

CATHEDRAL  
BASILICA



OF SAINT LOUIS



## SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JANUARY 16, 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*.

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.

**CATHEDRAL CONCERTS**  
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**TOURS**  
314.373.8205

## 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 Irons at 314-373-8205.

## MASS INTENTIONS

### 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

### Mon., January 17 - St. Anthony

7:00 a.m. - Teresa and Francis Farrow & Family  
8:00 a.m. - Ruth Leith  
12:05 p.m. - Chris McCurdy

### Tues., January 18 - Weekday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. - FSCC Intentions  
8:00 a.m. - Leonard Dino, Sr.  
12:05 p.m. - Special Intention of Mike Roth

### Wed., January 19 - Weekday in Ordinary Time

7:00 a.m. - Sr. Marysia Weber RSM  
8:00 a.m. - Patrick Brennan  
12:05 p.m. - Norbert Siegfried

### Thur., January 20 – St. Fabian

7:00 a.m. - Sr. Mary Kathleen Ronan RSM  
8:00 a.m. - Mary & Joe Rice  
12:05 p.m. - Janice Noack

### Fri., January 21 - St. Agnes

7:00 a.m. - Daniel Murray  
8:00 a.m. - Patricia J. Furrer  
12:05 p.m. - James Zitter

### Sat., January 22 - Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

8:00 a.m. - Sr. Maria Howell RSM  
5:00 p.m. - Carmelo Rosario Gabriele

### Sun., January 23 – 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 a.m. - For the Parish Family  
10:00 a.m. - Sr. Mary Rachel Nerbun  
12:00 p.m. - Dottie Connell  
5:00 p.m. - Nick Theiss



**FROM OUR RECTOR**

Dear Parishioners,

As you enter the Cathedral Basilica this week, you will notice that the Christmas decorations have all been removed and are now placed in storage until next year. I would like to take this opportunity to express gratitude to our staff and many volunteers who assisted in the long process of decorating the Basilica. It truly looked stunning this year and many of our visitors to the Cathedral commented how beautiful it looked.

Things will look darker in the Cathedral Basilica this week as we progress through our interior lighting project's Phase One. Electricians on Tuesday disconnected the power and control lines to the Main Dome so that new lines could be run through the same conduit. The hope is that the new fixtures will arrive in about seven weeks and be installed. Of course, this is all dependent on the supply chain working as expected. Thank you, in advance, for your patience, as we work to improve the lighting of the interior of the Cathedral.

With the celebration of the Baptism of the Lord, we have entered into the season of Ordinary Time. Our attention is now drawn away from the Christ child lying in the manger to Christ alive in the world. There is a biblical theme that I would like to propose to you as we enter into the new year: "Pray without ceasing" (*1 Thes 5: 17*). St. Paul addressed the community of Thessalonica, which was experiencing inner disputes and conflicts in order to appeal forcefully for certain fundamental attitudes among which stands out ceaseless prayer.

With this invitation, He wanted to make people understand that the capacity to overcome all selfishness, to live together in peace and fraternal union, and for each one to bear the burdens and suffering of others comes from new life in Christ and in the Holy Spirit. We must never tire of praying for unity and peace in our world! When Jesus prayed at the Last Supper that "they may all be one," he had a precise goal in mind: "so that the world may believe" (*Jn 17: 21*).

This message is particularly apropos as we celebrate the Annual Archdiocesan Mass for Preservation of Peace and Justice which seeks to commemorate the legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Archbishop Rozanski will be the main celebrant and homilist for the Mass. The gathering this year will be much smaller than in previous years but the Cathedral will be filled with songs and prayers praying for peace.

"All that I am saying is simply this, that all life is inter-related. We are caught in an inescapable network of mutuality, tied in a single garment of destiny. So that whatever affects one directly, will affect all indirectly."

- Martin Luther King, Jr., Commencement address at Oberlin College, 1965

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## ARCHBISHOP'S COLUMN

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WITH GLADNESS

## Abortion illustrates the battle in our hearts between two tendencies

Our culture lives out of both the tendency of Jesus' life and the tendency of sin

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

This week I will join pilgrims from the Archdiocese of St. Louis at the March for Life in Washington, D.C. As we do, the question on many people's minds is: Will this be the year? Is this the last March for Life before Roe v. Wade is overturned by the U.S. Supreme Court?

If not, then I say these two things: that it will be a great loss, but only a temporary setback.

A great loss, because over 62 million children have lost their lives to abortion since the landmark 1973 case. The deaths of those children and the corresponding hurt inflicted on mothers, fathers, families, siblings and society is staggering.

But it would only be a temporary setback because, as St. John Paul II once asked: "Can history swim against the tide of conscience?" His own life experience told him, for a time, yes, but not permanently! Good wins out in the end. But he knew, and we know, that victory often comes only after terrible losses.

If this is the year that Roe v. Wade is overturned by the Supreme Court, then I say these two things: that it will be a great victory, but only a partial one.

A great victory, because we will have recognized a massive legal and cultural error.

But it would be only a partial victory for three reasons. First, because the real victory is when we walk with moms in need, help them bring their babies into the world and care for moms and babies alike. That's an ongoing task, not the result of a legal decision.

Second, because the Catechism of the Catholic Church teaches us a moral methodology. In its treatment of the Ten Commandments, the Catechism begins with the direct matter of each commandment and then expands to a consideration of other things that are included by implication. The same holds true here. If we establish, in law, that innocent lives ought not to be taken by abortion, we have to go on to ask: what else is included in that judgment by implication? The victory will not be complete until all innocent lives are protected — and that is a long road.

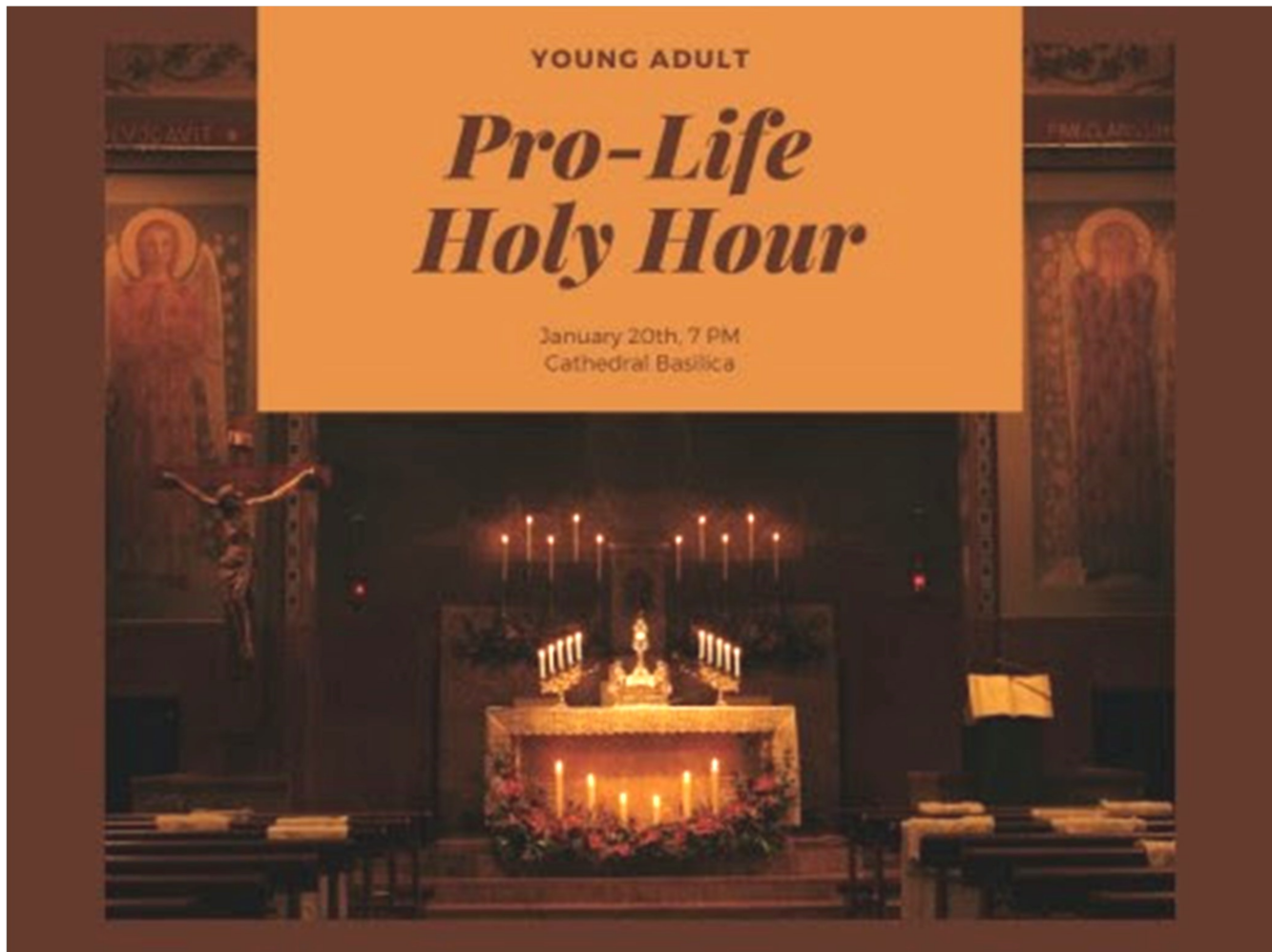
Third and last and most deeply, because there are two perennial tendencies in the human heart, and our culture lives out of both of them. The first is: "This is your body, taken for me." That tendency is the way of all sin — abortion, lust, stealing and so on. The other is: "This is my body, given for you." This is the pattern of Jesus' life, summed up in the Eucharist but also embodied in the Incarnation, the Passion, and His every word and deed. This tendency is meant to be the heart of marriage. It's one of the ways that human motherhood is meant to make the life of God visible.

These two tendencies are both written in the human heart — one by sin, and the other by God. As long as the battle between these two tendencies continues in each of our hearts, it will continue in our culture as a whole, no matter what the Supreme Court decides.

We certainly go to the March for Life this year with a keen sense of hope! But let's make sure it's a realistic sense of hope. Whatever the Supreme Court may decide between this January and next, we will find ourselves with much work to do.

*Note: this column appeared in the St. Louis Review for January 10-16th and may be read in the print edition or at <https://bit.ly/35ejOXr>.*





## 2022 Archdiocesan Young Adult Pro-Life Holy Hour

Thursday, January 20, 7 p.m.

Join young adults (19-39) throughout the archdiocese to pray for an end to abortion and promote a greater respect for all human life. This annual archdiocesan event, co-sponsored by **Anima Christi**, the [Office of Young Adult Ministry](#), and **Respect Life Apostolate**, will be held Thursday, Jan. 20, 2022 at 7 p.m. at the [Cathedral Basilica of St. Louis](#).

**Kathy Fowler** will share her inspirational adoption journey as well as her professional work at [Good Shepherd Children & Family Services](#) as the executive director. After her talk, Eucharistic Adoration, the Rosary, and the Sacrament of Reconciliation will be offered.

Questions? More information?

Contact: [stlya@archstl.org](mailto:stlya@archstl.org) or 314.792.7008



# DONUT SUNDAY

**Sunday, January 16th**

**Immediately following the  
8:00am and 10:00 am Masses**

*The location has been changed from Boland  
Hall Cafeteria to the old kindergarten  
classroom in the school. Please enter through  
the door by the playground.*

**Brought to you by the Cathedral Parish Council**



PRAY TO PROTECT HUMAN LIFE!

**9 DAYS FOR LIFE**

JANUARY 19 - 27, 2022

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## **Unite in Prayer with Catholics Nationwide for the USCCB Novena 9 Days for Life**

9 Days for Life is an annual novena for the protection of human life. Each day's intention is accompanied by a short reflection and suggested actions to help build a culture of life. Participants can download the novena or sign up to receive the daily prayers via email or text message. Resources are available to promote and share the novena in your parish, school, or ministry!





JANUARY 16, 2022

## CATHEDRAL CONCERTS 2021 - 2022 SEASON

# Spring Concerts

### Stile Antico

Thursday, April 21, 2022 8:00 PM



### Canadian Brass

Tuesday, May 3, 2022 8:00 PM

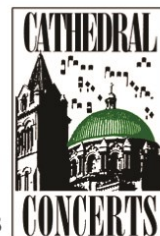


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## PRAY FOR THE SICK

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

“There is such a wide spectrum of issues involving the protection of human life and the promotion of human dignity. Good people frequently disagree on which problems to address, which policies to adopt and how best to apply them. But for citizens and elected officials alike, the basic principle is simple: *We must begin with a commitment never to intentionally kill, or collude in the killing, of any innocent human life, no matter how broken, unformed, disabled or desperate that life may seem.* In other words, the choice of certain ways of acting is *always and radically incompatible* with the love of God and the dignity of the human person created in His image.”

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops  
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## Subscription Sunday

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## 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.

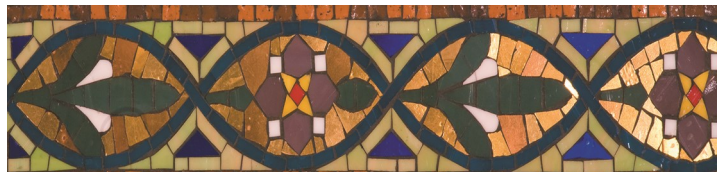
### Readings for the Week

**January 16, 2022 through January 23, 2022**

Sunday:	Is 62:1-5 Ps 96:1-3, 7-10 1 Cor 12:4-11 Jn 2:1-11
Monday:	1 Sm 15:16-23 Ps 50:8-, 16b-17, 21, 23 Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday:	1 Sm 16:1-13 Ps 89:20-22, 27-28 Mk 2:23-28
Wednesday:	1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51 Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10 Mk 3:1-6
Thursday:	1 Sm 18:6-9, 19:1-7 Ps 56:2-3, 9-13 Mk 3:7-12
Friday:	1 Sm 24:3-21 Ps 57:2-4, 6, 11 Mk 3:13-19
Saturday:	2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27 Ps 80:2-3, 5-7 Mk 3:20-21
Sunday:	Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10 Ps 19:8-10, 15 1 Cor 12:12-30 Lk 1:1-4, 4:14-21

## Mass for Social Justice

The Annual Archdiocesan Mass for Social Justice will be celebrated on **today, 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.



## Reminder - Rectory Closed

The rectory will be closed on Monday, January 17th. We will reopen Tuesday, January 18th at 8:30 am.



## STEWARDSHIP ALIVE!

## Anima Christi Young Adults

On Thursday, January 20th at 7:00pm young adults from around the Archdiocese are invited to the Cathedral Basilica to pray for an end to abortion and promote greater respect for human life. This annual event is co-sponsored by Anima Christi, The Archdiocesan Office of Young Adult Ministry, and the Respect Life Apostolate.

Kathy Fowler will be the speaker. Her talk will be followed by Eucharistic Adoration, the Rosary, and an opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

*Note that this will take the place of the normal Anima Christi weekly gathering. Please enter through the west door, by the playground.*

## Weekly Thoughts on Giving

*"To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefit." (1 CORINTHIANS 12:7)*

St. Paul tells us that God has blessed each of us for a reason. How has God blessed you? Are you using your gifts according to God's plan? How are you helping to build God's kingdom here on earth? Remember that if you don't do the work God planned for you, no one else can do it. Live the life God has intended for you. Take time to discern your charisms (gifts from the Holy Spirit). Experience the supernatural Peace and Joy God desires for each of us.

## 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.

## 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 25<sup>th</sup> 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 Bolland Hall for fellowship and dinner. An offering of \$20 is suggested. Please RSVP by Monday, January 24<sup>th</sup> to Michael Weisbrod at [michael.weisbrod@rcfstl.org](mailto:michael.weisbrod@rcfstl.org) to reserve your dinner spot!

OFFERTORY COLLECTION FOR  
THE WEEKEND OF 1/9/2022

Offertory	\$8,328.27
Loose	3085.28
Landscaping	5.00
Maintenance	60.00
School	6.00
St. Louis Review	70.00
Misc. Missions & Special Collections	311.00
Year End Gift	3,925.00
OnLine Giving	4,024.50



## LITURGICAL MINISTERS FOR JANUARY 22-23, 2022

	Extraordinary	Lectors	Ministers of Care	Servers	Ushers
<b>5:00 p.m. (Sat)</b>	<b>No Cup Ministers At Any Mass This Weekend</b>	Barb Murray Jessica Lobo		Doug Weber	Bob Sutter Jerry Pastore Matt Colvin Chris Newgent
<b>8:00 am</b>		Sandy Doyle Michael Pajor	Pat Harper Bernard Susan Metheny Ryder Robinson /Boussard/Watt	Kevin Mattingly Doug Weber	Dave Meyer Frank Snyder
<b>10:00 am</b>		Rachel Kondro Barb Murray		Henry Cyr Linus Cyr John Paul Blanner Simon Blanner	Victor Stuart Barb Murray Susan Metheny Jerry Danekas
<b>12 Noon</b>		Vito Alu Mark Burmester		Matthew Brewer Joseph Brewer Michael Brewer Karl Brewer	Willie Stevens Vito Alu Lawanda Reason Barb Murray
<b>5:00 pm</b>		Erin Heathman Thomas Gregory		TBD	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.

**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](http://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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