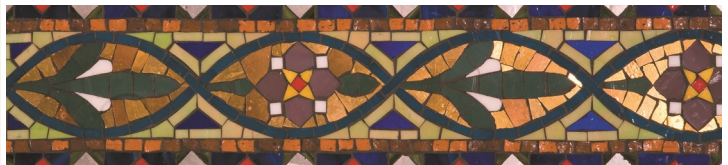
The Annual Archdiocesan Mass for Social Justice will be celebrated on **Sunday, January 16, at 2:30 p.m.**, with Archbishop Rozanski as celebrant and homilist. For further information, please contact the St. Charles Lwanga Center at 314-367-7929.

Roses for Life Weekend



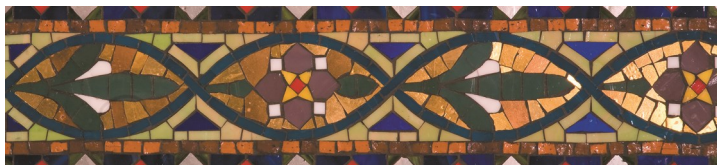
Knights of Columbus®

Members of our own Bishop's Council will be at the exits of the Church this weekend. If you are against abortion, please sign a rose on your way out. No monetary donation is needed.



Have You Considered Online Giving

Online Giving is a secure and convenient web-based service to make your weekly or monthly contributions to Cathedral Parish from your computer, laptop, or tablet. Simply access the Cathedral web site (www.cathedralstl.org) and click on the ONLINE GIVING button on the home page. Watch the 5 minute “Watch Help Video” and 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. All of information is encrypted and stored securely.



Infant Baptism

According to the mind of the Church, parents are obliged to see that infants are baptized within the first weeks after birth. As soon as possible after the birth, or even before it, parents should request the sacrament for their child and are to be properly instructed in preparation for it. Godparents are also encouraged to attend baptismal preparation before the child is born. If you are a **registered parishioner** who is or is about to become a parent or godparent, contact the parish office at 314-373-8202 to schedule a baptism or to register for baptismal preparation class.

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Let's Keep in Touch

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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.

Margaret Aubermann	Pauline Price
Janice Bashford	Dorothy Quinn
Barbara Beckemeyer	Keith & Terri Reason
Joe Dubuque	Kelvin Ayala Reyes
Deborah Harlan	Mary Riley
Tom Hyland	Vivian Rachel Rossen
Jennifer Jaswal	Resy Sanchez
Lenore Molloy	Mickey Shears
Thomas Mosher	Mary Anne Work
Edwin Ayala Padilla	Betty Ytzaina

A Thought on The Sanctity Of Life

“When we encounter Christ, experience his love, and deepen our relationship with him, we become more aware of our own worth and that of others. His love for each person is cause for great joy, and growing understanding of this priceless treasure motivates us to share his love with others. Our lives are often changed by the witness of others; so too, others’ lives may be changed by our witness and authentic friendship with them.”

USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
 “How to Build a Culture of Life”
respectlife.org/culture-of-life

Welcome New Parishioners

A very special welcome to our newest parishioners! The following families have recently joined the Cathedral. The Cathedral clergy, rectory staff, and your fellow parishioners joyfully welcome you and pray for you & your families.

Candice Mohapp, Meghan Knapp, Patrick & Claire Andrews, Salim & Katerina Hawatmeh, Trish Callahan, Michelle Malone, Clancy Duggan, Rob & Holly O’Bert, Brian Byrne, Mary Lippi, Catherine Jaggie, Daniel & Katherine Thomas, Nathan & Michelle Arends, Andrew & Elaine Bosserman, Mary McKenney, Laura Bartig, Stefani Cronley, Jessica Flieg & Jeremy Kehrer, and Peter Clark

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 9, 2022 through January 16, 2022

Sunday: Is 42:1-4, 6-7 Ps 29:1-4, 9-10
 Acts 10:34-38 Lk 3:15-16, 21-22
 Monday: 1 Sm 1:1-8 Ps 116:12-19 Mk 1:14-20
 Tuesday: 1 Sm 1:9-20 1 Sm 2:1, 4-8 Mk 1:21-28
 Wednesday: 1 Sm 3:1-10, 19-20 Ps 40:2, 5, 7-10
 Mk 1:29-39
 Thursday: 1 Sm 4:1-11 Ps 44:10-11, 14-15, 24-25
 Mk 1:40-45
 Friday: 1 Sm 8:4-7, 10-22 Ps 89:16-19
 Mk 2:1-12
 Saturday: 1 Sm 9:1-4, 17-19; 10:1 Ps 21:2-7
 Mk 2:13-17
 Sunday: Is 62:1-5 Ps 96:1-3, 7-10
 1 Cor 12:4-11 Jn 2:1-11

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 casserole organizers 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.

Subscription Sunday

The St. Louis Review, your faithful source for Catholic News, is the official newspaper of the Archdiocese of St. Louis. For \$35.00 a year, your weekly copy of the Review will keep you in touch with the Church in St. Louis, across the nation, and around the world. Please use the subscription renewal envelope in your January envelope packet (or write your check for \$35.00 to the parish, mark it “Review”, and include your name and mailing address) and return it in any Sunday collection.



STEWARDSHIP ALIVE!

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 13th**. Our gathering begins with a Holy Hour in the church at 6:30 pm (*enter through the west door by the playground*), followed by dinner at 7:30pm 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**.

Men of the Cathedral

JANUARY ADORATION

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is a joy beyond words, as we can come close to our Lord in a very special and personal way. That joy and fulfillment is greatly enhanced when you share the experience of Adoration with others.

Understanding this, the MEN OF THE CATHEDRAL cordially invite all parishioners and visitors to join them in the January Adoration scheduled for January 25th at 6 PM in the nave of the Cathedral.

Confessions will be heard during Adoration.

Please plan to attend and invite your friends and family, as it is a tremendous way to come closer to Christ!

Following Adoration, all men are invited in Boland Hall for fellowship and dinner. An offering of \$20 is suggested. Please RSVP by Monday, January 24th to Michael Weisbrod at michael.weisbrod@rcfstl.org to reserve your dinner spot!

St. Vincent de Paul Membership

Members of the Cathedral St. Vincent de Paul Society meet weekly. Members are committed to aiding fellow parishioners and neighbors with necessities such as food, clothing, utilities, and rent—all in the context of the Christian imperative. If interested in becoming a member or in learning more about the Society and our Conference, please leave a message on the SVDP HotLine at 314-373-8288.

Weekly Thoughts on Giving

"John answered them all, 'I baptize you with water; but he who is mightier than I is coming...he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit...' (Luke 3:16)

The Catholic Catechism states that *"Jesus' immersion in the water is a sign for all human beings of the need to die to themselves to do God's will."* In other words, as baptized Catholics there is only one gift that we need to give to Jesus – the gift of ourselves. Surrender yourself to God, place your trust in Him and allow the Holy Spirit to work through you for the greater glory of God.

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION FOR
THE WEEKEND OF 1/2/2022**

Offertory	\$8,376.03
Loose	2,812.26
Landscaping	40.00
Maintenance	273.00
Seminary	166.00
St. Louis Review	50.00
Solemnity of Mary	676.00
Flowers/Memorial Poinsettias	51.00
Misc. Missions & Special Collections	146.00
Year End Gift	9,630.00
OnLine Giving	13,744.56



LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR JANUARY 15-16, 2022

	Extraordinary	Lectors	Ministers of Care	Servers	Ushers
5:00 p.m. (Sat)	No Cup Ministers At Any Mass This Weekend	Barb Murray Jessica Lobo		Doug Weber	Bob Sutter Jerry Pastore Matt Colvin Chris Newgent
8:00 am		Sandy Doyle Michael Pajor	Pat Harper Susan Metheny Laura Robinson	Doug Weber Ryan Dugan	Dave Meyer Frank Snyder
10:00 am		Rachel Kondro Barb Murray		John Paul Blanner Simon Blanner	Victor Stuart Barb Murray Susan Metheny Jerry Danekas
12 Noon		Vito Alu Mark Burmester		TBD	Willie Stevens Vito Alu Lawanda Reason Barb Murray
5:00 pm		Erin Heathman Thomas Gregory		Brak Welby Luke Welby	Willie Kelsey Charlie Hapke Pat McCann

Parish Information

Registration in Parish

To join our parish, please register online at <https://cathedralstl.org/about-basilica/parish-life> or call the rectory at 314-373-8202.

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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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